

POSTGRADUATE DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH AND RESEARCH CENTRE

Minutes of Board of Studies Meetings

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Ernakulam - 682 011

Notice Meeting 2 / BOSE / 2014 /  
Dt 8/12/14.

Agenda :- List of nominated  
 members - & Decision

Minutes :-

Members Present:

- 1) R. Rajashree
- 2) K. P. Ansari - Ansari
- 3) Rekha Karim RK
- 4) Priya Jose K Priya
- 5) Rajesh V. Nair Rajesh
- 6) Lakshmi S. L.S.

1. Names of panelists for the Board of Studies suggested.
2. Re-structuring of the Syllabus discussed.
3. Next meeting to be held on 19.12.2014.  
 Minutes prepared by Lakshmi S. L.S.  
 09/12/2014

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Meeting of the Dept. BOS held in the HoD's room at 11.45 AM on 22.01.2018

Agenda: To finalize Elective Papers for UG Sem V and VI

1. Dr. R. Rajashree. *Rij*
2. RN *✓* (K.P. Ansari)
3. Dr. Rajesh V. Nair.
4. Dr. Lakshmi S. *LS*
5. NISI C.I. *NIS/MS*
6. Sujin.T.V.

Decisions: \* Sem V : 1) Reading Drama - COR 7  
2) Language and Linguistics - COR 8  
3) Literary Criticism (Part II) - COR 9  
4) American and Post Colonial Lit - COR 10  
Elective 5) Continental Lit - ENG5CBP01

Credit for Paper V & VI Sem credits : 5 each

Sem VI : 1) Women's Literature - COR 11  
2) Indian Literature - COR 12  
3) Comparative Literature - COR 13  
4) Commonwealth Literature - COR 14

Elective 5) Dalit Literature - ENG6CBP03

Project credit : 2 each.

Total credits: ~~120~~

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22/1/18  
Dr. R. Rajashree

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MEETING OF THE BOARD OF STUDIES  
IN THE HOD'S ROOM AT 2.00 PM ON

Agenda: Discussion of the amendment  
to be made in the PG Autonomous  
Syllabus designed in 2015.

Members Present:

1. Prof. N. Prasanna Kumar
2. K. P. ANSARI - Ansari
3. Dr. Rohini Nair
4. Dr. Priya Jose
5. P. K. Sreekumar
6. Dr. Sujata TV
7. Lakshmi S.
8. Reena Nair

Decisions:

- Sem I:
- \* Book IX of 'Paradise Lost' to replace
  - \* Any one essay from Addison to be
  - \* "On Reconciliation with America" by Edm  
Burke to replace 'A letter to the Ne  
Lord' by the same author.
  - \* Paper IV: Module IV: 'Pride and Prej  
to replace 'Persuasion'
  - \* 'Jesse Eyre' to be added
  - \* Module V: 'A Dissertation upon a wa  
to replace 'Old China'
  - \* Confessions of an English Opium Eater -

- to replace 'Part-2'
- \* Bernard Shaw's 'Pygmalion' to replace 'Caesar and Cleopatra'
- Sem II \*
- \* Paper VI - Module III - 'Heart of Darkness' to replace 'Lord Jim'
  - \* Add the book 'Postmodern Mind' for recommended reading in
  - \* Paper VII - Module V - An essay to be chosen from 'Thinking Modernism, Writing Postmodernism'
  - \* Paper VIII - Module II - Avoid French / Sanskrit terms - Retain only those related to English
  - \* Module III - Only upto Th. Grammar - Avoid AB and following topics
  - \* Module V - Order to be changed - Sociolinguistics → Psycholinguistics →
  - \* Avoid repetition of bilingualism / multilingualism
  - \* Add Dialectology
  - \* Avoid Translational / Computational Linguistics
  - \* Paper IX - Module V - 'Metaphor and Metonymy' to replace 'What is Poetry?' (both by Roman Jakobson)
  - \* Paper X - Module II - 'Thought the Paraclete' to replace 'Santhi' (Aurindo)

- \* Module III: Kawada's 'Hayaradasu' replace 'The Fire and the Rain'
- \* Module IV: The title story alone be taught from 'The Interpreter' by Thumpa Lahiri.
- Sen 3. \* Paper II: Literary Theory:
  - Module I: Levi Strauss' 'Myth and to replace Saussure'
  - \* Module III: Edmund <sup>Wilson</sup> ~~Williams~~ 'Man and Literature' to replace Raymond
  - \* Raymond Williams to be brought to to Module IV with the essay 'Culture Ordinary'
  - \* Stuart Hall's essay (in MA Viryllon replace Dick Hebdige)
  - \* Jean Baudrillard's 'The Procession of removed.'
- \* Paper 13: Title changed to Europe
- \* Module III: Remove Foucault's 'Rhino' retain only Camus' 'Caligula' \* <sup>I am</sup> ~~few~~ <sup>to</sup> ~~replace~~
- \* Paper 14: Gender Studies:
  - Module I: 'A Room of One's Own' to deleted
  - \* Module V: 'The New Subaltern: A Interview' by Spivak to replace

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## Subaltern Speak?

\* Susan Sellar's essay (any one related to the topic 'Anxiety of Authorship') to replace Harold Bloom.

\* Paper 15:

Module 1: 'The Tiger' to be deleted

\* Sara Joseph's 'Gift in Green' and 'Green Eyes, Running Water' to replace 'The Hungry Tide' and 'God's Pauper'.

Sem 4 \* Paper 16 Elective 01: Dalit Studies:

No changes made.

\* Paper 16: Elective 03: Popular Culture:

Module 5: The essay "A Dance of Death with the Black Bulls of Spain" from 'A Thousand Suns' by Dominique Lapierre to replace 'On Ugliness' by Umberto Eco.

\* Walter Isaacson's 'Steve Jobs' to be limited to one chapter.

\* Elective 02: Translation Studies:

Module 2: An essay from Susan Bennett to replace the present topics.

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Dr. Mathew Joseph

Dr. Jayasree Sukumaran

### Meeting 2

Members present: Dr. Jayasree Sukumaran external expert

R. Rajesh

Dr. Reekha Karim

Dr. Priya Jose K

Dr. Rajesh V Nair

Lakshmi S.

Reena Nair

### Agenda:

To discuss the basic criteria for building a comprehensive syllabus for both the UG and PG batches. Valuable advice was to be

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be taken from the experts given below.

Dr. Mathew Joseph - 9447408195.

Dr. Jayasree Sukumaran

Dr. Sujatha

Dr. Jain Mathew

C.S. Sri. Kartha - Mobile:

President of the Cochin Chamber of Commerce and Industry.

### Agenda:

It was decided that a careful study of the syllabus of various universities should be done before drafting a new syllabus for English PG and UG syllabus for our college.



B.O.S. Meeting on 19/9/15

Minutes :- (3)

## Agenda

### Syllabus formation

#### Members Present

1. R. Rajashree Chair Person.
2. K.P. ANSARI - Ansari
3. Dr. Rajesh V Nair - Dr Nair
4. C. S. KARTHA C.S. Kartha
5. Jain Malini N. Jain Malini N.
6. Sujis T.V. Sujis T.V.
7. LAKSHMI S. Lakshmi S.
8. Reena Nair Reena Nair
9. Sabitha S. Babu Sabitha S. Babu
10. BITEESH V. JOSE Biteesh V. Jose  
19/9/2015

#### Decisions:

Discussed syllabus and allotted papers to individual members of the Board.

9/11/15

Meeting No. (4)

Agenda - 1. ~~A~~ Approval of UG Syllabus for the academic year 2016-2019

2. PG. Syllabus Restructuring and approval

Members Present:

1. Prof. R. Rajashree. Chairperson R.R. 9/11/15
2. Dr. Jayasree Sankaran J.S.
3. Dr. Mathew Joseph M.J. 9/11/2015
4. Prof. Jain Mathew J.M.
5. Prof. Sujya T.V. S.T.V.
6. Prof. Ansari K.P. A.K.P. 9/11/2015
7. Dr. Rajesh V. Nair R.V.N.
8. Lakshari S. L.S.
9. Reena Nair R.N. 9/11/15
10. Sabitha S. Babu S.S.B.
11. C. S. Kartha
12. Bijesh V. Jose B.V.J.

The Board of Studies met on 9.11.2015. The papers presented under different Semesters have been closely scrutinised and the final form that evolved has been verified and approved by all the members of the Board of Studies.

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9/11/15

Meeting No: (5)

20/6/2016

Agenda: Clarification with regard to P.G. and U.G. Syllabus of Autonomous stream 2016-17 onwards.

Members present:

1. Prof. R. Rajashree
2. Dr. Jayasree Sukumaran J.S.
3. Dr. Matthew Joseph M.J.
4. Prof. Jain Matthew J.M.
5. Prof. Ansari KP Ansari
6. Lakshmi S L.S.
7. Reena Nair
8. Sabitha S. Babu
9. Bijesh V. Jose B.V.J.
10. Rajesh V Nair R.V.N.

\* Issues related to the no: of lines and specific chapters to be

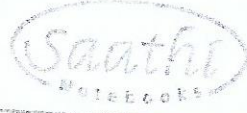
taught were resolved.

\* Lines 1-100 of Prologue

\* Book IV of Paradise Lost

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Date 10/01/2017 : Time 11 am.

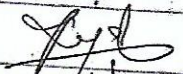


The Dept. Board of Studies met at 11 am in the HoD's room to allot portions and to prepare glossary and question for the I Semester new text books.

Members Present.

1. R. Rajashree HoD.
2. K.P. Ansari Angan
3. Divyajish V. Nair Divya
4. Dr. Lakshmi S. LS
5. Reena Nair RN
6. Sabitha S. Babu S.S.B.
7. Bijish V. Jose.

Portions were divided and allotted to all members equally to be prepared by the end of Feb 2017.

  
10/1/17

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Saathi  
Notebooks

## Meeting

The Dept. B.O.S met at 11 am on 22/5/2017, to approve the new compiled text book of the III Semester DC.

### Members Present:

1. R. Rajashree Rij
2. Dr. Rajesh V. Nair R.V.Nair
3. Reema Nair (approved through mail)
4. Bijish V Jose Bijish
5. Lakshmi S.
6. K.P. Anjali (approved through mail)
7. Dr. Jayaraj Sekumaran J
8. C.S. Kartha
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Suggestions: 1) To include names of editors.  
2) to mention the name of the Degree on the first cover page.

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Meeting of Dept. BOS held in the HOD's room at 1.15 pm on 10.08.2017

Agende:

- \* Finalising the Elective Papers for Sem IV PG
- \* Discussing amendments in PG Sem I and Sem III syllabus

Members Present:

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| 1) R. Rajasheer    | 5) Niji CI |
| 2) Dr. Rohini Nair | 6)         |
| 3) Dr. Sujā T.V.   | 7)         |
| 4) Dr. Lakshmi S.  | 8)         |

Decisions:

- \* Sem IV : The following papers chosen as electives -
  - An Introduction to Dalit Writing
  - Translation Studies
  - Popular Culture
  - Understanding Cinema : Film Theory

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Meeting of the Board of Studies held on 01/11/2017 at 3.30pm.

Agenda: II yr IV Sem 2017 text regard  
Members Present:-

1. Dr. R. Rajashree. HoD.
2. Dr. Sujit T. V. *Sujit*
3. Dr. Rajish V. Nair *RVNair*
4. Dr. Rohini Nair *RNair*
5. Niji. C. I. *Niji*
6. Dr. Lakshmi S. *Lakshmi*

Decisions:-

1. Job Seekers text to maybe bought by the stu
2. Book II, Mod IV & V will be prepared by the BOS members.
3. NCI - Computer aided presentations, visual and sounds.

KPA - Basic computer skills

RN - Debate, social networks for academic purpose.

RVN - E-write, write online.

LS - Content write for website, cyber resource

TVS - MOOCs, online dictionary,

RR - PPoint, presetel, minutes, agenda, blog.

Date for 6<sup>th</sup> Nov 2017.

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