

Department of Economics

February 11th, 2020

**Minutes of the Meeting of Fifth Board of Studies (BoS) held on 11th February, 2020 at
10:00 AM in the Department of Economics, MANUU, Hyderabad**

A meeting of the Fifth Board of Studies (BoS) was held on 11th February, 2020 at 10:00 AM in the Department of Economics, MANUU, The following members were present in the meeting:

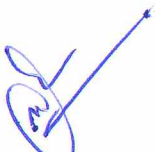
S. No.	Name & Designation	
1.	Prof. B. Kamaiah Emeritus Professor, Hyderabad Central University, Hyderabad	External Member
2.	Prof. Farida Siddiqui Professor, Department of Economics	Internal Members
3.	Mr. Fasalurahman P.K Assistant Professor, DDE, MANUU, Hyderabad	Internal Members
4.	Mr. Lingaraj Mallik Assistant Professor, Arts and Science College for Women, Budgam, Srinagar	Off-Campus Member
5.	Mr. Mustajab Khatir Assistant, Department of Economics	Internal Members
6.	Prof. S. M. Rahmatullah Incharge Head, Department of Economics, MANUU	Chairperson

Excused:

1.	Prof. Pratap Reddy, Head, Department of Economics, Osmania University, Hyderabad	External Member
2.	Dr. Syed Hasan Qayed Assistant, Department of Economics	Internal Members

The Chairperson of Board of Studies Meeting welcomed the members of the committee and expressed his gratitude to the members who kindly agreed to attend the Fifth meeting for BoS on a very short notice. There after tabled the agenda to be discussed.

1. Approval of DRC Meeting Minutes (01st to 05th)
2. Approval of Under Graduate (U.G) Program Syllabus
3. Approval of Post Graduate (P.G) Program Syllabus
4. Approval of Doctor of Philosophy (Ph. D) Program Syllabus
5. Approval of Under Graduate (U.G) Program DDE Syllabus
6. Addition and Subtraction of Papers in U. G & P. G Program
7. Any Other Item



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The Agenda Item & the Decisions of the BoS are as Follows:

Item No.	Agenda Items & the Decision of the BoS
Agenda (Eco: BoS 5 -1)	Approval of DRC Meeting Minutes (01 st to 05 th)
Decision	Approved as Presented
Agenda (Eco: BoS 5 -2)	Approval of Under Graduate (U.G) Program Syllabus
Decision	Members deliberated on each Syllabus extensively and approved with minor modification in the syllabus of following papers; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mathematics for Economists • Money and Banking • Statistics for Economists • Economic Development and Policy in India
Agenda (Eco: BoS 5 -3)	Approval of Post Graduate (P.G) Program Syllabus
Decision	PG Syllabus is approved with minor modification in the syllabus.
Agenda (Eco: BoS 5 -4)	Approval of Doctor of Philosophy (Ph. D) Program Syllabus
Decision	PhD Syllabus is approved with modification in the syllabus of following papers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advanced Economic Theory • Development Economics
Agenda (Eco: BoS 5 -5)	Approval of Under Graduate (U.G) Program DDE Syllabus
Decision	The syllabus of DDE has been synchronized with the Regular B.A. Economics Papers. The members approved the syllabus with minor modifications in following papers. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mathematics for Economists • Money and Banking • Statistics for Economists • Economic Development and Policy in India
Agenda (Eco: BoS 5-6)	Addition and Subtraction of Papers in U. G & P. G Program
Decision	The addition and subtraction of papers has been decided as under <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • B.A.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ In Semester V, one Discipline Specific Elective paper “Public Finance” is introduced. ○ In Semester VI, two Discipline Specific Elective papers namely, “Environmental and Natural Resource Economics” and Economic Development and Policy in

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	<p>India” are introduced.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ In Semester VI, the paper of “International Trade” is removed from the curriculum. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● M.A.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ In Semester III, the Core Course-I is changed from “Industrial Economics” to “Health Economics”. ○ In Semester III, one new Core Course is introduced as “Research Methodology”. ○ In Semester III, the core course of “Economics of Education” is changed into Discipline Specific Elective.
Agenda (Eco: BoS 5 -6)	Any Other Item
Decision:	<p>There were significant observations made in order to improve the teaching and research standards of the department. The members of BoS deliberated on numerous ways of pedagogy in Economics and appropriated following suggestions.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● There should be deliberate focus on teaching mathematics for students of Economics. To serve this purpose PG Diploma courses can be introduced in mathematics from distance mode. ● There should be numerous PG Diploma Courses offered to induce proficiency and orient employability of students in current job market. These courses could be in Quantitative Reasoning, R-Programming, and Econometrics etc. ● There should be a well-verse and state of the art Computer Lab available for students of Economics. ● A glossary of recurring academic terms of Economics has to be generated for teaching Economics in Urdu. ● The format of Self Learning Material of B.A. Course should allow for autonomy of the experts. The insistence on a stipulated number of pages is not in the spirit of academic brevity and comprehension.

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