



Minutes of the Meeting of School Council (School of Sciences)

Meeting: 02 of 2025

Date: 03rd June 2025

Time: 2.00pm to 3.00pm

Minutes of the Meeting of **School Council (School of Sciences)** held offline & online on **Tuesday, 03-06-2025 at 2.00pm** in the School's Meeting Hall. Following members and invitees were present,

01	Dr. Chetana Kamlaskar, Director (I/C)	(Chairperson) and Member
02	Dr. Sunanda More, Former Director (I/C)	Member
03	Dr. Sanjay Chakane, Principal, Khadaki Education Society, T. J. College Khadaki, Pune	Member, Joined Online
04	Dr. Sonalika Pawar, Assist. Prof., Department of Chemistry, Fergusson (Autonomous) College, Pune	Member, Joined Online
05	Dr. Sujata Magdum, Assist. Prof., Department of Zoology, K. T. H. M. College, Nashik	Member, Joined Online
06	Prof. Shrikant Ramesh Chaudhary, Director, Department of Mathematics, KBC North Maharashtra University, Jalgaon.	Member, Joined Online
07	Dr. Dayanand P. Gogle, Associate Prof., Department of Botany, R. T. M. Nagpur University, Nagpur	Member, Joined Online
08	Dr. Ramesh R. Kumbhar, Principal, Vivekanand College (Empowered Autonomous), Kolhapur	Member, Joined Online
09	Dr. Madhukar Shewale, Director, CIQA	Member
10	Dr. Kavita Salunke, Emeritus Prof., School of Digital Education	Member
11	Mrs. Subhangi Patil, Assist. Prof., Student Services Division	Member
12	Dr. Subhash Shravan Sonune, Assist. Prof., School of Education & Currently Regional Center Director, Nagpur.	Member, Joined Online
13	Ms. Tejaswi V. Kadam, Academic Coordinator	Invitee
14	Dr. Jagruti R. Chavan, Academic Coordinator	Invitee
15	Dr. Dhyaneswar I. Bhusanur, Academic Coordinator	Invitee
16	Mr. Ravindra K. Bharsat, Academic Coordinator	Invitee
17	Ms. Minakshi B. Kadel, Academic Coordinator	Invitee
18	Miss. Sharayu Kudal, Academic Coordinator	Invitee
19	Mr. Amit Dawange, Academic Coordinator	Invitee

20	Mr. Somnath Dube, Academic Coordinator	Invitee
21	Miss. Harshada Godse, Academic Coordinator	Invitee
22	Director, Student Service Division or representative Ms. Sweta Kapade, SSD Coordinator	Invitee

Following invitees could not attend the meeting due to their other engagements.

01	Prof. Madhuri Sonawane, Director, School of Agriculture Sciences	Member
02	Director, Evaluation Division	Invitee
03	Controller of Examination	Invitee

Dr. Chetana Kamlaskar, Chairperson and Member of the School Council, first welcomed the School Council members and introduced the members about the purpose of the meeting. Thereafter, following agenda items were considered, deliberated upon and decisions taken:

SN	Details of Items		Resolution
1	Item B1/F-176/2025/06: To confirm the minutes of the meeting of ‘School of Sciences’ School Council held on 24 Jan 2025		Resolved unanimously that the minutes of the school council meeting held on 24 Jan 2025 as mentioned in Appendix Item B1/F-176/2025/06 , be confirmed by all members and signed by the Chairman of the School Council.
2	Item B1/F-176/2025/07: To confirm action taken report of the School Council Meeting held on 24 Jan 2025		Resolved unanimously that the ‘Action Taken Report’ as mentioned in Appendix Item B1/F-176/2025/07 and presented by the Chairperson for the school council meeting held on 24 Jan 2025 be confirmed and noted.
3	Item B1/F-176/2025/08: To review and approve nomenclature of revised B.Sc. Programmes offered by this School from AY 2025-26 and onwards, in compliance with NEP2020 guidelines.		All members of the School Council unanimously reviewed the current UGC-DEB Recognition Status of the existing V92:B.Sc (PCM){2015 pattern} and V100:B.Sc(BCZ){2023 Pattern} programmes. Then, resolved unanimously that revised B.Sc. programmes with a duration of 3 years and its nomenclature, mentioned in Appendix Item B1/F-176/2025/08 , be confirmed and approved as per: i) Maharashtra State Government Resolution, vide G.R. No. NEP-2022/CR No. 09/VISHI-3/शिकाना, dated 20 April, 2023 and University policy decision based on GR dated 20 April 2023, to continue with single major ii) UGC-DEB letter (file No.40-6/2023(DEB-II) dated June 7, 2024) regarding the launch of fresh 4 year UG programmes by applying afresh... or convert existing 3 year UG degree programmes into 4 year UG degree programmes as part of the
	Existing 3 years UG programme [Period of recognition: 2023-24 academic session beginning from July-August, 2023 to 2027-28 (upto January, 2028 only)].	4 year B.Sc. (Honours) programme [Approved by School council and Academic Council in the span of (3 Nov 2023 to 23 Feb 2025)]	
	1) V92:B.Sc (PCM) {2015 Pattern } 2) V100:B.Sc (BCZ) {2023Pattern} P- Physics, C-Chemistry, M-Mathematics, B- Botany, Z- Zoology	• UGV01: B.Sc. (Honours) (Physics) {2025 Pattern} • UGV02: B.Sc. (Honours) (Chemistry) {2025 Pattern} • UGV03: B.Sc. (Honours) (Mathematics) {2025 Pattern} • UGV04: B.Sc. (Honours)	

	(Botany) {2025 Pattern} UGV05: B.Sc. (Honours) (Zoology) {2025 Pattern}	implementation of NEP2020... iii) The University's NEP cell meeting on 11 April 2025 confirmed that there will be no immediate application for UGC-DEB recognition for the revised B.Sc. programmes (as the existing B.Sc. programmes have UGC-DEB recognition till Jan 2028). If necessary, the application for UGC-DEB recognition shall submit next time. iv) The existing V92 and V100 programmes have UGC-DEB approval for 3 year B. Sc. programmes till Jan 2028 (Not for 4 year B.Sc. (Honours)). Therefore, the revised B.Sc. programmes shall be of 3 years duration.
	Updated Nomenclature of 3 years B.Sc. programme in compliance with NEP2020 Existing 3 years UG programme [Period of recognition: 2023-24 academic session beginning from July-August, 2023 to 2027-28 (upto January, 2028 only)]. 1) V92: B.Sc (PCM){2015 Pattern} 2) V100: B.Sc (BCZ) {2023 Pattern} P- Physics, C- Chemistry, M- Mathematics, B- Botany, Z- Zoology UGV01: B.Sc. (Physics) {2025 Pattern} UGV02: B.Sc. (Chemistry) {2025 Pattern} UGV03: B.Sc. (Mathematics) {2025 Pattern} UGV04: B.Sc. (Botany) {2025 Pattern} UGV05: B.Sc. (Zoology) {2025 Pattern}	Furthermore, it is also resolved that the revised 3 year B.Sc. programmes (instead of 4 year B.Sc (Honours) programmes), in compliance with NEP2020, will be offered by this School from AY 2025-26 and onwards, with the updated nomenclature as follows : Existing 3 years UG programme [Period of recognition: 2023-24 academic session beginning from July-August, 2023 to 2027-28 (upto January, 2028 only)]. 1) V92: B.Sc (PCM){2015 Pattern} 2) V100: B.Sc (BCZ) {2023 Pattern} P- Physics, C- Chemistry, M- Mathematics, B- Botany, Z- Zoology UGV01: B.Sc. (Physics) {2025 Pattern} UGV02: B.Sc. (Chemistry) {2025 Pattern} UGV03: B.Sc. (Mathematics) {2025 Pattern} UGV04: B.Sc. (Botany) {2025 Pattern} UGV05: B.Sc. (Zoology) {2025 Pattern}
		Thus, the confirmed nomenclature approved by School Council members is recommended for further approval by the 'Academic Council (AC)' and the 'Board of Management (BoM)'.
4	Item B1/F-176/2025/09: To confirm and approve the mapping of existing UG and PG (as per NEP2020) Learner Support Centers (LSCs) for the new and revised 3 years B.Sc. programmes offered by this School from AY 2025-26 and onwards, and ensure they are available for admission as per NEP 2020 guidelines.	Resolved unanimously that the existing UG and PG (as per NEP2020) Learner Support Centers (LSCs), be mapped to the new UG & PG programmes, as well as the revised B.Sc. programmes with updated nomenclature, offered by this School from AY 2025-26 onwards, and available for admission, in compliance with NEP2020 implementation. The mapping of existing UG and PG (as per NEP2020) LSCs to offer new UG, revised UG, and new PG

		programmes by this School from AY 2025-26 as mentioned in Appendix Item B1/F-176/2025/09, will be aligned as follows provided that LSCs have programme approval till May2026 / May2027 of this school and have 7 year or permanent affiliation from a conventional university for the same or similar programme(s): i) The approved LSCs of the existing UG programme of this school shall map to a revised 3 year B.Sc. Programme in the respective discipline. ii) The approved LSCs of both the existing UG and PG programmes (having similar discipline) of this school shall map to a 4 years B.Sc. (Honours) Programme in the respective discipline. iii) The approved LSCs of the existing PG programme of this school shall map to the new PG programme in a similar discipline. Thus, the confirmed proposal is approved by school council members after detailed deliberation and recommended for further approval by the 'Academic Council (AC)' and the 'Board of Management (BoM)'.
5	Item B1/F-176/2025/10: To consider simultaneous 'Withdrawal of existing total 2 B.Sc. programmes' and 'Launch a revised total 5 B.Sc. programmes {2025 Pattern} as per the NEP 2020'	Resolved unanimously the withdrawal of the existing total 02 B.Sc. Programmes (no fresh admission, allowed only for further admission with existing approved rules and regulations, which remain the same): 1) V92: B.Sc (PCM) {2015 Pattern} 2) V100: B.Sc (BCZ) {2023 Pattern} and launch a revised total 05 B.Sc. programmes {2025 Pattern} in compliance with NEP2020, starting from the academic year beginning in July/August 2025. 1. UGV01: B.Sc. (Physics) {2025 Pattern} 2. UGV02: B.Sc. (Chemistry) {2025 Pattern} 3. UGV03: B.Sc. (Mathematics) {2025 Pattern} 4. UGV04: B.Sc. (Botany) {2025 Pattern} 5. UGV05: B.Sc.(Zoology) {2025 Pattern} Item B1/F-176/2025/10 is considered and approved by all members of the School Council and thus recommended for further approval by the Academic Council (AC) and the 'Board of Management (BoM)'.

6	Item B1/F-176/2025/11: To approve the School of Sciences Prospectus 2025 for Certificate, Diploma, UG, PG and PhD programmes	Resolved unanimously that the 'School of Sciences Prospectus 2025 for Certificate, Diploma, UG, PG and PhD programmes', as mentioned in Appendix Item B1/F-176/2025/11 , be confirmed and approved by all school council members after discussion. Further, it is also resolved to authorize the Director of this School to enrich and update the School of Sciences Prospectus 2025 from time to time as per the University's Policy decisions/norms.
7	Item B1/F-176/2025/12: Any other item with the permission by the Chairperson of the School Council	-

Meeting ends with vote of thanks by Ms. Tejaswi Kadam

Thanks...



(Dr. Chetana Kamlaskar)
Chairperson, School Council (School of Sciences)