

## **Minutes of the Second Meeting of the Board of Studies in History held on 5<sup>th</sup> March 2019**

Agenda:

1. Welcome from the Chair
2. Minutes of the meeting held on 28th September 2018.
3. Revision of the course code
4. Review system of evaluation and assessment
5. Discuss syllabus revision of FYBA, SYBA and TYBA.
6. Resolution regarding changes in syllabus.
7. Resolution regarding appointment of Paper Setter and Examiner.
8. Any other matter with the permission of the Chair.

Present:

Swarupa Kamat, Dr. Poncha, Dr. M. Mistry, Dr. M. Bandhopadhyay, Dr. J. Wamburkar, Dr. K. Dalal

Minutes:

1. The Chairperson and HOD, Ms Swarupa Kamat, welcomed everyone. Leave of absence was granted to Dr. Manjiri Kamat.
2. The minutes of the meeting of 28<sup>th</sup> September 2018 were passed.
3. The revised course codes were passed.
4. The Board was given the question papers set for the FY, SY and TY classes for their respective first terms. They noted that the paper pattern had been followed.
5. The titles of the papers were reverted to the titles given by the Mumbai University due to concerns that new titles may be mistaken for unaided new courses rather than replacements for existing papers.
6. During the review of the syllabus, suggestions were offered by different Board members with regard to the TYBA papers. The following changes were made:
  - TYBA Semester V Paper V, Module IIa, 'Jawaharlal' was added.
  - TYBA Semester VI Paper V, Module IVc, was changed to 'Theatre and Cinema'.
  - TYBA Semester V Paper VIII, Module IIIc, 'North-South Dialogue' was replaced with 'Dalit Movement in Independent India'.
  - TYBA Semester V Paper VIII, Module IIIc, 'Women's Movement' was replaced with 'Feminist Movement'
  - TYBA Semester VI Paper VIII, Module II was reorganised thus: a) Sino-Soviet Relations b) USA and Vietnam c) USSR and Afghanistan
  - TYBA Semester VI Paper IX, Module IV became Module II. This brought the two modules on historiography together.
  - TYBA Semester VI Paper IX, Module II, 'Indian' was added to its title.
  - TYBA Semester VI Paper IX, Module II was reorganised: a) Colonial b) Nationalist; Marxist c) Subaltern; Feminist.
  - TYBA Semester VI Paper IX, Module II a), 'Orientalist' was added.

- TYBA Semester VI Paper IX , Module III was reorganised and revised. The final version was a) Steps of Historical Research b) Interpretation and Generalisation c) Techniques of Historical Writing.
- TYBA Semester VI Paper IX , Module IV was reorganised and revised. The final version was a) Nature and Types of Sources b) Techniques of Data Collection c) Authenticity and Credibility of Sources.

7. The Resolution approving further revision in the syllabus was signed.

8. The Board approved the list of Examiners and Paper Setters, these being the same as the lecturers who teach the papers had been passed in the previous meeting.

The meeting ended with the Chair thanking all for their help.



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