



GURU GOBIND SINGH INDRAPRASTHA UNIVERSITY
University School of Environment Management
Sector 16C, Dwarka, New Delhi - 110078

Notice

No. : GGSIPU/USEM/2023/ 2641

Dated: 17.05.2023

SUB : Regarding Minor Correction in the syllabus of M.Sc. (Environment Management), (Biodiversity & Conservation) and (Natural Resource Management).

Please find enclosed the report with regard to the subject cited above.

The agenda with regard to the minor correction in the syllabus of M.Sc. (Environment Management), (Biodiversity & Conservation) and (Natural Resource Management) of the **University School of Environment Management** was placed in the 55th meeting of the Academic Council :

The members of the Academic Council have approved the proposed changes.

The Minutes of the Academic Council were finally placed in the 79th meeting of the Board of the Management held on 28.04.2023 for notice of the members of the Board of Management.

This is for the information and records of all the concerned.

Rita Singh
(Prof. Rita Singh)
Dean, USEM
17/5/2023

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The syllabus of M.Sc (Environmental Management), M.Sc (Biodiversity & Conservation) and M.Sc (Natural Science) needs minor correction in the syllabus as follows :

S.No.	Current Syllabus passed in 50 th meeting of the Academic Council	Changes to be made
1*	<u>M.Sc. (B & C)</u> Paper Code: EMBC- 611 Paper Title: Seminar/Term Paper (Theory) [75:25]	Paper Code : <u>EMBC-659</u> Paper Title : <u>Seminar/Term Paper</u> (Practicals) with 60:40 marking ratio of external and internal, respectively
2**	<u>Total Credits of the course in M.Sc. (Environment Management), M.Sc.(Biodiversity & Conservation) & M.Sc.(Natural Resource Management)</u> Total credits to be earned 108 out of 113 in all three programmes.	Total <u>Credits to be earned</u> in M.Sc.(Environment Management), M.Sc.(Biodiversity & Conservation) & M.Sc.(Natural Resource Management) – should be 109 credits out of the total credits of 113.

Explanation:

- * The Course code EMBC-611 (seminar/term paper) in the first semester has been put under theory papers instead of practical paper. In theory papers marks are given on the basis of 75:25 ratio i.e., 75 (External) and 25 (Internal). The course code EMBC-611 is not taught theoretically, therefore, should be changed to **EMBC-659** (with same title) and should be placed under Practicals. The marks shall thus be awarded in a 60:40 ratio (60 by external and 40 in internal assessment, respectively).
- * The student has to register and appear in all the courses listed in the scheme of examination of the M.Sc. (Environment Management), (Biodiversity & Conservation) and (Natural Resource Management).
- ** The student will require ***to earn minimum 109 credits instead of 108 credits out of total 113 credits as mentioned in the syllabus for the award of the degree.***

The above changes in the syllabus were taken into 2nd Meeting of 2023 of the Academic Programme Committee held on 22.03.2023 and were subsequently placed in 1st meeting of the Board of Studies (BoS) held on 13.03.2023 vide Agenda Item No. 2 and were duly approved. The above changes were further taken into 55th Meeting of the Academic Council held on 22.03.2023 vide Agenda Item No. 55.45 and were duly approved. Subsequently, the above Minutes of the 55th Academic Council were placed in the 79th Meeting of the Board of Management held on 28.04.2023 vide Agenda Item No. 79.5 the same were noted by the Members of the Board of Management. The Minutes of the Meeting of the BOM are circulated vide circular No. GGSIPU/Coord/79th BOM/2023/589 dated 15th May 2023.

Rita Singh
17/5/2023



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F.No.: GGSIPU/Coord/79th BOM/2023/589

Dated: 15th May 2023

Circular

Sub: Minutes of the 79th meeting of the Board of Management held on 28.04.2023.

Please find enclosed herewith the minutes of the 79th meeting of the Board of Management of the Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University held on **28.04.2023 at 11.00 A.M.**, through online/ offline mode, for kind information.

(Shikha Agarwal)
Dy. Registrar (Coordination)

F.No.: GGSIPU/Coord/79th BOM/2023/589

Dated: 15th May 2023

To,

1. Dean- USBAS/ USBT/ USCT/ USEM/ USICT/ USHSS/ USMC/ USLLS/ USM&PMHS/ USMS/ USAP/ USE/ USAR/ USDI, GGSIP University
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(Rajendra Kamath)
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SEVENTY NINTH (79th) MEETING OF THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

DATE: 28.04.2023 (Friday)

TIME: 11.00 AM

**OFFLINE/
ONLINE ON CISCO WEBEX PLATFORM**

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Agenda Item No. BM 79.01 : To confirm the minutes of the 78th meeting of the Board of Management held on 27.12.2022.

The Board members confirmed the minutes of the 78th meeting of the Board of Management held on 27.12.2022 circulated vide circular no. GGSIPU/Co-ord./78th BOM/2023/444 dated 17.01.2023.

Agenda Item No. BM 79.02 : To Report Action taken on the decisions of the 78th meeting of the Board of Management held on 27.12.2022.

The Board of Management noted the Action Taken Report on the decisions of 78th meeting of the Board of Management held on 27.12.2022.

Further, the Board of Management approved shifting of the University School of Architecture and Planning (USAP) to the East campus which is presently functioning from the Dwarka Campus as USDI is already functioning from the East Campus and both the Schools have similar design synergies.

Agenda Item No. BM 79.03 : To apprise the members of the Board of Management about the outcome of the 3rd cycle NAAC Accreditation of the University.

Hon'ble Vice Chancellor informed the Board that University has been accredited with highest grade i.e. A++ Grade by the NAAC for 7 years and appreciated Prof. A.K. Saini, NAAC Coordinator and his team for their untiring efforts towards achievement.

The Board of Management congratulated the Vice Chancellor and his team on this great achievement. The Board also resolved to issue an appreciation letter on behalf of the Board of Management to the NAAC Coordinator and his team.

Agenda Item No. BM 79.04 : To apprise the Board of Management about the infrastructural development in the University Campus, Dwarka.

The Board Members noted the infrastructural development in the University Campus, Dwarka.

The Board was also informed that Niti Aayog has set a condition that the amount for the Atal Incubation Centre shall be released only after releasing the share of GGSIPU and the same being obligation, is required to be done. The Board resolved to undertake it.

Agenda Item No. BM 79.05 : Information of Minutes of 55th Meeting of the Academic Council held on 22.03.2023.

The Board members noted the decision taken in the 55th meeting of the Academic Council of the University held on 22.03.2023.

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F.No.: GGSIPU/Coord/79th BOM/2023/566

Dated: 24th April, 2023

Circular

Please find enclosed herewith the Agenda for the 79th meeting of the Board of Management of the Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University scheduled to be held on **28.04.2023 (Friday) at 11.00 AM.**

The meeting shall be held offline in the Conference Room of Vice Chancellor's Secretariat, Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University, Sector 16-C, Dwarka, Delhi-110078/ online on Cisco Webex Platform and login details of the same will be shared separately on email/phone.

You are requested to kindly make it convenient to attend the aforementioned meeting.


(Sunita Shiva)
Registrar

F.No.: GGSIPU/Coord/79th BOM/2023/566


Dated: 24th April, 2023

To,

1. Secretary (Finance), Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
2. Secretary (Higher Education), Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
3. Secretary (Training and Technical Education), Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
4. Dr. Suresh Kumar, Medical Director, Lok Nayak Hospital, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi.
5. Sh. Ashok Kumar Rajdev, Chief Engineer, PWD, GNCTD, 3rd Floor, MSO Building, IP Estate, New Delhi-110002.
6. Dean, USMS, GGSIP University.
7. Dean, USEM, GGSIP University.

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(Shikha Agarwal)
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SEVENTY NINTH (79th) MEETING OF THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

DATE: 28.04.2023 (FRIDAY)

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Agenda Item No. BM 79.05 : Information of Minutes of 55th Meeting of the Academic Council held on 22.03.2023.

The 55th meeting of the Academic Council was held on 22.03.2023. The major decisions taken in the 55th meeting of the Academic Council are as under:

1. The Academic Council approved/ ratified the Scheme & Syllabus of the programmes as detailed below:

S. No.	Programme
1.	Ph.D. Course Work (Architecture and Planning)
2.	B.Tech. (AI&ML, AI&DS, IIOT and AR) Programmes in USAR.
3.	B.Tech. (AI&ML, AI&DS, IIOT) Programmes in Affiliated Colleges
4.	M.Sc. Packaging Technology Programme
5.	Mathematics (1 st & 2 nd semester) for B.Tech. Biotechnology programme
6.	B.Tech./ M.Tech. Dual Degree programmes (Lateral Entry) in USCT
7.	B. Design Programme (3 rd & 4 th Semester)
8.	B. Design Programme, Foundation Year (1 st & 2 nd Semester)
9.	M.Design Programme, Foundation Semester (1 st Semester)
10.	M.Sc. (Environment Management), M.Sc. (Biodiversity & Conservation) and M.Sc. (Natural Resource Management).
11.	Ph.D. (English) coursework
12.	M.A. (English) programme at USHSS
13.	BCA programme (2 nd Year) offered at affiliated institution of the University
14.	B.Tech. programme offered at affiliated institutions of the University
15.	B.Tech. part of the B.Tech./ M.Tech. programme offered at USICT
16.	M.Tech. CSE, M.Tech. ECE, M.Tech. IT and M.Tech. Robotics and Automation offered at USICT
17.	B.A.LL.B. (Hons) and B.B.A. LL.B. (Hons) – Credit allocation
18.	Master of Laws (LL.M.) in Intellectual Property Laws (IPRs) and Master of Laws (LL.M.) in Corporate Law programme
19.	MD-Ayurveda (Swasthavritta), MD-Ayurveda (Dravya Guna Vigyana)
20.	MD (Hom.) (Doctor of Medicine in Homeopathy) -Practice of Medicine & MD (Hom.) (Doctor of Medicine in Homeopathy)-Materia Medica
21.	'Research and Publication Ethics' for Ph.D. Programme
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23.	"Universal Human Values": Understanding Harmony" for Non-Engineering Undergraduate Programmes of GGSIPU and Affiliated Institutions
24.	Shifting of MOOCs in B.Ed. / M.Ed. / Ph.D. (Education) Programme
25.	MBA (Analytics) Programme

2. The Academic Council ratified/ approved the minor revision/ correction/ modification in the scheme & syllabus of the following programmes:

S.No.	Programme
1.	BS-113 (Engineering Physics I) B.Tech Programme, USBT.
2.	B.Tech (Chemical Engineering and Biochemical Engineering) programme.
3.	M. Design (Industrial Design) (2 nd Semester)
4.	M. Design (Interior Design) (2 nd Semester)
5.	B. Design (4 th Semester)

6.	B. Design (2 nd Semester)
7.	Engineering Physics in B.Tech. programme, USICT
8.	The alternative chemistry syllabus in conformity with the AICTE approval handbook 2022-23.
9.	"Probability and Statistics for Engineers" (BS 110).
10.	LL.M. (Regular) in Corporate Law and IPR (One Year Programme) in accordance with Ordinance 11

3. The Academic Council ratified/approved the introduction of the following programmes along with the eligibility for admission, scheme & syllabus, etc.
 - M.Sc. (Bioinformatics)
 - Four-Year Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Arts Programme with major in History, Sociology & Political Science in the University School of Liberal Arts.
 - Four-Year Bachelor of Arts in English programme in USHSS.
 - Diploma in Japanese at USHSS on weekend mode.
 - Diploma in German at USHSS on weekend mode.
 - Diploma in French at USHSS on weekend mode
 - Introduction of a new specialization in M. Design Programme i.e. Interaction Design.
 - M. Tech Industrial Biotechnology Programme supported by Department of Biotechnology (DBT)
 - PG Diploma Programme in Cyber Security, Cyber Disaster and Block Chain Technology (Weekend Mode)
 - Four-Year B.Sc./ M.Sc. Dual Degree programme in Major disciplines of Physics Chemistry and Mathematics.
 - Start of Four-Year Bachelor of Arts in Journalism and Mass Communication (Hons.) BA JMC (Hons.).
 - B.Tech Computer Science and Engineering (Cyber Security) Programme
4. The Academic Council approved the adoption and implementation of the UGC clarifications regarding the eligibility criteria for CAS Promotions of University Teachers from Academic Level 12 to Academic Level 13 A and Academic Level 13 A to Academic Level 14 vide Notification no. F.9-1/2020(PS/Misc.) dated 03.02.2023.
5. The Academic Council approved the Curriculum and Credit Framework for Undergraduate Programmes, December 2022 notified by UGC.
6. The Academic Council approved a mandatory One (01) Week Value-based 'Students' Induction Programme' (SIP) for the Undergraduate students of the University School of Studies and the affiliated Institutions w.e.f. Academic Session 2023-24.
7. The Academic Council approved the adoption of the CAT score as an admission criteria for all the Regular MBA programmes being delivered at USMS, i.e. MBA MBA (FA) and MBA (Analytics) w.e.f. 2023-24.
8. The Academic Council approved the conversion of the BBA, BBA (B&I), BB (CAM) and B.Com. (H) Programmes from Three (03) year to Four (04) year programme(s) with Multiple entry and exit options in line with the NEP-2020.
9. The Academic Council approved the proposal for the establishment of In-S Centre for Sustainability in the USEM of the University.

10. The Academic Council approved a five-course module in Quantum Information as part of a "minor specialization" in emerging areas to be offered in B.Tech. and B.Sc. programmes of the University.
11. The Academic Council approved the revised Regulations and Curriculum for B.Sc. (Nursing) Programme as notified by Indian Nursing Council vide F. No. 11-1/2022-INC dated 08.04.2022.
12. The Academic Council approved National Medical Commission Regulations No. UGMEB/NMC/Rules & Regulations/2021 dated 18.11.2021 pertaining to Compulsory Rotating Medical Internship in the MBBS programme.
13. The Academic Council approved National Medical Commission Regulations F. No. NMC/MCI-23(1)/2021-MED dated 14.02.2022 pertaining to Teaching Eligibility Qualification in Medical Institution (NMC Regulations dated 14.02.2022).
14. The Academic Council ratified extending the promotion policy of all UG and PG programmes of Academic Session 2020-21 to Academic Session 2021-22 as per UGC guidelines.
15. The Academic Council approved the new competency-based undergraduate curriculum for Indian Medical Graduates (notified by the Medical Council of India (MCI) vide Gazette Notification No. MCI -34 (41)/2019-Med./161726 dated 04 November.
16. The Academic Council approved the adoption of Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana – the flagship scheme of the Government of India on Skill Development (PMKVY 4.0).
17. The Academic Council ratified the resolution passed by Circulation regarding the conferment of the Honorary Degree of the Doctor of Philosophy in Management (Honoris Causa) to His Excellency, Dr. Mohamed Irfaan Ali in a Special Convocation under clause 5(3) of the GGSIP University Act and clause B(i) of the Ordinance 9.
18. The Academic Council ratified the Admission Brochure of the University for the Programmes i.e. Integrated BA-LLB (Hons.), Integrated BBA-LLB. (Hons.), Master of Law (LLM) and Master of Business Administration (MBA), Ph.D. Programmes & all programmes (excluding LLB, LLM and MBA Programmes) for the Academic Session 2023-24.
19. The Academic Council approved the adoption & implementation of the Guidelines for Admission and Supernumerary seats of International Students in Undergraduate and Postgraduate Programmes in Higher Educational Institutions in India notified by UGC vide Notification No. D.O.no.1-1/2022(CPP-II) dated 30.09.2022.
20. The Academic Council ratified the Eligibility Criteria for Undergraduate and Postgraduate programmes offered by the University for inclusion in Admission Brochure 2023-24 and the NTA website for CUET.
21. The Academic Council ratified the revised admission criteria for admission in M. Design Programme & revised eligibility criteria in B. Design Programme w.e.f. Academic Session 2023-24 & 2022-23.

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22. The Academic Council considered and approved the introduction of Value Addition Courses of Two Credits each on "Personality Development" and "Life Skills Education" at the Undergraduate level in University School of Education (USE) and its syllabus w.e.f. Academic Session 2023-24.
23. The Academic Council ratified the Upgradation/ Conversion of Ongoing B.Tech. Programmes-4 years (AI&ML, AI&DS, IIOT and AR) to B.Tech./M.Tech. dual degree programmes (4+2 years) w.e.f. Academic Session 2021-2022.

The minutes of the 55th meeting of the Academic Council annexed as Annexure (Page-01 to Page-28) is placed before the Board of Management for information and the agenda that requires approval of the Board of Management is placed as Separate Agenda Item.

Details {Annexed as Annexure [Page-01 to Page-28]} of Agenda Item No. BM 79.05}

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F.No.: GGSIPU/Co-ord./55th AC/2023/ 565

Dated: 24th April 2023

CIRCULAR

Sub: Minutes of the 55th meeting of the Academic Council of the Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University

Please find enclosed herewith the minutes of the 55th meeting of the Academic Council of the Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University, held through offline/ online mode on 22.03.2023 at 10.00 A.M.


(Sunita Shiva)
Registrar

F.No.: GGSIPU/Co-ord./55th AC/2023/ 565

Dated: 24th April 2023

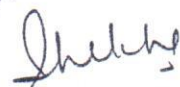
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**FIFTY-FIFTH (55th) MEETING
OF
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Minutes of the 55th meeting of the Academic Council held on 23.03.2023, at 10:00 AM (offline/online on Cisco Webex Platform).

The 55th meeting of the Academic Council was chaired by Prof. (Dr.) Mahesh Verma, Vice Chancellor, GGS Indraprastha University, and the following members were present:

1.	Prof. J.L. Gupta, Delhi University	Member
2.	Prof. M.L. Singla, Faculty of Management Studies, University of Delhi	Member
3.	Prof. (Dr.) Sangeeta Talwar, Director – Principal, Maulana Azad Institute of Dental Sciences, New Delhi	Member
4.	Prof. Neeraja Lugani Sethi, Dean, USAP, GGSIPU.	Member
5.	Prof. Anu Venugopalan, Dean, USB&AS, GGSIPU.	Member
6.	Prof. Meenu Kapoor, Dean, USBT, GGSIPU	Member
7.	Prof. Arinjay Kumar, Dean, USCT, GGSIPU	Member
8.	Prof. Vivek Sachdeva, Dean, USHSS and Dean, USE, GGSIPU	Member
9.	Prof. Rita Singh, Dean, USEM, GGSIPU.	Member
10.	Prof. Pravin Chandra, Dean, USICT, GGSIPU.	Member
11.	Prof. Queeny Pradhan, Dean, USL&LS &USMC, GGSIPU	Member
12.	Prof. A.K. Saini, Dean, USMS, & Director (Development) / (IUIIC), GGSIPU.	Member
13.	Prof. Arvinder Kaur, Dean, USAR and Dean, USDI, GGSIPU	Member
14.	Prof. P.C. Sharma, Director-Incharge, East Campus	Member
15.	Prof. C.S. Rai, Director (Academic Affairs), GGSIPU.	Member
16.	Prof. A.K. Narula, Director (CEPS), GGSIPU.	Member
17.	Prof. Prodyut Bhattacharya, Director (Coordination), GGSIPU	Member
18.	Prof. Vijita S. Agarwal, Director (International Affairs), GGSIPU	Member
19.	Prof. Lisa P. Lukose, Director (Legal Aids), GGSIPU	Member
20.	Prof. Nimisha Sharma, Director, (Research & Consultancy), GGSIPU.	Member
21.	Dr. Sudeep Kumar, Director (Research Project Monitoring and Innovation)	Member
22.	Dr. Savita Mittal, In charge Library, UIRC, GGSIPU.	Member
23.	Prof. Amit Prakash Singh, University School of Information Communication & Technology, GGSIPU	Member
24.	Prof. Shalini Garg, University School of Management Studies, GGSIPU	Member
25.	Dr. Satyabrata Mohapatra, University School of Basic and Applied Sciences, GGSIPU	Member
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27.	Prof. Ravi K. Dhar, Director, Jagannath International Management School, Vasant Kunj, Delhi	Member
28.	Prof. Bharti Dimri, Principal, Pradeep Memorial Comprehensive College of Education, Delhi	Member
29.	Mrs. Sunita Shiva, Registrar, GGSIPU	Secretary

The following members were not able to attend the meeting due to pre-occupation:

1.	Dr. S.P.S Bakshi, Past President, of the Central Council of Homeopathy	Member
2.	Dr. Ashok Chakradhar, Former Head, Department of Hindi, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi	Member
3.	Prof. (Dr.) Mahesh Patel, Professor of Pathology, B. J. Medical College, Civil Hospital, Ahmedabad	Member
4.	Prof. Rajiv Kapoor, Department of Electronics and Communication	Member

	Engineering, Delhi Technological University	
5.	Prof. (Dr.) Alka Chawla, Campus Law Centre, Faculty of Law, University of Delhi, Delhi	Member
6.	Dr. Sanjeev Kumar Singhal, CA, Member Central Council, The Institute of Chartered Accountants of India, New Delhi	Member
7.	Sh. Ashish Gupta, Chairman, Northern Chapter, The Indian Institute of Architects, New Delhi	Member
8.	Prof. Sonia Jindal, Principal, Gitarattan Institute of Advanced Studies and Training	Member
9.	Dr. Yatish Agarwal, Dean, USM&PMHS, GGSIPU.	Member
10.	Prof. Manpreet Kang, Director (Students' Welfare)	Member
11.	Prof. Amarjeet Kaur, Director (CDMS), GGSIPU.	Member

The following members attended the meeting as special invitees:

1.	Prof. Anubha Kaushik, USEM	Special Invitee
2.	Prof. Vaishali Singh, Incharge, CHVE	Special Invitee
3.	Sh. Raju Nair, Controller of Examination-I, GGSIPU	Special Invitee
4.	Sh. S.L. Bhandarkar, Controller of Examination-II, GGSIPU	Special Invitee

The Vice-Chancellor, Prof. (Dr.) Mahesh Verma welcomed all the members to the 55th meeting of the Academic Council of GGSIP University and informed them that the University has been accredited with A++ Grade by NAAC and appreciated Prof. A.K. Saini, NAAC Coordinator and his team for their untiring efforts towards this achievement.

He expressed his gratitude to the Academic Council for this success. All the members appreciated the efforts of the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor and congratulated to Hon'ble Vice Chancellor and his team.

Thereafter, the agenda of the meeting was taken up.



The Academic Council considered and approved the recommendations of the Admission Committee for the University admissions in various programmes for the Academic Session 2023-24, as proposed.

Agenda Item No. AC 55.13: To consider and approve, adoption and implementation of the UGC clarifications regarding the eligibility criteria for CAS Promotions of University Teachers from Academic Level 12 to Academic Level 13 A and Academic Level 13 A to Academic Level 14 vide Notification no. F.9-1/2020(PS/Misc.) dated 03.02.2023.

The Academic Council considered and approved the adoption and implementation of the UGC clarifications regarding the eligibility criteria for CAS Promotions of University Teachers from Academic Level 12 to Academic Level 13 A and Academic Level 13 A to Academic Level 14 vide Notification no. F.9-1/2020(PS/Misc.) dated 03.02.2023.

Agenda Item No. AC 55.14: To consider and approve the Guidelines/ Procedure for running Diploma and Certificate Courses in Collaboration with Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University.

The Academic Council considered and approved the Guidelines/ Procedure for running Diploma and Certificate Courses in Collaboration with Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University.


The Academic Council resolved that the standard Certificate Course(s) can be as per the norms. It was further resolved that the Certificate Course(s) for Skill Development and Value Addition may be for a varied duration and could be short term also, depending upon the topic and need. The duration of the same to be recommended by an Expert Committee for the purpose.

Agenda Item No. AC 55.15: To consider and approve the establishment of 'School of Ayush' in the GGSIP University.

The Academic Council deliberated on the matter and approved the establishment of the 'School of Ayush' in the GGSIP University.

Agenda Item No. AC 55.16: To consider and approve the proposal for establishment of University Centre for Sustainability.

The Academic Council deliberated on the proposal for the establishment of a Centre for Sustainability in the University and unanimously approved the "**In-situ Centre for Sustainability and Climate Change**" in the University School of Environment Management, in self-finance mode. However, the establishment of a "**Centre of Excellence for Sustainability and Climate Change**" under Ordinance 35 as per the relevant University statutes, Ordinances, Rules and Regulations shall be considered by the Academic Council in due course of time after the successful outcome of the set-up of "**In-situ Centre for Sustainability and Climate Change**".



The Academic Council considered and approved the minor correction in Scheme and Syllabus of 2nd Semester for the B. Design w.e.f. batch admitted in the Academic Session 2022-23, as proposed.

Agenda Item No. AC 55.45: To consider and approve the corrections in the syllabus of M.Sc. (Environment Management), M.Sc. (Biodiversity & Conservation) and M.Sc. (Natural Resource Management).

The Academic Council considered and approved the corrections as recommended by the BOS of USEM in the scheme & syllabus of M.Sc. (Environment Management), M.Sc. (Biodiversity & Conservation) and M.Sc. (Natural Resource Management) w.e.f. Academic Session 2021-22.

Agenda Item No. AC 55.46: To consider and approve the revision of Syllabus, Scheme of Examination, Course Outline and Course Content of Ph.D. (English) coursework w.e.f. Academic Session 2023-24.

The Academic Council considered and approved the revision of the Syllabus, Scheme of Examination, Course Outline and Course Content of Ph.D. (English) coursework w.e.f. Academic Session 2023-24, as proposed.

Agenda Item No. AC 55.47: To consider and approve the revised syllabus of the courses under two-year M.A. (English) programme at USHSS w.e.f. Academic Session 2023-24.

The Academic Council considered and approved the revised syllabus of the courses under two-year M.A. (English) programme at USHSS w.e.f. Academic Session 2023-24, as proposed.

Agenda Item No. AC 55.48: To ratify the start of B. Tech Computer Science and Engineering (Cyber Security) Programme in USIC&T w.e.f. Academic Session 2022-23.

The Academic Council ratified the start of B. Tech Computer Science and Engineering (Cyber Security) Programme in USIC&T w.e.f. Academic Session 2022-23, as proposed.

Agenda Item No. AC 55.49: To ratify the 2nd year Scheme and Syllabus of BCA programme offered at affiliated institution of the University under the aegis of USICT w.e.f. batch of 2021-22.

The Academic Council ratified the 2nd year Scheme and Syllabus of BCA programme offered at affiliated institutions of the University under the aegis of USICT w.e.f. batch of 2021-22.

Agenda Item No. AC 55.50: To ratify the 2nd year scheme and syllabus of B.Tech. programme offered at affiliated institution of the University under the aegis of USICT w.e.f. batch of 2021-22.

The Academic Council considered and approved the Guidelines for 'Scheme for Translational and Interdisciplinary Research (STEER)' as proposed.

Agenda Item No. AC 55.08: To ratify extending of the promotion policy of all UG and PG programmes of Academic Session 2020-21 to Academic Session 2021-22 as per UGC guidelines.

The Academic Council ratified extending the promotion policy of all UG and PG programmes of Academic Session 2020-21 to Academic Session 2021-22 as per UGC guidelines.

Agenda Item No. AC 55.09: To ratify the Admission Brochure of the University for the Programmes Integrated BA-LLB (Hons.), Integrated BBA-LLB. (Hons.), Master of Law (LLM) and Master of Business Administration (MBA) for the Academic Session 2023-24.

The Academic Council ratified the Admission Brochure of the University for the Programmes Integrated BA-LLB (Hons.), Integrated BBA-LLB. (Hons.), Master of Law (LLM) and Master of Business Administration (MBA) for the Academic Session 2023-24.

Agenda Item No. AC 55.10: To consider and approve adoption & implementation of the Guidelines for Admission and Supernumerary seats of International Students in Undergraduate and Postgraduate Programmes in Higher Educational Institutions in India notified by UGC vide Notification No. D.O.no.1-1/2022(CPP-II) dated 30.09.2022.

The Academic Council considered and approved adoption & implementation of the Guidelines for Admission and Supernumerary seats of International Students in Undergraduate and Postgraduate Programmes in Higher Educational Institutions in India notified by UGC vide Notification No. D.O.no.1-1/2022(CPP-II) dated 30.09.2022.

Agenda Item No. AC 55.11: To ratify the Eligibility Criteria for Undergraduate and Postgraduate programmes offered by the University for inclusion in Admission Brochure 2023-24 and NTA website for CUET.

The Academic Council ratified the Eligibility Criteria for Undergraduate and Postgraduate programmes offered by the University for inclusion in Admission Brochure 2023-24 and NTA website for CUET, as proposed.

Agenda Item No. AC 55.12: To consider and approve recommendations of the Admission Committee for the University admissions in various programmes for the Academic Session 2023-24.

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Dated : 13.03.2023

The 1st meeting of the Board of Studies of the University School of Environment Management is scheduled to be held on 13.03.2023 to discuss and approve the following Agenda Items :

Agenda Item No.1 : To finalize and approve admission eligibility for all the three M.Sc. (Environment Management), (Biodiversity & Conservation) and (Natural Resource Management) of USEM in the admission brochure for Academic Session 2023-24 discussed in the 2nd meeting of Academic Programme Committee held on 22.02.2023.

2nd meeting of the Academic Programme Committee of the University School of Environment Management was held on 22.02.2023 at 3:00 PM and the following changes in the Eligibility Criteria of M.Sc. (Environment Management), (Biodiversity & Conservation) and (Natural Resource Management) were approved by the Members of the APC (**Copy of Minutes of the Meeting of the 2nd meeting of APC of 2022 is enclosed as Annexure I, Pgs. 1-7**). The proposed changes are as follows :

Programme	Existing Eligibility Criteria	Changed Eligibility Criteria
M.Sc (Environment Management)	B.Sc. Degree in Botany/Zoology/Life Sciences/ Biological Sciences/Biotechnology/ Biochemistry/Environmental Sciences or its equivalent with at least 50% marks in aggregate. OR B.Sc. (Engg.), B.Tech. or B.E. in Environmental/Civil/ Chemical/Biotechnology/ Environmental engineering Agricultural Engg. Degree with atleast 50% marks in aggregate.	B.Sc. Degree in Botany/Zoology/Life Sciences/ Biological Sciences/Biotechnology/ Biochemistry/Environmental Sciences/Environmental Studies or its equivalent with at least 50% marks in aggregate. OR B.Sc. (Engg.), B.Tech. or B.E. in Environmental/Civil/ Chemical/Biotechnology/ Environmental Engg/Agricultural Engg. Degree with atleast 50% marks in aggregate.

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M.Sc (Biodiversity & Conservation)	B.Sc. Degree in Botany/Zoology/ Biotechnology/ Biochemistry/Anthropology/ Life Sciences/ Biological Sciences or equivalent with minimum 50% marks in aggregate.	B.Sc. Degree in Botany/Zoology/ Biotechnology/ Biochemistry/Anthropology/ Life Sciences/ Biological Sciences/Environmental Sciences /Environmental Studies or equivalent with minimum 50% marks in aggregate.
M.Sc (Natural Resource Management)	B.Sc. Degree with Life- Sciences/Biological Sciences/Botany/Zoology/ Environmental Sciences/Physical Sciences/Earth Science/Agriculture/Geography/Economics/Forestry/Wildlife or equivalent with minimum of 50% marks in aggregate.	B.Sc. Degree with Life- Sciences/Biological Sciences/Botany/Zoology/ Environmental Sciences/Environmental Studies/ Physical Sciences/Earth Science/Agriculture/Geography/Economics/Forestry/Wildlife or equivalent with minimum of 50% marks in aggregate.

The above agenda is submitted for kind perusal and the approval of the Members of the Board of Studies of the USEM.

Agenda Item No.2 : To finalize & approve proposed correction in the syllabus of M.Sc (EM), (B&C), (NRM) of USEM discussed in the 2nd meeting of Academic Programme Committee held on 22.02.2023.

2nd meeting of the Academic Programme Committee of the University School of Environment Management was held on 22.02.2023 at 3:00 PM and the syllabus of the M.Sc (Environment Management), M.Sc. (Biodiversity & Conservation) and (Natural Management Resource) were discussed and deliberated upon (**Copy of Minutes of the Meeting of the 2nd meeting of APC of 2022 is enclosed as Annexure I, Pgs. 1-7**). The members of the APC approved the following changes in the syllabus of M.Sc. (Environment Management), (Biodiversity & Conservation) and (Natural Resource Management) were approved by the Members of the APC.

S.No.	Current Syllabus passed in 50 th meeting of the Academic Council	Changes to be made
1*	M.Sc. (B & C) Paper Code: EMBC- 611 Paper Title: Seminar/Term Paper (Theory) [75:25]	Paper Code : EMBC-659 Paper Title : Seminar/Term Paper (Practicals) with 60:40 marking ratio of external and internal, respectively

2**	<u>Minimum Credits to be earned</u> for the award of M.Sc. Degree in <u>M.Sc. (Environment Management), M.Sc.(Biodiversity & Conservation) & M.Sc.(Natural Resource Management)</u> Minimum credits to be earned 108 credits out of the total credits of 113 in all three programmes.	<u>Minimum Credits to be earned</u> for the award of M.Sc. Degree in <u>M.Sc.(Environment Management), M.Sc.(Biodiversity & Conservation) & M.Sc.(Natural Resource Management)</u> – Minimum credits to be earned 109 credits out of the total credits of 113 in all three programmes.
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Explanation

- * The Course code EMBC-611 (seminar/term paper) in the first semester has been put under theory papers instead of practical paper. In theory papers marks are given on the basis of 75:25 ratio i.e., 75 (External) and 25 (Internal). The course code EMBC-611 is not taught theoretically, therefore, should be changed to EMBC-659 (with same title) and should be placed under Practicals. The marks shall thus be awarded in a 60:40 ratio (60 by external and 40 in internal assessment, respectively).
- * The student has to register and appear in all the courses listed in the scheme of examination of the M.Sc. (Environment Management), (Biodiversity & Conservation) and (Natural Resource Management).
- ** The student will require ***to earn minimum 109 credits instead of 108 credits out of total 113 credits as mentioned in the syllabus for the award of the degree.***

Agenda Item No.3 : To approve changes in the Ph.D Admission Brochure for Academic Session 2023-24 discussed in the 2nd meeting of Academic Programme Committee held on 22.02.2023.

With reference to the email dated 16th February, 2023 received from Director (RDC) regarding the process of finalizing the Ph.D. Admission Brochure for the Academic Session 2023-24 of USEM. The matter was discussed in the 2nd meeting of the APC held on 22.02.2023 at 3:00 PM (Copy of Minutes of the Meeting of the 2nd meeting of APC of 2022 is enclosed as Annexure I, Pgs. 1-7) and the following minor modification/suggestion/deletion were required :

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S.No	Particulars of the Admission Brochure (Provided)	Correction to be made in the Admission Brochure (to be done)
01	Page no. 24 M.Sc. Environmental Science/Environment Management/ Natural Resource Management/ Biodiversity & Conservation/ Life Sciences/Botany/Zoology/ Physical Sciences/Chemical Sciences/ M.Tech. Engineering/ Sciences Graduation in Sciences/ Engineering is mandatory	M.Sc. Environmental Science/Environment Management/ Natural Resource Management/ Biodiversity & Conservation/ Life Sciences/Botany/Zoology/ Physical Sciences/Chemical Sciences/ M.Tech. Engineering/ Sciences. Graduation in Sciences/ Engineering is mandatory.
02	Page No. 29 S.No. 11.4.4. Slots: Dr. Anshu Gupta (In Specialization column) Environmental Biotechnology,	Environmental Biotechnology, Wastewater Treatment, Nanotechnology.
03	Page No. 30 S.No. 11.4.4. Slots: Dr. Sanjay.K.Das (In Discipline column) Animal Biosystematics, Reptiles and Spiders, Field Ecology	Animal Biosystematics, Reptiles and Spiders, Field Ecology, Biodiversity Conservation, Wildlife Biology

Dr. Anshu Gupta, Ph.D Coordinator has highlighted the changes required, as above. The members agreed and approved the above changes in the Admission Brochure of Ph.D USEM w.e.f Academic Session 2023-24.

The above agenda is placed before the members of the Board of Studies for perusal & approval.

Agenda Item No. 4 : To discuss the Fee Structure of M.Sc (EM), (B&C) and (NRM) for proposing points to re-assess the fee, if any.

Considering the low admission during the Academic Session 2022-23, the matter was deliberated upon in the 3rd Academic Programme Committee (APC) held on 20.09.2022 at 2:00 PM.

A Copy of the Minutes of the Meeting of the 3rd APC is enclosed as **Annexure II, Pgs. 8-10**, for perusal & deliberations of the members of the Board of Studies and further directions.



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Dated : 13.03.2023

Minutes of the Board of Studies, USEM – 1st Meeting (2023)

First Meeting of the Board of Studies (2023) has been held on 13.03.2023 at 3:00 PM in Room No. 15, Ground Floor, A Block, University School of Environment Management, Dwarka, Delhi. The Following members were present :

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| 1. | Prof. Rita Singh, Dean, USEM | Chairperson |
| 2. | Dr. Prem Lal Uniyal, Department of Botany, University of Delhi | - External Member |
| 3. | Dr. Ramesh Krishnamurthy, Sr. Scientist, Wildlife Institute of India, Dehradun, Uttarakhand | - External Member |
| 4. | Dr. Sidharth Kaul, Advisor (Wetlands) to the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Govt. of India | - External Member |
| 5. | Prof. Ashis K. Saha, Department of Geography, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi, | - External Member |
| 6. | Prof. Prateek Sharma, Professor and Dean, Department of Natural Resources, TERI University, New Delhi | - External Member |
| 7. | Prof. Amarjeet Kaur, Professor, USEM | - Member |
| 8. | Prof. Prodyut Bhattacharya, Professor, USEM | - Member |
| 9. | Prof. Anubha Kaushik, Professor, USEM | - Member |
| 10. | Prof. N. C. Gupta, Professor, USEM | - Member |
| 11. | Prof. Varun Joshi, Professor, USEM | - Member |
| 12. | Prof. Kiranmay Sarma, Professor, USEM | - Member |
| 13. | Dr. Neetu Rani, Assistant Professor, USEM | - Member |
| 14. | Dr. Tuisem Shimrah, Assistant Professor, USEM | - Member |

Dr. Ramesh Krishnamurthy, Prof. Prateek Sharma, Prof. Sidharth Kaul & Dr. Tuisem Shimrah could not attend the meeting due to preoccupation.

The following Agenda items were discussed and deliberated upon :-

Agenda Item No.1 :

To finalize and approve admission eligibility for all the three M.Sc. (Environment Management), (Biodiversity & Conservation) and (Natural Resource Management) of USEM in the admission brochure for Academic Session 2023-24 discussed in the 2nd meeting of Academic Programme Committee held on 22.02.2023.

Rita Singh
13/3/2023

[Signatures of other members]

After going through the Agenda item and having deliberations on the matter, the members of the Board of Studies of the USEM approved the changes in the Admission eligibility for all the three M.Sc. (Environment Management), M.Sc. (biodiversity & Conservation) & M.Sc. (natural Resource Management) for Academic Session 2023-24.

Agenda Item No.2 : To finalize & approve proposed correction in the syllabus of M.Sc (EM), (B&C), (NRM) of USEM discussed in the 2nd meeting of Academic Programme Committee held on 22.02.2023.

The members of the Board of Studies after having discussion and deliberations on the Agenda ratified the changes in the syllabus, as approved in the 2nd Meeting of 2023 of the Academic Programme Committee of University School of Environment Management (USEM) held on 22.02.2023.

S.No.	Current Syllabus passed in 50 th meeting of the Academic Council	Changes to be made
1*	<u>M.Sc. (B & C)</u> Paper Code: EMBC- 611 Paper Title: Seminar/Term Paper (Theory) [75:25]	Paper Code : <u>EMBC-659</u> Paper Title : <u>Seminar/Term Paper</u> (Practicals) with 60:40 marking ratio of external and internal, respectively
2**	<u>Minimum Credits to be earned</u> for the award of M.Sc. Degree in <u>M.Sc. (Environment Management), M.Sc.(Biodiversity & Conservation) & M.Sc.(Natural Resource Management)</u> Minimum credits to be earned 108 credits out of the total credits of 113 in all three programmes.	<u>Minimum Credits to be earned</u> for the award of M.Sc. Degree in <u>M.Sc.(Environment Management), M.Sc.(Biodiversity & Conservation) & M.Sc.(Natural Resource Management)</u> – Minimum credits to be earned 109 credits out of the total credits of 113 in all three programmes.

Explanation

- * The Course code EMBC-611 (seminar/term paper) in the first semester has been put under theory papers instead of practical paper. In theory papers marks are given on the basis of 75:25 ratio i.e., 75 (External) and 25 (Internal). The course code EMBC-611 is not taught theoretically, therefore, should be changed to

EMBC-659 (with same title) and should be placed under Practicals. The marks shall thus be awarded in a 60:40 ratio (60 by external and 40 in internal assessment, respectively).

- * The student has to register and appear in all the courses listed in the scheme of examination of the M.Sc. (Environment Management), (Biodiversity & Conservation) and (Natural Resource Management).
- ** The student will require *to earn minimum 109 credits instead of 108 credits out of total 113 credits as mentioned in the syllabus for the award of the degree.*

Agenda Item No.3 : To approve changes in the Ph.D Admission Brochure for Academic Session 2023-24 discussed in the 2nd meeting of Academic Programme Committee held on 22.02.2023.

The members of the Board of Studies ratified the changes in the Ph.D Admission brochure for Academic Session 2023-24, as approved in the 2nd meeting of 2023 of the Academic Programme Committee of the USEM held on 22.02.2023.

Agenda Item No. 4: To discuss the Fee Structure of M.Sc (EM), (B&C) and (NRM) for proposing points to re-assess the fee, if any.

The members of the Board of Studies have shown their consonance with the views of the 3rd Academic Programme Committee of 2022 of the USEM and are of the view that the fees may be increased by maximum of 10% of the previous fees of 2021. Further, matter being administrative in nature may be reassessed, if deemed fit, by the authorities of the University.

The Meeting ended with vote of thanks to the Chair.

(Dr. Tuisem Shimrah)

(Dr. Neetu Rani)

(Prof. Kiranmay Sarma)

(Prof. Varun Joshi)

(Prof. N. C. Gupta)

(Prof. Anubha Kaushik)

(Prof. Prodyut
Bhattacharya)

(Prof. Amarjeet Kaur)

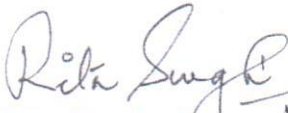
(Prof. Prateek Sharma)

(Prof. Ashish K. Saha)

(Dr. Sidharth Kaul)

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(Dr. Ramesh
Krishnamurthy)


(Prof. Rita Singh) Dean, 13/8/2023
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(Dr. Prem Lal Uniyal)



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Dated : 22nd February, 2023

Minutes of the Academic Programme Committee (APC) – 2nd 2023), Meeting

Second Meeting of the Academic Programme Committee (APC) (2023) was held on 22.02.2023 at 3:00 PM in Seminar hall (ATL – 015). The following members attended the meeting :

1.	Prof. Rita Singh, Dean, USEM	Chairperson
2.	Prof. Prodyut Bhattacharya, Professor, USEM	Member
3.	Prof. N. C. Gupta, Professor, USEM	Member
4.	Prof. Varun Joshi, Professor, USEM	Member
5.	Prof. Anubha Kaushik, Professor, USEM	Member
6.	Dr. Anshu Gupta, Associate Professor, USEM	Member
7.	Dr. Deeksha Katyal, Associate Professor, USEM	Member
8.	Dr. Sanjay Kesari Das, Associate Professor, USEM	Member
9.	Dr. Sumit Dookia, Assistant Professor, USEM	Member
10.	Dr. Neetu Rani, Assistant Professor, USEM	Member
11.	Dr. Tuisem Shimrah, Assistant Professor, USEM	Member

Prof. Amarjeet Kaur, Prof. Kiranmay Sarma & (Dr. Pamposh being on Child Care Leave) could not attend the meeting due to preoccupation.

The following Agenda items were taken up in the meeting :-

Agenda 1: To discuss about the syllabus of all three M.Sc. (EM), (B&C), (NRM) and Ph.D programme of USEM and to finalize admission brochure of M.Sc and Ph.D of USEM.

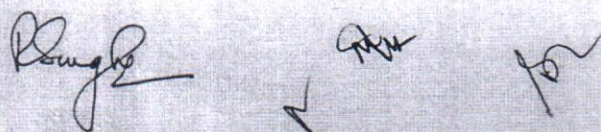
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Sub-Agenda 1A : Admission eligibility for M.Sc. (Environment Management), (Biodiversity & Conservation) and (Natural Resource Management) in the Admission Brochure for Academic Session 2023-24.

Proposed changes in Eligibility Criteria of M.Sc. (Environment Management), (Biodiversity & Conservation) and (Natural Resource Management) to be approved post-defacto in the Board of Studies (BOS) of the University School of Environment Management & Academic Council (AC) of the University :

Programme	Existing Eligibility Criteria	Changed Eligibility Criteria
M.Sc (Environment Management)	B.Sc. Degree in Botany/Zoology/Life Sciences/ Biological Sciences/Biotechnology/ Biochemistry/Environmental Sciences or its equivalent with at least 50% marks in aggregate. OR B.Sc. (Engg.), B.Tech. or B.E. in Environmental/Civil/ Chemical/Biotechnology/ Environmental engineering Agricultural Engg. Degree with atleast 50% marks in aggregate.	B.Sc. Degree in Botany/Zoology/Life Sciences/ Biological Sciences/Biotechnology/ Biochemistry/Environmental Sciences/Environmental Studies or its equivalent with at least 50% marks in aggregate. OR B.Sc. (Engg.), B.Tech. or B.E. in Environmental/Civil/ Chemical/Biotechnology/ Environmental Engg/Agricultural Engg. Degree with atleast 50% marks in aggregate.
M.Sc (Biodiversity & Conservation)	B.Sc. Degree in Botany/Zoology/ Biotechnology/ Biochemistry/Anthropology/ Life Sciences/ Biological Sciences or equivalent with minimum 50% marks in aggregate.	B.Sc. Degree in Botany/Zoology/ Biotechnology/ Biochemistry/Anthropology/ Life Sciences/ Biological Sciences/Environmental Sciences /Environmental Studies or equivalent with minimum 50% marks in aggregate.

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M.Sc (Natural Resource Management)	B.Sc. Degree with Life-Sciences/Biological Sciences/Botany/Zoology/Environmental Sciences/Physical Sciences/Earth Science/Agriculture/Geography/Economics/Forestry/Wildlife or equivalent with minimum of 50% marks in aggregate.	B.Sc. Degree with Life-Sciences/Biological Sciences/Botany/Zoology/Environmental Sciences/Environmental Studies/Physical Sciences/Earth Science/Agriculture/Geography/Economics/Forestry/Wildlife or equivalent with minimum of 50% marks in aggregate.
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The agenda was discussed and the members were apprised of the proposed changes to be made in the syllabus of M.Sc. (Environment Management), (Biodiversity & Conservation) and (Natural Resource Management) as above. The members after perusal have approved the same.

Sub-Agenda 1B : Proposed correction in the syllabus of M.Sc. (Environment Management), (Biodiversity & Conservation) and (Natural Resource Management)

The syllabus of M.Sc. (Environmental Management), M.Sc. (Biodiversity & Conservation) and M.Sc. (Natural Resource Management) needs *minor corrections in the syllabus* as follows:

S.No.	Current Syllabus passed in 50 th meeting of the Academic Council	Changes to be made
1*	<u>M.Sc. (B & C)</u> Paper Code: EMBC- 611 Paper Title: Seminar/Term Paper (Theory) [75:25]	Paper Code : <u>EMBC-659</u> Paper Title : <u>Seminar/Term Paper</u> (Practicals) with 60:40 marking ratio of external and internal, respectively

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2**	<u>Total Credits of the course in</u> <u>M.Sc. (Environment</u> <u>Management), M.Sc.(Biodiversity</u> <u>& Conservation) & M.Sc.(Natural</u> <u>Resource Management)</u> Total credits to be earned 108 out of 113 in all three programmes.	<u>Total Credits to be earned in</u> M.Sc.(Environment Management), M.Sc.(Biodiversity & Conservation) & M.Sc.(Natural Resource Management) – should be 109 credits out of the total credits of 113.
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Explanation:

- * The Course code EMBC-611 (seminar/term paper) in the first semester has been put under theory papers instead of practical paper. In theory papers marks are given on the basis of 75:25 ratio i.e., 75 (External) and 25 (Internal). The course code EMBC-611 is not taught theoretically, therefore, should be changed to **EMBC-659** (with same title) and should be placed under Practicals. The marks shall thus be awarded in a 60:40 ratio (60 by external and 40 in internal assessment, respectively).
- * The student has to register and appear in all the courses listed in the scheme of examination of the M.Sc. (Environment Management), (Biodiversity & Conservation) and (Natural Resource Management).
- ** The student will require *to earn minimum 109 credits instead of 108 credits out of total 113 credits as mentioned in the syllabus for the award of the degree.*

Sub-Agenda 1C: Regarding some changes in Ph.D. Admission brochure Academic Session 2023-2024.

With reference to the email dated 16th February, 2023 received from Director (RDC) regarding the process of finalizing the Ph.D. Admission Brochure for the Academic Session 2023-24 of USEM. Following minor modification/ suggestion/deletion are required.

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S.No	Particulars of the Admission Brochure (Provided)	Correction to be made in the Admission Brochure (to be done)
01	Page no. 24 M.Sc. Environmental Science/Environment Management/ Natural Resource Management/ Biodiversity & Conservation/ Life Sciences/Botany/Zoology/ Physical Sciences/Chemical Sciences/ M.Tech. Engineering/ Sciences Graduation in Sciences/ Engineering is mandatory	M.Sc. Environmental Science/Environment Management/ Natural Resource Management/ Biodiversity & Conservation/ Life Sciences/Botany/Zoology/ Physical Sciences/Chemical Sciences/ M.Tech. Engineering/ Sciences. Graduation in Sciences/ Engineering is mandatory.
02	<u>Page No. 29</u> S.No. 11.4.4. Slots: Dr. Anshu Gupta (In Specialization column) Environmental Biotechnology,	Environmental Biotechnology, Wastewater Treatment Nanotechnology.
03	<u>Page No. 30</u> S.No. 11.4.4. Slots: Dr. Sanjay.K.Das (In Discipline column) Animal Biosystematics, Reptiles and Spiders, Field Ecology	Animal Biosystematics, Reptiles and Spiders, Field Ecology, Biodiversity Conservation, Wildlife Biology

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Dr. Anshu Gupta, Ph.D Coordinator has highlighted the changes required, as above. The members agreed and approved the above changes in the Eligibility Criteria for admission to Ph.D of USEM w.e.f Academic Session 2023-24.

Agenda 2: Arrangement of seating for Ph.D. research scholars in Lab ARL-404.

It was informed by Prof. Prodyut Bhattacharya and Dr. Sumit Dookia that there is shortage of 03 chairs to accommodate 12 Research Scholars in Lab No. ARL 404, therefore, it was brought to the notice of the Dean, so as to make arrangement for procurement of 03 chairs to accommodate all the Research Scholars.

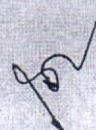
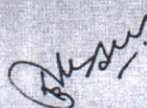
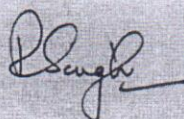
Agenda 3: Seating arrangement in the Lab ARL 113.

A discussion was held between Dr. T. Shimrah and Dr. Deeksha Katyal regarding seating arrangement of doctoral students of Dr. Deeksha Katyal and It was brought forth that since her 02 doctoral students are on the completion of their field work, their seating shall not be currently disturbed from the Advanced Instrumentation Lab, ATL010. However, her 02 incoming students shall be adjusted in Lab ARL 113, Ecology & Landscape Lab. For this necessary furniture (02 chairs and 02 working tables) shall be provided/arranged by the School.

Agenda 4: Time Table and workload of the Faculty.

Time Table of the University School of Environment Management was discussed with the Prof. Varun Joshi and the workload was discussed with all the present faculty members.

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Agenda 5: To discuss field study related policy of the USEM.

It was deliberated and decided that sanctioned budget for the field study shall be judiciously and appropriately utilized in all programs of the USEM depending upon the Course requirement. Expenditure planning for the field study trip shall be done accordingly. Since, M.Sc. (B&C) program has 02 field trips, in 1st & 2nd Semesters, therefore, 50% of the sanctioned budget shall be allocated to M.Sc. (B&C) Programme and 25% of sanctioned budget to M.Sc. (EM) and M.Sc. (NRM), respectively, as these programs have only 01 field trip during 2nd semester.

The Meeting ended with vote of thanks to the Chair.

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