

Minutes

Minutes of the online meeting of the Board of Studies (Economics) held on 24th January 2024 at 03.00 p.m.

Following members were present for the meeting.

- 1) Dr. Rahul V. Thoke (Associate Professor and Head of Department)**
- 2) Dr. Sarma T. V. G., Head, Department of Economics, SIBER, Kolhapur**
- 3) Dr. K. R. Chavhan, Assistant Professor, Arts, Commerce and Science College, Lanja**
- 4) Mr. Lankesh Gajbhiye, Assistant Professor, Patpanhale Arts, Commerce and Science College**
- 5) Dr. M.W.Jakhi, Assistant Professor**
- 6) Mr. Prakash Kale, HR Manager, Adler MediEquip. Pvt. Ltd. Sadawali**
- 7) Mrs. Aparna Bhuvad Teacher in Economics, ASP Jr. College, Devrukh**
- 8) Mr. S. D. Kamble, Assistant Professor**
- 9) Mr. Sunil Sonavane, Assistant Professor**

At the commencement of the meeting, the chairman of the BoS Dr R. V. Thoke welcomed the members.

The following matters were discussed in the meeting and, consequently, the resolutions were passed **as per the Agenda**

Item No. 1: To finalize the syllabi of Second year B.A. (Economics -Major I & II, and VSC Courses) under NEP.

As per the agenda of BoS meeting, Head of department of Economics, Dr. Rahul Thoke presented the syllabi to be introduced during academic year 2024-25 for SYBA/ BCom under New Education Policy 2020.

Under the new structure, SYBA/BCom students will have to study the following courses.

Semester	Title of the Course	No. of Theory Credits	No. of Practical Credits	No. of Total Credits
Sem III	Major - Macro Economics I	4	0	4
	Major - Public Finance	4	0	4

	OE - Understanding Macro-Economic Policies	2	0	2
	Vocational Skill Course (VSC) connected to Major - VSC- Entrepreneurial Project Development	0	2	2
	Minor- Business Economics III	4	0	4
Sem IV	Major - Macro Economics II	4	0	4
	Major - Indian Economy	4	0	4
	OE - Basics of Stock Market Investment	2	0	2
	Vocational Skill Course (VSC) connected to Major - Basics of Stock Market Investment	0	2	2
	Minor - Business Economics IV	4	0	4

Dr. Mandar Jakhi had drafted the syllabus of SYBA Semester III Major - Macro Economics I and also of SYBA Semester IV Major - Macro Economics II. Both the syllabi were shared through email to Hon. BoS members well in advance before the meeting.

Resolution 1.1:

It was resolved unanimously that the revised syllabi of Economics as a Major I & II and Vocational Skill Courses (VSC) for III & IV semester of S. Y. B. A. Class designed by the BoS were accepted.

Proposed by Dr. R.V. Thoke

Seconded by Dr. K.R. Chavan

Item No. 2: To finalize the syllabi of SY B.Com. (Business Economics -Minor, and OE Courses) under NEP.

Dr. Rahul Thoke presented the syllabus of

- 1) Minor - Business Economics III & IV for SYBCom Semester III & IV

In new programme structure of BCom, Economics will be as minor course from semester I to V. Hence rough draft of syllabus of business economics for Semester III and IV was framed and sent to all BoS members. All the suggestions given by them are incorporated and syllabi are finalized.

2 Dr. Mandar Jakhi had designed draft of General Elective / Open Elective Course - for SYBCom and SYBSc Semesters III & for Semester IV. He read out the draft for the BoS members. Same draft was also shared through mail to the BoS members well in advance before the meeting. For Semester III he proposed the syllabus of Open Elective as Understanding Macro-Economic Policies and for Semester IV as Basics of Stock Market Investment. The OE for Semester III was proposed to give exposure to the commerce students about macro-economic policies in India especially the importance and implementation of Monetary Policy and Fiscal Policy.

After discussing both syllabi, Dr. Sarma proposed to replace the SYBA Semester IV VSC i.e. Hypothesis Testing for Social Sciences with Basics of Stock Market Investment. According to him such replacement will give justice to the vocational skill component of NEP at SYBA level.

After the discussion, it was decided to accept the syllabus of SYBCom and SYBSc Open Elective and SYBA VSC with above Changes.

Resolution 2.1:

It was resolved unanimously that the revised syllabi of Business Economics as a Minor for S.Y.B.Com, and Open Elective (OE) for S. Y. B. Com/ S.Y.B.Sc. Classes designed by the BoS were accepted. The replacement of SYBA Semester IV VSC (Earlier Proposed- Introduction to Hypothesis Testing) with Basics of Stock Market Investment is also accepted.

Proposed by Dr. M.W. Jakhi

Seconded by Mrs. Aparna Bhuvad

3. Feedback Received by Stake Holders

The Department of Economics has taken the feedback through Google forms on the draft of syllabi, to be proposed in front of the BoS, from four stake holders namely, Students, Alumni, Teachers and Parents. Dr. Mandar Jakhi put the major conclusions of the suggestions given by the stake holders. Dr. K. R. Chavan expressed his happiness on the given feedback.

Resolution 3.1:

This BoS take the note of the feedback and suggestions given by the various stakeholders upon the syllabus drafted by the Department of Economics. The BoS also agrees to incorporate the important suggestions given by the stakeholders as per the following action taken report.

Proposed by Dr. Sarma T. V. G
Chavan

Seconded by Dr. K.R.

Stakeholder	Feedback received	BoS recommendation/ decision
Student	Start a paper based on share market investment.	BoS suggested to start VSC for SYBA Sem IV and OE for SYBCom /SYBSc Sem IV as Stock Market Investment
	How to start new business please include.	BoS suggested to start VSC for SYBA Sem IV as Entrepreneurial Project Development
Alumni	More Skilled based education is needed	VSC designed for SYBA and OE for SYBCom /SYBSc Sem IV are based on Skill Components
Teacher	No Suggestions	-
Parents	Include Skill Component in the Syllabus	VSC designed for SYBA are based on Skill Components

4) Any other relevant matter with the permission of the chairperson

No other proposal.

Dr. R. V. Thoke extended his sincere thanks to all members for their hearty contribution in framing syllabus and overall academic planning of the department.

The meeting ended at 04:00 pm.
