

Minutes of the 21st meeting of the
School Board held on 30th March, 1999

5.4.99

1.1 The 21st meeting of the School Board of School of Social Sciences was held on 30th March, 1999 at 10.30 a.m. in the Conference Room, Block-8 IGNOU Campus, New Delhi:-

The following were present:-

1.	Prof. Shobhita Jain,	Chairperson
2.	Prof. Kapil Kumar,	SOSS
3.	Prof. Pandav Nayak,	SOSS
4.	Prof. Pradeep Sahni,	SOSS
5.	Dr. Ravindra Kumar,	SOSS
6.	Dr. E. Vayunandan,	SOSS
7.	Dr. Narayan Prasad,	SOSS
8.	Ms. Abha Singh.	SOSS
9.	Dr. Pravakar Rath.	SOSS
10.	Dr. Neena Talwar.	SOSS
11.	Dr. Uma Medhury,	SOSS
12.	Ms. Kiranmayi.	SOSS
13.	Dr. Geeta Kaicker.	SOSS
14.	Prof. S. Setter.	ICHR
15.	Prof. Krishan Kumar,	Delhi University, Delhi
16.	Prof. S.N. Jha.	CPF, JNU, New Delhi
17.	Prof. R.K. Arora.	Jaipur

The following sent apologies and could not attend the meeting:-

1.	Prof. Asha S. Kanwar,	SOH
2.	Prof. S.B. Ghosh,	SOSS
3.	Dr. A.S. Narang,	SOSS
4.	Dr. Debal K. Singha Roy,	SOSS
5.	Dr. Gopinath Pradhan,	SOSS
6.	Prof. Yogendra Singh,	JNU
7.	Dr. Rita Rani Paliwal,	SOH
8.	Dr. Nawal Kishore,	SOMS

In the beginning the Chairman welcomed all the members of the Board.

21.1 Confirmation of the minutes of the School Board Meeting held on 31st December, 1998

The minutes of the 20th meeting of the School Board were approved.

21.1.1 Status Report arising out of the above minutes

The following amendment were made:-

- (a) In the History Status Report under Certificate in Environmental Studies the credits were written inadvertently as 16 whereas it should be 18 credits both in English and Hindi.
- (b) In the Sociology Status Report, Ph. D. Programme in Sociology was incorrectly mentioned along with modular programmes. It should be given under column IV.
- (c) It was decided that a uniform of format for the Status Report should be developed for all the Disciplines.

21.2.1 To consider and approve the proposal to plan, develop and launch Master Degree Programme in Public Administration

The proposal was approved. In the light of the discussions the Faculty of Public Administration agreed to come up with the detailed proposal after the Expert Committee meetings.

21.2.2 To consider and approve the proposal for major and minor revision of Public Admn. Elective Courses offered in BDP.

The Board approved the proposal for revising the Elective Courses and the faculty agreed to provide a mechanism to inform the students about the change in syllabus.

- 21.3.1 To consider and approve the proposed Syllabus for Certificate in Participatory Programme Planning (SAVINI in Hindi).

The pilot project was approved with certification, brought by the Sociology Faculty, with the provision that the faculty will later come back with a structured proposal after the pilot project is over.

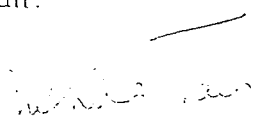
- 21.4.1 To consider and approve the proposed Syllabus for Certificate in Consumer Protection

This item was approved by the School Board.

- 21.5.1 Any other item

The proposal for developing a Certificate Programme in Human Rights, in collaboration with the discipline of Political Science, was submitted by the Human Rights Project Director. The Board approved the location of the Certificate Programme in the School.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.


(Shobhita Jain)
Director

All the members