

MINUTES OF BOARD OF STUDIES MEETING

The first meeting of Board of Studies in Geography was held online on 5th August, 2022 at 5.30 PM on Microsoft Teams Platform.

Following members were present in the meeting:

1. Asso. Prof. Vrushali Bhalerao, Chairperson
2. Prof. (Dr.) Sachin J. Deore
3. Asst.Prof. (Dr.) Atul Mohanrao Jethe
4. Prof. (Dr.) Anita Awati
5. Shri Pranav Raut
6. Asso.Prof. (Dr.) Priya Parkar
7. Asst. Prof. (Dr.) Deepali Bhide
8. Asst. Prof. Dnyaneshwar Bombe
9. Asst. Prof. Rohan Rajapkar, Secretary
10. Asst. Prof. Lalita Salvi

The meeting transacted following agenda:

AGENDA:

Item 1 : To adopt the Existing Syllabus of University of Mumbai for the subject of Geography (Arts) / Environmental Studies (Commerce) at First Year level of UG , proposed for the academic year 2022-23.

Item 2: To discuss and confirm the Evaluation Pattern of First Year UG in the subject of Geography (Arts) / Environmental Studies (Commerce) from the academic year 2022-23. Evaluation Pattern: External Evaluation 60% and Internal Evaluation 40%

Item 3: To discuss and confirm the Question Paper Pattern of First Year UG in the subject of Geography (Arts) / Environmental Studies (Commerce) from the academic year 2022-23

Item 4: Any other matter/s with the permission of Chair

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At the outset, Chairperson of the meeting Prof. Vrushali Bhalerao introduced and welcomed all esteemed BoS members. Chairperson requested Asst. Prof. Rohan Rajapkar (Secretary, BoS) to place the agenda for discussion and deliberation.

Item-1 : To adopt the Existing Syllabus of University of Mumbai for the subject of Geography (Arts) / Environmental Studies (Commerce) at First Year level of UG , proposed for the academic year 2022-23.

Since syllabus was sent to the members in advance, Prof. Vrushali Bhalerao requested the members to consider it as presented and sought their suggestions and recommendations.

After detailed discussion and deliberations, it was resolved :

“To adopt the Existing Syllabus of University of Mumbai for the subject of Geography (Arts) / Environmental Studies (Commerce) at First Year level of UG , proposed for the academic year 2022-23 and the syllabus to be presented in the next Academic Council meeting.”

Approved unanimously.

For Geography

For Environmental Studies

Proposed by: Dr. Priya Parkar

Dr. Sachin Deore

Seconded by: Dr. Deepali Bhide

Dr. Deepali Bhide

Item-2: To discuss and confirm the Evaluation Pattern of First Year UG in the subject of Geography (Arts) / Environmental Studies (Commerce) from the academic year 2022-23. Evaluation Pattern: External Evaluation 60% and Internal Evaluation 40%

Evaluation Pattern which consists of External Marks – 60% & Internal Marks – 40% at the First Year UG from the academic year 2022-23 was presented and sought members' suggestions and approval.

During the discussions Dr. Sachin Deore suggested that since the College got autonomy for First Year, exams will be conducted internally, so evaluation pattern should not be called as "External".

After detailed discussion and deliberations, it was resolved :

"To adopt the proposed Evaluation Pattern of External Marks – 60% & Internal Marks – 40% at the First Year UG in the subject of Geography (Arts) / Environmental Studies (Commerce) from the academic year 2022-23 and the pattern to be presented in the next Academic Council meeting."

Approved unanimously.

For Geography

For Environmental Studies

Proposed by: Dr. Priya Parkar

Dr. Anita Awati

Seconded by: Prof. Dnyaneshwar Bombe

Prof. Dnyaneshwar Bombe

Item-3: To discuss and confirm the Question Paper Pattern of First Year UG in the subject of Geography (Arts) / Environmental Studies (Commerce) from the academic year 2022-23.

After the approval of Evaluation Pattern, the Question Paper Pattern of First Year UG for the academic year 2022-23 was presented and sought members' suggestions and approval.

During the discussion, Prof. Dnyaneshwar Bombe suggested that for Question No.5 based on Unit-5 (practical part) – question can be divided into (A) & (B) having six marks each with internal options, if any, which was supported by Dr. Anita Awati. Accordingly question paper pattern was modified.

After detailed discussion and deliberations, it was resolved :

“To adopt the proposed Question Paper Pattern of First Year UG in the subject of Geography (Arts) / Environmental Studies (Commerce) from the academic year 2022-23 and to be presented in the next Academic Council meeting.”

Approved unanimously.

For Geography

For Environmental Studies

Proposed by: Dr. Anita Awati

Dr. Anita Awati

Seconded by: Prof. Dnyaneshwar Bombe

Dr. Priya Parkar

Item-4: Any other matter/s with the permission of Chair.

No matter was raised under AOM.

The Secretary, Asst. Prof. Rohan Rajapkar presented the Minutes of the meeting.

Minutes Read and Passed

Proposed by: Dr. Anita Awati

Seconded by: Prof. Dnyaneshwar Bombe

At 6.30 PM meeting concluded with Vote of thanks proposed by the Secretary.



CHAIRPERSON
Board of Studies in Geography