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#### **Criterion I – Curricular Aspects**

##### **1.2 Academic Flexibility**

###### **1.2.1 Minutes of relevant Academic Council BOS**



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## **Meeting of the Academic Council**

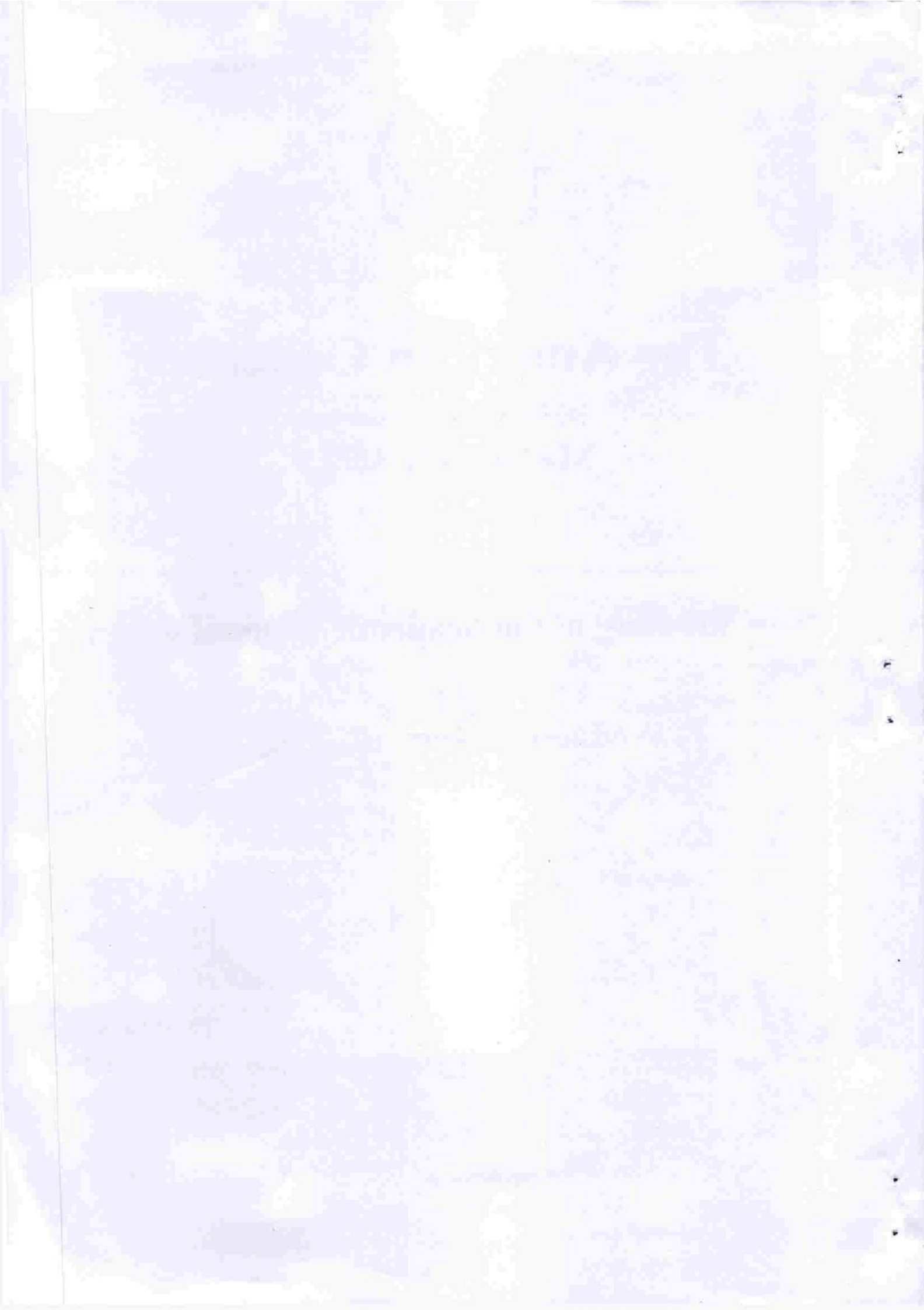
**Wednesday, June 10, 2015**

**10:00 am**

**Venue  
Main Hall**

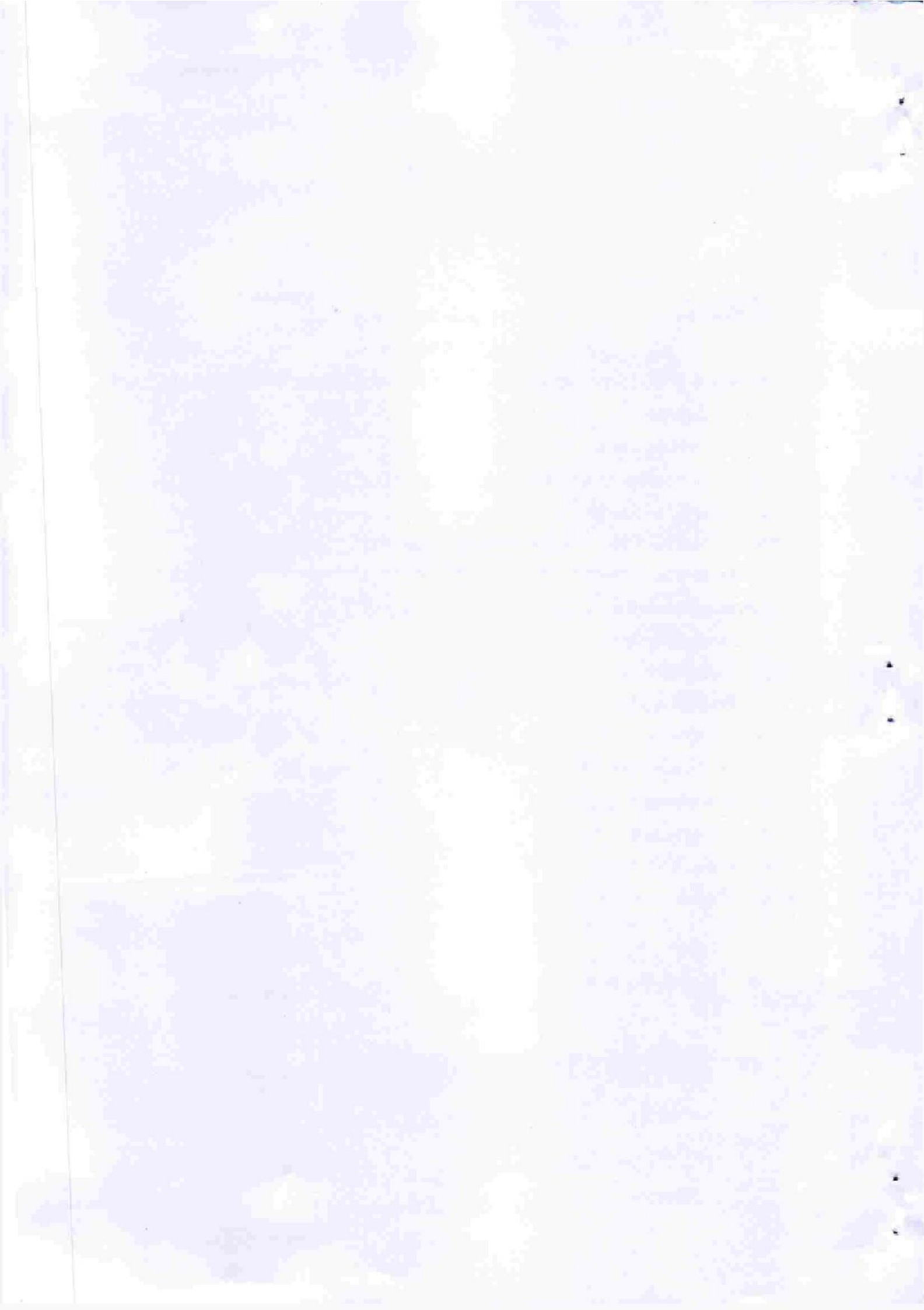
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**MINUTES OF THE ACADEMIC COUNCIL MEETING HELD  
ON FRIDAY 07 March 2014 IN THE MAIN HALL**

Dr. M. Davamani Christoher, Principal and Secretary, was in the chair.

The Meeting began with prayer by Rev. Dr. S. Joseph Wellington.

The Principal welcomed all the members of the Academic Council on behalf of the college and extended a special word of welcome to the external members from the other institutions: Dr. C. Seethalakshmi, Joint Director of Collegiate Education, Madurai Region, Madurai. Dr. G. Jeyalakshmi, Head of the Department of English Language Studies and Member Syndicate, Madurai Kamaraj University, and Dr. J. Daniel Chellappa, Senior Scientist, Department of Atomic Energy, (BARC), Kalpakkam, Chennai.

He acknowledged the good work done by all the Deans, Additional Deans, Heads of the Departments, Members of the faculty for processing the curriculum planning and the proposals for the present Academic Council. He recognised the meticulous work done by the Office of the Dean for Academic Policies and Administration, Dr. J. Karunyal, Dean and Dr. J. Paul Jayakar, Additional Dean for Academic Policies and Administration.

The Principal felt very happy that all the faculty members had involved in this academic exercise at various levels and stages. He informed the House that this academic endeavour was thoroughly proposed and scrutinized by the members of the departments concerned in their department meetings, Boards of Studies, the College Senatus, and now the Academic Council. Academically and research-wise, this year too was a productive year, he contended. With these introductory observations, the Chairman invited all the members to scrutinize the proposals that were being presented in the House.

The Minutes of the previous Academic Council Meeting held on 24.09.2010 was placed before the Academic Council for confirmation. .

Since there was no question raised, the Minutes of the Academic Council Meeting held on 24.09.2010 was passed unanimously.

**Special Resolutions**

As a follow-up action to the suggestions on the retention of the Assignment component as part of Continuous Internal Assessment and on the reopening of the June Repeat Examinations opportunities to all students of the college irrespective of the semester/year made by the members in the meeting of the Academic Council held on 24.09.2010 and as subsequently decided in the appropriate forums, it was decided to reintroduce the Assignment component at the undergraduate level for 20 marks and the June Repeat Examinations for all the students. Accordingly, the following resolutions were moved.



**R1: RESOLVED** to accept the changes in the continuous internal assessment as 30:30:20:20 for Test I, Test II, Quiz (I&II), Assignment (I & II) respectively with retrospective effect from the academic year 2011-2012.

Resolution was moved by Prof. J. Jesupaul Thangaraj and seconded by Dr. A. Martin David

Resolution was passed unanimously.

**R2: RESOLVED** to re-introduce the June Repeat Examinations for all the students of the college, with retrospective effect from the academic year 2012-2013.

Resolution was moved by Prof. J. Jesupaul Thangaraj and seconded by Dr. A. Martin David

Resolution was passed unanimously.

**R3: RESOLVED** to accept a two hour end-of-semester examination for all the undergraduate courses that have three or less than three credits, with effect from April 2014.

Resolution was moved by Prof. J. Jesupaul Thangaraj and seconded by Dr. A. Martin David

After discussion it was resolved to incorporate the phrase **"diploma and certificate courses"** after "undergraduate courses" in Resolution No: 3.

Resolution was passed unanimously.

In response to the requests made by students who had already completed B.Sc., and M.Sc. degree programmes and to enhance employment opportunities without any ambiguity, it was decided in the Senatus to change the nomenclature of the undergraduate and postgraduate science programmes that have the tag "special" and specialisation details within parentheses the following resolution were moved.

**R4: RESOLVED** to change the nomenclature from "B.Sc. (Special)" to "B.Sc." in Mathematics (aided & SF), Physics (aided & SF), Chemistry, Zoology, Microbiology, Bio-Chemistry, and Computer Science with retrospective effect from the academic year 2011-2012.

**R4 (i): RESOLVED** to change the nomenclature from "B.Sc. (Special)" to "B.Sc." in Mathematics (aided & SF), Physics (aided & SF), Chemistry, Zoology, Microbiology, Bio-Chemistry, and Computer Science with effect from the academic year 2014- 2015.

Resolutions were moved by Dr. J. Karunyal and seconded by Dr. J. Paul Jayakar

Resolutions were passed unanimously.

**R5: RESOLVED** to remove the specialization details from the course nomenclature in B.Sc. Botany, B.Sc. Zoology, and B.Sc. Microbiology with retrospective effect from the academic year 2011-2012.

**R5(i): RESOLVED** to remove the specialization details from the course nomenclature in B.Sc. Botany, B.Sc. Zoology, and B.Sc. Microbiology with effect from the academic year 2014-2015.



Resolutions were moved by Dr. J. Karunyal and seconded by Dr. J. Paul Jayakar

Resolutions were passed unanimously.

**R6: RESOLVED** to remove the specialization details from the course nomenclature in M.Sc. Botany and M.Sc. Zoology with retrospective effect from the academic year 2012-2013.

**R6(i): RESOLVED** to remove the specialization details from the course nomenclature in M.Sc. Botany and M.Sc. Zoology with effect from the academic year 2014-2015.

Resolutions were moved by Dr. J. Karunyal and seconded by Dr. J. Paul Jayakar

Resolutions were passed unanimously.

**R7: RESOLVED** to accept the changes for Part I - General Hindi and Advanced Hindi and Part IV Life Skills and the syllabi as presented on pages from HIN 1 to HIN 13 with effect from the academic year 2014-2015.

Resolution was moved by Dr. A. Saframma and seconded by Mrs. B. Poongodi

Resolution was passed unanimously.

**R8: RESOLVED** to adopt the syllabi of Part I General Hindi and Advanced Hindi of aided-stream for the Part I and Part IV of Self-financed courses as presented on pages from HIS 1 to HIS 12 with effect from the academic year 2014-2015.

Resolution was moved by Dr. A. Saframma and seconded by Mrs. B. Poongodi

Resolution was passed unanimously.

Hindi is one of the languages that is considered as the official language of the Union Government of India and official language of some States. Learning Hindi is essential in India for communication because several Indian states use Hindi as the State Official language. Knowledge of Hindi is highly useful as it broadens one's employment potentials. It is also a doorway to higher studies in any of the Indian universities. With this introduction the following resolution was moved.

**R9: RESOLVED** to accept the programme of studies for B.A. Hindi (Self-financed) as presented on pages from HIS 13 to HIS 15 and the syllabi for the program as presented from pages HIS 16 to HIS 41 with effect from the academic year 2014-2015.

Resolution was moved by Dr. A. Saframma and seconded by Mrs. B. Poongodi

After discussion it was resolved to incorporate all the corrections suggested by the members in the B.A. Hindi grid, and prescriptive & descriptive syllabus.  
Resolution was passed unanimously.



**R10: RESOLVED** to accept the programme of studies for a new certificate course in Hindi and the syllabi for the course as presented on page HIS 42 with effect from the academic year 2014-2015.

Resolution was moved by Dr. A. Saframma and seconded by Mrs. B. Poongodi

Resolution was passed unanimously.

**R11: RESOLVED** to accept the changes for Part I - General French and Advanced French and the syllabi as presented on pages from FRE 1 to FRE 4 with effect from the academic year 2014-2015.

Resolution was moved by Ms. B. Vijaya and seconded by Mr. G. Victor Packiyaraj

Resolution was passed unanimously.

**R12: RESOLVED** to adopt the syllabi of Part I General French and Advanced French aided-stream for the Part I and Part IV of Self-financed courses as presented on pages from FRS 1 to FRS 4 with effect from the academic year 2014-2015.

Resolution was moved by Ms. B. Vijaya and seconded by Mr. G. Victor Packiyaraj

Resolution was passed unanimously.

In this era of digital connectivity, the ability to use a foreign language like French is of high value. French is not merely the language of France but is one of the world's most important languages in terms of its role in various fields such as science, industry, and international diplomacy with these introductory remarks the following resolution was moved.

**R13: RESOLVED** to accept the programme of studies for B.A. French (Self-financed) as presented on pages from FRS 5 to FRS 7 and the syllabi for the programme as presented on pages from FRS 8 to FRS 25 with effect from the academic year 2014-2015.

Resolution was moved by Ms. B. Vijaya and seconded by Mr. G. Victor Packiyaraj

Resolution was passed unanimously.

**R 14: RESOLVED** to accept the programme of studies for a new certificate course in French and the syllabi for the course as presented in page FRS 26 with effect from the academic year 2014-2015.

Resolution was moved by Mr. G. Victor Packiyaraj and seconded by Ms. B. Vijaya

Resolution was passed unanimously.

Dr. J. John Sekar informed the House that Part II language courses had not undergone any change both structure- and content-wise during the last two decades. So far the structural method has been followed and now in order to keep pace with the modern trend and to follow



communicative language teaching methodology, the present syllabus for Part II English proposes to cater to the needs of students in the changing world.

**R15: RESOLVED** to accept the changes in the programme of studies for BA English as presented on pages from ENG 1 to ENG 3 and the syllabi for the programme as presented on pages from ENG 4 to ENG 14 with effect from the academic year 2014 – 2015.

Resolution was moved by Dr. J. John Sekar and seconded by Prof. N. Elango

To a query raised by Prof. S. Stephen regarding the conduct of external exam for the course ENG 1361, Conversational Skills, Dr. J. John Sekar informed the House that the Board of Studies in English decided to introduce 100% oral examination for the end-of-semester examination.

Resolution was passed unanimously.

In response to the policy of the college and the needs and demands of society for accommodating more students in BA English, the department unanimously decided to start an additional section under self-financed scheme. Accordingly, the following resolution was moved.

**R16: RESOLVED** to adopt the syllabi of BA English with the necessary changes in the cluster courses for BA English (Self-financed) programme as presented on pages from ENS 1 to ENS 3 and the syllabi for the programme as presented on pages from ENS 4 to ENS 26 with effect from the academic year 2014 – 2015.

Resolution was moved by Dr. J. John Sekar and seconded by Prof. N. Elango.

It was resolved to delete certain items in the course content of Business English (Life Skills course) as suggested by Dr. C. Vijayakumar.

Resolution was passed unanimously.

**R17: RESOLVED** to adopt the syllabi of Part II General English of the aided-stream for Part II of Self-financed courses as presented on pages from ENS 27 to ENS 28 with effect from the academic year 2014-2015.

Resolution was moved by Dr. J. John Sekar and seconded by Prof. N. Elango.

Resolution was passed unanimously.

At this juncture Dr. G. Jeyalakshmi congratulated the Department of English on bringing about changes in the Part II curriculum and making it skills-based and in particular the evaluation system that is going to be adopted from the academic year 2014 – 2015. Further the external member offered her help in designing testing and evaluation patterns. Training in TOEFL, IELTS, and BEC could be given to students of Part II so that students will be better trained to compete globally. Dr. G. Jeyalakshmi also insisted that students should also be trained in the Tamil language.



The JDCE informed the House that steps were being taken by the Government to extend sponsorship to students to get training in English language skills and soft skills in overseas universities.

**R18: RESOLVED** to introduce the course RPS 1230 – Environment and Ethical Issues and RPS 3214 – Career Development Skills with modifications as presented on pages from RPS 1 to RPS 2, with effect from the academic year 2014-2015.

Resolution was moved by Dr. M. G. Rethan and seconded by Prof. C. Premkumar Immanuel

Resolution was passed unanimously.

The Undergraduate Department of Microbiology was started in the year 1997 and was suspended in the year 2001. In order to cater to the needs of students' employment opportunities the College Management decided to resume the course from the year 2014 – 2014. With these few words the following resolution was moved.

**R19: RESOLVED** to accept the programme of studies for B.Sc. Microbiology as presented on pages from MIC 1 to MIC 3 and the syllabi for the resumed programme as presented on pages from MIC 4 to MIC 43 with retrospective effect from the academic year 2013-2014.

Resolution was moved by Dr. C. M. Jeyachandra and seconded by Ms. J. Stella Mary.

After discussion the resolution was passed unanimously.

**R20: RESOLVED** to change the course codes of "Economic Development and Planning" and "Fiscal Economics" from ECO 3422 to ECO 3426 and from ECO 3424 to ECO 3428 respectively with retrospective effect from the academic year 2010-2011.

Resolution was moved by Dr. L. Ruban Dennis Joel and seconded by Dr. C. Muthuraja

Resolution was passed unanimously.

Bachelor of Commerce with Information Technology (B.Com IT) degree programme will offer students a wide range of employment opportunities and enable students to have enough exposure in various fields of commerce and information technology. This course will also help students meet the demands and rapid changes that happen in this global era. With these few introductory remarks the following resolution was moved.

**R21: RESOLVED** to accept the programme of studies for B.Com. (Information Technology) as presented on pages from Errata 13 to Errata 16 and the syllabi for the programme for I and II Semesters as presented on pages from Errata 16 to Errata 30 with effect from the academic year 2014-2015.

Resolution was moved by Ms. R. Mary Sophia Chitra and seconded by Dr. A. Martin David

After a long discussion it was resolved to permit the Department of Commerce – Information and Technology to implement the first and second semester syllabi with



**necessary changes and corrections.** The Chairman ruled that the syllabi of the remaining semesters be taken back to the Board of Studies for reconsideration in the light of the suggestions made in the House.

Resolution was passed unanimously.

**R22: RESOLVED** to accept the changes in the programme of studies for BBA as presented on pages from Errata 31 to Errata 32, and the syllabi for the programme as presented on pages from BBA 3 to BBA 36 with effect from the academic year 2014-2015.

Resolution was moved by Dr. S.C.B. Samuel Anbuselvan and seconded by Mr. S.Sathya Dev

Resolution was passed unanimously.

**R23: RESOLVED** to accept the changes in the programme of studies in NSS under Part-V for the I year and II year students as presented on pages from NSS 1 to NSS 2 with effect from the academic year 2014-2015.

Resolution was moved by Dr. S.C.B. Samuel Anbuselvan and seconded by Prof.S.T.Jacob Ponraj

Resolution was passed unanimously.

Lt. Sagimaynonathan informed the House that NCC (ARMY) is offering Life Skill courses under Part IV for the first time since autonomy. So far NCC was offered only in Part V. With this the following resolutions were moved.

**R24: RESOLVED** to accept the introduction of NCA 1204 and NCA 2205 as Life Skills courses under Part IV as presented on pages from NCC 1 to NCC 4 with retrospective effect from the Academic year 2013-2014.

**R24 (a): RESOLVED** to accept the changes in NCA 1206 and NCA 2206 under Part V as presented on page NCC 4 with retrospective effect from the Academic year 2013-2014.

Resolutions were moved by Capt.Prof.V.P. Sagimaynonathan and seconded by Lt.Dr. S. Israel

Resolution were passed unanimously.

Lt. Dr. S. Israel informed the House that the NCC had added a new leaf in the history of the American College. NCC of the College pioneered in framing the syllabus along with the other members of the Board of Studies for NCC. This syllabus had been prescribed for the entire Nation. With these introductory remarks the following resolutions were moved.

**R25: RESOLVED** to accept the introduction of NCN 1204 and NCN 2205 as Life Skills courses under Part IV as presented on pages from NCC 5 to NCC 8 with retrospective effect from the Academic year 2013-2014.

**R25(a): RESOLVED** to accept the changes in NCN 1206 and NCN 2206 under Part V as presented on pages from NCC 8 to NCC 9 with retrospective effect from the Academic year 2013-2014.



Resolutions were moved by Lt. Dr. S. Israel and seconded by Capt. Prof. V.P. Sagimaynonathan

Resolutions were passed unanimously.

Prof. N. Elango informed the House that in order to revitalise and contemporarise the M.A. English programme the following changes have been effected without changing the grid with this the following resolution was moved.

**R26: RESOLVED** to accept the changes in the programme of studies for M.A. English as presented on page PGE 1 and the syllabi for the programme as presented on pages from PGE 2 to PGE 18 with effect from the academic year 2014-2015.

Resolution was moved by Prof. N. Elango and seconded by Dr. J. John Sekar

Resolution was passed unanimously.

**R27: RESOLVED** to accept the changes in the programme of studies for M.Sc. Mathematics as presented on page PGM 1 with retrospective effect from the academic year 2012-2013 and on page PGM 2 with effect from the academic year 2014-2015 and the syllabi for the programme as presented on pages from PGM 3 to PGM 18.

Resolution was moved by Prof. M. Jeyakumar and seconded by Prof. P. Jeyakodibalan Premkumar

Resolution was passed unanimously.

**R28: RESOLVED** to accept the programme of studies for Master of Computer Application as presented on pages from MCA 1 to MCA 2 and the syllabi for the programme as presented on pages from MCA 3 to 51 with effect from the academic year 2014-2015.

Resolution was moved by Prof. J. Frank Reuban and seconded by Dr. J. John Jeya Kamaraj

After discussion the resolution was passed unanimously.

**R29: RESOLVED** to accept the changes in the programme of studies for MBA as presented on page Errata 33 and the syllabi for the programme as presented on pages from Errata 34 to Errata 46 with effect from the academic year 2014-2015.

Resolution was moved by Dr. S. Raju and seconded by Prof. C. Reena Elizabeth

Resolution was passed unanimously.

Prof. N. Elango informed the House that with the aim of intensifying and increasing the quality of research in the M.Phil programme offered by the Department of English, the department has effected certain changes in the syllabus. With these introductory remarks the following resolution was moved.



**R30:** RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for M.Phil English as presented on page MPE 1 and the syllabi for the programme as presented on pages from MPE 2 to MPE 4 with effect from the academic year 2014-2015.

Resolution was moved by Prof. N. Elango and seconded by Dr. J. John Sekar

Dr. C. Muthuraja wanted 'Synopsis' to be included in one of the units in MPE 6611, Research Methodology. It was agreed.

Resolution was passed unanimously.

#### **Special Resolution**

Prof. S. Stephen informed the House that for the first time in the history of the college an officer has been honoured with a Defence Secretary's Commendation Cord and therefore suggested that a special resolution be moved to place the appreciations of the House on record for Lt. Dr. S. Israel. Accordingly, the Chairman asked the Dean of Academic Policies and Administration to move a special resolution to that effect

**R31:** Resolved to place on record the appreciation of this House to Lt. Dr. S. Israel on his being honoured with the Defence Secretary's Commendation Cord by the Ministry of Defence for the year 2013 – 2014.

Resolution was moved by Dr. J. Karunyal and seconded by Dr. J. Paul Jayakar

Resolution was passed unanimously.

Dr. J. Daniel Chellappa, Senior Scientist, Technical Coordination Wing, BARC, Chennai, suggested that the American College should explore the possibilities of having collaboration with IGCAR (Indira Gandhi Culture for Atomic Research), BARC, and all funding resources for research activities.

The Principal said that all the suggestions were well taken and appropriate steps would be taken for incorporating all the suggestions in the curriculum which would be useful to students.

#### **Other matters, if any**

Prof. S. Stephen and Dr. A. Robson Benjamin brought matters which were not related to the resolutions which the House already passed; therefore the Chairman disallowed any discussion on such matters.

Since there was no other matter, the Chairman requested Dr. G. C. Abraham, the Vice Principal to propose a vote of thanks.

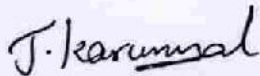
#### **Vote of thanks**

Dr. G. C. Abraham, the Vice Principal thanked all the External members for their presence, support and their valuable suggestions and also placed on record appreciations to Dean

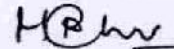


Dr. J. Karunyal and Additional Dean Dr. J. Paul Jayakar and the other Deans and Additional Deans for taking up the responsibility to scrutinize all the proposals presented in the meeting. He also thanked Dr. J. John Sekar, Dean for Curriculum and Research for all the help. He thanked all the Heads of the Departments, the faculty members, and the student members. He also thanked Mr. K. Rajendran and other clerical staff for all the secretarial work relating to the conduct of the Academic Council meeting.

The Meeting was adjourned.



(Dr. J. Karunyal)  
Dean for Academic Policies & Administration



(Dr. M. Davamani Christofer)  
Principal & Secretary

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### Special Resolutions

- R. 1: In response to the policy directions from the Director of Collegiate Education and as recommended by the Senatus, RESOLVED to accept the changes in the new CBCS Grid for all undergraduate courses as presented on page SR 1 to be implemented from the academic year 2015 - 2016.
- R.2: In response to the policy directions from the AICTE and as recommended by the Senatus, RESOLVED to admit students who have completed Bachelor's Degree of minimum 3 years duration in BCA and B.Sc (Information Technology / Computer Science) with Mathematics as a course at 10 + 2 level or at graduate level shall be eligible for admission to second year MCA programme with retrospective effect from the academic year 2013 – 2014.
- R.3: As recommended by the Senatus, RESOLVED to introduce Diploma Courses in Medical Lab Technology and Aquaculture under Community College approved by the University Grants Commission with retrospective effect from the academic year 2014 – 2015.
- R.4: As recommended by the Senatus, RESOLVED to introduce Human Value Education as Life Skill course under Part IV for all third year Self-financed programmes with effect from the academic year 2015 – 2016.



**Departmental Resolutions: Undergraduate Programmes (Aided)**

- R.5: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Tamil, RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for BA Tamil as presented on pages from TAM 1 to TAM 2 and the syllabi for the programme for I and II Semesters as presented on pages from TAM 3 to TAM 18 with effect from the academic year 2015 – 2016.
- R.6: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Hindi, RESOLVED to accept the changes in PART I as presented on page HIN 1 and the syllabi for PART I as presented on pages from HIN 2 to HIN 5 with effect from the academic year 2015-2016.
- R.7: As recommended by the Board of Studies in French, RESOLVED to accept the changes in PART I as presented on page FRE 1 and the syllabi for PART I as presented on pages from FRE 1 to FRE 3 with effect from the academic year 2015-2016.
- R.8: As recommended by the Board of Studies in English, RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for BA English as presented on pages from ENG 1 to ENG 3 and the syllabi for the programme for I and II Semesters as presented on pages from ENG 4 to ENG 16 with effect from the academic year 2015 – 2016.
- R.9: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Mathematics, RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for B.Sc Mathematics as presented on pages from MAT 1 to MAT 2 and the syllabi for the programme for I and II Semesters as presented on pages from MAT 3 to MAT 10 with effect from the academic year 2015 – 2016.
- R.10: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Physics, RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for B.Sc Physics as presented on pages from PHY 1 to PHY 5 and the syllabi for the programme for I and II Semesters as presented on pages from PHY 6 to PHY 17 with effect from the academic year 2015 – 2016.
- R.11: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Chemistry, RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for B.Sc Chemistry as presented on pages from CHE 1 to CHE 2 and the syllabi for the programme for I and II Semesters as presented on pages from CHE 3 to CHE 15 with effect from the academic year 2015 – 2016.



- R.12: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Botany, RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for B.Sc Botany as presented on pages from BOT 1 to BOT 2 and the syllabi for the programme for I and II Semesters as presented on pages from BOT 3 to BOT 16 with effect from the academic year 2015 – 2016.
- R.13: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Zoology, RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for B.Sc Zoology as presented on pages from ZOO 1 to ZOO 3 and the syllabi for the programme for I and II Semesters as presented on pages from ZOO 4 to ZOO 13 with effect from the academic year 2015 – 2016.
- R.14: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Economics, RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for B.A Economics (Tamil and English medium) as presented on pages from ECO 1 to ECO 2 and the syllabi for the programme for I and II Semesters as presented on pages from ECO 2 to ECO 9 with effect from the academic year 2015 – 2016.
- R.15: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Commerce, RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for B.Com Commerce as presented on pages from COM 1 to COM 2 and the syllabi for the programme as presented on pages from COM 3 to COM 33 with effect from the academic year 2015 – 2016.
- R.16: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Religion, Philosophy and Sociology, RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for Religion, Philosophy, and Sociology as presented on pages from RPS 1 to RPS 2 and the syllabi for the programme as presented on pages from RPS 3 to RPS 33 with effect from the academic year 2015 – 2016.
- R.17: As recommended by the Board of Studies in NCC (ARMY), RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for NCA as presented on pages from NCC 1 to NCC 5 with effect from the academic year 2015 - 2016.
- R.18: As recommended by the Board of Studies in NCC (NAVY), RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for NCN as presented on pages from NCC 6 to NCC 10 with effect from the academic year 2015-2016.



- R.19: As recommended by the Board of Studies in NCC (ARMY), RESOLVED to introduce the programme of studies for NCW (Self-financed women students) and the syllabi for the programme as presented on pages from NCC 11 to NCC 15 with effect from the academic year 2015-2016.
- R.20: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Service Learning Programme, RESOLVED to accept the syllabi and evaluation pattern for the SLP courses offered under Part V as presented on pages from SLP 1 to SLP 12 with retrospective effect from the academic year 2014 – 2015.

**Departmental Resolutions: Postgraduate Programmes (SF)**

- R.21: As recommended by the Board of Studies in English (Self-financed), RESOLVED to introduce the programme of studies for MA English (Self-financed) as presented on page PSE 1 and the syllabi for the programme for I and II semesters as presented on pages from PSE 2 to PSE 15 with effect from the academic year 2015-2016.
- R.22: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Physics (Self-financed), RESOLVED to introduce the changes in the programme of studies for M.Sc Physics as presented on page PSP 1 and the syllabi for the programme for I and II semesters as presented on pages from PSP 2 to PSP 15 with effect from the academic year 2015-2016.
- R.23: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Environmental Science, RESOLVED to introduce the programme of studies for M.Sc Environmental Science as presented on pages from PES 1 to PES 2 and the syllabi for the programme for I and II semesters as presented on pages from PSE 3 to PSE17 with effect from the academic year 2015-2016.
- R.24: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Social Work, RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for MSW as presented on pages MSW 1 and MSW 2 and the syllabi for the programme as presented on pages from MSW 3 to MSW 65 with effect from the academic year 2015-2016.
- R.25: As recommended by the Senatus, RESOLVED to accept the changes in the Course code as presented on page MPE 1 with retrospective effect from the academic year 2014 – 2015.



**Departmental Resolutions: Undergraduate Programmes (SF)**

- R.26: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Hindi, RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for B.A. Hindi (Self-financed) as presented on pages from HIS 1 to HIS 4 and the syllabi for the programme as presented on pages from HIS 5 to HIS 31 with effect from the academic year 2015-2016.
- R.27: As recommended by the Board of Studies in French, RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for B.A. French (Self-financed) as presented on pages from FRS 1 to FRS 5 and the syllabi for the programme as presented on pages from FRS 6 to FRS 27 with effect from the academic year 2015-2016.
- R.28: As recommended by the Board of Studies in English (Self-financed), RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for BA English (Self-financed) as presented on pages from ENS 1 to ENS 4 and the syllabi for the programme for I and II Semesters as presented on pages from ENS 5 to ENS 19 with effect from the academic year 2015 – 2016.
- R.29: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Mathematics (Self-financed), RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for B.Sc Mathematics (Self-financed) as presented on pages from MAS 1 to MAS 2 and the syllabi for the programme for I and II Semesters as presented on pages from MAS 3 to MAS 10 with effect from the academic year 2015 – 2016.
- R.30: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Physics (Self-financed), RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for B.Sc Physics (Self-financed) as presented on pages from PHS 1 to PHS 2 and the syllabi for the programme for I and II Semesters as presented on pages from PHS 3 to PHS 16 with effect from the academic year 2015 – 2016.
- R.31: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Chemistry (Self-financed), RESOLVED to introduce the programme of studies for B.Sc Chemistry (Self-financed) as presented on pages from CHS 1 to CHS 2 and the syllabi for the programme for I and II Semesters as presented on pages from CHS 3 to CHS 14 with effect from the academic year 2015 – 2016.



- R.32: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Bio-Chemistry (Self-financed), RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for B.Sc Bio-Chemistry (Self-financed) as presented on pages from BCH 1 to BCH 2 and the syllabi for the programme as presented on pages from BCH 3 to BCH 35 with effect from the academic year 2015 – 2016.
- R.33: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Microbiology (Self-financed), RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for B.Sc Microbiology (Self-financed) as presented on pages from MIC 1 to MIC 3 and the syllabi for the programme for I and II Semesters as presented on pages from MIC 4 to MIC 15 with effect from the academic year 2015-2016.
- R.34: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Computer Science, RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for B.Sc Computer Science as presented on pages from COS 1 to COS 3 and the syllabi for the programme as presented on pages from COS 4 to COS 31 with effect from the academic year 2015-2016.
- R.35: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Visual Communication, RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for B.Sc Visual Communication for I and II Semesters as presented on page BVC 1 and the syllabi for the programme for I and II Semesters as presented on pages from BVC 2 to BVC 11 with effect from the academic year 2015-2016.
- R.36: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Information Technology, RESOLVED to introduce the programme of studies for B.Sc (Information Technology) as presented on pages from BIT 1 to BIT 3 and the syllabi for the programme for I and II Semesters as presented on pages from BIT 4 to BIT 11 with effect from the academic year 2015-2016.
- R.37: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Commerce, RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for B.Com. (Self-financed) as presented on pages from CME 1 to CME 2 and the syllabi for the programme as presented on pages from CME 3 to CME 33 with effect from the academic year 2015-2016.



- R.38: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Commerce, RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for B.Com (Computer Application) (Self-financed) as presented on pages from CMC 1 to CMC 2 and the syllabi for the programme as presented on pages from CMC 3 to CMC 35 with effect from the academic year 2015-2016.
- R.39: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Commerce, RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for B.Com. (Information Technology) as presented on pages from CIT 1 to CIT 2 and the syllabi for the programme as presented on pages from CIT 3 to CIT 39 with effect from the academic year 2015-2016.
- R.40: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Business Administration, RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for BBA as presented on page BBA 1 and the syllabi for the programme as presented on pages from BBA 2 to BBA 34 with effect from the academic year 2015-2016.
- R.41: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Computer Application, RESOLVED to accept the changes in the programme of studies for BCA as presented on pages from BCA 1 to BCA 3 and the syllabi for the programme as presented on pages from BCA 4 to BCA 30 with effect from the academic year 2015-2016.

#### **Human Value Education**

- R.42: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Human Value Education, RESOLVED to introduce Human Value Education as Life Skill course under Part IV for all third year Self-financed programmes and the syllabus as presented on page HVS 1 with effect from the academic year 2015 – 2016.

#### **Community College**

- R.43: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Community College, RESOLVED to introduce Diploma Course in Medical Lab Technology and the syllabus as presented on pages from DML 1 to DML 21 with retrospective effect from the academic year 2014 – 2015.



R.44: As recommended by the Board of Studies in Community College, RESOLVED to introduce Diploma Course in Aquaculture and the syllabus as presented on pages from DAQ 1 to DAQ 18 with retrospective effect from the academic year 2014 –2015.

**Certificate Courses in English**

R.45: As recommended by the Board of Studies in English, RESOLVED to introduce certificate courses in English as presented on page CCE 1 and the syllabi for the courses as presented on pages from CCE 2 to CCE 8 with effect from the academic year 2015 – 2016.

**New CBCS GRID for all undergraduate programmes with effect from the  
academic year 2015-2016**

**Semester-wise distribution of course of 180 hrs with 158 credits + 2**

<b>I semester</b>				<b>II semester</b>			
<b>course</b>	<b>hours</b>	<b>credit</b>		<b>course</b>	<b>hours</b>	<b>credit</b>	
PART I	3	2		PART I	3	2	
PART II	3	2		PART II	3	2	
MAJOR	13(3)	13		MAJOR	13(3)	13	
LS1	3	2		LS2	3	2	
NME1	3	2		NME2	3	2	
SUPPO	5	4		SUPPO	5	4	
	<b>30</b>	<b>25</b>			<b>30</b>	<b>25</b>	
PART V							25+1

<b>III semester</b>				<b>IV semester</b>			
<b>course</b>	<b>hours</b>	<b>credit</b>		<b>course</b>	<b>hours</b>	<b>credit</b>	
PART I	3	2		PART I	3	2	
PART II	3	2		PART II	3	2	
MAJOR	19(4)	19		MAJOR	19(4)	19	
SUPPO	5	4		SUPPO	5	4	
	<b>30</b>	<b>27</b>			<b>30</b>	<b>27</b>	
PART V							23+1

<b>V semester</b>				<b>VI semester</b>			
<b>course</b>	<b>hours</b>	<b>credit</b>		<b>course</b>	<b>hours</b>	<b>credit</b>	
LS3	3	2		LS4	3	2	
VAL/EVS*	4	2		VAL/EVS**	4	2	
MAJOR	23(4)	23		MAJOR	23(4)	23	
	<b>30</b>	<b>27</b>			<b>30</b>	<b>27</b>	
				<b>Total hours/ Credits</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>158+2</b>	

**NME Non-Major Elective**

SUPPO Supportive courses

VAL/EVS\* Value Education for TAM, ENG, ECO,ECE,COM, RPS  
(ENS, FRS, HIS, BBA,CMC ,CIT, CME, COS,BCA) STUDENTS  
Environmental Studies for MAT, PHY, CHE, BOT, ZOO  
(BVC, BCH,MAS, MIC ,PHS,) students

**LS - Life skill courses**

VAL/EVS\*\* Environmental Studies for TAM, ENG, ECO,ECE,COM, RPS  
(ENS, FRS, HIS, BBA,CMC ,CIT, CME, COS,BCA) STUDENTS  
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