MINUTES OF THE 50TH MEETING OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF THE SCHOOL OF SCIENCES HELD ON 29TH SEPTEMBER, 2014 AT 10.00 A.M. IN THE CONFERENCE ROOM OF BLOCK D, IGNOU, MAIDAN GARHI, NEW DELHI – 110068.

The following members were present:

- 1. Prof. Vijayshri, Director (SOS), Chairperson
- 2. Prof. Oommen V Oommen, Chairman, Kerala State Biodiversity Board, Govt. of Kerala
- 3. Prof. M.H. Qureshi, Jamia Millia Islamia
- 4. Prof. J.P. Shrivastava, University of Delhi
- 5. Prof. S.C. Garg, SOS, IGNOU
- 6. Prof. B.S. Saraswat, SOS, IGNOU
- 7. Prof. S.S. Hasan, SOS, IGNOU
- 8. Prof. Sunita Malhotra, SOS, IGNOU
- 9. Prof. Poornima Mital, SOS, IGNOU
- 10. Prof. Sujatha Varma, SOS, IGNOU
- 11. Prof. Geeta Kaicker, SOS, IGNOU
- 12. Prof. Jaswant Sokhi, SOS, IGNOU
- 13. Prof. S.R. Jha, SOS, IGNOU
- 14. Prof. B. I. Fozdar, SOS, IGNOU
- 15. Prof. Amrita Nigam, SOS, IGNOU
- 16. Prof. M.S. Nathawat, SOS, IGNOU
- 17. Prof. T. K. Jena, SOHS, IGNOU
- 18. Dr. Manoj Kulshreshtha, SOET, IGNOU
- 19. Dr. S. Venkataraman, SOS, IGNOU
- 20. Dr. Bano Saidullah, SOS, IGNOU
- 21. Dr. Vijay Kumar Baraik, SOS, IGNOU
- 22. Dr. Sanjay Gupta, SOS, IGNOU
- 23. Dr. Seema Kalra, SOS, IGNOU
- 24. Dr. Kakoli Gogoi, SOS, IGNOU
- 25. Shri P. K. Sangal, SOS, IGNOU

Prof. J.M. Khurana, Prof. S. K. Gakhar, Prof. K. Barik, Prof. M. Parhar, Prof. Neera Kapoor, Prof. J. A. Farooqi, Dr. Kamalika Banerjee could not attend the meeting.

At the outset, the Chairperson welcomed the members of the School Board and placed on record the School Board's appreciation for the contribution made by the outgoing members of the Board, namely, Prof. D. Gopal, Prof. M. K. Salooja, Shri Shashi Bhushan, Dr. V. VenkatRamanan, Dr. Sanjiv Kumar, Dr. B. Deshmukh, Dr. Manish Trivedi, Dr. Subhakanta Mohapatra, Dr. Arvind Kumar Shakya and Shri Pawan Kumar in enriching the deliberations of the Board. The Chairperson also welcomed the new members of the School Board present in the meeting, namely, Prof. T. K. Jena, Dr. Manoj Kulshreshtha, Dr. S. Venkataraman, Dr. Vijay Kumar Baraik, Dr. Seema Kalra, Dr. Kakoli Gogoi and Shri Prabhat Kumar Sangal. Thereafter, the following items on the agenda were deliberated upon:

Item No. 1: To confirm the minutes of the 49th meeting of the School Board of the School of Sciences held on 28th April, 2014 and to note the action taken thereon.

- SB 50.1.1 The School Board was informed that no comments had been received on the Minutes of the 49th meeting of the School Board.
- SB 50.1.2 The Minutes of the 49th meeting of the School Board were confirmed.
- SB 50.1.3 The action taken report was noted by the School Board.

While noting the action taken, it was pointed out that in its 49th meeting, the Board had authorised the Chair to develop a policy for having a uniform evaluation methodology for the entrance tests and assessment of pre-PhD course work for PhD programmes being offered by the School. A comparison of the evaluation methodologies being used in the School for entrance tests and pre-PhD course work of the PhD programmes was presented to the Board and it was suggested that a Committee comprising Research Programme Coordinators of the School be set up to arrive at a uniform evaluation methodology for the entrance tests and pre PhD course work of PhD programmes being offered by the School be set up to arrive at a uniform evaluation methodology for the entrance tests and pre PhD course work of PhD programmes being offered by the School. Members also suggested that the policy should be in the ambit of the overall policy framework of the University on the matter.

- SB 50.1.4 The Board agreed to the request and approved that a Committee comprising the Research Programme Coordinators as members with the Director as Chair be formed to finalise a uniform evaluation methodology for entrance test and pre PhD course work for PhD Programmes of the School within the policy framework of the University:
 - 1. Dr. Seema Kalra and Dr. Maneesha Pandey, Biochemistry
 - 2. Prof. Sunita Malhotra and Dr. Kamalika Banerjee, Chemistry
 - 3. Prof. M. S. Nathawat, Geography
 - 4. Dr. Meenal Mishra and Dr. M. Prashanth, Geology
 - 5. Dr. Bano Saidullah, Life Sciences
 - 6. Dr. Deepika, Mathematics
 - 7. Dr. S. Lamba, Physics
 - 8. Dr. Manish Trivedi, Statistics
- SB 50.1.5 Copies of the confirmed Minutes of the 49th meeting of the School Board held on April 28, 2014 (without Annexures) and the Action Taken Report are placed at **Annexures 1 and 2**, respectively.

Item No. 2: Matters arising from the minutes.

- SB 50.2.1 The following matters arising out of the Minutes were taken up:
 - a) With reference to SB 49.9.3 of the Minutes regarding the nomenclature of the programme PG Diploma in Geospatial Modelling, it was proposed by the Programme Coordinator that for greater acceptability among potential candidates and for better reflection of the academic content of the programme, the Programme title in the Phase 1 form of the Programme approved by the

School Board in its 49th meeting held on 28th April, 2014 be modified to **PG Diploma in Geospatial Analysis and Modelling**. The School Board approved the proposal.

b) With reference to SB 49.3.2 confirming the Minutes of the tenth meeting of the Standing Committee of the School Board and with reference to SBSC 10.11.3, the proposal of Dr. M. Prashanth, Assistant Professor in Geology, was placed before the School Board. The School Board had approved the decision of the Standing Committee advising Dr. M. Prashanth that the joint supervisor of the PhD candidate Mr. Pradeep Kumar Sivarajan should be from Trivandrum where the candidate is located so that his research work could be supervised closely. The Board had also approved the recommendation that a new supervisor should be associated from Trivandrum and the CV of the proposed supervisor should be placed in the next meeting of the Doctoral Committee for Geology for its recommendation. Till then, no further action should be taken in this case.

Dr. M. Prashanth's proposal that the candidate's request for associating the same external supervisor be approved as no other known Expert from Trivandrum had the expertise in the field of proposed research was deliberated upon by the School Board.

The School Board recommended that since the field area of the candidate was in Bangalore, an expert from the Dept. of Geology, University of Bangalore or from ISRO, Bangalore could be associated as the joint external Supervisor. Or else, an expert from the Centre for Earth Sciences or National Centre for Earth Science Studies from Trivandrum could be associated as the joint external Supervisor. Accordingly, as per the decision vide SBSC 10.11.3 and SB 49.3.2, the CV of the proposed supervisor should be placed in the next meeting of the Doctoral Committee for Geology for its recommendation. Till then, no further action should be taken in this case.

c) With reference to SB 49.8.1 of the Minutes, the Board was informed that the Faculty of Geology had been advised by the Higher Authorities that the proposal of developing an integrated five year programme in Geology be modified to the proposal of developing separate programmes, at the Bachelor's and Master's levels. The Board approved the proposal of developing separate programmes at Bachelor's and Master's levels in Geology.

Item No. 3: To co-opt external members of the School Board.

SB 50.3.1 The Board was informed that the term of the external members, co-opted **under** Clause (2)(e) of Statute 10 A, would come to an end on 30th October, 2014. As per the decision of the School Board in its 45th meeting held on 28th Sept. 2012,

> "two external members would be co-opted from the names suggested by the earlier disciplines of the School, namely Chemistry, Physics, Life Sciences and Mathematics; 2 members would be co-opted from the names suggested by the new disciplines of the School. The disciplines to be represented would be taken up in

alphabetical order and the fifth member would be co-opted from either discipline through rotation. The disciplines that remain unrepresented would invite special invitees to the School Board as and when required from the names approved in the given list."

Accordingly, four external Experts were co-opted from the Disciplines of Chemistry, Life Sciences, and Biochemistry and Geography and the fifth member was co-opted from the Discipline of Geology. Since the term of the external members might come to an end before the next School Board meeting, the names of four external members to be co-opted from the Disciplines of Mathematics, Physics, Geology and Statistics were proposed for approval of the School Board.

As for the fifth external expert to be co-opted on the Board, the earlier decision of the Board was not explicit whether the member would be from old disciplines or new disciplines. It was decided that the external expert would be co-opted from one of the two new unrepresented Disciplines in alphabetical order. Accordingly, it was decided that the fifth member of the Board would be co-opted from the Discipline of Biochemistry. It was further decided that the practice approved for the co-option of external members from the four new Disciplines, namely, Biochemistry, Geography, Geology and Statistics, may be continued only for a period of 10 years counted from the creation of these Disciplines in the School vide notification number 1112 dated 5th June, 2009, i.e., until the year 2019.

- SB 50.3.2 The Board discussed the proposed names and decided to co-opt the following external experts as its members for a term of two years with effect from 31st October, 2014:
 - Prof. S. Kumaresan
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 - Prof. R. P. Tandon
 Former Head, Dept. of Physics and Astrophysics, University of Delhi, Delhi-110 007
 - Prof. H. B. Srivastava
 Centre of Advanced Study in Geology, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi-221 005
 - Prof. Rajender Parsad
 Principal Scientist, Design of Experiments,
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 - Prof. Seemi Farhat Basir, Dept. of Biosciences, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi-110025

Item no. 4: To constitute the Standing Committee of the School Board of the School of Sciences.

- SB 50.4.1 The Board was informed that in its 44th meeting held on 2nd and 30th March, 2012, the School Board of the School of Sciences had decided to constitute a Standing Committee of the School Board with a tenure of two years for considering and approving
 - 1. the names of Expert committee members, course writers, paper setters, evaluators and members of the Moderation Board;
 - 2. progress reports of the Ph.D. students, approvals of names of supervisors, etc. and other issues related to the Ph.D. programme; and
 - 3. any other matter that has been authorized by the School Board.

The first Standing Committee of the School Board was notified on May 8, 2012 and comprised the following members:

1.	Director of the School	-	Chairperson
	Prof S. C. Garg	-	Member (Physics Discipline)
3.	Prof. B. S. Saraswat	-	Member (Chemistry Discipline)
4.	Prof. S. S. Hasan	-	Member (Life Sciences Discipline)
5.	Prof. P. Mital	-	Member (Mathematics Discipline)
6.	Prof. M. S. Nathawat	-	Member (Geography Discipline)
7.	Dr. Meenal Mishra	-	Member (Geology Discipline)
8.	Dr. Parvesh Bubber	-	Member (Biochemistry Discipline)
9.	Mr. Rajesh Kaliraman	-	Member (Statistics Discipline)

When the terms of Dr. Meenal Mishra, Dr. Parvesh Bubber and Mr. Rajesh Kaliraman on the School Board ended, the Board had decided to nominate Dr. Benidhar Deshmukh, Dr. Arvind Kumar Shakya and Dr. Manish Trivedi instead, for the period of their tenure on the School Board.

The Board deliberated on the matter of constituting the second Standing Committee of the School Board and specifying clearly spelt out criteria for membership.

- SB 50.4.2 The following criteria were decided for membership of the Standing Committee:
 - i) Only members of the School Board shall be members of the Standing Committee of the School Board.
 - ii) One member from each Discipline would be nominated on the Standing Committee by the School Board by seniority and by rotation.
 - iii) If the next senior Faculty member from a Discipline happened to be the Chair of the School Board, the Faculty member next in seniority to the Chair from that Discipline would be nominated as member of the Standing Committee.

- iv) If the tenure of a member of the School Board from any Discipline got over before his/her tenure on the Standing Committee, the new School Board member from that Discipline would be nominated subject to the above stipulations.
- v) If a member of the Standing Committee were to proceed on leave, the senior-most Faculty member or the Faculty member next in seniority from the same Discipline would be invited as a special invitee provided any matter related to that Discipline was on the agenda.
- SB 50.4.3 In accordance with its decision vide SB 50.4.2, the School Board constituted the following Standing Committee for a period of two years from the date of notification:
 - 1. Director of the School Chairperson 2. Prof. Sunita Malhotra Chemistry 3. Prof. G. Kaicker Life Sciences 4. Prof. Sujatha Varma Mathematics 5. Prof. S. R. Jha Physics 6. Dr. Seema Kalra Biochemistry 7. Dr. Vijay Kumar Baraik Geography 8. Dr. Kakoli Gogoi Geology
 - 9. Shri Prabhat Kumar Sangal
- Item no. 5: To consider and approve the report of the Committee set up by the School Board of the School of Sciences to devise a systemic mechanism for providing improved services and learning experiences in the laboratory courses offered by the School of Sciences.

Statistics

- SB 50.5.1 In its 48th meeting held on Jan. 27, 2014, the School Board of the School of Sciences had deliberated on the matter of devising a systemic mechanism to provide improved services and learning experiences while implementing laboratory courses. In pursuance of the decision of the Board to authorise the Chairperson to constitute the Committee to give its recommendations on the matter, a Committee comprising the following members was constituted:
 - 1. Prof. Sunita Malhotra, Chairperson
 - 2. Prof. Neera Kapoor
 - 3. Prof. S. R. Jha
 - 4. Prof. Amrita Nigam
 - 5. Dr. Sanjay Gupta, Convenor

The report of the Committee was placed for the consideration and approval of the School Board.

SB 50.5.2 The Board appreciated the efforts of the Committee and deliberated upon the Report. The following recommendations were made by the School Board on the Report:

- i) For interaction with students, counsellors and SC functionaries while the lab courses are being conducted in Study Centres, panels of external experts should be drawn by the Discipline Groups from reputed institutions in the respective towns/cities/areas where the Labs are conducted, for a term of two years and these panels should be approved by the School Board.
- ii) Experts should be oriented about the expectations of the School. A list of do's and dont's should be prepared for the Experts to adhere to during their interaction at the Study Centres.
- iii) Payment of the honorarium of Rs. 1000/ and conveyance charges to the Experts should be made by the concerned Regional Centre on receipt of a copy of the Report of the visit prepared by them in the prescribed format.
- iv) The formats for general and course specific feedback proposed by the Committee to operationalise the scheme ought to be prepared by the same Committee.
- v) All Discipline Groups should maintain the database of Study Centres and Academic Counsellors in programmes being offered by them.
- vi) Feedback of students was important and should be incentivized. Laboratory course teams should devise suitable mechanisms of obtaining feedback on Lab courses and the help of these Experts could also be taken in this exercise.
- SB 50.5.3 The School Board approved the Report along with the above recommendations. The Report of the Committee is placed at **Annexure 3**.

Item no. 6: To consider and approve the Minutes of the meeting of the Committee constituted by the School Board to examine the issue of offering MPhil programmes from the School of Sciences.

- SB 50.6.1 The School Board was informed that while deliberating on the Phase 1 Form for MPhil Programme in Geography in its 47th meeting held on Sept. 12, 2013, it had decided that in view of lack of clarity and the prevailing uncertainty, the matter be deferred. It had also set up a Sub-Committee comprising the following members to examine the issue holistically and give its recommendations:
 - 1. Prof. S.C. Garg
 - 2. Prof. B.S. Saraswat
 - 3. Prof. Poornima Mital
 - 4. Prof. M.S. Nathawat
 - 5. Prof. Neera Kapoor

Members of the Committee decided to have Prof. S. C. Garg as the Chairperson and Prof. Neera Kapoor as the Convenor of the Committee. The School Board deliberated on the Minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 10th July, 2014, which are placed at **Annexure 4**.

SB 50.6.2 The School Board decided that the MPhil programmes of the School of Sciences should be implemented as per the overall policy of IGNOU. It was further decided

that the same Committee would re-examine the matter in this light and make recommendations accordingly for the consideration of the School Board.

- Item no. 7: To consider and approve the names of Experts for the Expert Committee for review of the B.Sc. Programme in the light of the decision of the Academic Council taken vide AC 62.6.2 in its 62nd meeting.
- SB 50.7.1 The School Board was informed that in its 62nd meeting held on 11th April, 2014, the Academic Council had approved the restructuring of the Bachelor's Degree Programme, in principle, with the objective of taking a fresh look at the existing programmes and evaluating their relevance for contemporary social situation so that it also acquires an employment orientation. The Academic Council also felt that since these programmes are nearly two decades old, modifications and structural adjustments in these programmes had become necessary. An extract of the Minutes of the Academic Council meeting is placed at **Annexure 5**.

The Board was also informed that the School of Sciences had given its views to the competent authority that it would like to hold national consultation for restructuring the B. Sc. programme and follow the statutory procedures for implementing the new structure. Accordingly the proposal to consider and approve the names of Experts for the Expert Committee for review of the B.Sc. Programme was being placed before the School Board.

- SB 50.7.2 The Board deliberated upon the matter and approved the names of the following Experts for the Expert Committee to review the B.Sc. Programme in the light of the decision of the Academic Council vide AC 62.6.2 (Annexure 5):
 - 1. Prof. A. K. Ghatak (Retd.)ChairpersonDept. of Physics, IIT, Delhi
 - Prof. Vipin K. Srivastava Dept. of Physics, Central University, Hyderabad
 - 3. Prof. S. K. Dogra (Retd.) Dept. of Chemistry, IIT, Kanpur
 - Prof. SMS Chauhan Dept. of Chemistry, University of Delhi
 - 5. Prof. Madhu Raka Dept. of Mathematics, Panjab University, Chandigarh
 - 6. Prof. M. M. Shikare Dept. of Mathematics, University of Pune, Pune
 - 7. Prof. Oommen V. Oommen CSIR Emeritus Scientist and Chairman, Kerala State Biodiversity Board, Trivandrum
 - 8. Prof. Anupam Dixit Dept. of Botany, University of Allahabad

- 9. Prof. S. C. Garg, School of Sciences, IGNOU
- 10. Prof. B. S. Saraswat, School of Sciences, IGNOU
- 11. Prof. S. S. Hasan, School of Sciences, IGNOU
- 12. Prof. J. Sokhi, School of Sciences, IGNOU
- 13. Prof. Poornima Mital, School of Sciences, IGNOU
- 14. Prof. Vijayshri, Director, School of Sciences Convenor
- Item no. 8: To consider and approve the lists of Experts for the Doctoral Committees in Biochemistry, Chemistry, Geography, Geology, Life Sciences, Mathematics, Physics and Statistics.
- SB 50.8.1 The panels of Experts for the Doctoral Committees in Biochemistry, Chemistry, Geography, Geology, Life Sciences, Mathematics, Physics and Statistics were placed before the School Board of School of Sciences for consideration and approval.
- SB 50.8.2 While considering the panels of experts for the Doctoral Committees, the School Board made the following recommendations:
 - a) The names of internal Faculty members should also be listed in the panels.
 - b) Experts with substantial research experience in the areas of specialisation should be included in the panels and preference should be given to Associate Professors and Professors or their equivalent. Assistant Professors of exceptional research calibre may, however, be included in the panels.
 - c) As far as possible, the Doctoral Committee may be constituted in a given area of specialisation to assess and monitor the progress of PhD scholar(s) working in that area through their entire period of research work.
- SB 50.8.3 In the light of the above recommendations, the following panels of Experts for the Doctoral Committees in Biochemistry, Chemistry, Geography, Geology, Life Sciences, Mathematics, Physics and Statistics were approved by the School Board.

Panel of Experts for the Doctoral Committee for Biochemistry

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Panel of Experts for the Doctoral Committee for Chemistry

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- Item no. 9: To consider and approve the lists of examiners of the thesis of five scholars registered in the PhD (Life Sciences) programme, namely, Ms. Sujata Sinha (Enrol. No. 112247180), Ms. Kavitha. S. (Enrol. No. 100165542), Mrs. Emon Chatterjee (Enrol. No. 122878080), Mr. Ravi Kant (Enrol. No. 122877744) and Mr. Sujeet Pratap Singh (Enrol. No. 12247126).
- SB 50.9.1 While considering the lists of examiners of the PhD thesis of five scholars registered in the PhD (Life Sciences) programme, namely, Ms. Sujata Sinha (Enrol. No. 112247180), Ms. Kavitha. S. (Enrol. No. 100165542), Mrs. Emon Chatterjee (Enrol. No. 122878080), Mr. Ravi Kant (Enrol. No. 122877744) and Mr. Sujeet Pratap Singh (Enrol. No. 12247126), the School Board advised that care may be taken that there are no overlaps in the names being suggested. It was also decided that the approved lists of examiners would not be circulated as a part of the Minutes but be forwarded confidentially to the Research Unit.
- SB 50.9.2 The School Board approved the lists of examiners subject to the above advice. The details of the five PhD scholars are placed at **Annexures 6a to e**.
- Item no. 10: To consider and approve the lists of examiners of the thesis of three scholars registered in the PhD (Chemistry) programme, namely, Mr. Imtiyaz Hussain Lone, Mr. Vinayak Adimule and Mr. Ramil Kumar Bhardwaj.
- SB 50.10.1 The lists of examiners of the PhD theses of Mr. Imtiyaz Hussain Lone (Enrolment No. 118701694), Mr. Vinayak Adimule (Enrolment No. 127722788) and Mr. Ramil Kumar Bhardwaj (Enrolment No. 1122473348) were placed for the consideration and approval of the School Board.
- SB 50.10.2 The School Board approved the lists of examiners with the advice that the approved lists would not be circulated as a part of the Minutes but be forwarded confidentially to the Research Unit. The details of the scholars are placed at **Annexures 7a to c**.
- Item no. 11: To consider and approve the names of Prof. C.K. Varshney and Prof. P.B. Kavi Kishor as Editors of the first level B. Sc. Electives in Life Sciences entitled Ecology and Genetics, respectively that are currently under revision.
- SB 50.11.1 The School Board was informed that the first level B.Sc. Elective courses in Life Sciences entitled Ecology and Genetics, respectively, of 4 credits each were under revision and approval of Editors of the courses was being sought.
- SB 50.11.2 The School Board approved the following experts as Editors of these courses:
 - Prof. C. K. Varshney (Retd.) Editor (Ecology) Former Dean, School of Environmental Sciences, JNU, New Delhi <u>Res</u>.: 88, Vaishali, Pitampura, Delhi-110034
 - 2. Prof. P.B. Kavi Kishor, Editor (Genetics) Department of Genetics, Osmania University, Hyderabad- 500 007

- Item no. 12: To consider and approve the name of Dr. Kishore Kumar, Scientist, Wadia Institute of Himalayan Geology, Dehradun as Language Editor for B.Sc. (Geology) elective course (BGY-002).
- SB 50.12.1 The School Board was informed that the content and format editing of the B.Sc. elective in Geology entitled Strata and Prehistoric Life (BGY-002) was under process and approval of the School Board was being sought for the name of Language Editor for the course.
- SB 50.12.2 The School Board approved the following expert as Language Editor:

Dr. Kishore Kumar Scientist 'G' & Head, Paleontology & Biostratigraphy Group, Wadia Institute of Himalayan Geology, 33, General Mahadeo Singh Road, Dehradun 248001 Tel. 91-135-2525267 (office), 91-135-2763980 (residence); 91-135-2625212 (fax) Email: kumark@wihg.res.in; kishorsri@gmail.com

- Item no. 13: To consider and recommend the name of Dr. Ramashray Prasad as course writer for the course on "Introduction to Quantitative Techniques in Geography" (BGGL-003).
- SB 50.13.1 The School Board was informed that the Geography discipline was engaged in developing course materials for B.Sc. electives in Geography and had proposed the name of Dr. Ramashray Prasad as course writer for the course entitled "Introduction to Quantitative Techniques in Geography" (BGGL-003).
- SB 50.13.2 The School Board recommended the name of Dr. Ramashray Prasad as course writer for the course entitled "Introduction to Quantitative Techniques in Geography" (BGGL-003):

Dr. Ramashray Prasad Associate Professor, Department of Geography, B. R. Ambedkar College, Main Wazirabad Road, Yamuna Vihar, Delhi-110094 Contact- 0120-2648341, (M) 9868593193; 9458023693 E-mail: <u>drrprasad2007@gmail.com</u>

Item no. 14: To consider and recommend the lists of paper setters, evaluators and members of the Moderation Board for the PGCGI programme.

SB 50.14.1 The School Board was informed that the Post Graduate Certificate in Geoinformatics (PGCGI) had been launched in the July, 2014 admission cycle. The programme consists of three theory courses, namely, Introduction to Geoinformatics (MGY-001), Remote Sensing and Image Interpretation (MGY-002), Global Navigation satellite System and Geographic Information System (MGY-003) and one practical course Geoinformatics Practical (MGYL-004). The names of paper setters, members of Moderation Board for the courses were placed for the recommendations of the School Board. The School Board advised that the lists be expanded by including the names of the in-house Faculty members who possessed expertise in the area.

- SB 50.14.2 The School Board recommended the names of paper setters, evaluators and members of Moderation Board for the theory courses MGY-001, MGY-002 and MGY-003 and the list of examiners for the Lab course MGYL-004. The lists recommended by the School Board are placed at **Annexures 8a to c**.
- Item no. 15: To consider and recommend the list of evaluators for the course "Teaching of Primary School Mathematics" (AMT-01 Theory) for BDP/CTPM programme.
- SB 50.15.1 The updated list of evaluators of the course AMT-01 of the BDP/CTPM programme as proposed by the Mathematics Discipline was placed for the consideration and approval of the School Board. The School Board advised that the criteria laid down in the Ordinance for evaluators may be followed for all Programmes in the School. Accordingly, the list of evaluators was curtailed.
- SB 50.15.2 The list of evaluators for the course "Teaching of Primary School Mathematics" (AMT-01 Theory) for BDP/CTPM programme in accordance with the Ordinance and as recommended by the School Board is placed at **Annexure 9**.
- Item no. 16: To consider and recommend the additional list of Examiners for the project course (MMTP-001) of M.Sc. (MACS) programme.
- SB 50.16.1 The following additional list of examiners for the project course (MMTP-001) from the Delhi, Ranchi, Kolkata, Pune, Chennai and Jabalpur Regions was recommended by the School Board.

Exam	Examiners from Delhi Region			
1	Ms. Vibha	2	Ms. Nazme Zehra	
	Dept. of Computer Science & Engineering		Dept. of Computer Science & Engineering	
	Indira Gandhi Technical University for		Indira Gandhi Technical University for	
	Women, Kashmere Gate, Delhi – 110 006		Women, Kashmere Gate, Delhi – 110 006	
	Ph. No.: 9911213009		Ph. No.: 9810026433	
	(C-Programing and Data Structure,		(C-Programing and Data Structure, Soft	
	Computer Graphics, Image Processing)		Computing)	
3	Dr. Aditi Sharan	4	Mr. Pawan Kumar	
	School of Computer & Systems Sciences		D-130, School of Sciences, IGNOU	
	J.N.U., New Delhi – 110 067		New Delhi – 110 068	
	Ph. No.: 9871084192		Ph. No.: 9711446584, 29572831 (O)	
	Email: aditisharan@mail.jnu.ac.in		Email: <u>pawankumar@ignou.ac.in</u>	
	(C-Programing and Data Structure)		(C-Programing and Data Structure)	

Additional list of Examiners for Project course (MMTP-001) of M.Sc. (MACS) programme

Exam	Examiners from Ranchi Region				
1	Dr. Vandana Bhattacherjee	2	Mr. Raja Ram Dutta		
	Dept. of Computer Science & Engineering		Dept. of Computer Science		
	Birla Institute of Technology, Lalpur Extension		P. P. K. College, Ranchi – 834 001		
	Centre, Lalpur, Ranchi – 834 001		Res.: Flat No.: 1-B		
	Res.: Flat No.: 604, Anand Apartments		Surendra Nath Apartments		
	21, Circular Road, Lalpur, Ranchi – 834 001		10 R. G. Street, Pharpakna, Ranchi – 834 001		
	Ph. No.: 9431596469, 9234302240		Ph. No.: 9431353340, 0651-2210250 (R)		
	Email: vbhattcharya@bitmesra.ac.in		(C-Programing & Data Structure, Image		
	vbhattacherjee@ieec.org		Processing)		
	(C-Programing and Data Structure, Computer				
	Graphics, Soft Computing, Graph Theory)				
3	Mr. Mukul Priyadarshi				
	Dept. of Mathematics				
	Central University of Jharkhand, Brambe,				
	Thakurgaon Road, Jharkhand – 835 205				
	Ph. No.: 09031860636				
	(C-Programing & Data Structure)				

Examiner from Kolkata Region	Examiner from Pune Region	Examiner from Chennai Region
Mr. Pradipta Roy	Dr. Vikas T. Humbe	Mr. Regin Bose
Dept. of Computer Science & Engineering	JSPM Abacus Institute of	Dept. of Computer Science &
Swami Vivekananda Institute of Science &	Computer Application,	Engineering
Technology, Dakshin Gobindapur	Pune – 411 007	Arignar Anna Institute of
P.S. Sonarpur, Kolkata – 700 145	Ph. No.: 9326792524	Science and Technology,
Res.: 1/B Jiban Krishna Chatterjee Road	Email:	Penaloor, Sri Perumputur
Opp. Kali Shankar Apartments, School Road,	vikashumbe@yahoo.co.in	Chennai
P.O. Sodepur, Kolkata – 700 110	(C-Programming and Data	Ph. No.: 9445281992
Ph. No.: 9433866673, 033-25658998 (R)	Structure, Image Processing)	Email: <u>reginbose@yahoo.com</u>
Email: prodeeptoroy@yahoo.com		(C-Programming and Data
pradiptoroy@gmail.com		Structure, Computer Graphics,
(C-Programming and Data Structure, Graph		Design and Analysis of
Theory, Design and Analysis of Algorithm)		Algorithm)

Examiners from Jabalpur Region			
1.	Dr. J. K. Maitra	2.	Dr. R. K. Pandey
	Dept. of Mathematics		Dept. of Mathematics, R. D. University,
	R. D. University, Jabalpur, Saraswati Vihar, Pachpedi,		Jabalpur, Saraswati Vihar, Pachpedi, Jabalpur -
	Jabalpur-482 001		482 001
	Ph. No.: 09826187481, 761-2603172 (O)		Ph. No.: 09424395377, 0761-2603869 (O)
	4045752 (R)		2605012 (R)
	(Graph Theory, Soft Computing)		(C-Programming & Data Structure, Computer
			Graphics, Image Processing)
3.	Mr. Vijay Tiwari		
	Dept. of Mathematics,		
	R. D. University, Jabalpur, Saraswati Vihar, Pachpedi,		
	Jabalpur - 482 001		
	Ph. No.: 09424344567		
	(C-Programming & Data Structure, Computer Graphics)		

- Item no. 17: To consider and approve the names of experts for the review of the BDP mathematics elective course Numerical Analysis (MTE-10).
- SB 50.17.1 The School Board was informed that the BDP mathematics elective entitled Numerical Analysis (MTE-10) had to be revised. The approval of the School Board was being sought for the names of experts proposed by the Mathematics Discipline Group to review the course.
- SB 50.17.2 The School Board approved the names of the following experts to review the BDP course entitled Numerical Analysis (MTE-10) in the light of the current trends and to ascertain whether the credit assigned to the course is appropriate:

Experts for the review of the BDP mathematics course entitled Numerical Analysis

- Dr. P. K. Pandey
 Associate Professor, Dept. of Mathematics
 Dyal Singh College, University of Delhi,
 Res.: 77, Jyoti Apartments, Pitampura, New Delhi 110 034
 Ph. No.: 9910206270, 27034155 (R)
- Dr. K. R. Kalra (Retd.) Associate Professor, Dept. of Mathematics, University of Delhi, **Res.:** 69, H.I.G. Duplex, Chandan Nagar, Dist. Ghaziabad – 201 011 Ph. No.: 9818690589
- Item no. 18: To consider and approve the names of the experts for Review of the Certificate Programme in Laboratory Techniques and the Courses LT-1, LT-2, LT-3 and LT-4 of the CPLT.
- SB 50.18.1 The School Board was informed that the Certificate Programme in Laboratory Techniques (CPLT) had been on offer since July, 2001 to cater to the needs of all those aspiring to get jobs in Science Labs as laboratory assistant/Lab attendant and their professional development. The programme was expected to draw a good enrolment. However, it had been observed that over the years, the enrolment has been gradually decreasing. Moreover, the success rate of the students had been declining steadily. The School Board of School of Sciences in its 47th meeting held on 12th September, 2013 advised the Programme team to initiate the process of Programme Evaluation in view of low enrolment and low success rate. Consequently the Programme Coordination Team prepared two questionnaires to gather feedback from the learners and the Academic Counsellors of this programme. The programme team proposed to review the programme with the help of experts through questionnaires and in meetings and had sought approval of the Board for the names of Experts for Programme Experts Committee and Course Expert Committees of different courses.

SB 50.18.2 The School Board approved the following lists of Experts for the review of the Programme and the courses:

S. No.	Name	Address
1.	Prof. S. C. Garg	School of Sciences, IGNOU
2.	Prof. B. S. Saraswat	School of Sciences, IGNOU
3.	Prof. S. S. Hasan	School of Sciences, IGNOU
4.	Dr. Swadesh Taneja	Associate Professor (Retired), School of Sciences, IGNOU
		Res.: D 55, Saket, New Delhi-110017
		Res. :011-40545010; Mobile : 9350333274
5.	Dr. Bharti Sarkar	Reader (Retired), Maitreyi College, Univ of Delhi
		Pocket 40/186 Chittaranjan Park, New Delhi-110019
		Ph. 41600238/39
6.	Dr. Parveen Garg	Associate Professor (Botany), Swami Shraddhanand College, Delhi-110036
		Mobile: 9811226923; E-mail:parveenssn@yahoo.co.in
7.	Dr. Balram Pani	Bhaskaracharya College of Applied Sciences, Dwarka,
	Associate Professor	Mob:9813099610, 9841069672
8.	Dr. R. Venkataraman	K M College, University of Delhi
	(Retd.)	C-5/23, Safadarjang Development Area, New Delhi –110016.
		Mob. : 9810025743; 99686732403
9.	Dr. Lalita S. Kumar	School of Sciences, IGNOU
10.	Prof. Neera Kapoor	School of Sciences, IGNOU
11.	Prof. S. R. Jha	School of Sciences, IGNOU

List of Experts for Programme Expert Committee of CPLT

List of External Experts for review of LT-01

S.	Name	Address
No.		
1.	Dr. Tanushree Saxena	Associate Professor (Zoology) Swami Shradhanand College, Alipur, Delhi-110036 Res.:011-23845783; Mobile : 9971024320; Email : <u>tanushreesaxena@gmail.com</u>
2.	Dr. SwadeshTaneja (Retd.)	Associate Professor School of Sciences, IGNOU; Res.: D 55, Saket, New Delhi-110017 Res. :011-40545010; Mobile : 9350333274
3.	Dr. Bharti Sarkar (Retd.)	Reader, Maitreyi Collegei; Res.: Pocket 40/186 Chittaranjan Park, New Delhi-110019 Ph. 41600238/39
4.	Dr. K.K. Arora	Dept. of Chemistry, Zakir Hussain College, New Delhi- 110 006 Mob: 9810837517, 22784544; Email: <u>kaykayarora@hotmail.com</u>

List of External Experts for review of LT-02

S.	Name	Address
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1.	Dr. Anil K. Bali	Associate Professor (Zoology), Bhaskaracharya College of Applied Sciences
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		Mobile: 9810696967; E-mail: <u>dnaanil@yahoo.co.in</u>
2.	Dr. Gurdeep Singh Virdi	Associate Professor, Zoology, Sri Guru Tegh Bahadur Khalsa College, Delhi-110007
	(Retd.)	Res.: 011-25257345, Mobile: 9810529849; E-mail: <u>virdigurdeep@yahoo.com</u>
3.	Dr. Inderdeep Kaur	Associate Professor (Botany), Shri Guru Tegh Bahadur Khalsa College, Delhi-110007
		Res.: 011-27429342; Mobile: 9818109843;
4.	Dr. Parveen Garg	Associate Professor (Botany), Swami Shraddhanand College, Delhi-110036
		Mobile: 9811226923; E-mail: <u>parveenssn@yahoo.co.in</u>

List of External Experts for review of LT-03

S.	Name	Address
No.		
1.	Dr. G. K. Parashar	Associate Professor, Swami Shraddhanand College, Delhi-110036 Mob:9868479470
2.	Dr. Balram Pani	Associate Professor, Bhaskaracharya College of Applied Sciences, Dwarka, Mob:9813099610, 9841069672
3.	Dr. Chandana Mukherjee	Associate Professor, Gargi College, University of Delhi, New Delhi Mob:9818563716
4.	Dr. P.D. Sharma	Jawahar Lal Nehru Govt. College, Faridabad; Res .: Flat No. 104, Sanskrita Apartment, Sanskrit Cooperative Group Society, GH-3, Sector-46, Faridabad

List of External Experts for review of LT-04

S. No.	Name	Address
1.	Prof. V.B. Bhatia (Retd.)	Dept. of Physics and Astrophysics, University of Delhi; Res .: 215/21A Sector, Faridabad -121001 Mob. 9810470839
2.	Dr. Krishna Mehra (Retd.)	Gargi College, University of Delhi, Delhi Res. : 122, Deshbandhu Apartments, Kalkaji, New Delhi-110019 Mob. : 9810211793
3.	Dr. R. Venkataraman (Retd.)	K M College, Res.: C-5/23, Safadarjang Development Area, New Delhi –110016. Mob. : 9810025743; 99686732403
4.	Dr. Alka Garg	Department of Physics, Gargi College, University of Delhi, Delhi-110049 Mob. 9811481110

Item no. 19: To consider and approve the list of the members of Expert Committee for the Appreciation Course on Environment (ACE).

SB 50.19.1 The School Board was informed that the **Appreciation Course on Environment** (ACE) was offered by IGNOU with an aim to bring about awareness and environmental consciousness among professionals ranging from journalists to personnel working in the field of environment and sustainable development as well as home makers and citizens interested in environment related issues. However, the enrolment pattern in the course has not shown any increase from double digit. In order to decide the future course of action on the Course, the approval of the Board was being sought for the Expert Committee to review it and recommend the future course of action.

The School Board discussed the names and suggested that one Faculty member of IGNOU in Environmental Sciences be involved and some experts working in NGOs active in the field of environment also be included.

SB 50.19.2 The School Board approved the following names of External Experts as members of the Expert Committee for the Appreciation Course on Environment (ACE).

S.No.	Name	Address
1.	Prof. C.K. Varshney (Retd.)	School of Environmental Sciences, JNU, New Delhi-67
	Former Dean	Res.: 88, Vaishali, Pitampura, Delhi-110034
		011- 27313388 (Landline); 9818547904 (Mobile)
2.	Dr Dinesh Kumar Sharma	Division of Environmental Sciences, NRL Building, IARI (PUSA), New Delhi-12
	Principal Scientist	9899889565 (Mobile)
3.	Prof. J. Behari	School of Environmental Sciences, JNU, New Delhi-67
	Former Dean	Res.: D/48, Ansari Nagar (East), AIIMS Campus, New Delhi-110029
		011-26593934(Landline); 9810878873(Mobile)
4.	Prof. A.K. Bhatnagar	Department of Botany, University of Delhi, Delhi-07
	(Retd.)	Res.: JA/4B, Ashok Vihar-I(Res.), Delhi-110052
		9810376885 (Mobile)
5.	Ms. Sunita Narain	Director General, Centre for Science and Environment, Delhi
6.	Dr. Shachi Shah	School of Agriculture, IGNOU

- Item no. 20: To consider and approve the list of the members of the Programme Expert Committee and the evaluation methodology for the PG Diploma in Applied Statistics (PGDAST) programme.
- SB 50.20.1 The School Board was informed that the **PG Diploma in Applied Statistics (PGDAST)** was likely to be launched in the January, 2015 admission cycle. The School Board's approval was being sought for the names of Experts in the Programme Expert Committee which would advise the Faculty on various academic matters as well as on issues related to the implementation of the programme. The Board approved the following names of Experts for the Programme Expert Committee for the PG Diploma in Applied Statistics (PGDAST):

S.No.	Name	Address, Phone No. and Email Id	
1.	Prof. Rakesh Srivastava	Department of Statistics, M. S. University of Baroda, Vadodara (GUJ) Email: <u>rakeshsrivastava30@yahoo.ac.in</u> Mob.: 09824313066	
2.	Prof. Rahul Roy	Stat. Math. Unit, Indian Statistical Institute, New Delhi Email: <u>rahul@isid.ac.in</u> Phone: 011-41493905	
3.	Prof. Rajendra Prasad	Head, Design of Experiment Division , I. A. S. R. I., Pusa Road, New Delhi PH.: 91-11-25843573 Email: <u>rajender@iasri.res.in</u>	

4.	Prof. Kishore K. Das	Department of Statistics, Gauhati University,Guwahati (Assam) -781014, India Email: <u>daskkishore@gmail.com</u> Mob: 09435041644
5.	Prof. R. M. Pandey	Head, Department of Bio-Statistics, AIIMS, New Delhi PH.: 011-26593240 Email: <u>rmpandey@yahoo.com</u>
6.	Prof. Jagdish Prasad	Head, Department of Statistics, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur Email: prasdad-jagdish@uniraj.ernet.in Phone: 0141-2708560
7.	Prof. Kalpana K. Mahajan	Department of Statistics, Panjab University, Chandigarh Email: <u>mahajan_kr@pu.ac.in</u> Mob: 09888558800
8.	Prof. G. N. Singh	Department of Applied Maths, Indian School of Mines, Dhanbad (JH) Email: <u>gnsingh@gmail.com</u> Mob.: 09415343030
9.	Prof. Diwakar Shukla	Dept. of Maths & Statistics, Dr. H.S. Gaur University, Sagar (M.P) Email: <u>diwakarshukla@redifgmail.com</u> Mob.: 09425437203
10.	Prof. Gulshan Lal Taneja	Dept. of Mathematics, M. D. University, Rohtak (HR) - 124001 E-mail: <u>drgtaneja@gmail.com</u> Mob.: 09896255069
11.	Prof. Meenakshi Srivastava	Dept. of Statistics, Institute of Social Sciences, Dr. B. R. Ambedkar University, Agra (UP) Email: <u>msrivastava_iss@hotmail.com</u> Mob.: 09927087633
12.	Prof. G. K. Shukla	Retd. Professor (IIT Kanpur) Visiting Professor, Decision Science Group, IIM Lucknow, Lucknow (UP) -226013, Email: <u>girja@iiml.ac.in</u> Mob.: 09511444747
13.	Dr. Rajesh Tailor	Associate Professor, School of Studies in Statistics, Vikram University, Ujjain (M.P.) -456010 Email: <u>tailorraj@gmail.com</u> Mob.: 09630295223

SB 50.20.2 The School Board also approved the evaluation methodology for the programme (Annexure 10).

- Item no. 21: To consider and approve the relaxation of eligibility criteria for PGCGI programme as "Graduate in any discipline from a recognised university" instead of "Graduate in any discipline from a recognised university with science at 10+2 (higher secondary) level".
- SB 50.21.1 The School Board was informed that the Post Graduate Certificate in Geoinformatics (PGCGI) programme had been launched in the July 2014 admission cycle with the eligibility condition for admission to the programme as "Graduate in any discipline from a recognised university with science at 10+2 (higher secondary) level". However, many queries/ requests through phone and email were being received to relax the eligibility criteria so as to include more learners, irrespective of their background at 10+2 level. The School Board's approval was being sought to revise the eligibility criteria as "Graduate in any discipline from a recognised university". The School Board desired to know whether candidates with the proposed eligibility criteria would be able to cope with the academic content of the programme. The Board was assured by the Programme Coordinator that the courses of the programme were pitched at the basic level and there would be no difficulty for such learners to follow them.
- SB 50.21.2 The School Board accorded approval to the eligibility criteria for admission to the Post Graduate Certificate in Geoinformatics (PGCGI) programme as "Graduate in any discipline from a recognised university".
- Item no. 22: To consider and approve the minutes of the meetings of Course Design Committees for the Level 2 Geography courses in B.Sc., namely, BGG-004, BGG-005, BGGL-002 and BGGL-003 along with the finalised course structures and recommend the names of course writers for these courses.
- SB 50.22.1 The School Board was informed that the Course Design Committee meetings for Level 2 Geography courses in B.Sc., namely, BGG-005 entitled Concepts of Remote Sensing and GIS, BGGL-002 entitled Techniques of Remote Sensing and Geographical Information System, BGGL-003 entitled Introduction to Quantitative Techniques in Geography and BGG-004 entitled Economic Geography were conducted from March 24-26, 2014. Approval of the School Board was being sought for the minutes of these meetings and the detailed unitised syllabi/lab exercises. and the names of the course writers for these courses.
- SB 50.22.2 The School Board approved the Minutes of the Course Design Committee meetings for Level 2 Geography courses in B.Sc., namely, BGG-005 entitled Concepts of Remote Sensing and GIS, BGGL-002 entitled Techniques of Remote Sensing and Geographical Information System BGGL-003 entitled Introduction to Quantitative Techniques in Geography and BGG-004 entitled Economic Geography held on March 24-26, 2014 and the detailed unitised structure of the courses (Annexure

11). The School Board also recommended the names of the course writers for these courses. These are also placed at **Annexure 11**.

- Item no. 23: To consider and approve the lists of experts for the Course Design Committees for B.Sc. Geography Level 3 Courses: BGG-006, BGG-007, BGG-008 and BGGL-004, BGGE-001, BGGE-002, BGGE-003 and BGGE-004.
- SB 50.23.1 In its 44th meeting held on 2nd March, 2012 The School Board of the School of Sciences vide SB 44.44.2 had approved the syllabi for B.Sc. electives in Geography. However, Course Design Committee meetings are held by the discipline for further elaboration of individual courses. The Course Design Committee meetings for B.Sc. Geography Level 1 and Level 2 courses had been conducted on August 27-28, 2012 and March 24-26, 2014, respectively. The approval of the School Board was being sought for the names of the Experts for Course Design Committees for eight Level 3 Geography courses of B.Sc., namely, BGG-006, BGG-007, BGG-008 and BGGL-004, BGGE-001, BGGE-002, BGGE-003 and BGGE-004 for further detailing of the syllabus.
- SB 50.23.2 The lists of experts for the Course Design Committees for level 3 Courses of Geography in B.Sc. (Annexure 12) were approved by the School Board.

Item no. 24: To consider and recommend the lists of additional course writers and approve the lists of translators for Geography electives in the B.Sc. programme.

- SB 50.24.1 In its 44th meeting held on 2nd March, 2012, the School Board of the School of Sciences had approved the lists of course writers and editors for the Geography electives in the B.Sc. programme. However, while preparing study materials for Level 1 and Level 2 courses, the Geography Discipline Group felt the need for additional course writers. Since the Programme has to be launched in both English and Hindi mediums, the translation of the study materials developed in English needs to be done in Hindi. Recommendations of the School Board for the lists of additional course writers and approval of translators were being sought for different Geography electives in the B.Sc. programme.
- SB 50.24.2 The lists of additional course writers recommended by the School Board and the list translators approved by the School Board for different Geography electives in the B.Sc. programme are appended at **Annexure 13**.
- Item no. 25: To consider and approve the Phase Zero Forms for the courses "Design and Analysis of Algorithms" (MMTE-002) and "Pattern Recognition and Image Processing" (MMTE-003) of the M.Sc. (MACS) programme.
- SB 50.25.1 The School Board was informed that the Course Expert Committee meetings for the courses "Pattern Recognition and Image Processing" and "Design and Analysis of Algorithms" of the M. Sc. (MACS) programme were held on 29th August, 2014 and

16th July, 2014, respectively, to discuss the syllabi of these courses and divide the syllabi into units for the development of self learning material. Approval of the School Board and recommendation to Academic Council was being sought for the Minutes of these meetings and the respective phase zero forms (**Annexures 14a to d**). It was explained that the courses were on offer as wrap-around materials developed around standard text-books. However, students were finding it difficult to study the books and the wrap-around materials. Their feedback was that it was easier for them to read and comprehend SLMs in the programme.

- SB 50.25.2 The School Board deliberated on the matter and approved the Minutes of the meetings of the Course Expert Committee for the courses "Pattern Recognition and Image Processing" and "Design and Analysis of Algorithms" of the M. Sc. (MACS) programme held on 29th August, 2014 and 16th July, 2014, respectively, and recommended that the phase zero forms of the two courses (Annexures 14 c and d) be forwarded for the Academic Council's approval.
- Item no. 26: To consider and approve the Phase Zero forms of the Revised Chemistry Elective Courses to be offered at the First and Second levels as part of B.Sc. Chemistry (Major) Programme, i.e., Inorganic Chemistry I, Organic Chemistry I, Physical Chemistry I, Chemistry Lab I, Chemistry Lab II, Inorganic Chemistry II, Organic Chemistry II, Physical Chemistry II, Chemistry Lab III, Chemistry Lab IV and the Revised Programme Structure.
- The School Board was informed that the revised structure and the list of proposed SB 50.26.1 Chemistry Elective courses for B.Sc. Chemistry (Major) Programme had been approved by the School Board of the School of Sciences in its 31st meeting held on 30th Nov., 2006 as per the recommendations of the Programme Expert Committee meetings held on 8th Feb., 2005 and 25th Nov., 2005. The revised programme structure of the B.Sc. Chemistry (Major) was approved in the 17th meeting of Academic Council's Standing Committee held on 16th Dec. 2005. Subsequently, the Course Expert Committee meetings for various courses were held during 2006-2007 to finalise the syllabi wherein the writing work was also assigned for the first level theory electives. The minutes of Programme Expert Committee Meeting and Course Expert Committee Meetings are placed at Annexure 15. The development of the revised courses could not be taken up immediately due to the involvement of the faculty members in the development of PGDAC Programme which was launched in July 2009. From July 2009, the faculty was engaged in M.Sc. Chemistry face to face Programme which continued until July 2013. In view of the time gap in developing the revised courses, approval of the School Board was being sought for the phase zero forms for the first and second level courses along with the revised programme structure of B.Sc. Chemistry (Major).

- SB 50.26.2 The School Board deliberated on the matter and approved the phase zero forms of the courses Inorganic Chemistry I (Annexure 16a), Organic Chemistry I (Annexure 16b), Physical Chemistry I (Annexure 16c), Chemistry Lab I (Annexure 16d), Chemistry Lab II (Annexure 16e), Inorganic Chemistry II (Annexure 16f), Organic Chemistry II (Annexure 16g), Physical Chemistry II (Annexure 16f), Chemistry Lab III (Annexure 16g), Physical Chemistry II (Annexure 16h), Chemistry Lab III (Annexure 16g), Physical Chemistry II (Annexure 16h), Chemistry Lab III (Annexure 16g), Physical Chemistry II (Annexure 16h), Chemistry Lab III (Annexure 16g), Chemistry Lab IV (Annexure 16j) as well as the revised Programme Structure of B.Sc. Chemistry (Major) (Annexure 16k).
- Item no. 27: To consider and approve the Minutes of the Exploratory Committee Meeting for Planning and Development of the Bachelor's Degree Programme in Geology held on 1st September, 2014 and the Phase 1 form in the revised format for the B.Sc. (Major) Geology Programme through Distance Mode.
- SB 50.27.1 The School Board was informed that the syllabi of elective courses for the three levels of B.Sc. (Major) Geology and Phase 0 forms for three Level 1 electives namely, Planet Earth (BGY 001), Strata and Prehistoric Life (BGY 002) and Geology Lab I (BGYL 001) were approved in the 44th meeting of the School Board of the School of Sciences held on 2nd and 30th March, 2012 vide SB 44.43.2 and subsequently in the 34th meeting of the Academic Council Standing Committee held on 15th June, 2012 vide ACSC 34.23.1. Further, the proposal for the approval for Phase 0 forms for three electives of Level 2 namely, Earth Resources (BGY 003), Petrology (BGY 004), and Geology Lab II (BGYL 002) was placed in the 37th meeting of the Academic Council Standing Committee held on 28th Oct. and 7th Nov., 2013 (item no. ACSC 37.3-5.1) after the approval of the School Board of School of Sciences in its 46th meeting held on 15th May 2013 vide SB 46.18.1. The ACSC recommended that the matter be referred back to the School Board with the suggestion that the Discipline of Geology should bring a comprehensive proposal for the development of B.Sc. programme in Geology.

A meeting of the Exploratory Expert Committee for Planning and Development of the Bachelor's Degree Programme in Geology was held on 1st September, 2014 to design the broad structure of the Bachelor's Degree Programme in Geology and deliberate on the number of credits and combination of subjects for offering B.Sc. (Hons./ Major) in Geology and B.Sc. with Geology as one of the subjects. The Committee was of the unanimous view that IGNOU should offer the B.Sc. (Hons./ Major) in Geology and B.Sc. with Geology as one of the subjects. The details of eligibility criteria for students and the combination of other Disciplines and the broad content areas of Geology and their credits for B.Sc. (Gen.) and B.Sc. (Hons./Major) as recommended by the Committee are given in the Minutes of the Exploratory Committee Meeting for Planning and Development of Bachelor's programme in Geology.

The School Board was also informed that the list of degrees issued by the UGC recently, mentioned the nomenclature B. Sc. (Hons.) and B. Sc. and the nomenclature B. Sc. (Major) did not exist any more in the list. Accordingly, the approval of the School Board was being sought for the Minutes of the meeting of the Exploratory Committee for Planning and Development of Bachelor's Degree Programme in Geology (Annexure 17a) and the Phase 1 form for B.Sc. (Hons.) Geology and B.Sc. with Geology as one of the subjects (Annexure 17b).

- SB 50.27.2 The School Board deliberated on the matter and approved the Minutes and the Phase 1 form with the advice that the entry in Point 7a of Annexure 17b be changed to 'Yes' instead of 'No' as IGNOU designs and develops its programmes in active collaboration with Experts from other Universities and Institutions. The Board also recommended that separate Phase 1 forms be submitted for the two programmes, namely, B. Sc. (Hons.) in Geology and B. Sc. with Geology as one of the subjects. The modified Phase 1 forms for B. Sc. (Hons.) in Geology and B. Sc. with Geology as one of the subjects as approved by the School Board are placed at **Annexures 17c** and **d**, respectively.
- Item no. 28: To consider and approve the Phase 1 form in the revised format for the M.Sc. (Chemistry) Programme through Distance Mode.
- SB 50.28.1 The School Board was informed that the concept note and the Phase 1 form (older version) for the M.Sc. (Chemistry) Programme through the Distance Mode were approved by the School Board of the School of Sciences in its 41st meeting held on 29th November, 2010. A Programme Expert Committee meeting for the M.Sc. (Chemistry) Programme through Distance Mode was held on 20-21, November 2012. The Programme Structure and the Syllabi for the M.Sc. (Chemistry) Programme through Distance Mode finalized by the Programme Expert Committee were placed in the 46th meeting of the School Board held on 15th May, 2013. The Board advised that "the syllabi for the laboratory courses should also be detailed and the entire syllabus should be arranged in the same format". Accordingly, another meeting of members of the Programme Expert Committee was held on 29th November, 2013 to design the syllabi of the remaining four of the eight laboratory courses.

In compliance with the decision of the Academic Council that the Phase forms of all programmes that were yet to be launched, be submitted in the revised format, approval of the School Board was being sought for the Phase 1 form (in the revised format) for the M.Sc. (Chemistry) programme being offered in the distance mode.

SB 50.28.2 The School Board deliberated on the matter and approved the Phase 1 form (in the revised format) for the M.Sc. (Chemistry) programme being offered in the distance mode with the stipulation that in the tentative list of experts submitted with the

form, the names of those experts be removed who were not in India. It was also advised by the School Board that about 10 to 12 Experts from that list be invited at any given time in future meetings.

The Board also advised that the eligibility criteria for the programme be modified as follows:

- The candidate should have passed the B.Sc (Hons.)/ B.Sc (General) degree with Chemistry as one of three subjects having equal weightage.
- *General Candidates*: At least 50% marks in aggregate as well as in Chemistry courses
- *Reserved Category Candidates*: At least 45% marks in aggregate as well as in Chemistry courses

The Board further advised that the proposed launch date be changed to July, 2019.

SB50.28.3 The modified Phase 1 form (in the revised format) for the M.Sc. (Chemistry) programme being offered in the distance mode as approved by the School Board along with the modified list of Experts is placed at **Annexure 18**.

Item no. 29: To consider and approve the minutes of the meeting of Doctoral Committee for Life Sciences held on 18th and 19th June, 2014.

- SB 50.29.1 The School Board was informed that a meeting of the Doctoral Committee for Life Sciences was held on 18th and 19th June, 2014 to assess the Pre Ph.D Seminar presentations of three Ph.D. (Life Sciences) students, namely, Mr. Sujeet Pratap Singh, Mr Anjan Kumar Sharma and Ms. Anamika Tripathi for submission of their theses, review the second mandatory work in progress seminar of two Ph.D. scholars registered in Ph.D. (Life Sciences) Programme, namely, Mr. Ravi Kant and Ms. Kavitha S., review the first mandatory work in progress seminar of three Ph.D. scholars, namely, Shri Pushpa Kant Rao, Shri Vipin Tomar and Shri Prem Parkash Chauhan, assess the resubmission of the synopsis of Binish Jawed for admission under category A and to assess the progress reports of 17 Ph.D. scholars registered in the Ph.D. (Life Sciences) Programme. Approval of the School Board was being sought for the minutes of the meeting.
- SB 50.29.2 The School Board approved the minutes of the meeting of the Doctoral Committee for Life Sciences held on 18th and 19th June, 2014 (**Annexure 19**) with the advice that henceforth separate Doctoral Committees be constituted for reviewing the progress and assessing the mandatory seminars of Ph. D. Scholars belonging to different areas of specialisations. The Board further advised that, as far as possible, the same group of Experts specialising in an area may be invited to the Doctoral

Committee for a Ph. D. scholar or a set of Ph. D. scholars working in that area of specialisation for consistency and quality.

Item no. 30: To consider and approve the minutes of the meetings of Doctoral Committee for Chemistry held on 18th July, 2014 and 27th August, 2014.

- SB 50.30.1 The School Board was informed that two meetings of the Doctoral Committee for Chemistry were held on 18th July, 2014 and 27th August, 2014, respectively.
 - 1. In the meeting held on 18th July, 2014
 - 7 students gave the presentation of their research work done and their presentations were found to be satisfactory.
 - The Progress Reports of 24 Ph.D. candidates were presented and approved.
 - Request of the student Shri Chandraprakash Narani (Enrolment No. 112247330) seeking exemption on submission of Progress report for the period Jan-June, 2014 was considered and approved.
 - 2. In the meeting held on 27th August, 2014
 - 2 students gave their Pre-submission Seminars which were found to be satisfactory.
 - The Progress Report of one Ph.D. candidate was presented which was approved.
- SB 50.30.2 The School Board approved the minutes of the meetings of the Doctoral Committee for Chemistry held on 18th July, 2014 and 27th August, 2014 (**Annexure 20**) with the same advice for constituting Doctoral Committees as in SB 50.29.2.

Item no. 31: To consider and approve the minutes of the meeting of the Doctoral Committee for Biochemistry held on 22nd July, 2014.

- SB 50.31.1 The School Board was informed that a meeting of the Doctoral Committee for Biochemistry was held on July 22, 2014 to review the modified research proposal submitted by Ms. Trupti Bajpai and to assess the first mandatory work in progress seminar by Ms. Jyoti Rastogi. The Committee also assessed the six monthly progress reports of 3 Ph.D. scholars registered in the Ph.D. (Biochemistry) Programme. The following recommendations were made by the Doctoral Committee:
 - 1. The modified research proposal presented by Ms. Trupti Bajpai was approved and it was recommended that she be allowed to pursue the Ph.D. programme in Biochemistry.

- 2. The Doctoral Committee found the progress of Ms. Jyoti Rastogi to be satisfactory. However, the experts suggested that there should be more emphasis on biochemical aspects in her research work.
- 3. The Doctoral Committee found the progress of Ms P. Swati Chitra and Ms. Shikha Goel to be satisfactory.
- SB 50.31.2 The School Board approved the minutes of the meeting of the Doctoral Committee for Biochemistry held on July 22, 2014 (**Annexure 21**) with the same advice for constituting Doctoral Committees as in SB 50.29.2.
- Item no. 32: To consider and approve the minutes of the meeting of Doctoral Committee for Geography held on August 13, 2014 and the proposed syllabus and scheme of evaluation for the Entrance examination in Ph.D. (Geography).
- SB 50.32.1 The School Board was informed that the Ph.D. (Geography) Programme had been launched from January, 2013 for category 'A' students exempted from entrance test. However, many candidates who could not be exempted from the entrance test sought admission into the Ph.D. (Geography) Programme. Therefore, a meeting of the Doctoral Committee for Geography was held on August 13, 2014 to finalise the syllabus and the evaluation methodology of the entrance test for the Ph.D. (Geography) Programme.
- SB 50.32.2 The School Board deliberated on the minutes of the meeting and approved the syllabus and the evaluation methodology for the entrance test (**Annexure 22**).
- Item no. 33: To consider and approve the minutes of the meeting of the Doctoral Committee for Mathematics held on 20th August, 2014 and the progress report of Ms. Hemlata Maurya, enrolled in the Ph.D. (Mathematics Education) Programme for the period of 01/01/2014 to 30/06/2014.
- SB 50.33.1 The School Board was informed that a meeting of the Doctoral Committee for Mathematics was held on 20th August, 2014 to consider the progress report of Ms. Hemlata Maurya, enrolled in the Ph.D. (Mathematics Education) Programme for the period of 01/01/2014 to 30/06/2014. The progress of Ms. Hemlata Maurya was found to be good.
- SB 50.33.2 The School Board approved the Minutes of the meeting of the Doctoral Committee for Mathematics held on 20th August, 2014 (**Annexure 23**) and the progress report of Ms. Hemlata Maurya with the stipulation that henceforth all internal Faculty members of the Doctoral Committee for Mathematics should attend such meetings.

- Item no. 34: To consider and approve the Minutes of the 9th and 10th meetings of the Doctoral Committee for Geology held on 25th and 26th August, 2014 to review the six monthly progress reports of Ph.D. scholars in Geology.
- SB 50.34.1 The School Board was informed that the 9th meeting of the Doctoral Committee for Geology was held on 25th August, 2014 to review the six-monthly progress report of Mr. Sarvesh Misra (Enrolment no.144500342) for the period Jan. 2014-June 2014 on the topic "Reconstruction of Palaeogeography and Palaeodepositional Environment of Siwalik Sediments around Ramnagar-Kaladungi area, Nainital, Uttarakhand". The Doctoral committee advised the candidate that he should carry out an extensive literature survey and present a comprehensive report on list of papers consulted by him in his next six monthly progress report.

The 10th meeting of the Doctoral Committee for Geology was held on 26th August, 2014 to

- Review the six-monthly progress report of Mr. Ankit Shah (Enrolment no. 131636648) for the period Jan., 2014 June, 2014 on the topic "Remote Sensing Based Depth Derivation of Shallow Inland Water Environment". The Doctoral Committee recommended that the progress of the candidate during the period was satisfactory. The Committee advised him to generate sample depth map for the study area based on field data in the next six months.
- Review the six-monthly progress report of Mr. Amit Kumar (Enrolment no.127723726) for the period Jan., 2014 June, 2014 on the topic "Geoecological study in parts of Kangra region, Himachal Himalaya using Geoinformatics". The Doctoral Committee recommended that the progress of the candidate during the period was satisfactory and advised him to work out the methodology for carrying out landscape ecological studies.
- SB 50.34.2 The School Board approved the Minutes of the 9th and 10th meetings of the Doctoral Committee for Geology held on 25th and 26th August, 2014 (**Annexure 24**) and the progress reports of Mr. Ankit Shah (Enrolment no. 131636648) for the period Jan., 2014 June, 2014 and Mr. Amit Kumar (Enrolment no.127723726) for the period Jan., 2014 June, 2014.
- Item no. 35: To consider and approve the CV of Dr. M. Abdul Kareem, Assistant Professor in Biochemistry as a Research Supervisor.
- SB 50.35.1 The School Board was informed that Dr. M. Abdul Kareem, Assistant Professor in Biochemistry would be completing five years of post-Doctoral experience by 1st Oct, 2014 and he had five years of teaching experience. The complete CV of Dr. M. Abdul Kareem, Assistant Professor in Biochemistry (Annexure 25) was placed

before the School Board of School of Sciences for approval as supervisor in the M. Phil/Ph.D. (Biochemistry) Programme.

- SB 50.35.2 The CV of Dr. M. Abdul Kareem, Assistant Professor in Biochemistry as supervisor in the M. Phil/Ph.D. (Biochemistry) Programme was approved by the School Board.
- Item no. 36: To consider and approve the revised evaluation methodology for pre PhD course work of Biochemistry.
- SB 50.36.1 The School Board was informed that the minutes of the Expert Committee meeting held on 9th and 10th January 2014 were placed in the 49th meeting of the School Board held on 28th April, 2014 for approval. The Expert Committee had made the following recommendations about the structure of the pre-PhD courses in Biochemistry, as well as their mode of transaction and evaluation methodology for these courses:
 - the pre-PhD course work for a maximum of 32 credits worth courses be offered in 2 semesters of which four core courses (of a total of sixteen credits) be offered in the first semester and **up to** 16 credits worth of optional courses offered in the second semester. The course work for each candidate would be prescribed by the Doctoral Committee for Biochemistry in accordance with the University Research Ordinance.
 - The transaction of the curriculum should be through study materials including recommended reading lists of books/chapters from books, research papers, etc. (given with the syllabi) along with extended contact programme and may also involve use of ICT for interaction. The extended contact programme of up to 21 working days for four courses in each semester shall be compulsory for all PhD students undergoing the prescribed course work. If required, additional contact programme for one week may be arranged in each semester. IGNOU could also make institutional arrangements with other reputed Universities in Delhi (JNU, DU, JMI, Jamia Hamdard, etc.) for transacting the course work.
 - The assessment of each course would have two components: continuous assessment (in the form of seminars, term papers, review of research papers/books, articles, lab practical and assignments) and term end examination with weightages of 50% each. For successful completion of the courses, a student shall be required to obtain at least 50% of the maximum marks separately in each component continuous assessment and term-end examination of every course. The continuous assessment for each course will comprise the following components with the respective weightages:
 - a) Term paper based on review of research papers/books 25%

- b) Up to two Assignments and/or practical work in the Lab and/or tutorials 50%
- c) Up to two Seminars 25%

While deliberating on the recommendations of the Expert Committee, the School Board was of the view that the methodology for transaction of the curriculum of pre-PhD courses must be developed for the University in a holistic perspective. Further, in respect of component (b) of the continuous assessment for the courses, the School Board desired to know the list of experiments and practical activities that would be performed for the proposed courses since it had not been spelt out in the respective syllabi and subsequent to discussion, the matter was deferred. It was decided that the advice of the same Expert Committee be sought on the matter. The School Board also sought specific recommendations on whether the courses on Biochemical and Molecular Biological Techniques and Biophysical Techniques would be theoretical courses or involve any hands-on training component.

- SB 50.36.2 The matter was referred back to the Expert Committee and the following recommendations of the Expert Committee were placed for the consideration and approval of the School Board:
 - 1. The practical component suggested in the evaluation methodology proposed earlier may be done away with. The research scholars would acquire the handson training in the Lab techniques while working in their respective Research Labs.
 - 2. The courses on Biochemical and Molecular Biological Techniques and Biophysical Techniques would be theoretical courses with emphasis on underlying principles and methods.
 - 3. The Continuous Assessment for each course would comprise the following components with the respective weightages:
 - a) Term paper based on review of research papers/books 25%
 - b) At least two Assignments 25%
 - c) Two Seminars 25%
 - d) Closed Book Test 25 %
- SB 50.36.3 The School Board approved the recommendations of the Expert Committee at SB 50.36.2 along with the design of the pre-PhD courses in Biochemistry placed at Annexure 11 of the Minutes of the 49th meeting of the School Board, their mode of transaction and the revised evaluation methodology. The structure and syllabi of the pre-PhD courses for PhD (Biochemistry) programme, their transaction methods and the revised evaluation methodology approved by the School Board are placed at **Annexure 26**.

- Item no. 37: To consider and approve the Minutes of the meeting of the Doctoral Committee for Geography held on August 8, 2014 and the Progress Reports of 10 (Ten) Ph.D. scholars in Geography.
- SB 50.37.1 The School Board was informed that a meeting of the Doctoral Committee for Geography was held on August 8, 2014 to review the progress of 10 candidates registered in the Ph.D. (Geography) Programme. The Minutes of the meeting of the Doctoral Committee for Geography held on August 8, 2014 (**Annexure 27**) were placed before the School Board. Seven candidates had presented their progress reports in the meeting and their progress had been found to be satisfactory. The Committee recommended minor modification in the research topic of Mr. Ranajit Jana. The Committee also recommended the cancellation of registration of Mr. Md. Monazir Hussain in the Ph.D. (Geography) Programme and suggested that the same procedure should be followed for Ms. Pushpa Latha Vadlapati as both of them have neither attended two consecutive progress review meetings for Ph.D. (Geography) Programme nor responded to the repeated communications sent to them.
- SB 50.37.2 The School Board approved the progress reports presented by seven candidates registered in the Ph.D. (Geography) Programme. The Board also approved the minor modification in the research topic of Mr. Ranajit Jana. However, while deliberating on the recommendation of the Doctoral Committee regarding the cancellation of registration of Mr. Md. Monazir Hussain and Ms. Pushpa Latha Vadlapati in the Ph.D. (Geography) Programme, the School Board advised that their registration be cancelled in accordance with the University regulations after issuing due written warnings to them.
- Item no. 38: To consider and approve the syllabus for Pre-Ph.D. Coursework, transaction methods and Evaluation methodology for Ph.D. (Geology) programme.
- SB 50.38.1 The School Board was informed that the Pre-Ph.D. Course work for the Ph.D. Programme in Geology was designed in the First Doctoral Committee meeting of Geology held on 24th Oct. 2011. Subsequently the minutes of the First Doctoral Committee meeting of Geology and the syllabi of Pre-Ph.D. Course work were placed for consideration and approval in the 44th meeting of the School Board of the School of Sciences held on 2nd and 30th March 2012. The School Board recommended that the Phase III form should be filled for the approval of the syllabus for Pre-Ph.D. coursework (item no. SB 44.34.1). Since the Phase III form was not required for the approval of the syllabi of Pre-Ph.D. Course work, the matter was being placed again for approval of the School Board.
- SB 50.38.2 The School Board deliberated on the matter and approved the structure and syllabi for the pre-Ph.D. courses, their transaction methods and evaluation methodology (Annexure 28) for the Ph.D. programme in Geology.

Item no. 39: To consider and approve the first six-monthly Progress Report of Mr. Satish Konda, Ph.D. scholar in Statistics.

- SB 50.39.1 The School Board was informed that Mr. Satish Konda had been registered in the Ph. D. (Statistics) programme under the supervision of Dr. Manish Trivedi, SOS, IGNOU and Prof. Y. S. Ramakrishnaiah (Retd.), Osmania University on the topic "Generalisation of Smoothed Nonparametric Estimation of Finite Mixture for Non-iid Sequences with applications". He had submitted his first six monthly progress report for the period from January, 2014 to June, 2014 (Annexure 29). Both supervisors had found his progress to be satisfactory for this period.
- SB50.39.2 The School Board approved the first six monthly progress report of Shri Satish Konda.

Item no. 40 (i): To consider and approve the names of Experts for the review of the first B. Sc. Elective in Biochemistry entitled Biomolecules and Biochemical Techniques (BBCE001).

- SB 50.40.1(i) The School Board was informed that the names of the following Experts had been proposed by the Biochemistry Faculty to review the first B.Sc. elective in Biochemistry entitled Biomolecules and Biochemical Techniques (BBCE001) before it was printed:
 - Prof. Sunita Malhotra School of Sciences, IGNOU (O): 011-29532167 Email: smalhotra@ignou.ac.in
 - Dr. Suneeta Joshi
 Associate Professor, Biochemistry Department, Daulat Ram College, Delhi University Email: <u>sunjoshi5@yahoo.co.in</u> (O): 011-27667863, (M): 09953150114
 - Dr. Swadesh Taneja Retired Associate Professor, School of Sciences, IGNOU, New Delhi <u>Email:swadeshjhamb@hotmail.com</u> Phone: 09350333274
- SB 50.40.2(i) The Board approved the names of the above Experts for reviewing the first B.Sc. elective in Biochemistry entitled Biomolecules and Biochemical Techniques (BBCE001).

Item no. 40 (ii): To consider and approve the following two Application-oriented courses (AOCs) for the Bachelor's Degree Programme:

- a) Fresh Water Aquaculture Practices (8 credits: 6credits theory + 2 credits Laboratory)
- b) Coastal Water Aquaculture Practices (8 credits: 6credits theory + 2 credits Laboratory)
- The School Board was informed that the AOC entitled Aquaculture Practices SB 50.40.1(ii) (AAQ-001) had been approved by the Academic Council in its 62nd meeting held on April 11, 2014. The Life Sciences Discipline had proposed to offer two additional AOCs, namely, Fresh Water Aquaculture (8 credits) and Coastal Water Aquaculture (8 credits) in the basket of skill based courses in the Bachelor's Degree Programme. This would equip our undergraduate learners with the vocational skills in the area of Aqua farming and Aqua ranching. These courses would provide technical know-how and develop entrepreneurial skills in fisher folk and also create awareness and promote green aquaculture. The existing AOC in Aquaculture Practices (AAQ-001) would be offered together with the course Fresh Water Aquaculture worth 8 credits to form a 16 credits package named Fresh Water Aquaculture Practices. Likewise, the course Coastal Water Aquaculture worth 8 credits would be offered together with Aquaculture Practices (AAQ-001) worth 8 credits as a 16 credits package named Coastal Water Aquaculture Practices. Approval of the School Board was being sought for the proposal and the syllabi of the courses Fresh Water Aquaculture and Coastal Water Aquaculture (Annexure 30).
- SB 50.40.2(ii) The Board considered and approved the proposal of offering two additional AOCs, namely, Fresh Water Aquaculture (8 credits) and Coastal Water Aquaculture (8 credits) and their syllabi as well as the proposal of offering 16 credits packages named **Fresh Water Aquaculture Practices** and **Coastal Water Aquaculture Practices** in the basket of skill based courses in the Bachelor's Degree Programme.
- Item no. 40 (iii): To consider and recommend the names of paper setters, evaluators and members of the Moderation Board for the course An Overview of Math. Education (RMT-012) of the Ph.D. programme in Mathematics Education (PHDMTED).
- SB 50.40.1(iii) The lists of Paper Setters, Evaluators and members of the Moderation Board for the course entitled An Overview of Math. Education (RMT-012) of the Ph.D. programme in Mathematics Education (PHDMTED) were placed before the School Board for approval.

SB 50.40.2(iii) The School Board considered and recommended the following lists of Paper Setters, Evaluators and members of the Moderation Board for the course entitled An Overview of Math. Education (RMT-012) of the Ph.D. programme in Mathematics Education (PHDMTED).

List of Paper Setters (Ph.D. in Mathematics Education)

Course Title: An Overview of Math. Education

Course Code: RMT-012

SI.	Name	Contact number (s)/E-mail
No.		
1.	Prof. Amitabh Mukherjee Dept. of Physics, Delhi University, Delhi-110007	Ph. 9810187677; Email: amimukh@gmail.com
2.	Dr. Rakhi Bannerjee Azim Premji University, PES Institute of Technology Campus, Pixel Park, B Block, Electronics City, Bengaluru -560100	080 66 145145
3.	Prof. K. Subramaniam Homi Bhabha Centre for Science Education, V.N. Purv Marg, Mankhurd, Mumbai - 400088	09869020791
4.	Sh. Rohit Dhankar Azim Premji University, PES Institute of Technology Campus, Pixel Park, B Block, Electronics City, Bengaluru - 560100	080 66 145145
5.	Prof. Parvin Sinclair Director, NCERT, Shri Aurobindo Marg, New Delhi	9871178061
6.	Prof. Sujatha Varma	011- 29572830 (O)
	School of Sciences, IGNOU, New Delhi-110068	08800101390 (M)

List of Evaluators (Ph.D. in Mathematics Education)

Course Title: An Overview of Math. Education

Course Code: RMT-012

SI.	Name	Contact number (s)
No. 1.	Prof. Ramanujan Institute of Mathematical Sciences, 4 th Cross Street, Tharamani, Chennai	044 - 2254 3100
2.	Dr. Aloka Kanhere Homi Bhabha Centre for Science Education, V.N. Purv Marg, Mankhurd, Mumbai - 400088	022 - 25562132
3.	Dr Rakhi Bannerjee Azim Premji University, PES Institute of Technology Campus, Pixel Park, B Block, Electronics City, Bengaluru - 560100 Email: <u>rakhib@hbcse.tifr.res.in</u>	080 66 145145
4.	Prof. K. Dorasami Regional Institute of Education, Mysore	0821-2514095
5.	Prof. Amitabh Mukherjee Dept. of Physics, Delhi University, Delhi-110007 Email: <u>amimukh@gmail.com</u>	9810187677

6.	Prof. Parvin Sinclair Director, NCERT, Shri Aurobindo Marg, New Delhi	9871178061
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MEMBERS OF THE MODERATION BOARD (Ph.D. in Mathematics Education)

Course Title: An Overview of Math. Education

Course Code: RMT-012

S.No.	Director of	Professor/Senior	External Experts in the	Internal Faculty	Remarks
	the School	most faculty	discipline/specialization (with complete	member	
		member of the	address and telephone numbers, if any.	Internal	
		discipline	External	(5)	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)		(6)
1.	Prof. Vijayshri	Prof. P. Mital	1. Prof. Amitabh Mukherjee	Prof. Sujatha	
			Dept. of Physics,	Varma	
			Delhi University, Delhi-110007		
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			2. Prof. Parvin Sinclair		
			Director, NCERT,		
			Shri Aurobindo Marg, New Delhi		
			Ph. 011-26962333; M: 9871178061		

Item no. 40 (iv): To consider and approve the Editor and the course experts for the Course Experts Committee for the design and development of the course MMTE-005 in the M.Sc. (MACS) programme.

- SB 50.40.1(iv) The School Board was informed that the course material of the course entitled **Coding Theory** (MMTE-005) of the **M.Sc. (MACS)** programme was originally designed as wrap-around material. It was being proposed that the course material be developed in the Self Instructional form. The approval of the School Board was being sought for the names of the Editor and experts for the Course Experts Committee for the design and development of the course.
- SB 50.40.2(iv) The School Board approved the following names of the Editor and experts for the Course Experts Committee for the design and development of the course Coding Theory (MMTE-005) of the M.Sc. (MACS) programme:

Editor

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3.	Prof. B. K. Das	Department of Mathematics Delhi University, Delhi	9811191046 (M)
4.	Dr. Meena Kumari	Scientist G (Retd.) SAG Group, Metcalfe House DRDO, Delhi-110054	09818090918(M)
5.	Dr. Sartaj Ul Hasan	SAG Group, Metcalfe House DRDO, Delhi-110054	9990627296(M)
6.	Dr. Surabhi Madan	Associate Professor Shivaji college, Ring Road, Raja Garden New Delhi-110027	(+91) 9711140225

Experts for the Course Expert Committee

Item no. 40 (v): To consider and approve the revision of re-submission fee for the report of the project component AMT-01(P) of the course entitled Teaching of Primary School Mathematics in BDP/CTPM from Rs. 700/- to Rs. 200/-.

SB 50.40.1(v) The School Board was informed that the course entitled **Teaching of Primary School Mathematics** (AMT-01) is offered in the BDP as an AOC, and in the programme CTPM (Certificate programme in the Teaching of Primary School Mathematics). It comprises a 6-credit theory component and a project component worth 2 credits. Any student successfully clears this course only if she successfully clears the assignment, term end examination and successfully completes the project component. For various reasons, many students across the country are not able to successfully complete the project component in the first try, requiring them to resubmit the project report. For being eligible to do so, towards successfully completing the **2-credit project component**, the students are being asked to pay the re-registration fee for the whole course, i.e., Rs. 700/-, as if they were registering afresh for the **whole** course, which is not so.

Thus, it is submitted for consideration that the project component be treated on a distinct footing as a special case, and the fee for re-submission for the project report be calculated as if the student were registering only for the project component. Accordingly, the fee to be charged for this may be

 $\frac{2}{8}$ × 700, i.e., Rs. 175 + handling charges.

Thus, the proposal that the fee may be revised downwards from Rs. 700/- to Rs. 200/- for the benefit of such learners was placed before the School Board for consideration and approval.

SB 50.40.2(v) The School Board considered the circumstances explained by the Programme Coordinator of CTPM and approved the proposal for revising the re-submission fee for the report of the project component AMT-01(P) from Rs. 700/- to Rs. 200/- for the benefit of students by treating it on a distinct footing as a special case.

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

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