Minutes of the meeting of Board of Post Graduate Studies in Environmental Science held on 29/10/2011 at 11 am

Agenda: Revision of Syllabus of P.G. Environmental Science

The Board of Post Graduate Studies meeting was held on 29 October 2011 at 11.00am under the chairmanship of Prof. Azra Nahaid Kamili in the office chamber of Chairperson. The Chairperson of the Board of P.G. Studies welcomed the members and declared the meeting open. The members were granted a mandate for any addition, deletion, rearrangement/reshuffle of the course contents of P.G. Environmental Science University of Kashmir Srinagar. Different suggestions were proposed during the meeting and some were agreed unanimously during the meeting. Reshuffle and rationalization of various topics over the whole syllabi was widely agreed however the major recommendations of the meeting are as follows:

- 1. A new unit was incorporated into the syllabus under the title of Biodiversity in paper ENS 103 while as the unit IV of the same paper was merged with Biogeography unit III of the same paper.
- 2. Shifting of some of the practicals from first to second semester and vice versa was also suggested and agreed in the meeting.
- 3. In third semester one more unit entitled Applied microbiology was incorporated replacing Unit IV (Other Human diseases) and few of the topics from this unit were shifted to Unit III (Microorganisms and diseases).
- 4. In ENS 303, Unit IV entitled Environmental planning was shifted to Paper ENS 401 unit IV replacing Environmental Auditing which in turn was shifted to ENS 303 Unit IV.
- 5. In ENS 402, Unit I (Environmental Psychology) was replaced by new unit entitled Environmentalism while as some the topics of Environmental Psychology were merged with Environmental Education.
- 6. Major change in the Lab course was the incorporation of practical part for fourth semester carrying 50 marks which in turn resulted in change in marks distribution of dissertation having 150marks now instead of 200 marks previously allotted.
- 7. The reshuffle and the incorporation of practicals for both third and fourth semesters were endorsed during the meeting which was framed keeping in view the syllabi of theory papers.

The total changes incorporated in the Syllabus for 2012 onwards were considered major (more than 20%).

The meeting ended with a note of thanks to the Chair

Prof Azra Nahaid Kamili Chairperson

Enclosure: Approved Guidelines and Syllabus for 2012 batch onwards

Minutes of the meeting of Board of Post Graduate Studies in Environmental Science held on 19/11/2013 at 10:30 am

Agenda: Framing of syllabus for Environmental Science under CBCS

The Board of Post Graduate Studies meeting was held on 19<sup>th</sup> November, 2013 at 10.30 am under the chairmanship of Prof. B.A. Ganai, HOD, Environmental Science in the office chamber of HOD Environmental Science. The Chairman of the Board of P.G. Studies welcomed the members and declared the meeting open. The members were granted a mandate as per guidelines of Choice based credit system to draft the syllabi contents. Different suggestions were proposed during the meeting some of which were unanimously agreed. Major Reshuffle and restructure of some papers/units/ topics over the whole syllabus was felt necessary and agreed upon. However it was resolved that:

1. Syllabi were framed as per the scheme of CBCS.

2. Topics as per the proper placement and relevance were merged/shifted/integrated under the new papers /new unit titles across the two year course.

3. Titles of some of the papers/units were changed because of the merging of papers/units as per the CBCS.

4. Some new papers were floated as per the scheme and availability of faculty and accordingly the relevant and latest books regarding the newly introduced papers and subject matter be incorporated in bibliography

5. The Syllabi be implemented from batch 2014 onwards.

6. Practical part was framed as per the contents of the theory papers and should form a part of Core credits and project work (Dissertation) was specially kept for fourth semester in the core credit.

As per the unanimous decision of the members, the recommended changes in the form of reshuffle and restructure were incorporated in the Syllabus for batch 2014 and onwards.

Further resolved that the Environmental Science should be brought under the faculty of Biological Sciences instead of Physical and material science. It was also recommended by the expert that additional emoluments should be paid for teaching open credits to the concerned teachers.

The meeting ended with a note of thanks to the Chair

*roj. B. A./Gana* Chairman

Enclosure:

Approved Guidelines and Syllabus for 2014 batch onwards

Minutes of Board of Post Graduate Studies meeting held on 26-02-2015 at 10:30 am in **Environmental Science** 

Agenda: Framing of syllabus for Environmental Science under CBCS

The Board of Post Graduate Studies meeting was held on 26<sup>th</sup> February, 2015 at 10:30 am under the chairmanship of Prof. B. A. Ganai, HOD, Environmental Science in the office chamber of HOD Environmental Science. The Chairman of the Board of P. G. Studies welcomed the members and declared the meeting open. The members were granted a mandate as per guidelines of Choice Based Credit System to draft the Syllabi contents. Different suggestions were proposed during the meeting some of which were unanimously agreed. Major reshuffle and restructure of some papers/units/topics over the whole syllabus was felt necessary and agreed upon. However it was resolved that:

- 1. Syllabi were framed as per the scheme of CBCS.
- 2. Topics as per the proper placement and relevance were merged/shifted /integrated under the new papers /new unit titles across the two year course.
- 3. Titles of some of the papers/units were changed because of the merging of papers/units as per the CBCS.
- 4. Some new papers were floated as per the scheme and availability of faculty and accordingly the relevant and latest books regarding the newly introduced papers and subjects he incorporated in bibliography.
- 5. The Syllabi be implemented from batch 2015 onwards.
- 6. Practical part was framed as per the contents of the theory papers and should form a part of Core credits and project work (Dissertation) was specially kept for fourth semester in the core credit.

As per the unanimous decision of the members the recommended change in the form of reshuffle and restructure were incorporated in the syllabus for the batch 2015 and onwards.

It was also recommended by the experts that additional emoluments should be paid for teaching open credits to the concerned teachers.

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

Chairman

**Enclosures:** 

Approved Guidelines and Syllabus for 2015 batch onwards

Minutes of the meeting of Board of undergraduate Studies in Renewable Energy (Skill Enhancement Course) conducted by department of Environmental Science on 13/10/2017 at 11:30 am

Agenda: Skill based Enhancement course on Renewable Energy

The Board of Undergraduate Studies meeting was held on 13 October 2017 at 11.10 am under the chair of Prof. Azra Nahaid Kamili in the office chamber of HoD Environmental Science. The Chairperson of the Board of U.G. Studies welcomed the members and declared the meeting open. The members were granted a mandate as per guidelines of Choice based credit system to draft the syllabias contents. Different suggestions were proposed during the meeting some of which were unanimously agreed and resolved that

- 1. Contents of curriculum be designed to enhance the skill development in the students at undergraduate level.
- 2. The Syllabus be implemented from batch 2017 onwards for III/IV semester at undergraduate level.
- 3. List of suitable books covering the syllabi contents of Renewable Energy Resources be provided for the benefit of student community

The meeting ended with a note of thanks to the Chair

Prof. Azra Nahaid Kamili

# Name and Signature of Board of Undergraduate Studies

1. Prof. Azra Nahaid Kamili

2. Prof. B.A. Ganai

3. Dr. Md Niamat Ali

4. Dr. Manzoor Ahmad Shah

5. Dr. Sami Ullah Bhat

#### **Enclosure:**

- 1. Approved Syllabus effective from 2017 batch onwards
- 2. Minutes of meeting of Board of Undergraduate Studies