

**THE MINUTES OF THE 8th ORDINARY BOARD OF STUDIES (BoS),
MEETING OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH HELD ON 8TH
DECEMBER 2012 AT UNIVERSITY GUEST HOUSE, MANUU,
HYDERABAD AT 10:00 a.m.**

At the outset Professor Syed Mohammed Haseebuddin Quadri, Chairperson BoS, welcomed all the members.

The following members were present:

Prof. Syed Mohammed Haseebuddin Quadri	Chairperson
Prof. Mohd. Zafaruddin	Member
Dr. Shugufta Shaheen	Member
Mr. S. Omprakash	Member
Mr. Govindaiah Godavarthi	Member
Ms. Khairunnisa Nakathorige	Invitee
Dr. Shilpaa Anand	Invitee
Mr. Muhammed Aslam Kunnathil	Invitee

Professor Anisur Rahman (JMI, Department of English), and Professor Syed Mujeebuddin (HCU, Department of English) could not attend the meeting.

The Chairperson asked Dr. Shugufta Shaheen to present the Agenda items:

Item No. – 01. Confirmation of the Minutes of the Sixth BoS (Presentation of Action Taken Report)

As no comments were received from the members, the minutes of the Sixth BoS were confirmed.

Item No. – 02. List of the Candidates Admitted in MA, MPhil and PhD Programme

The admissions were confirmed.

Item No. – 03. Granting of Supervision / Guide Status

The *Supervision / Guide-ship of Dr. Shilpaa Anand (Assistant Professor, Dept. of English, MANUU)* was resolved to be approved. However, in the case of *Dr. Huma Yaqub and Dr. Mohammad Fayeze (Assistant Professors, MANUU Satellite Campus, Lucknow)*, it was resolved that the direction of the Honourable Vice Chancellor should be sought, before approving their supervision/guide-ship.

In case of supervision (for MPhil) of those scholars of the Department, who have been awarded their Doctorates, it was resolved that when no vacancy for guidance/supervision is available in the Department then, they could be allotted candidates for supervision at MPhil level. In any case the matter is forwarded to the Hon. Vice Chancellor for direction.

Item No. – 04. Allotment of Supervisors and Broad Area of Research to the MPhil and PhD Candidates

The Supervisors and Broad Area of Research were allotted to the MPhil and PhD students

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List of MPhil (English) 2012-13 with Supervisor and Broad Area of Research

S.No	Name of the Candidate	Fathers Name	Enrolment No	Supervisor Allotted	Broad Area of Research
1	Arif Ahammed	Safique Ahammed	1201040201	Dr. Shilpaa Anand	Drama
2	Mudasir Ahmad Mir	Abdul Hamid Mir	1201040202	Dr. Gulfishan Habeeb	Drama
3	Syeda Urooj Fatima	ASM Attan Akailvi	1201040203	Dr. Shuguftha Shaheen	Poetry & Translation
4	Javaid Ahmad Wagay	GH. Hassan Wagay	1201040204	Dr. Huma Yaqub / Dr. Shuguftha Shaheen	Fiction
5	Sirajudheen. P	Muhammed Ali. P	1201040205	Dr. Shilpaa Anand	Fiction & Criticism
6	Tanveer Fatima	Mohammed Mazhar Quraishi	1201040206	Dr. Mohammed Fayeze / Dr. Shuguftha Shaheen	English Language Teaching
7	Md. Sabir Hussain	Md. Afak Alam	1201040207	Dr. Huma Yaqub / Dr. Shilpaa Anand	Fiction

List of PhD (English) II Phase 2011-12 with Supervisor and Broad Area of Research

S.No	Name of the Candidate	Father's Name	Enrolment No	Supervisor Allotted	Broad Area of Research
1	Masrook Ahmad Dar	Abdul Gani Dar	1101040104	Dr. Shugufta Shaheen	Resistance Literature
2	Riyaz Ahmad Kumar	GH. Hassan Kumar	1101040105	Dr. Shugufta Shaheen	Children's Literature

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S.No	Name of the Candidate	Father's Name	Enrolment No	Supervisor Allotted	Broad Area of Research
1	Shaik Khateebuddeen	Shaik Ghouse Mohieddeen	1201040101	Dr. Mohammed Fayeaz / Prof. Syed Mohammed Haseebuddin Quadri	English Language Teaching
2	Muhamed Ali. EK	Alavikutty. EK	1201040102	Dr. Shugufta Shaheen	Film & Translation

Item No. – 05. Modification / Confirmation of the Specific Topics of the MPhil and PhD Research Scholars of the Previous Batches

The Specific topics (from the broad area of research) of the PhD scholars of the previous batches were confirmed and approved.

1. Ms. V. Madhavi (Enrl. No. 1001040101) Ph D Scholar - 'An Analytic Study of the General English Syllabus Prescribed at Undergraduate Level in Osmania University and a Proposed Need-based Pragmatic Syllabus.'
2. Ms. Hina Tahir (Enrl. No. 1001040103) Ph D Scholar - 'Resistance in Literature: A Study of Selected Works of Nadine Gordimer, Peter Carey, Ngugi Wa Thiong'o and Kiran Desai.'

The topics submitted for modification are also confirmed and approved

1. Ms. Gousia Yousuf (Enrl No. 1101040101) Ph D Scholar – earlier approved as ‘Gender Issues Across Cultures’ is modified to ‘Reconstructing History Through Select Autobiographies.’
2. Mr. Naseer Ahmad Naseer (Enrl. No. 1001040104) PhD Scholar – earlier approved as ‘Ecocriticism as a Motif in Literature: British, American and South Asian Literature’ is modified to ‘An Ecocritical Approach to British, American and Indian Poetry.’
3. Mr. Chapparban Sajaudeen (Enrl. No. 1101040203) MPhil Scholar – earlier approved as ‘Stylistics of Inspirational Literature’ as a broad area is modified to ‘The Muslim Writes Back – Islamophobia and Resistance in the South Asian Novels After 9/11: With Special reference to Mohsin Hamid’s The Reluctant Fundamentalist and Monica Ali’s Brick Lane.’

Item No. – 06. Inclusion of the New Members of the Faculty in BoS English

The membership of BoS, English for Ms. Khairunnisa N, Dr. Shilpaa Anand and Mr. Muhammad Aslam K. (Assistant Professors, Dept. of English, MANUU), was resolved to be approved. In case of Dr. Huma Yaqub and Dr. Mohammad Fayez (Assistant Professors, MANUU Satellite Campus, Lucknow), the direction of the Honourable Vice Chancellor is sought

Item No. – 07. Extension of the List of Panel of Examiners for MA, MPhil and PhD Programmes

The Extended Panel of Examiners for Adjudication of MPhil and PhD dissertation and thesis respectively was approved.

Item No. – 08. Modification in MA, MPhil and a proposed PhD Course Work

The modification proposed by the Department in few papers of MA, MPhil and PhD Course Work was approved

Item No. – 09. Request of a student for Conversion of Regular PhD Programme into Part time Programme

Ms. Gousia Yousuf, PhD (regular) research scholar, bearing enrolment no. 1101040101 has requested the Department to grant her permission to continue her PhD full time regular programme through part-time mode. She had been recruited as School Teacher in Govt. School in Jammu & Kashmir. She has completed her PhD course work, and has also taken residence in the University for one year. The Board has resolved and approved, however the matter will be forwarded to the Academic Council for its decision.

Item No. – 10. Fourth National English Conference

The Conference is resolved to be held in the month of October 2013.

Any other item by the permission of the Chair.

The names of Dr. Huma Yaqub, Dr. Mohammed Fayez, Ms. Khairunnisa N, Dr. Shilpaa Anand, and Mr. Muhammed Aslam K. are included in the Department of English's panel for paper setting and evaluation for MA (English) programme.

The proposal to extend Editorial Board of MAJELL has been approved. Dr Huma Yaqub, Dr. Mohammad Fayez, Ms. Khairunnisa N, Dr. Shilpaa Anand, and Mr. Muhammed Aslam K are included in the Editorial Board of MAJELL as Associate Editors, and Dr. Shugufta Shaheen shall serve as Editor, while Professor Syed Mohammed Haseebuddin Quadri shall henceforth serve as Chief Editor.

It was proposed that the fifth paper in the first semester of MA programme 'Fundamentals of Information Technology' may be scrapped and in its place Academic Writing and Oral Presentation Skills as a credit course should be offered as fifth paper. The Chairperson asked Dr. Shugufta Shaheen, Dr. Shilpaa Anand and Mr. Muhammed Aslam K. to devise the paper.

The meeting ended with the members thanking the chair.

***Professor Syed Mohammed Haseebuddin Quadri
Chairperson, BoS, English***