



## **MINUTES OF THE THIRTEENTH ACADEMIC COUNCIL MEETING**

The Thirteenth Academic Council Meeting of Virudhunagar Hindu Nadars' Senthikumara Nadar College (Autonomous), Virudhunagar was held on 11.10.2021 (Monday) at 3.00 pm. in K. C. S. Rathinasamy Nadar - R. Mariammal Memorial Building.

The Chairperson and Principal welcomed the gathering.

The Chairperson introduced the newly nominated University Nominees Dr. M. Thangaraj, Professor & Head, Department of Computer Science, School of Information Technology, Madurai Kamaraj university, Dr. G. Kumaresan, Professor & Head, Department of Genetics, School of Biological Sciences, Madurai Kamaraj university, Dr. N. Sankar, Professor, Department of Genetic Engineering, School of Biotechnology, Madurai Kamaraj university, to the Academic Council forum. The Chairperson also introduced the newly nominated members Dr. J. Vimal Priyan, Head, Department of Commerce CA (SF), Dr. M. Balaji, Head, Department of Management Studies, and Dr. S. Jeyakumar, Coordinator, Department of Environmental Science, to the Academic Council forum.

The Principal presented before the Council a brief progress report on Autonomy.

Nine subjects were presented for resolution:

### **Subject 1:**

Approval for the new syllabus for the first & second year M.Com CA passed in the Board of Studies Meeting.

The Principal invited the Chairperson of the Board of Studies to move the subject for the approval of the Academic Council.

Dr. J. Vimal Priyan, Chairperson, Board of Studies of M.Com CA, moved the subject for the approval by the Academic Council for the new syllabus for the first & second year M.Com CA passed in the Board of Studies Meeting held on 14.07.2021 and the subject codes allotted to them are given in **Annexure-I**.

### **Resolution**

The subject was considered and resolved to approve the new syllabus for the first & second year M.Com CA passed in the Board of Studies Meetings held on 14.07.2021 and also the new subject code allotted to each subject.

### **Subject 2:**

Approval for the revised syllabus for the first & third year UG programmes passed in the Board of Studies Meeting.

The Principal invited the Chairpersons of the Board of Studies to move the subject for the approval of the Academic Council.

Dr. N. Prithivikumar, Chairperson, Board of Studies of B.Sc. Physics, moved the subject for the approval by the Academic Council for the revisions in the syllabus of the first & third year B.Sc. Physics passed in the Board of Studies meeting held on 28.04.2021 and also for the new subject code allotted to each subject as given in **Annexure-I**.

Mrs. B. Salocia Fernando, Chairperson, Board of Studies of B.Sc. Botany, moved the subject for the approval by the Academic Council for the revisions in the syllabus of the first year B.Sc. Botany passed in the Board of Studies meeting held on 28.04.2021 and the subject code allotted to each subject as given in **Annexure-I**.

Dr. K. Nagarajan, Chairperson, Board of Studies of B.Sc. Zoology, moved the subject for the approval by the Academic Council for the revisions in the syllabus of the first year B.Sc. Zoology passed in the Board of Studies meeting held on 28.04.2021 and the subject code allotted to each subject as given in **Annexure-I**.

### **Resolution**

The subjects were considered and resolved to approve the revisions made in the syllabus for the first & third year UG programmes passed in the Board of Studies Meetings held on 28.04.2021 and also the new subject code allotted to each subject.

### **Subject 3:**

Approval for the revised syllabus for the first year PG programmes passed in the Board of Studies Meeting.

The Principal invited the Chairperson of the Board of Studies to move the subject for the approval of the Academic Council.

Dr. K. Nagarajan, Chairperson, Board of Studies of M.Sc. Zoology, moved the subject for the approval by the Academic Council for the revised syllabus for the first year M.Sc. Zoology passed in the Board of Studies meeting held on 28.04.2021 and the subject code allotted to each subject as given in **Annexure-I**.

### **Resolution**

The subject was considered and resolved to approve the revisions made in the syllabus for the first year M.Sc. Zoology passed in the Board of Studies Meetings held on 28.04.2021 and also the new subject code allotted to each subject.

### **Subject 4:**

Approval for the new syllabus for the second year M.C.A & PGDCA passed in the Board of Studies Meeting.

The Principal invited the Chairperson of the Board of Studies to move the subject for the approval of the Academic Council.

Mr. D. Rajkumar, Chairperson, Board of Studies of M.C.A & PGDCA moved the subjects for the approval by the Academic Council for the new syllabus for the second year M.C.A & PGDCA passed in the Board of Studies Meeting held on 28.04.2021 and the subject codes allotted to them are given in **Annexure-I**.

### **Resolution**

The subject was considered and resolved to approve the new syllabus for the second year M.C.A & PGDCA passed in the Board of Studies Meetings held on 28.04.2021 and also the new subject code allotted to each subject.

### **Subject 5:**

Approval for the new syllabus for the third year B.Voc. Programme on Food Safety and Quality Management and B.Sc. Physical Education passed in the Board of Studies Meeting.

The Principal invited the Chairpersons of the Board of Studies to move the subject for the approval of the Academic Council.

Dr. S. Jeyakumar, Chairperson, Board of Studies of B.Voc. Programme on Food Safety and Quality Management moved the subject for the approval by the Academic Council for the new syllabus of the third year B.Voc. Programme on Food Safety and Quality Management passed in the Board of Studies meeting held on 28.04.2021 and the subject code allotted to each subject as given in **Annexure-I**.

Dr. T. Murugesan, Chairperson, Board of Studies of B.Sc. Physical Education moved the subject for the approval by the Academic Council for the new syllabus of the third year B.Sc. Physical Education passed in the Board of Studies meeting held on 28.04.2021 and the subject code allotted to each subject as given in **Annexure-I**

### **Resolution**

The subjects were considered and resolved to approve the syllabus framed for the third year B.Voc. Programme on Food Safety and Quality Management & B.Sc. Physical Education passed in the Board of Studies meeting held on 28.04.2021 and also the new subject code allotted to each subject.

### **Subject 6:**

Approval for changes in the Internal Evaluation Pattern (UG & PG)

Dr. A. Sarathi, Dean - Internal Exams, moved the subject for the approval by the Academic Council for the changes in the Internal Evaluation Pattern for UG & PG programmes from the academic year 2021-2022. The changes in Internal Evaluation pattern, including ERL (E-Resource Learning) for Part I, II & III courses for UG programmes and for all courses for PG programmes are given in **Annexure – II**.

### **Resolution**

The subject was considered and resolved to approve the changes in the Internal Evaluation Pattern, including ERL (E-Resource Learning) and subsequent changes in the internal evaluation pattern for Part I, II & III courses for UG programmes and for all courses for PG programmes from the academic year 2021-2022.

### **Subject 7:**

Approval for the changes in Question Pattern of PART-I, II & III courses for UG Programmes in Summative Examinations from November-2021.

Dr. R. Palaniappan, Controller of Examinations & SF Coordinator, moved the subject for the approval by the Academic Council for the changes in Question Pattern of PART-I, II & III courses for UG Programmes in Summative Examinations from November-2021 which is given in **Annexure – III**.

### **Resolution**

The subject was considered and resolved to approve the the changes in Question Pattern of PART-I, II & III courses for UG Programmes in Summative Examinations from November-2021.

### **Subject 8:**

Approval for equivalent courses for private students (2012 - 2015 batches)

Dr. R. Palaniappan, Controller of Examinations & SF Coordinator, moved the subject for the approval by the Academic Council for conducting equivalent courses for private students (2012 - 2015 batches) for both UG & PG programmes, as per UGC Guidelines, with effect from the November 2021 Summative Examinations, which is given in **Annexure – IV**.

### **Resolution**

The subject was considered and resolved to assign current equivalent courses for the private students (2012-2015 batches) for both UG & PG programmes with effect from the

November 2021 Summative Examinations. It was also resolved to retain the previous internal score for the respective equivalent courses.

**Subject 9:**

Approval for changing the courses Value Education and Environmental Studies as mandatory self learning courses from 2022-2023.

Dr. K. Nagarajan, Dean Curriculum (Science), moved the subject for the approval by the Academic Council for changing the courses Value Education and Environmental Studies as mandatory self learning courses from 2022-2023.

**Resolution**







The subject was considered and resolved to change the courses Value Education and Environmental Studies as mandatory self learning courses from 2022-2023.

All the Nine resolutions were unanimously passed.

Out of 38 members, 33 turned out for the meeting and 5 members got permission to be absent.

Dr. R. Palaniappan, the Member Secretary, proposed vote of thanks and the meeting came to an end.

**Members Present:**

S.No.	Name and Designation	Signature
1.	Dr. P. Sundara Pandian	
2.	Mr. P. K. Arunachalam	
3.	Dr. K. Sridhar	
4.	Dr. J. Samuel Kirubahar	
5.	Dr. M. Mariappan	 13/10/2021
6.	Dr. G. Ravi	

7.	Mr. R. Mohan	R. Mohan
8.	Dr. N. Prithvikumaran	N. Prithvi
9.	Dr. C. Karunakaran	C. Karunakaran 11/10/2021
10.	Ms. B. Salocia Fernando Additional Dean Curriculum (Science)	B. Salocia Fernando
11.	Dr. K. Nagarajan Dean Curriculum (Science)	K. Nagarajan
12.	Dr. T. Kathirvalavakumar	T. Kathirvalavakumar 11/10/21
13.	Dr. B. Ravichandran	B. Ravichandran 11.10.21
14.	Dr. J. Vimal Priyan	J. Vimal Priyan
15.	Dr. G. Murugesan	G. Murugesan 11/10/2021
16.	Dr. M. Balaji	Dr. M. Balaji 11/10/21
17.	Mr. Z. Ramya Sushil	Z. Ramya Sushil
18.	Dr. A. Balasubramanian	A. Balasubramanian
19.	Mr. D. Rajkumar	D. Rajkumar 11/10/2021
20.	Dr. T. Murugesan	T. Murugesan 11/10/2021
21.	Dr. S. Jeyakumar	S. Jeyakumar
22.	Lt. Dr. N. Alagumanikumaran	N. Alagumanikumaran
23.	Dr. M. Meena Devi Dean Curriculum (Arts)	M. Meena Devi

24.	Dr. N. Raman	
25.	Dr. A. Mohini	 11/10/21
26.	Dr. R. Palaniappan Controller of Examinations & SF Coordinator	
27.	Mr. R. Rajesh, B.E. M.B.A.	
28.	Mr. K.C. Gurusamy, B.Sc.	
29.	Dr. M. Thangaraj Professor and Head, Department of Computer Science, School of Information Technology, Madurai Kamaraj University Madurai – 625 021.	 11/10/21
30.	Dr. A. Sarathi Dean - Internal Exams	 11/10/21
31.	Dr. P. Sami Dean - Student Services	
32.	Dr. N. Jeyakumaran Dean - Research	
33.	Dr. S. Muthulakshmi Additional Dean Curriculum (Arts)	 13/10/2021





**Annexure – III**

**The question pattern change for the Summative Examinations from November 2021 is given below:**

Exam duration reduced to **2 hours for PART I, PART II, PART III and PART IV**. The Pattern of Question paper is changed in UG – Part – I, II, III & IV as follows:

**1. For Part – I, II & III**

i. The 75 external marks is divided into two categories:

- a) 25 marks for MCQ's online test. (one hour)
- b) 50 marks for Summative Examinations. (two hours)

ii. For Part I , II & III the pattern is changed as follows:

- a) It consists of two sections instead of the previous three sections.
- b) The Section - A 10 multiple choice questions in the previous question paper pattern is removed.
- c) In the new pattern Section A consists of five either or choice questions **(5 X 4 marks = 20 marks)**
- d) In the new pattern Section B consists of five open choice questions out of which the student has to answer three questions **(3 X 10 marks = 30 marks)**
- e) In both Sections, it is mandatory to ask one question in each unit.

**2. For Part – IV External Question Paper Pattern**

- i. In Part IV question paper (new pattern) Section A consists of seven questions, the student has to answer any five questions. **(5 X 6 marks = 30 marks)**
- ii. Section B consists of five questions out of which the student has to answer three questions. **(3 X 15 marks = 45 marks)**

**3. For PG Private Candidates (for whom external mark is 75) the question paper pattern has Section A & Section B as per the current pattern, except that the Section B questions carries 15 marks instead of 10 marks.**

**Other matters:**