

Yashwantrao Chavan Maharashtra Open University, Nasik

School of Architecture, Science and Technology

Minutes of online PAC meeting for MSc [Botany] Program

Mode: Online on ZOOM platform

Following members were present/ absent for the PAC meeting held on 23.03.2022 during 11:30 am to 1:30 pm

Sr. no.	Member name	Post	Attendance
1	Dr. Sunanda More	Chairperson and Member	Present
2	Dr. Chetana Kamlaskar	PAC member	Present
3	Dr. Nitin Dongarwar	PAC member	Present
4	Dr. Subhash Ahire	PAC member	Present
5	Dr. Vasant Kadam	PAC member	Present
6	Dr. Shrirang Yadav	PAC member	Present
7	Dr. S.G. Ghane	PAC member	Present
8	Amol Pund	Academic co-ordinator [Zoology]	Present
9	Ashutosh Nirbhavne	Academic co-ordinator [Zoology]	Present
10	Sachin Jangam	Academic co-ordinator [Zoology]	Present
11	Dr. Bharat More	Academic co-ordinator [Chemistry]	Present
12	Sadhana Patil	Academic co-ordinator [Statistics]	Present
13	Shweta Kapade	Academic co-ordinator [Physics]	Absent
14	Manish Shingale	Academic co-ordinator [Physics]	Present
15	Bharti Kolhe	Academic co-ordinator [Physics]	Present
16	Tejaswi Kadam	Academic co-ordinator [Mathematics]	Present
17	Ghanshyam Patil	Academic co-ordinator [Chemistry]	Present

Meeting Agenda and Resolution

This PAC meeting was begun by the Introduction given by Ashutosh Nirbhavane

Welcome of PAC members and purpose of the meeting, ODL philosophy, UGC Regulation, rationale behind this curriculum revision was elaborated by the Director Dr. Sunanda More

Agenda 1: Finalization and approval for Programme structure and syllabus of already offered M.Sc. in Botany Programme by PAC members.

Resolution: The PAC members unanimously finalised and approved the Programme structure and syllabus of the proposed revised M.Sc. in Botany Programme with few suggestions. Syllabus will be modified accordingly.

Agenda 2: Finalization and approval of writers/editors for Self Learning Material [SLM] for the M.Sc. in Botany Programme by PAC members.

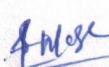
Resolution: The PAC members unanimously offered their consent for writing/editing of the Self

Agenda 3: Programme Need Assessment on viability and relevance of the program: Though the M.Sc. in Botany Programme is offered, there is a need to revise its syllabus in line with the current UGC Regulations and for the following objectives-

- To improve learning and offer high quality learning
- To add value to existing program by adding updated and novel concepts in Botany
- To prove that such programmes are essential to accomplish the goals set for nation's progress and contribution towards society
- To satisfy learners' needs
- To inculcate research attitude in the learner
- To create entrepreneurs
- To create awareness about various environmental problems
- To develop more of career opportunities the subject area

All the members of PAC unanimously, agreed viability and relevance of this programme for the bright career of the students. Current global issues and its effects are needed to be addressed and hence PAC members highlighted need of this programme for the students.

General discussion: An overall discussion of the above agenda and programme assessment need was done briefly with active participation of all members. PAC members appreciated the efforts taken by the School in preparing programme structure and its syllabus. Vote of Thanks was proposed by Sachin Jangam.


Dr. Sunanda More

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