



MINUTES OF THE 10th MEETING OF THE ACADEMIC COUNCIL

Date : 21st September 2024 (Saturday)
Time : 3:00 p.m.
Venue : Seminar Hall

The 10th Meeting of the Academic Council of Thakur College of Science & Commerce [Autonomous] was conducted on Saturday, 21st September 2024.

Members Present:

1. Prin. (Dr.) C. T. Chakraborty	Chairperson
2. Dr. Nishikant Jha	Member
3. Dr. Gitesh Padhye	Member
4. Dr. Vijay Jadhav	Member
5. Dr. Parul Singhal	Member
6. Dr. Santosh Singh	Member
7. Mr. Kuldeep Kandwal	Member
8. Dr. C. P. Shukla	Member
9. Dr. Vitthal Mohite	Member
10. Mr. Ashish Trivedi	Member
11. Dr. Aparna Deshmukh	Member
12. Mr. Omkar Singh	Member
13. Dr. Pravin Pawar	Member
14. Mr. Akash Deshmukh	Member
15. Dr. Priti Gupta	Member
16. Dr. Rupal Shroff	Member
17. Mr. Deepak Tiwari	Member
18. Dr. Rashmi Shetty	Member
19. Mr. Nirav Goda	Member
20. Mr. Abhijit Ray	Member
21. Dr. Rakhi Bhattacharya	Member
22. Dr. Vimal Mistry	Member
23. Ms. Rakhee Pathak	Member
24. Mr. Praveen Kumar	Member
25. Ms. Lata Singh	Member
26. Dr. Hasim Khan	Member
27. Mr. Navnath Pawar	Member
28. Mr. Akshay Gawande	Member
29. Prin. (Dr.) Sobhana Nair	University Nominee
30. Prin. (Dr.) Shripad Joshi	University Nominee
31. Dr. Vinit Vaidya	Member Secretary



Leave of Absence:

Leave of Absence was granted to the following members:

1. Dr. Kiran Save	University Nominee
2. Dr. A. K. Singh	Expert from Law
3. Dr. Anuradha Majumdar	Expert from Education
4. Mr. Mudassir Aleem	Expert from Engineering
5. Mr. Parag Gandhi	Expert from Industry
6. Dr. Dhaval Shah	Expert from Medicine
7. CA Aneel Gambhir	Expert from Commerce
8. Dr. S. D. Ajagekar	Member
9. Dr. Rumpa Sanpui	Member
10. Mrs. Anuradha Hait	Member
11. Dr. Sadiq Hasan	Member
12. Mr. Nimesh Jotaniya	Member
13. Dr. Khushbu Pandya	Member
14. Mr. Manoj L. Mishra	Member
15. Dr. Neeta Jain	Member
16. Dr. Gulab Nibrad	Member

Agenda wise discussion of Points:

1. Confirmation of the Minutes of the 9th Meeting of Academic Council dated 27th April 2024:

The minutes of the 9th meeting of the Academic Council held on 27th April 2024 were read and confirmed.

Resolution: "It was resolved to confirm the Minutes of the 9th meeting held on 27th April 2024".

2. Approval of 60:40 Paper Pattern for NEP 2020 for all programs at FY level:

Approval for changing Evaluation Pattern from 75:25 to 60:40 from the Academic Year 2024-25 for all programs at FY level was sought from members and the following pattern was proposed.

Internal Examination: 40 Marks

Continuous Evaluation 1: 20 Marks

(Written Test – MCQs + One Sentence Answers + Short Notes)

Continuous Evaluation 2: 15 Marks

(As per the guidelines of the respective BOS – MCQs / Assignment / Test / PPT Presentation / Project etc.)



Active Participation in college activities: 05 Marks

External Evaluation: 60 Marks (As per the guidelines of the respective BOS)

Practical Evaluation: 25 Marks for 1 Credit (Wherever Applicable, As per the guidelines of the respective BOS).

➤ The proposed pattern was accepted by the council.

Resolution: "It was resolved to approve the 60:40 Paper Pattern for all Programs at FY Level to be implemented from the Academic Year 2024-2025."

3. Approval of the NEP Structure for Semester V & VI for all Programs:

The NEP Structure for Semester V & VI of all programs presented before the members were approved unanimously.

Resolution: "It was resolved to approve the NEP Structure for Semester V & VI of all UG Programs to be implemented from the Academic Year 2025-2026; subject to the admissible changes as & when required."

4. Approval of the NEP syllabus & evaluation pattern for Semester V & VI:

The NEP Syllabus & Evaluation Pattern for Semester V & VI of all UG Programs presented before the members were approved unanimously.

Resolution: "It was resolved to approve the NEP Syllabus & Evaluation Pattern for Semester V & VI of all UG Programs to be implemented from the Academic Year 2025-2026; subject to the justifiable changes as & when required."

5. Approval of Field Projects for Sem III and its format:

The Field Projects for Sem III & the report format approved by the respective Board of Studies were discussed & approved.

Resolution: "It was resolved to approve the Field Projects for Sem III & its format as approved by the respective Board of Studies."

6. Approval of Co-Curricular Courses and its format for the Academic Year 2024-2025:

The members approved the Co-Curricular Courses selected by the various programs from the Course List approved by the Council in its previous meeting & also approved the evaluation format for the same.



Faculty of Commerce, Management & Arts

PROGRAM	NSS	NCC	GENDER	SOCIAL SERVICE	CANINE	YOGA	YOGA BY IIDE/ BODHE	CULTURAL	DEFENCE	SPORTS	RESEARCH	STUDENT COUNCIL	TOTAL
FYBIA	-	-	-	-	-	11		7	-	-	-		18
FY HON			30					29					59
FYBIM	2					26		32	2	3			65
FY DB							67						67
FY BMS A	1		12	1		25		18	1	7			65
FY BMS B			1	6		7		46		5			65
FY BMS C			11			55							66
FY BMS D	1		1			47		13		3			65
FYBMS E													0
FY BI								64					64
FY BIE							37						37
FY BAF A	3	1	5					48		9	3		69
FY BAF B	5	0	2					40		14	5		66
FY BAF C	9	0	12					26		9	10		66
FY BAF D	7	0	2					40		12	1		62
FY BFM	1					16		48		6		1	72
FY SM						30							30
FY PAFM						26							26
FYBCOM O	5		2	4	4	94		2	1	7			119
FYBCOM P	10		3	2		50		14		16			95
FYBCOM Q	11	1		7	12	22		20		20			93
FYBCOM R	7	1			8	54		25	6	29			130
FYBCOM S	17	2	3	2	14	30		23	6	29			126
FY BAMMC			4			29		185	1	2			221
FY BAFTNMP			13			1		44		1			59
FY SIM						16							16
TOTAL	79	5	101	22	38	539	104	724	17	172	19	1	1821

PROGRAM	NSS	NCC	GENDER	SOCIAL SERVICE	CANINE	YOGA	CULTURAL	SPORTS	GREEN CLUB	RESEARCH METHODOLOGY	TOTAL
SYBCOM H			8	10	11	60	1	15			105
SYBCOM I	2	4	5	18	29	44	14	6			122
SYBCOM J	4	1	8	23	7	85	14	6			148
SYBCOM K	1	3	4	8	28	91	11	4			150
SYBIM	2					23			30		55
SY DB			66								66
SY IA	4								14		18
SY HONS			30				29				59
SY BIE			32				2				34
SY BAF	6	2	15				172	10		47	252
SY BBI			26			38	45	1			110
SY BFM			17				52				69
SYBMS				117	31	96	19	13			276
SYBAMMC A			18	30		3	10	1			62
SYBAMMC B			17	35		1	11				64
SYBAMMC C			16	16		10	26				68
SYBAMMC D			5	2		7	8	1			23
SY BAFTNMP			10	8		6	25				49
SY SIM				11							11
TOTAL	19	10	277	278	106	464	439	57	44	47	1741



Faculty of Science (Traditional)

Sr. No.	Name of the course	Number of F. Y. B. Sc. students	Number of S. Y. B. Sc. students
1.	Sports	--	09
2.	NSS	19	04
3.	NCC	15	05
4.	Cultural	38	06
5.	DLLE	01	01
6.	Yoga (online)	95	--
7.	Law of Attraction & wellbeing	--	82
8.	Green Club	57	61
	Total no. of students	225	168

Resolution: "It was resolved to approve the Co-Curricular Courses selected by the various programs & its evaluation format as approved by the respective Board of Studies."

7. Approval of CE 2 pattern for specific courses at FY level under NEP 2020:

Options for CE 2: 15 Marks (subject to approval of respective BOS)

- 1) Written Test – MCQs / One Sentence Answers / Short Notes
- 2) Assignment and Viva / Report Submission
- 3) PPT Presentation and Viva / Report Submission
- 4) Research Project and Viva / Report Submission
- 5) Field Project and Viva / Report Submission

The CE 2 is applicable only for Major Courses of 4 Credits.

Resolution: "It was resolved to approve the CE 2 pattern for specific courses at FY Level as approved by the respective Board of Studies."



8. Approval of Skill Courses at TY level for the Academic Year 2024-2025:

Certificate Courses Proposed for Academic Year 2024 – 2025 (Commerce)

Sr. No.	Class	Name of the Skill Enhancement Certificate Course	Collaborative Partner
1	First Year Students (Vernacular Students)	Fluentia – English Speaking Course	Self-designed by Department of BC
2	TYBAMMC	Management by E-Commerce	Unikaushal
3	TYBA(FTNMP)	Management by E-Commerce	Unikaushal
4	TYBCom(Honours)	Research Methodology	Unikaushal
5	TYBCom (Accounting & Finance)	Research Methodology	Unikaushal
6	T.Y.B.M.S. (Finance)	Financial Modelling	Unikaushal
7	T.Y.B.M.S. (Marketing)	Business Analysis	Unikaushal
8	TYBCom (Investment Management)	Financial Modelling	Unikaushal
9	TYBCom (Banking & Insurance)	Financial Modelling	Unikaushal
10	TYBCom (Financial Markets)	Financial Modelling	Unikaushal
11	TYBCom	Research Methodology	Unikaushal
12	TYBCom(International Accounting)	Research Methodology	Unikaushal
13	TYBCom (Entrepreneurship)	Marketing Analytics and Strategy	Bodhe Institute
14	TYBCom (Digital Business)	How to effectively market your Business - II	IIDE

Certificate Courses Proposed for Academic Year 2024 – 2025 (Science)

Sr. No.	Department	Name of the Skill Enhancement Certificate Course
1	Physics	Energy Auditing
2	Physics	Installation & Maintenance of Solar Panel for Domestic & Commercial Use
3	Math & Stats	Basics of R Software
4	Math & Stats	Sci Lab
5	Zoology	Aquaculture
6	Zoology	Ornamental Fishes
7	Botany	Taxonomy of Angiosperms
8	Botany	Sales Mark
9	Computer Sc.	Linux Foundation



10	Computer Sc.	Data Base Administration
11	Chemistry	IR Spectroscopy
12	Chemistry	Chemsketch
13	DS & IT	Android Based Applications
14	Actuarial Sc.	Data Science
15	Actuarial Sc.	Developing Soft Skills and Personality
16	Biotechnology	Bioinformatics

Resolution: "It was resolved to approve the above Skill Enhancement Certificate Courses to be introduced at TY Level of the Undergraduate Programs for the Academic Year 2024-2025"

9. Discussion on CEP / OJT for Semester IV, V & VI of NEP 2020:

- This agenda point required to be discussed with the industry people and since there was no member present from the Industry, the Principal suggested to have a separate meeting with the members from the Industry for the deliberation on this point.

10. Approval of any changes made in the Course Curriculum:

1) Changes in the Curriculum of Indian Knowledge System in lieu with the Curriculum of the University of Mumbai:

Module 1: 10 Hours

Introduction to IKS – General Information about Ancient India

Module 2: 10 Hours

Importance of IKS

Module 3: Subject Specific: 10 Hours

Aligned with the Major Subject

2) Changes in the curriculum of AEC (Hindi):

As some of the Non Hindi Learners were facing problems in the curriculum of Hindi, They can adapt to verbal skills but facing difficulty in the written skills. Hence, the BOS of AEC has suggested to divide the syllabus for them into modules, whereby primary and secondary levels can be decided and their spoken skills can be tested with some written skills rather than focusing completely on the written skills in the form of test or examination.

3) Changes in the Departmental Curriculum or Pattern:

a) Economics

Consideration of Department of Economics Students' Club in Co-Curricular Course

The Department of Economics would like to add Dé Planning Forum as Student Based activity under Co-Curricular Course at First Year level from next Academic Year 2025-2026. The department intends to continue its present activities under

the Forum and also include student outreach-based activities and community research-based activities. In the BOS meeting, the members suggested to prepare a year plan for discussion in the next meeting but the college management can add it as an option accordingly if permitted by Academic Council and College Management.

Consideration of Change in Assessment Pattern for Economics

While discussing evaluation pattern, the members suggested to consider activity-based evaluation for the Science Students for the subjects of Principles of Economics and Introduction to Banking and Finance. The Members suggested to consider the pointer with College Management regarding the same.

b) M.Com. (E-Commerce)

Consideration of Practical Exam for Practical Subjects

4 credit practical subjects like Digital Marketing, Web Development will have Practical exam of 50 marks and written exam for 50 marks.

Computer Application in business (2 credits) will have no written exam but practical exam.

c) Environmental Studies

Consideration of Assignments for Internal Assessment

The BOS suggested that instead of traditional written tests, learners can be given written assignments focusing on local, regional and global issues.

Addition of the topic on Water Conservation in Sem II

As per UGC Guidelines the BOS approved the addition of topic on Water Conservation in Unit I of Environmental Education in Sem II.

d) B.Sc. (Interior Design)

The Structure of the Program has been changed to be more practical oriented as per the need of the Program.

Under AEC Course, Sem III & Sem IV, French I & French II have been replaced with Hindi I & Hindi II as per the State Government Guidelines for AEC.

e) Bachelor of Sports Management

Under AEC Course, Sem III & Sem IV, Spanish I & Spanish II have been replaced with Hindi I & Hindi II as per the State Government Guidelines for AEC.

f) Change in the Evaluation Pattern from 75:25 to 60:40 at SY Level for Programs under School of Computational Science & Technology

The School of Computational Science & Technology has proposed the change in Evaluation Pattern from 75:25 to 60:40 at SY Level from the A.C. Year 2024-2025 for B.Sc. (Information Technology), B.Sc. (Computer Science) & B.Sc. (Data Science).

Resolution: "It was resolved to approve the above changes."



11. Approval of Eligibility and Lateral Entry for the program:

Eligibility of the Program:

The Eligibility of all the programs as approved by the respective Board of Studies is approved by the Council.

Lateral Entry:

While admitting any student as the Lateral Entry; subjects / courses and credits earned would be mapped by the Equivalence Committee comprising of Vice Principals, Deans, COE and Head / Coordinator / Senior Faculty of the concerned Department and required measures would be taken to fulfil the requirements.

Resolution: "It was resolved to approve the eligibility and lateral entry norms, as per respective Board of Studies, University and College guidelines and designated committees in the college."

12. Any Other Matter with permission from the Chair:

No other matter was discussed.

The meeting ended with a Vote of Thanks to the Chair.

Prin. (Dr.) C. T. Chakraborty
Chairperson, Academic Council