

MAHARSHI DAYANAND UNIVERSITY, ROHTAK
DEPARTMENT OF ZOOLOGY

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF PGBOS HELD ON 22-05-2018 AT 2.30 P.M. IN THE
OFFICE OF HEAD, DEPARTMENT OF ZOOLOGY

The following members were present: -

Prof. Vineeta Shukla	Chairman
Prof. Minakshi Sharma	Member
Dr. Sudesh Rani	Member
Dr. Vinay Malik	Member

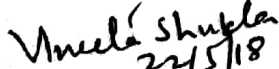
THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING IS AS UNDER

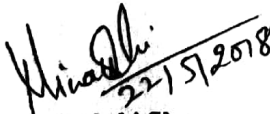
1. All the members of PGBOS discussed that the dissertation may be replaced from Session 2019-20 by either Project work/Field work/ Group Seminars/Theory papers/Laboratory Courses as the number of student intake is 40 per year in the department and each teacher has to supervise more than 6 students per session, hence it is not possible to satisfy students to work in the laboratory of teacher concerned, being specialised to his/her field and in need of costly chemicals for the dissertation work. Hence, it is not feasible to go for dissertation work, as there is no separate funding from the University for M.Sc. Dissertation.
2. It was resolved that as per recommendations of Departmental Committee held on 22-05-2018 AT 12.30 P.M. as placed below :

The departmental committee considered the dissertation course introduced in CBCS scheme for PG courses in Semester IV as proposed in SOE Zoology (CBCS) w.e.f.2016-17. There is provision in the CBCS ordinance which is reproduced as below:

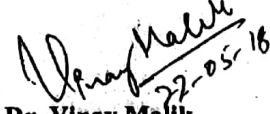
3. **Project/Field Work/Dissertation/Group Seminars**
 1. It is a special paper where a candidate carries out the application of knowledge in solving/studying/exploring a real life/difficult problem in a creative way. Depending upon the scope and time framework available, the project work/Field work/ dissertation/Group Seminar may be of 2, 4, 8 or 20 credits.

Further, the PGBOS proposes to introduce one/two theory papers and their laboratory course along with seminar as per credit requirements of CBCS scheme in place of Dissertation work in Semester IV as proposed in SOE Zoology (CBCS) w.e.f.2016-17. Dissertation may be replaced from Session 2019-20 by either Project work/Field work/ Group Seminars/Theory papers/Laboratory Courses at par with other State Universities equivalent to 20 credits. It was resolved to send the above proposal to Dean Life Science with the request to place the matter in next meeting of Faculty for consideration and further necessary action.


Dr. Vineeta Shukla
Chairman


Dr. Minakshi Sharma
Member


Dr. Sudesh Rani
Member


Dr. Vinay Malik
Member