

Board of Studies
(Academic Year 2023-2024)

Meeting No. 6

Department: Political Science

Day: Monday

Date: 1st April, 2024

Time: 5.00 pm

Mode: Online (Google Meet)

Board of Studies Meeting

Minutes

Item 6.01: Dr. Priyamvada Tokekar welcomed all the members of the Board of Studies

Item 6.02: Dr. Priyamvada Tokekar read and confirmed the Minutes and Action Taken Report (ATR) of the previous meeting

Action Taken Report (ATR)
of the 5th BoS Meeting held on 26th June, 2023.

Issue/Recommendation	Action Taken
Adding the film, Hazaaron Khwaishein Aisi in the list of suggested films for the paper - Understanding socio-political issues through films -I	Needful change is made and the new syllabus is uploaded on the website.
Conducting a session on film appreciation for the students of Understanding socio-political issues through films -I so that they can comprehend the films in an effective manner	We have incorporated this in our future plan
Adding topic on value-based leadership in Module 2 of Basics of Political Leadership – I	Needful change is made and the new syllabus is uploaded on the website.

Adding topic on constituency building instead of work life balance in Module 2 of Basics of Political Leadership – II	Needful change is made and the new syllabus is uploaded on the website.
Adding topic on conflict management instead of stress management in Module 2 of Basics of Political Leadership – II	Needful change is made and the new syllabus is uploaded on the website.
Including the module on State and its theories by replacing the module on Citizenship of Political Theory – Semester I syllabus (MA Political Science)	Needful change is made and the new syllabus will be uploaded on the website.
Including Approaches to international relations in Module 1 of the International Relations- Semester I syllabus (MA Political Science)	Needful change is made and the new syllabus will be uploaded on the website.

Item 6.03: Dr. Tokekar discussed the curriculum and examination pattern of First Year and Second Year classes as per NEP-2020 and MA Political Science (Semester III and IV under NEP-2020) which was subsequently approved.

The following were the suggestions:

Sr. No.	Name of the member	Suggestion
1.	Ms. Chitra Lele	Replace the term “multiplicity of gender” with “diversity of gender” in Unit 1 of the Minor course on Gender issues in Politics
2.	Ms. Veena Kenchi	Adding Satyagraha to the part on Ahimsa in Unit 1 of the Minor course on ‘Relevance of Gandhian Thought’
3.	Ms. Chitra Lele	Adding Decentralisation to the part on Gram Swaraj in Unit IV of the Minor course on ‘Relevance of Gandhian Thought’
4.	Mr. Harsh Bhosale	Adding case studies on model villages as assignment for Minor course on Relevance of Gandhian Thought
5.	Dr. Priyamvada Tokekar	Adding the term Parliament at Work instead of Our Parliament in Unit 2 of the VSC course on Indian Polity for Competitive Exams-I
6.	Mr. Harsh Bhosale	Adding UN efforts for Disarmament as an assignment topic for the Major course on Strategic Studies – MA Part- II

7.	Mr. Harsh Bhosale	Adding cyber warfare to Unit 3 on Contemporary Warfare of the Major course on Strategic Studies – MA Part- II
8.	Ms. Chitra Lele	Adding Distinction between nationalism and patriotism in the Unit 4 of the Major course on Political Ideologies – MA Part- II
9.	Ms. Veena Kenchi	Adding Assignment topic :Comparative study of Maharashtra and Kerala, West Bengal for the major course on Rural Governance in India – MA Part- II
10.	Dr. Shweta Ahire	Adding “Exploring future potentialities as a metropolitan city” to the Module 2 of the course on Meeting the Challenges of emerging Thane– MA Part- II
11.	Dr. Priyamvada Tokekar	Adding “Tourism and allied opportunities” to the Module 4 of the course on Meeting the Challenges of emerging Thane – MA Part- II

Item 6.04: The course outcomes of various courses were designed and approved by the BoS members

Item 6.05: Dr. Priyamvada Tokekar discussed the achievements of the faculty and activities of the Department of Political Science with the members of Board of Studies

Item 6.06: Dr. Priyamvada Tokekar proposed the Vote of Thanks, expressing gratitude towards all the members for taking time out of their busy schedule.

Thanking you.

Priyamvada Tokekar

Head and Chairperson



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Principal