

UNIVERSITY OF JAMMU

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No.F.Acd/II/20/936-982 Dated: 5-8-2020.

Subject: -	Minutes of the Meeting of Board of Studies in Economics in
	the Faculty of Social Science.

Sir/Madam,

Please find enclosed herewith the copy of the minutes of the meeting of the Board of Studies in Economics in the faculty of Social Science held on 13^{th of} Feb, 2020 duly approved by the Vice-Chancellor for your information and further necessary action.

The Minutes of the Board of Studies in Economics is available on the University website: www.jammuuniversity.ac.in

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

Deputy Registrar (Academic)

Encl: - As above

Copy to:-

1. Sr.P.A.to the Controller of Examination along with minutes of the meeting.

2. Assistant Registrar (Confidential)



POST GRADUATE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS, **UNIVERSITY OF JAMMU**

Minutes of the Meeting of Board of Studies in Economics held on 13.0%,2020 in the Department of Economics, University of Jammu

To confirm the minutes of the meeting of the Board of Studies in Agenda 1: Economics which was held on 20.11.2018

Resolution: It was resolved to confirm the Minutes of the meeting of Board of Studies in Economics held on 20.11.2018

To review the syllabi and Courses of Studies in the subject of Economics for Agenda 2: Semester I.II, and III under the Choice Based Credit System at the Undergraduate level.

Resolution: Based on the inputs from the members from the affiliated colleges it was resolved that the course content of Course No.UECTC: 101 (Semester - I) and Course No. UECTC: 201 (Semester - II) be revised keeping in view the fact that the first semester course is very short in terms of its contents and the second semester is too heavy, therefore, some topics from second semester be shifted to first semester to maintain a balance. The revised syllabus (Annexure - I and II) was approved and recommended for further necessary action of the Academic Section of the University of Jammu for the examinations to be held in the years as mentioned below:

B.A Economics

Semester - I

Dec. 2020, 2021 and 2022

Semester - II

May 2021, 2022 and 2023

To review the syllabi and courses of studies in the subject of Economics for Semester I,II,II, IV,V and VI under the (Non-CBCS Scheme) at the Undergraduate level for the candidates of DDE/Private Students

Resolution: After threadbare discussion it was resolved that since non-CBCS scheme mainly pertains to students from the DDE/Private students, the Board authorized the subject Committee of the DDE to make changes wherever required.

To incorporate the two new Courses in the Syllabi and Courses of Studies in Agenda 4: the subject of Economics of Master Degree Programme for the candidates of DDE and Offsite Campus under Non-CBCS Scheme.

Resolution: The Convener informed the members that two new Courses namely Economics 2 Infrastructure (Eco311) and Economic Planning in India (Eco418) of Four Credits each in Semester - III and IV respectively (Annexure - III & IV) have been approved by the Vice-Chancellor for introduction in the DDE and Offsite Campuses, in order to maintain the equalance in terms of Credits vis-à-vis the programme offered by the Department of Economics. After this it was resolved that the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor be confirmed.

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Agenda 5: To deliberate the matter w.r.t. enhancement of time duration in the examination of M.A. Economics in the DDE.

Resolution: The time duration given to students appearing in major exams under CBCS (carrying weightage of 60%) is three hours, whereas students appearing under Non-CBCS in DDE and Offsite Campus ((carrying weightage of 80%) are given time duration of 2 ½ hours. In this regard, the repeated request by the DDE and Udhampur Campus Students have been made to enhance the time duration. Keeping in view the genuineness of the case, it was resolved that time duration be enhanced from 2 ½ hours to 3 hours.

Agenda 6: To indiate the %age of change in the syllabi and courses of study mentioned in item No.2 on each Papers/Course No.

Resolution: It was resolved that there will be no change in the syllabi and courses of study except given in item No.2.

Agenda 7: To prepare a panel of Paper Setter/Examiners to be sent to the Controller of Examinations, University of Jammu

Resolution: After threadbare discussion it was resolved that panel of Paper Setter/Examiners be approved and sent to the Controller of Examinations.

Item with the permission of Chair

Agenda (i): Starting B.A. Honors in Economics in the Degree Colleges

Resolution: Item was debated thoroughly in the meeting and it was resolved unanimously that the established colleges such as GDC Kathua, Samba, Udhampur, Bhaderwah, Rajouri should initiate the process of B.A. Honors in Economics giving the fact that they have required infrastructure in place. Further resolved that Convener of the Board of Studies will write a request letter to the Secretary Higher Education in this regard. Also resolved that the Principals of the concerned Colleges be apprised of this decision of Board of Studies and Members from affiliated Colleges will ensure that a request letter from the Principals be sent to the Commissioner Secretary Higher Education on the matter.

Agenda (ii): Starting of 5 Years Integrated Course in Economics

Resolution: Convener informed the Members that in the Curriculum Improvement Workshop organised by the Department recently, the External Subject Experts suggested the Department to start 5 years Integrated Course in Economics. Therefore, all the members from affiliated Colleges appreciated and approved the suggestion of External Experts.

Agenda (iii): Course Structure

Resolution: Since two new Courses namely History of Economic thought (PSECTE313 and Research Methodology (PSECTE418) have been approved for adoption in P.G. Programme in Semester III & IV and the same has implication on existing course structure. Therefore, it was resolved that the new course structure will be decided by the Faculty of the P.G. Department.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

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