

INDIRA GANDHI NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY (IGNOU)
School of Agriculture

Minutes of the 47th Meeting of the School Board of the School of Agriculture held on 8th August 2025

The 47th Meeting of the School Board of the School of Agriculture (SOA) was held on 8th August 2025 at 11.00 a.m. in the Conference Room of the School of Agriculture in Hybrid Mode. The following members were present in the meeting:

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| 1. Prof. P. Vijayakumar , Director, SOA, IGNOU | Chairman |
| 2. Prof. Ajeet Kumar Karnatak , Vice Chancellor,
Maharana Pratap University of Agriculture & Technology,
Udaipur-313001 (Rajasthan) | External Member |
| 3. Dr. Rajarshi Roy Burman ,
Assistant Director General (Agricultural Extension),
Division of Agricultural Extension, Krishi Anusandhan Bhawan,
ICAR, New Delhi | External Member |
| 4. Prof. Siddayya , Professor & Head,
Institute of Agri-Business Management,
GKVK, UAS, Bengaluru, Karnataka-560 065 | External Member |
| 5. Prof. M. K. Salooja , Retired Professor,
School of Agriculture, IGNOU, New Delhi | External Member |
| 6. Dr. Prabodh S. Halde , Technical Head Regulatory Affairs R&D,
Marico Ltd., Thane West, Mumbai, Maharashtra | External Member |
| 7. Prof. Lalita S. Kumar , Professor, SOS, IGNOU | Member |
| 8. Dr. Nisha Varghese , Director, SOEDS, IGNOU | Member |
| 9. Dr. Chitresh Soni , Assistant Professor, SOTST, IGNOU | Member |
| 10. Prof. S. K. Yadav , Professor, SOA, IGNOU | Member |
| 11. Prof. Praveen Kumar Jain , Professor, SOA, IGNOU | Member |
| 12. Prof. Mukesh Kumar , Professor, SOA, IGNOU | Member |
| 13. Prof. Mita Sinhamahapatra , SOA, IGNOU | Member |
| 14. Dr. Dinkar B. Kamble , Assistant Professor, SOA, IGNOU | Member |
| 15. Dr. Chaithra N.R. , Assistant Professor, SOA, IGNOU | Member |

The External members attended the meeting in online mode. Dr. Rukshana Zaman, Associate Professor, SOSS could not attend the meeting.

At the outset, the Chairman, Prof. P. Vijayakumar, extended a warm welcome to all members of the School Board, with special greetings to the newly inducted external members. He began by introducing the external members, followed by self-introductions from the internal School Board members. He also expressed his sincere thanks and gratitude to the external members who had completed their tenure in September 2024, acknowledging their valuable contributions to the School Board in its academic endeavour. He then presented a brief overview of the activities of the School of Agriculture, specifically to apprise the new external members about its vision, mission, objectives, and functions, as well as the programmes offered by the School of Agriculture, IGNOU. He also gave an overview of the School Board, its constitution and functions.

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The agenda items were taken up *seriatim* for discussion, and the decisions of the School Board are recorded as follows:

Agenda No. SB.47.1 To confirm the minutes of the 46th meeting of the School Board and the Action Taken Report.

SB.47.1.1 The Chairman informed the Board that the minutes of the 46th School Board meeting, held on 22nd November 2024, had been circulated to all members, and no comments were received. He then presented the Action Taken Report (ATR) on the minutes of the 46th School Board meeting.

SB.47.1.2 The Action Taken Report (ATR) on the Minutes of the 46th School Board meeting is presented below:

Sl. No.	Agenda	Action Taken Report
Agenda No. SB.46.2	To consider and approve the half-yearly Progress Report of Ms. Kajal Srivastava and Ms. Riya Tomar of PHDDR programme for the period from 1 st January, 2024 to 30 th June, 2024 (7 th Report).	Noted
Agenda No. SB.46.3	To consider and approve the revised evaluation methodology for B.Sc. (Food Safety and Quality Management) (BSCFFSQM) Programme	The School Board approved agenda relating to the revised evaluation methodology of BSCFFSQM programme was submitted to the ACSC for approval. The approved revised evaluation methodology was communicated to the SED.
Agenda No. SB.46.4	To consider and approve the names of Unit writers and Course Editors for "B.Sc. (Food Safety and Quality Management)" (BSCFFSQM) Programme.	The Units and Blocks were allotted to the approved Unit Writers and Course Editors, respectively as per the requirement.
Agenda No. SB.46.5	To consider and approve the names of Hindi translators and vetters for SOA Programmes.	The approved list of Hindi Translators and Veters will be utilised as and when required.
Agenda No. SB.46.6	To consider and approve the names of Experts for the panel of Paper-setters for the School of Agriculture programmes.	Communicated to SED.
Agenda No. SB.46.7	To consider and approve the names of Experts for the panel of Evaluators of TEE answers sheets for the School of Agriculture programmes.	Communicated to SED.

Agenda No. SB.46.8	To consider and approve the names of experts for Moderation Board of Question Papers for the School of Agriculture programmes.	The list of the Experts will be used as and when required.
Agenda No. SB.46.9	To consider and approve to co-opt External members for the School Board of SOA under clause 2(e) of Statute 10 (A).	Notification issued <i>vide</i> F.No. IG/ACD/SB-SOA/2005/4878 dt. 31 st December 2024.
Agenda No. SB. 46.10	To consider and approve the List of Examiners for Evaluation of the Thesis and conduct of <i>viva-voce</i> for Ms. Kajal Srivastava, PHDDR scholar.	The list of Examiners will be used in due course of time.
Agenda No. SB. 46.11	To consider and approve the proposal for conduct of TEE for MOOC on "Novel Technologies for Food Processing and Shelf-Life Extension" under MSCFSQM programme.	The proposal has been approved by the Academic Council and the same has been communicated to the SED.
Agenda No. SB. 46.12	To consider and approve name of experts for course designing committee of MAM068: Organic Farming Business Management of the Master of Business Administration (Agribusiness Management).	The Course Designing Committee meeting was held on 25 th July 2025.
Agenda No. SB. 46.13	To consider and approve the list of experts for unit writing and course editing for the Master of Business Administration (Agribusiness Management).	The Units are being allotted to Unit writers.

SB.47.1.3 The Board confirmed the Minutes of the 46th Meeting of the School Board held on 22.11.2024 (Annexure-1) and the Action Taken Report of it.

Agenda No. SB. 47.2 To consider and approve the concept note for the development of a Ph.D. programme in Food Safety and Quality Management.

SB.47.2.1 The Chairman apprised the Board of the proposal to introduce a new Ph.D. programme in the area of Food Safety and Quality Management, based on the recommendations of the 23rd meeting of the Doctoral Research Committee (DRC) held on 29th February 2024, and the Faculty Meeting held on 25.07.2025. He further informed that the School is already offering Undergraduate and Post Graduate Degree programmes in the area of Food Safety and Quality Management, and the passouts of these two programmes will get an opportunity to pursue this Ph.D. programme.

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Following this, the proposer of the programme, Dr. Dinkar B. Kamble, presented the concept note, highlighting the need and importance of the programme, its target group, potential research areas, academic and social relevance and market demand. He also outlined the expected programme outcomes and the proposed strategies for its development and delivery. Dr. Kamble informed the members that as per the UGC (Minimum Standards and Procedures for award of Ph.D. degrees) Regulation, 6 months coursework is compulsory for any Ph. D. programme. Therefore, the School is planning to conduct an expert committee meeting for the development of the syllabus for coursework of the proposed Ph.D. in Food Safety and Quality Management programme. He presented a list of proposed experts (Annexure-2) for conducting the Expert Committee meeting to develop the syllabus for the Ph.D. coursework.

SB.47.2.2 The members expressed their appreciation for the proposal, observing that the demand for expertise in food safety and quality management spans multiple sectors. They emphasised that such expertise is crucial for strengthening academic and applied research capacity, supporting evidence-based policymaking, and contributing to the achievement of national and international goals, including those related to food safety, public health, and sustainable development. Prof. Salooja suggested that at least one expert from the Science and Standards Division of the Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI) and one expert from the Packaging Institute be included in the Expert Committee for the curriculum design of the Ph.D. programme.

SB.47.2.3 The School Board considered and approved the concept note for the development of a Ph.D. programme in Food Safety and Quality Management.

Agenda No. SB. 47.3 To consider and approve the half-yearly Progress Reports of Ms. Kajal Srivastava and Ms. Riya Tomar of PHDDR programme for the period from 1st July 2024 to 31st December 2024 (8th Progress Report) and from 1st January 2025 to 30th June 2025 (9th Progress Report).

SB. 47.3.1 The Chairman presented the minutes of the 25th Doctoral Research Committee (DRC) meeting of the Ph.D. in Dairy Science and Technology (PHDDR) programme held on 02.05.2025, and the 26th DRC meeting held on 05.08.2025, along with the half-yearly progress reports of the following two students:

- **Ms. Kajal Srivastava** (Enrollment No. 202493119)
 - 8th Progress Report: 1st July 2024 – 31st December 2024
 - 9th Progress Report: 1st January 2025 – 30th June 2025
- **Ms. Riya Tomar** (Enrollment No. 202493126)
 - 8th Progress Report: 1st July 2024 – 31st December 2024
 - 9th Progress Report: 1st January 2025 – 30th June 2025

SB. 47.3.2 The DRC recommended the acceptance of these progress reports. Copies of the minutes of the DRC meetings held on 02.05.2025 and 05.08.2025 are placed at **Annexure-3**.

SB. 47.3.3 The School Board considered and approved the progress reports of the two Ph.D. scholars, namely Ms. Kajal Srivastava and Ms. Riya Tomar, for the period 1st July 2024 to 31st December 2024 and 1st January 2025 to 30th June 2025.

Agenda No. SB. 47.4 To consider and approve the panel of External Experts for the Doctoral Research Committee of PHDDR programme.

SB. 47.4.1 The School is offering the Ph.D. in Dairy Science and Technology (PHDDR) programme. The Chairman informed the members that the approved panel of External Experts for the DRC of the PHDDR was valid up to 26.08.2025. He presented the new panel of External Experts for the DRC of PHDDR programme as follows:

Sl. No.	Details of External Experts	Sl. No.	Details of External Experts
1.	Dr. M. K. Salooja, Retired Professor, IGNOU, B 2/10, Janakpuri, New Delhi – 110058; M: 9891581750, E: mksalooja@gmail.com	2.	Dr. Tanweer Alam, Director and Professor, Indian Institute of Packaging, Delhi; Mobile: 9310601300; E: amtanweer@rediffmail.com
3.	Dr. Ashutosh Upadhyay, Dean (Academics), Professor & Head, Dept. of Food Science & Technology, NIFTEM, Plot-97, Sector-56, HSIIDC Indl. Estate, Kundli, Sonapat, Haryana-131028. Tel: 9034022694, E: ashutosh@niftem.ac.in	4.	Dr. Rakhi Singh, Professor, Dept. of Food Science & Technology, NIFTEM, Plot-97, Sector-56, HSIIDC Indl. Estate, Kundli, Sonapat, Haryana-131028. Tel: 0130-2281037; Mobile: 9728310211; Email: rakhi117@gmail.com
5.	Dr. Shruti Sethi, Principal Scientist, Food Science & Post Harvest Technology Division, Indian Agricultural Research Institute, Pusa, New Delhi, M: 9810795350, Email: shrutisethi@iari.res.in	6.	Dr. Prabhat K. Nema, Professor, Department of Food Engineering, NIFTEM, Plot No. 97, Sector-56, HSIIDC Industrial Estate, Kundli, District-Sonapat, Haryana-131028. T: +91-130-2281100, E: pknema@niftem.ac.in
7.	Dr. Shalini Sehgal, Professor, Department of Food Technology, Bhaskaracharya College of Applied Sciences, Dwarka Sector-2, New Delhi-110045. M:9810586489	8.	Dr. P. N. Raju, Senior Scientist, Dairy Technology Division, ICAR-National Dairy Research Institute (NDRI), Karnal (Haryana). Tel.: 0184-2259597, M: 9896038983
9.	Dr. Apoorva Behari Lal, Professor, Raja Balwant Singh College, RBS Engineering Technical Campus, Bichpuri, Agra-282105 (U.P.). Tel.: 0562-2520075, 2858616, 2636675, M: 9412166332, E: ablal20@rediffmail.com	10.	Dr. Meenakshi Singh, Chief Scientist, Technology Management Directorate, Council of Scientific & Industrial Research (CSIR), New Delhi – 110001; M: 9868920883, Email: meenakshi@csir.res.in

SB. 47.4.3 The Board considered and approved the panel of External Experts for the Doctoral Research Committee of PHDDR programme.

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Agenda No. SB. 47.5 To consider and approve the names of Unit writers and Course Editors for “B.Sc. (Food Safety and Quality Management) (BSCFFSQM) Programme.

SB. 47.5.1 The Chairman informed the Board that the School of Agriculture is developing a Four-Year Undergraduate Programme (FYUP) in B.Sc. (Food Safety and Quality Management) (BSCFFSQM). He presented the list of identified unit writers and editors for the various courses of Semester 4.

SB. 47.5.2 The Board considered and approved the proposed names of Unit Writers and Course Editors for the B.Sc. (Food Safety and Quality Management) (BSCFFSQM) programme. The list of Unit Writers and Course Editors for the BSCFFSQM programme is placed at **Annexure-4**.

Agenda No. SB. 47.6 To consider and approve the names of Unit writers and Course Editors for “Master of Business Administration (Agribusiness Management) (MBAABM) Programme.

SB.47.6.1 The Chairman informed the Board that the School of Agriculture is developing the courses for the second year of the Master of Business Administration (Agribusiness Management) programme. He presented the list of identified experts for unit writing and course editing as follows:

Experts for Unit writing:

1. Dr. Nidhi, Assistant Professor, Galgotia University, NOIDA, nidhi.18dec@gmail.com.
2. Dr. Devvrat, Associate Professor, Department of Electronics and Communication, I.T.S Engineering College, 46, KP-III, Greater Noida, UP

Experts for editing:

1. Mr. Prabhakar Sharma, Associate Professor, Department of Electronics and Communication, I.T.S Engineering College, 46, KP-III, Greater Noida, UP, prabhakar.sh@gmail.com, Mob: 8130769879, 9457488789
2. Mr. Rahul Mathur, Head, OneCert International, H-274, RIICO Industrial Area, Sitapura, Jaipur, Rajasthan 302022 India. rahul@onecertfoundation.org, Mob: 8639385647.
3. Dr. Nidhi, Assistant Professor, Galgotia University, Noida nidhi.18dec@gmail.com.
4. Dr. N. Ravishankar, Principal Scientist and Project Coordinator, AICRP-IFS, ICAR- Indian Institute of Farming Systems Research, Modipuram, 8410020345, n.ravisankar@icar.org.in
5. Dr. A.K. Tiwari, Principal Scientist, Division of Floriculture, Pusa campus, IARI, New Delhi-110012, drajaitiwari@gmail.com, 8317004388

SB.47.6.2 The Board considered and approved the proposed names of Unit Writers and Course Editors for the Master of Business Administration (Agribusiness Management) (MBAABM) programme.

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Agenda No. SB. 47.7 To consider and approve the revised evaluation methodology of Post Graduate Diploma in Agribusiness (PGDAB).

SB.47.7.1 The chairman informed that the School of Agriculture is offering two programmes in the area of Agribusiness Management viz. PG Diploma in Agribusiness (PGDAB) and Master of Business Administration (Agribusiness) since January 2022 and July 2024 sessions, respectively. He informed that the evaluation methodology adopted for these two programmes is different, which has created an administrative hurdle for the smooth conduct of the examination and declaration of results.

SB.47.7.2 Prof. P.K Jain, the Programme Coordinator, apprised that the PGDAB programme comprises of 7 theory courses and one project work (8 courses of 4 credits each) and currently follows a numerical marking system for evaluation. Whereas, the evaluation followed for the MBA in Agribusiness Management (MBAABM), consisting of 28 courses, including a project, is letter grading system which is standard for all MBA programmes of the University. Three courses viz. MAM-051, MAM-052, and MAM-057 are common to both programmes but currently follow different evaluation systems. To ensure uniformity in evaluation, it is proposed to change the evaluation methodology of PGDAB from numerical marking to letter grading system, effective from the December 2025 Term-End Examination.

SB.47.7.3 The Board considered and approved the revised evaluation methodology for the Post Graduate Diploma in Agribusiness (PGDAB). The revised evaluation methodology is placed at Annexure-5.

Agenda No. SB. 47.8 To consider and approve the names of Experts for the panel of Paper-setters for the School of Agriculture programmes.

SB.47.8.1 The Chairman briefed the Board on the conduct of the Term-End Examination (TEE) of IGNOU programmes, which is held twice a year, in June and December. He informed that the paper setting for the TEE is undertaken by both internal and external experts approved by the respective School Board and the competent authority. The approved panel is then submitted to the concerned division of the University for implementation.

He presented the names of experts for the paper setting for the following three programmes.

1. M.Sc. (Food Safety and Quality Management) (MSCFSQM)
2. PG Diploma in Food Safety and Quality Management (PGDFSQM)
3. Diploma in Meat Technology (DMT)

SB.47.8.2 The School Board considered and approved the names of Experts for the panel of Paper-setters for the School of Agriculture programmes. The panel of paper setters is placed at Annexure-6.

Agenda No. SB. 47.9 To consider and approve the names of Experts for the panel of Evaluators of TEE answers sheets for the School of Agriculture programmes.

SB.47.9.1 The chairman presented the names of Experts for the panel of Evaluators of TEE answers sheets for the following programmes of School of Agriculture:

1. M.Sc. (Food Safety and Quality Management) (MSCFSQM)
2. PG Diploma in Food Safety and Quality Management (PGDFSQM)
3. Diploma in Meat Technology (DMT)
4. Master of Business Administration (Agribusiness Management) (MBAABM)
5. PG Diploma in Agribusiness (PGDAB)
6. Diploma in Agricultural Cost Management (DACM)

SB.47.9.2 The School Board considered and approved the names of Experts for the panel of Evaluators of TEE Answers sheets for the School of Agriculture programmes. The panel of Evaluators is placed at Annexure-7.

Agenda No. SB. 47.10 To consider and approve the names of experts for the Moderation Board of Question Papers for the School of Agriculture programmes.

SB.47.10.1 The names of experts for the Moderation Board of Question Papers for the Term End Examination of the following programs of the school were presented by the Chairman:

1. M.Sc. (Food Safety and Quality Management) (MSCFSQM)
2. PG Diploma in Food Safety and Quality Management (PGDFSQM)
3. Diploma in Meat Technology (DMT)
4. Certificate in Organic Farming (COF)
5. Certificate in Beekeeping (CIB)
6. Diploma in Horticulture (DHORT)

SB.47.10.2 The School Board approved the names of experts for the Moderation Board of Question Papers for the Term End Examination of SOA programs. The panel of the moderation board for various programmes of the School of Agriculture is placed at Annexure-8.

Agenda No. SB. 47.11 To consider and approve abeyance of low enrolment programmes of SOA from January 2026 admission session.

SB.47.11.1 The chairman apprised that the School of Agriculture is offering 19 programmes in Agriculture and Allied sectors, ranging from Awareness to Doctorate. The following programmes of the School of Agriculture are having consistently low enrolment over the last five years:

Sl. No.	Programme Name and Code	Offered since
1.	Diploma in Value Added Products from Fruits and Vegetables (DVAPFV) developed with the financial support of the Ministry of Food Processing Industries, GoI	2006
2.	Diploma in Meat Technology (DMT) developed with the financial support of the Ministry of Food Processing Industries, GoI	2008
3.	PG Certificate in Agriculture Policy (PGCAP)-ODL	2009
4.	PG Certificate in Agriculture Policy (PGCAP)-Online	2020
5.	Certificate in Water Harvesting and Management (CWHM)	2009
6.	Certificate in Poultry Farming (CPF)	2008

He explained that the low and declining enrolment trends are due to several factors, including the high specificity of the programmes, limited target group, heavy practical components that are challenging to manage in ODL mode, fewer Learner Support Centre (LSC) or Programme Study Centre (PSC), shortage of qualified academic counsellors, closure/abeyance of LSCs/PSCs after the implementation of new ODL regulations, and the sporadic nature of learners. The issue was discussed in the Faculty Meeting held on 25.07.2025, where it was suggested to keep these programmes in abeyance due to difficulties in providing counselling, especially for practical components and the high operational costs involved (payments to counsellors, consumables, support staff, PIC honorarium, assignment evaluation, exam conduct, etc.).

SB.47.11.2 The agenda was discussed at length, and the external members expressed their concern over the discontinuation of skill-based professional programmes with good potential. They suggested exploring measures such as industry collaboration for skill training, programme revision, conversion into MOOCs, expanding Learner Support Centre (LSC) or Programme Study Centre (PSC) availability, and liaising with industry for placements. It was also suggested that at an appropriate stage, a review and root cause analysis of these programmes may be undertaken, with a view to explore options such as MOOCs, standalone or modular courses under NEP 2020, or industry collaboration for their possible future revival in a viable form keeping in view the feasibility and viability of offering the programme/course.

The Chairman reiterated that despite all possible efforts by the School, RSD, and RCs through popularization of programmes using different modes such as press release, promotion using audio/video programmes, use of social media, radio counselling, teleconferencing etc., sustaining these very low enrolment programmes is not feasible due to their high operational costs, including payments to counsellors, consumables, support staff, PIC honorarium, and other expenses. He also emphasised that the content of these programmes has been used in the development of new programmes and will also be utilised in the future. The Chairman also stressed the importance of optimising faculty workload for the development of new programmes rather than maintaining low enrolment ones. The programme coordinators of different programmes also expressed their concern about the operational issues faced by them regularly from the regional centres since the number of learners attending counselling sessions in an LSC is very low (less than 5 in most cases per LSC/session or year) as compared to the recommended number of learners (100 per year per centre for agriculture programmes) suggested by the University. Learner Support Centre (LSC) officials are also expressing their concern regarding low enrolment as well as low attendance in the counselling sessions (practical), which is affecting the viability of running the LSC/PSC. This has led to the closure/abeyance of many PSCs/LSCs.

The internal members from other Schools of Studies also suggested for keeping these programmes in abeyance, keeping in view work load of the faculty, high operational cost and considerable time and resources utilised for maintenance of these programmes. The chairman expressed his concern over the future of the enrolled learners since it affects their completion process (for non-completion of practical component) as well as its impact on the brand value of the University.

- SB.47.11.3** Based on the detailed discussion and after considering all the suggestions from the members, the School Board considered and approved the abeyance of above mentioned low enrolment programmes of the School of Agriculture viz. Diploma in Value Added Products from Fruits and Vegetables (DVAPFV), Diploma in Meat Technology (DMT), PG Certificate in Agriculture Policy (PGCAP)-ODL, PG Certificate in Agriculture Policy (PGCAPOL)-Online, Certificate in Water Harvesting and Management (CWHM) and Certificate in Poultry Farming (CPF) from the January 2026 admission session.

Agenda No. SB. 47.12 To consider and approve the Feedback Report of the Subject Experts.

- SB.47.12.1** The Chairman informed that the University was awarded an A++ grade by the NAAC in its first cycle of Accreditation. As part of the NAAC accreditation process, it is essential to conduct feedback studies of various stakeholders. The School is required to undertake a feedback study of Subject Experts whose services are utilised for various academic activities such as curriculum/programme design, School Board participation, unit writing, course editing, and related tasks. The Centre for Internal Quality Assurance (CIQA) has developed a feedback tool for Subject Experts for the academic year 2024-25 and requested all Schools of Studies to conduct the feedback study and submit a School Board-approved report. Accordingly, the School of Agriculture has conducted the feedback study, and the Feedback Report of Subject Experts is placed at *Annexure-9* for consideration and approval of the School Board.

SB.47.12.2 The School Board considered and approved the Feedback Report of the Subject Experts for the academic year 2024–25. The same is placed at Annexure-9.

Table Item To consider and approve the detailed course structure of "MAM068: Organic Farming Business Management" of the Master of Business Administration (Agribusiness Management) (MBAABM).

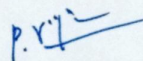
SB. 47.13.1 The Chairman informed the Board that the School launched the MBA (Agribusiness Management) programme in July 2024, and the first batch of learners is currently in the 3rd semester. While designing the curriculum, the expert committee had developed the unit structure for the course MAM-068: Organic Farming Business Management (part of the 4th semester) without specifying the broad areas to be covered. Hence, it was proposed to organise a Course Design Committee meeting for which the names of experts for the meeting were approved in the last School Board meeting.

Prof. P.K Jain, Programme Coordinator, reported that a Course Design Committee meeting was held on 25th July 2025 to finalise the broad areas to be covered in the course (unit-wise), which will guide the unit writer in content development. The Committee finalised the course structure comprising 4 blocks and 14 units covering aspects such as Introduction to Organic Farming, Organic Production Systems, Inspection and Certification, and Economics and Marketing of Organic Produce.

The minutes of the meeting and the detailed curriculum are placed at Annexure-10.

SB. 47.13.2 The School Board considered and approved the detailed course structure of "MAM068: Organic Farming Business Management" of the Master of Business Administration (Agribusiness Management) (MBAABM). The same is placed at Annexure 10.

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


Chairman
(P. Vijayakumar)

27th August 2025