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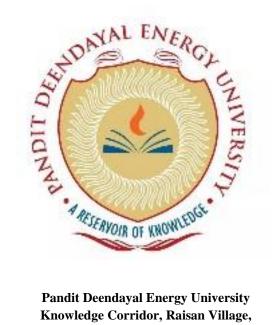
# **Minutes of the Meeting**

of

**Board of Studies (BoS)** 

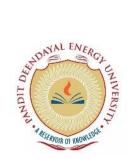
**Department of Physics** 

(Date: 19th December, 2022; Time: 2:00 PM onwards **Venue: E-block 1**<sup>st</sup> **Floor Conference Room**)



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## The following members were present in the meeting:

Sr. No.	Designation	Member Names	
1	Director, SoET	Prof. Anirbid Sircar	
3	Chairman	Dr. Satyam M. Shinde	
4	Department Member-1	Dr. Rohit Srivastava	
5	Department Member-2	Dr. Brijesh Tripathi	
6	Department Member-3	Dr. Prahlad K. Baruah	
7	External academic members-1	Prof. Prafulla K. Jha	
8	External academic member-2	Dr. Vinod Chandra	
9	External professional member-2	Dr. Arvind Singh	
10	UG Student Member-1	Ms. Dhyanavi Rao	
11	UG Student Member-2	Ms. Yashvi Bulasara	
12	PG Student Member	Mr. Nisarg Trivedi	
13	Alumni Member-1	Mr. Sanhit Mehta	
14	Dept. Faculty	Dr. Abhishek Gor	
15	Adminstrative Assistant	Arti Mishra	

The following members were not present in the meeting:

		Faculty Names	
Sr. No.	Designation		
1	Dean, SoET	Dr. Praghnesh Bhatt (Dean, SoET)	
2	External professional member-1	Dr. Rajesh Upadhyay	
3	Alumni Member-2	Mr. Ridhesh Goti	

Agenda 1: To discuss the proposal for elective baskets in B.Sc. Semester 5, 6 and 7.

### **Discussion:**

• The BoS approved the list of subjects proposed in elective basket of B.Sc. Semester 5, 6 and 7. The subjects approved are:

### Basket 1:

- 1. B.Sc. V Astrophysics II/ Intermediate Astrophysics
- 2. B.Sc. VI Gravitation and Cosmology
- 3. B.Sc. VII Particles and Early Universe

#### Basket 2:

- 1. B.Sc. V Radiation Physics elective -I
- 2. B.Sc. VI Radiation Physics elective -II
- 3. B.Sc. VII Radiation Physics elective -III

#### **Basket 3:**

- 1. B.Sc. V Bioinformatics elective I
- 2. B.Sc. VI Bioinformatics elective II
- 3. B.Sc. VII Bioinformatics elective III



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- The syllabi and the final course names are to be presented in the next BoS meeting. The syllabi will be shared among the BoS members for their inputs.
- The Director SoET suggested reducing the credits of B.Sc. course from 189 to around 165. For this, he suggested to transform some credit course into audit course and reduce credit of Major project. Department can coordinate with Chemistry and Mathematics department for the revision of credits.

## Agenda 2: Other proposed elective courses for B.Sc. Physics and M.Sc. Physics programs

### **Discussion:**

- Dr. Brijesh Tripathi proposed a course titled Introduction to Biomedical Imaging Systems, subject to be offered in Elective basket of Semester 7 (B.Sc.). However, the members of the BoS felt that this requires more planning and discussion and so it was suggested to take this in next BoS meeting.
- In M.Sc. Semester 3, the subject, Machine Learning in Science is proposed as one of the Elective subjects. The elective for M.Sc. can be included for all specializations. For this, the BoS members agreed upon the suggestion. The draft of the syllabus is to be presented for approval in next BoS Meeting.

### Agenda 3: To discuss the proposed changes in the existing B.Sc., M.Sc. and B.Tech courses.

#### Discussion:

- (A) Minor revision in the Course Outcomes of 17BSP301T Waves and Optics.
- (B) Shuffling and deletion of content in 16BSP101T University Physics I.
- (C) Addition of a tutorial session in the existing structure and deletion of topics in the M.Sc. course 21MSP502T Mathematical Physics.

The summary of course content revision is attached as Annexure I. The syllabus files with marked revisions are attached as Annexure II.

**Resolution:** The BoS members approved the proposed revisions.

### Agenda 4: Nomenclature of B.Sc., M.Sc. Physics grade sheet

#### **Discussion:**

The BoS approved the nomenclature for B.Sc. and M.Sc. Physics as mentioned below:

Sr. No.	Name of the Program	Nomenclature to be printed on the grade sheet (Sem 3 Onwards)	Nomenclature to be printed on the Degree certificate
1	B.Sc. (Physics)	B.Sc. (Hons.) (Physics)*	BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (HONS.) (Physics)
2	M.Sc. (Physics)	M.Sc. (Physics)	MASTER OF SCIENCE (Physics)

<sup>\*</sup>For Semester 1 and 2, B.Sc. (Hons) will be printed on grade sheet.



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The meeting ended with a vote of thanks.

Dr. Satyam Shinde

**BOS Chairman**