

### BHAVAN'S VIVEKANANDA COLLEGE OF SCIENCE, HUMANITIES AND COMMERCE Sainikpuri, Secunderabad - 500094 Autonomous College - Affiliated to Osmania University DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS - BOARD OF STUDIES

## **Minutes of BOS Meeting**

The Department of Economics, Bhavan's Vivekananda College of Science, Humanities and Commerce, Sainikpuri, Secunderabad, convened the Board of Studies Meeting in Committee Room, on 4th December 2019 at 2.30 pm.

### **Members Present:**

#### **Chair Person:**

1. Dr. Seema Ghosh, Head, Department of Economics, Bhavan's Vivekananda College.

### Members:

- 1. Prof. B. Sudhakar Reddy, Chairman, BOS, Department of Economics, OU, Hyderabad. (OU Nominee).
- 2. Dr. K Sirisha Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, St. Francis College for Women. Begumpet, Hyderabad. (Subject Expert).
- 3. Mrs. Kalapagam Umashankar, Director, Truetech Info solutions Pvt. Ltd, Hyderabad.
- (Industry Expert). 4. Mrs. Jyoti Mehra, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce, BVC (Member).
- 5. Ms. Shanaz Fatima, BA III year student, BVC (Special Invitee).

# The meeting was convened

- 1. To review of the structure of the syllabus
- To discuss and identify the courses which provide employability
- 3. To discuss on introducing Value added course To discuss on introducing Certificate courses with MOU from reputed organisation
- 4.
- The meeting started with Dr. Seema Ghosh welcoming the members of BOS.

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#### Proposals at the Meeting

There was a proposal to identify the courses which provide employability to the students.

There was also a proposal to make a list of value added courses of 30 hours in economics to be offered with external resource persons.

It was also proposed to explore the possibility to identify and list some certificate courses in Economics with MOU from reputed organization.

#### **Resolutions of the Meeting**

 Prof. B. Sudhakar Reddy expressed that the core and elective courses in economics offered in BA program cannot be identified as employable courses. Though the skill enhancement courses like Basics of Quantitative methods for Economist I and II and Basics of Computers I and II are the employable courses.

The scope of employability will happen only after the students complete the program. It was resolved that the core and elective courses offered in economics in BA program cannot be categorized as employable courses and Skill enhancement courses can be categorized as employable courses.

- 2. The Board suggested Personal Financial Planning, Wealth Management, Introduction to Econometrics, Environmental Economics, Practical application of E-views software for data analysis can be offered as value added courses from department of economics. It was resolved that the department will explore the possibility for introducing the suggested value added courses in the next academic year.
- 3. The Board suggested that the department can examine the association with The Indian Econometric Society and Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority for introducing certificate courses. It was resolved that the department will explore the possibility of tie ups with the suggested organization for the certificate courses.
- 4. The Board added a name in the list of examiners for paper setting and evaluation.

The meeting ended with the vote of thanks proposed by Dr. Seema Ghosh, Head, Department of Economics, Bhavan's Vivekananda College

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#### **Minutes of BOS Meeting**

The Department of Economics, Bhavan's Vivekananda College of Science, Humanities and Commerce, Sainikpuri, Secunderabad, convened the Board of Studies Meeting in Committee Room, on 18<sup>th</sup> April 2019 at 11.00 am.

#### **Members Present:**

#### **Chair Person:**

1. Dr. Seema Ghosh, Head, Department of Economics, Bhavan's Vivekananda College.

#### **Members:**

- 1. Prof. B. Sudhakar Reddy, Chairman, BOS, Department of Economics, OU, Hyderabad. (OU Nominee).
- 2. Dr. K Sirisha. Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, St. Francis College for Women. Begumpet, Hyderabad. (Subject Expert).
- 3. Mrs. KalapagamUmashankar, Director, Truetech Info solutions Pvt. Ltd, Hyderabad. (Industry Expert).
- 4. Mrs. JyotiMehra, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce, BVC (Member).
- 5. Ms. Shanaz Fatima, BA III year student, BVC (Special Invitee).

The meeting was convened

- 1. To approve of syllabus of 5th and 6<sup>th</sup> semester of Economics subject (CBCS) w.e.f. 2019-2020 in BA undergraduate course.
- To approval the syllabus of Skill Enhancement course –Paper III- 5th Semester Paper IV- 6<sup>th</sup> Semester.
- 3. To approve the question paper pattern and marks distribution for semester end examination and CIAI and CIA II examinations.
- 4. To approve he panel of examiners.

The meeting started with Dr. Seema Ghosh welcoming the members of BOS.

### **Proposals at the Meeting:**

- 1. There was a proposal to include another theory of economic development in Unit IV and also to replace Myrdal theory (Unit V) with the choice of techniques as a strategy of Economic development in Development economics course (DSC) in semester V. There was a proposal to include Venture capital topic instead of functions of NSE and BSE in Unit V of Financial Economics course (DSE) in semester V. The Board accepted the suggestion.
- 2. There was a proposal to include pre and post trends of national income in India in Unit I, industrial policy of 1956 in Unit II and elaborate the topics of liberalization, privatization and globalization in Unit IV of Indian Economy course (DSC) in semester VI. There was a proposal to delete Theorem of factor price equalization in Unit I, include Hypothesis of Secular deterioration of terms of Trade in Unit II, distinction between tariff and non-tariff barriers in Unit III and to shift concept of devaluation of currency from Unit V to Unit IV in International Economics course (DSE) in semester VI. The Board accepted the suggestion.

### **Resolutions of the Meeting:**

- The Board approved the syllabus of Paper V- Development Economics (DSC) and Paper VA – Economics of Education (DSE), Paper VB- Demography (DSE) and Paper VC - Financial Economics (DSE) of 5<sup>th</sup> semester for Economics subject (CBCS) w.e.f 2019-20.
- The Board approves the syllabus of Paper VI Indian Economy (DSC) and Paper VI A- International Economics (DSE), Paper VIB- Economics of Insurance (DSE) and Paper VIC – Industrial Economics (DSE) of 6<sup>th</sup> semesterfor Economics Subject (CBCS) w.e.f. 2019-20.
- The Board approved the syllabus of SEC Paper III (Basics of Computers I Word and Power point) and SEC Paper IV (Basics of Computers II – MS Excel) for 5<sup>th</sup>and6<sup>th</sup> semester for Economics Subject (CBCS) w.e.f. 2019-20
- 4. The Board approved the question paper pattern and marks distribution for semester end examination and CIA I and CIA II examination of 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> semesters.
- 5. The Board approved the list of examiners for paper setting and evaluation.

### **Skill Enhancement/Development**

At the end of the Course in 5<sup>th</sup> semester, the students will enhance -

Skill to recognize important issues involved in the field of economic development at the community, state, regional, national or international level.

Skill to recognize and analyze the issues related to Education sector in India.

Skill to have a comprehensive understanding and knowledge about the past, present and future population scenario of India, and the various demographic events and processes that shape the population size and structure.

Skill to recognize the fundamental and theoretical meaning of financial economics that would be helpful in demonstrating the knowledge in context to financial aspects

At the end of the Course in 6<sup>th</sup> semester, the students will enhance

At the end of the essential and significant concerns related to Indian economy and also skill to obtain changing role of various sectors of the economy. discuss on the developments and future challenges in the world trading system and

explain its impact on Indian economy skill to recognize the developments and essentials of insurance and retirement

planning

Skill with regards to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the industrial sector, nature of strategic competition and its implications for industrial policy

At the end of the Skill Enhancement Course, the students will enhance the practical knowledge of MS Word, Powerpoint and Excel.

The meeting ended with the vote of thanks proposed by Dr. Seema Ghosh, Head, Department of Economics, Bhavan's Vivekananda College

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#### Minutes of BOS Meeting

The Department of Economics, Bhavan's Vivekananda College of Science, Humanities and Commerce, Sainikpuri, Secunderabad, convened the Board of Studies Meeting in Room No 71, Bio-Chemistry Block on 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2018 at 10.30 am.

#### **Members Present:**

#### **Chair Person:**

1. Dr. Seema Ghosh, Head, Department of Economics, Bhavan's Vivekananda College.

#### Members:

- 1. Prof. J. Narasimha Rao, Chairman, BOS, Department of Economics, OU, Hyderabad. (OU Nominee).
- 2. Dr. K Sirisha. Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, St. Francis College for Women. Begumpet, Hyderabad. (Subject Expert).
- 3. Mrs. Kalapagam Umashankar, Director, Truetech Info solutions Pvt. Ltd, Hyderabad. (Industry Expert).
- 4. Mrs. Jyoti Mehra, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce, BVC (Member).
- 5. Ms. Shanaz Fatima, BA II year student, BVC (Special Invitee).

The meeting was convened

- 1. To modify the title of the Paper of IV semester of economics subject.
- 2. To approve the syllabus of third and fourth semester of Economics Subject (CBCS) w.e.f 2018-19 in BA undergraduate course.
- 3. To re-arrange the Skill Enhancement Course Papers.
- 4. To approve the Syllabus of SEC Paper I and II w.e.f 2018-19.
- 5. To approve the Syllabus of Generic Elective or Inter Disciplinary Course Paper I and II.
- 6. To approve the question paper pattern and marks distribution for semester end examination and CIA I and CIA II exams of 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> semester.
- 7. To approve the panel of examiners.

The meeting started with Dr. Seema Ghosh welcoming the members of BOS.

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## Proposals at the Meeting:

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- 1. Title of "Public Economics" was approved as Paper IV for 4<sup>th</sup> semester for Economics Subject (CBCS) in BA undergraduate course in the previous BOS meeting. There was a proposal to introduce Banking along with Public Economics in Paper IV of 4<sup>th</sup> semester. The proposal was to divide the syllabus with three units on Public Finance and two units on Banking. The Industry Expert Mrs. Kalapagam also reiterated the importance of knowledge of Banking for the students. The Board accepted the suggestion.
- 2. Title of Skill Enhancement Course (SEC) was approved in the previous BOS meeting. The Skill Enhancement Course Paper I (Basics of Computers I) and Paper II (Basics of Computers II) of 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> semester was proposed to be re-arranged with SEC Paper III (Basics of Quantitative Methods for Economists I) and Paper IV (Basics of Quantitative Methods for Economists I) and Paper IV (Basics of Quantitative Methods for Economists II) of 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> semester. The proposal was made in order to introduce Quantitative Methods for Economists in the 2<sup>nd</sup> year of the BA program itself. The Board accepted the suggestion.
- 3. Title of Generic Elective (GE) Paper I (Telangana Economy) and GE Paper II (Economics of Environment) was approved in the previous BOS meeting. There was a suggestion from the subject expert Dr. Sirisha to offer "Basics of Economics" as GE Paper I instead of "Telangana Economy". Important aspects of Telangana Economy could be included in Indian Economy Paper in semester V. The Chairman, BOS, Department of Economics, OU, Prof. J. NarasimhaRao suggested to consult Prof Prabha Pant, Retd. Professor, Department of Economics, OU to make changes in the syllabus of GE Paper II (Economics of Environment). The Board accepted the suggestion.

#### **Resolutions of the Meeting:**

- The Board resolved and approved to modify the Title of Paper IV of Economics subject from "Public Economics " to "Public Finance and Banking" to include two units on Banking in the syllabus.
- The Board approved the syllabus of Paper III (Macro Economics), 3<sup>rd</sup> semester andPaper IV (Public Finance and Banking) 4<sup>th</sup> semesterfor Economics Subject (CBCS) w.e.f2018-19.
- 3. The Board resolved and approved for the re-arrangement of the SEC papers. The syllabus of SEC Paper I (Basics of Quantitative Methods for Economist I) and Paper II (Basics of Quantitative Methods for Economists II) for 3<sup>rd</sup> and4<sup>th</sup> semester for Economics Subject (CBCS) w.e.f2018-19 is approved.
- 4. The Board resolved to offer "Basics of Economics" as GE Paper I instead of "Telangana Economy" and approved its syllabus after discussion. The syllabus of GE Paper II "Economics" of Environment" is also approved after incorporating pacessary suggestion

"Economics of Environment" is also approved after incorporating necessary suggestions made by Prof Prabha Pant.

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- 5. The Board approved the question paper pattern and marks distribution for semester end examination and CIA I and CIA II exams of 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> semester.
- 6. The Board approved the list of examiners for paper setting and evaluation.

The meeting ended with the vote of thanks proposed by Dr. Seema Ghosh, Head, Department of Economics, Bhavan's Vivekananda College.

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# Bhavan's Vivekananda College of Science, Humanities and Commerce (Accredited with A grade by NAAC) -AUTONOMOUS DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS – BOARD OF STUDIES

## **Minutes of BOS Meeting**

The Department of Economics, Bhavan's Vivekananda College of Science, Humanities and Commerce, Sainikpuri, Secunderabad, convened the Board of Studies Meeting in the Committee Room, MBA Block, on 13<sup>th</sup> July 2017 at 10.00 am.

## **Members Present:**

# Chair Person:

 Ms. Seema Ghosh - Head of the Department of Economics, Bhavan's Vivekananda College.

## Members:

- 1. Prof A Nakula Reddy, Chairman BOS, Department of Economics, OU, Hyderabad. (OU Nominee).
- Dr. K Sirisha, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, St. Francis College for Women, Begumpet, Hyderabad. (Subject Expert)
- Mrs. Kalapagam Umashankar, Director, Truetch Info Solutions Pvt. Ltd, Hyderabad. (Industrial Expert).
- 4. Mrs. Jyoti Mehra, Lecturer, BVC (Member).

The meeting was convened to approve the structure for all the six semesters and the syllabus of first and second semester of Economics (CBCS) for 2017-2018 in BA undergraduate course.

The meeting started with the Chairman-BOS, Mrs. Seema Ghosh welcoming the members of the BOS.

Approval of Structure and Syllabus (Semester I and II) for 2017-18 Batch.

 Structure of Economics in BA Course for all three years (six semesters) including Skill Enhancement Course (SEC) and Generic Elective (GE) were approved by the board.
Papers of Semester I and II of I year CBCS syllabus for Economics in BA Course of 2017-18 batch were approved by the Board.

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### Approval of Question Paper Pattern for Semester End Examination and CIA I and II

Pattern of the question Paper was approved by the Board.

#### Approval of Panel of Examiners.

The list of examiners for setting of question paper and evaluation were approved.

#### Suggestions:

- 1. Prof. A. Nakula Reddy, stressed the importance and implementation of CBCS in the colleges for bringing uniformity in the syllabus across the universities of the state.
- 2. Mrs. Kalapagam mentioned the importance of Digital Economy in the globalised world and suggested to include it in the syllabus in the subsequent semesters.
- 3. Dr. K. Sirisha agreed on the same and pointed out the requirement of the knowledge of computers and statistics for the students and suggested that students can undertake a small project in the final semester.
- 4. Prof. A. Nakula Reddy also expressed his willingness to address the students for the guest lecture.

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