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Date : 5/3/2025

Academic Council

Notice of the Meeting

REVISED

All the honorable members of Academic Council of Vivekanand College, Kolhapur (An Empowered Autonomous Institute) are informed hereby that the meeting of the Council for the academic year 2024-25 is scheduled on Thursday, 6th March 2025 at 11.00 a.m. in hybrid mode (online through Google Meet platform and offline in the college board room). The link of the meeting will be provided on the previous day of the meeting.

Please make it convenient to be present on time.

The revised agenda of the meeting is as follows:

1. Confirmation of minutes of the previous meeting.
2. To finalize the structure of curriculum for UG Part-III under NEP 1.0, UG Part-II under 2.0
3. To discuss and approve syllabi and internal evaluation pattern for the newly approved curricula.
4. To discuss and finalize the nature of OJT and internship policy.
5. To discuss and approve the syllabi and curricula structure and evaluation pattern of newly approved programmes to be introduced from academic year 2025-26 (1.M.A. in Correctional Administration 2.Master of Rural Studies, 3)M.Sc.Geoinformatics and 4.M.Sc.Zoology)
6. To discuss and approve the value added courses to be offered during 2025-26.
7. To discuss the rough draft of framework for MOOC to be launched from 2025-26.(2/4 Credit)
8. To discuss and finalize the syllabi of AICTE approved UG (BBA & BCA) and PG (MBA & MCA) professional programs.
9. To approve equivalence of M.Sc.Applied Statistics programme with M.Sc. Statistics.
10. To discuss and approve teaching and evaluation pattern of B.Com.I & II as per NEP 2.0.
11. To present analysis of feedback on curriculum taken from stakeholders.
12. To approve policy regarding Grace Marks for sports Students.
13. Any other matter with the permission of the Chair.



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Dr. R. R. Kumbhar
PRINCIPAL

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Vivekanand College, Kolhapur (Empowered Autonomous)
Academic Council Meeting 2024-25
Attendance

Date: 06.03.2025

Sr.	Name of the Member	Category	signature
1	Prin. Dr. R. R. Kumbhar	Chairman	<i>Reu</i>
Heads of Departments			
2	Dr. E.B. Alwekar	Marathi	<i>ma</i>
3	Dr. A. S. Mahat	Hindi	<i>Amratha</i>
4	Dr. K. D. Tiwade	English	
5	Dr. S. R. Kattimani	History	<i>S. R. Kattimani</i>
6	Dr. Govardhan Ubale	Geography	<i>GU</i>
7	Mr. H.V. Chame	Sociology	<i>H.V. Chame</i>
8	Dr. K.S. Patil	Economics	<i>K.S. Patil</i>
9	Ms. Samiksha Farakate	Political Sc.	<i>for Samiksha Farakate</i>
10	Dr. Urmila Khot	Home Sc.	<i>online</i>
11	Mr. Sunny S. Kale	Commerce	<i>Sunny S. Kale</i>
12	Dr. Somnath Kale	Business Economics	<i>SK</i>
13	Dr. C. J. Kamble Dr. S. S. Latthe	Physics	<i>sslatthe</i>
14	Dr. S. D. Shirke	Chemistry	<i>SD Shirke</i>
15	Mr. S. P. Thorat	Mathematics	<i>Thorat</i>
16	Mrs. V. V. Pawar	Statistics	<i>VP</i>
17	Dr. C. B. Patil	Electronics	<i>CB Patil</i>
18	Dr. V. B. Waghmare	Computer Sc.	<i>online</i>
19	Dr. B. T. Dangat	Botany	<i>B. T. Dangat</i>
20	Dr. G. K. Sontakke	Zoology	<i>for G. K. Sontakke</i>
21	Ms. V. V. Misal	Microbiology	<i>MS</i>
22	Mr. S. G. Kulkarni	Bio-technology (En.t & Opt.)	<i>S.G.</i>



23	Mrs. Viraj Jadhav	BBA/MBA	<i>V. Jadhav</i>
24	Mr. Vijay Pujai	BCA/MCA	<i>Vijay</i>
25	Mrs. P. M. Desai	BCS	<i>P. Desai</i>
26	Mr. A. M. Mane	Foundry Technology	<i>A. Mane</i>
27	Mr. Rahul Ingawale	Graphic Design	<i>R. Ingawale</i>
28	Mr. Raviraj Sutar	Photography & Videography	<i>Raviraj</i>
29	Mr. Mahesh Mali	Animation	
Teacher representative			
30	Mrs. R. Y. Patil	Comp. Sci.	<i>R. Patil</i>
31	Mr. S.P. Thorat	Mathematics	<i>S. Thorat</i>
Experts from outside the college			
32	Dr. A. A. Karande	Education	<i>A. Karande</i>
33	Dr. M. P. Bachulkar	Science	<i>M. Bachulkar</i>
34	Mrs. Diya Menon <i>Mr. Anil Shaha</i>	Industry	
35	Dr. Asha Shitole	Medicine	
University Nominees			
36	Dr. K.Y. Rajpure	Dept. of Physics, Shivaji University, Kolhapur	<i>K. Rajpure</i>
37	Dr. R.V. Gurav	Dept. of Botany, Shivaji University, Kolhapur.	<i>R. Gurav</i>
38	Dr. Sambhaji D. Shinde	Dept. of Geography, Shivaji University, Kolhapur.	<i>S. Shinde</i>
39	Dr. S. M. Joshi	Member secretary	<i>S. Joshi</i>

Dr. A.S. Kumbhar
Dr. G.J. Mavale

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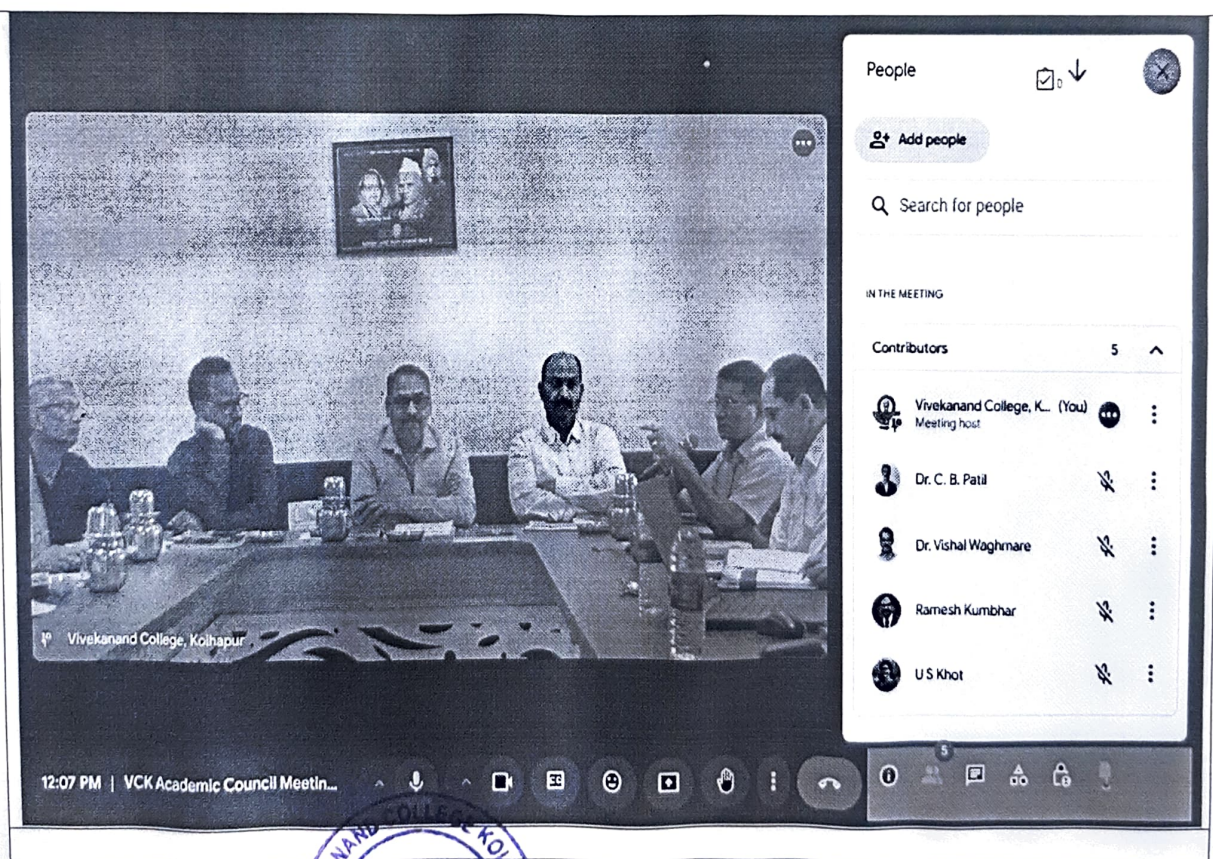
Dr. K.Y. Rajpure
Dr. R.V. Gurav

Physics SUC
Botany, SUC

K. Rajpure
R. Gurav









Dr. C. B. Patil (Presenting)

V	DSC-IX (2) Electronics -IX DSC-X (2) Electronics-X DSC-XI (2) Electronics -XI DSC Electronics Lab-5 (6)	DSE-I (2) Electronics-I	MIN-XI(2) Physics-IX MIN Physics Lab- 5 (2)	VSC - PR-IV (2) Computer Network-I Lab	
Credits	6+6=12	2+0=2	2+2=4	2	
VI	DSC-XII (2) Electronics -XII DSC-XIII (2) Electronics -XII DSC-XIV (2) Electronics -XIV DSC Electronics Lab-6 (6)	DSE-II (2) Electronics-II	MIN-XI(2) Physics-X MIN Physics Lab- 6 (2)	VSC - PR-V (2) Computer Network-II Lab	
Credits	6+6=12	2+0=2	2+2=4	2	
3 rd year Cumulative Credits	24	4	8	4	
3-years Cumulative Credits	52/48 DSC	4 DSE	32/24 Minor	129 IDC/MDC/OE/GE	100 SEC
With minimum 129 credits in Major with 132 credits OR					
VII	DSC-XV (4) DSC-XVI (4) DSC Practical-IV (2) DSC Practical-V (2)	DSE-III			



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VIVEKANAND COLLEGE, KOLHAPUR
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Minutes of the Academic Council meeting
Held on 06.03.2025

A meeting of the Academic Council of Vivekanand College, Kolhapur for the academic year 2024-25 was held on Thursday, 06th March, 2025 at 11.0 a.m. in hybrid mode (online through Google Meet platform and offline in the College Board room).

The link of the meeting - <https://meet.google.com/ugh-yxhh-ngp?hs-224>

Members Present:

1	Prin.Dr.R.R.Kumbhar	Chairman	21	Mr. V.V. Pujari	BCA(Online)
2	Dr. E. B. Alwekar	Marathi	22	Mrs. P. M. Desai	BCS (Online)
3	Dr. A. S. Mahat	Hindi	23	Mr. Raviraj Sutar	Photography & Videography
4	Mr.Rahul Ingawale	Graphic Design	24	Mr. Abhijit Mane	Foundry Technology
5	Dr. S.R. Kattimani	History	25	Dr. Somnath Kale	Business communication
6	Dr. G.B. Ubale	Geography (Online)			
7	Mr. H.V. Chame	Sociology (Online)		Teacher representative	
8	Dr. K.S. Patil	Economics	26	Mr. S. P. Thorat	Mathematics
9	Ms. S.A. Farakate	Political Science	27.	Mrs. R. Y. Patil	Comp.sci.
10	Ms.U. S. Khot	Home Science (Online)		Experts from outside the college	
11	Mr.S. S.Kale	Commerce	28	Dr. A. A. Karande	Education (Online)
12	Dr. S.D. Shirke	Chemistry (Online)	29	Dr. M. P. Bachulkar	Science
13	Mr. S. P. Patankar	Mathematics (Online)		University Nominees	
14	Dr. C.B.Patil	Electronics (Online)			
15	Dr. V. B. Waghmare	Computer Science	30	Dr. K.Y. Rajpure	Dept. of Physics, Shivaji University, Kolhapur
16	Dr. B.T. Dangat	Botany (Online)	31	Dr. R.V. Gurav	Dept. of Botany, Shivaji University, Kolhapur.



17	Ms. V. V. Misal	Microbiology(Online)	32	Dr. Sambhaji D. Shinde	Dept. of Geography Shivaji University
18	Mr. S. G. Kulkarni	Bio-tech(Ent& Opt.) (Online)	33	Dr. S. M. Joshi	Member secretary
19	Mr. M.S. Mujawar	BBA(Online)			
20	Dr. G.K. Sontakke	Zoology			

Absent Members:

1. Dr. K.D. Tiwade- English
2. Mr. Mahesh Mali - Animation
3. Mr. Amol Shaha - Industry- Experts from outside the college
4. Dr. Asha Shitole - Medicine - Experts from outside the college

Proceedings of the meeting are as followed:

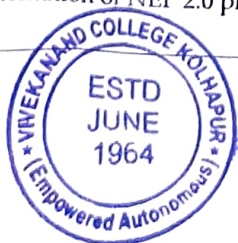
As the tenure of the previous University representatives was over, new members are nominated from the academic year 2024-25 on the Academic Council. The members of Academic council welcomed these new members - Dr. K.Y. Rajpure, Dr. R.V. Gurav and Dr. Sambhaji D. Shinde.

As Prin. Dr. Kumbhar had joined online, the meeting proceeded in his physical absence.

Item No.1 : Confirmation of minutes of the previous meeting.

The member secretary Dr. Shruti Joshi read the minutes and action taken report of the previous meeting held on 05/09/2024. They were approved unanimously by the members.

Item no.	Item Head	Action Taken
2	To finalize the syllabi of M.B.A. part I course to be implemented from the academic year 2024-25.	M.B.A. Part I syllabus framed according to AICTE norms is being implemented successfully during 2024-25.
3	To finalize the syllabi of MCA Part I to be implemented from the academic year 2024-25.	M.C.A. Part I syllabus framed according to AICTE norms is being implemented successfully during 2024-25.
4	To finalize the syllabi of M.A. Part I (Geography) to be implemented from the academic year 2024-25.	M.A. Part I syllabus framed according to the guidelines of NEP 2020 is being implemented successfully during 2024-25.
5	To finalize the syllabi of Hotel Management and Tourism Studies Part-I degree course to be implemented from the academic year 2024-25.	Hotel Management and Tourism Studies Part I syllabus framed according to the guidelines of NEP 2020 is being implemented successfully during 2024-25.
6	To discuss and approve the implementation of NEP 2.0 phase.	The curriculum and evaluation pattern (with ATKT rules changed from 33% to 50% as per SUK guidelines) was finalized.



	Accordingly, at UG Part II level the structure of NEP 2.0 will be applied from the academic year 2025-26. BoSs will finalize syllabi accordingly.
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Item No.2 : To finalize the structure of curriculum for UG Part-III under NEP 1.0, UG Part-II under 2.0

Dr. C. B. Patil, Nodal officer for NEP implementation, presented the structure of curriculum for UG Part-III under NEP (1.0) as well as UG Part-II under Phase 2.0 which will be implemented from 2025-26.

Dr. R.V. Gurav mentioned that OE (Open Electives) must be offered across the faculties. However, it was explained by the nodal officer that our college has accepted multi-disciplinary not inter-faculty approach. All autonomous colleges within SUK have accepted the same pattern. Dr. Gurav cautioned that in the future, it should be broad spectrum offering.

It was resolved that all the BoSs need to work upon it.

Item No.3 : To discuss and approve syllabi and internal evaluation pattern for the newly approved curricula.

Dr. S.R. Kattimani, Dean, Arts and Humanities, presented the syllabi and internal evaluation pattern for the newly approved curricula. There was a brief discussion about the Cos framed according to cross-cutting issues, local-global relevance and employability skills.

Dr. A. A. Karande advised that through skill-based CIE, the background for OJT (On-Job-Training) should be prepared. The 10 marks for internal assessment must be based on "Learning through Doing" principal. He suggested that there should be a brain-storming in the BoSs regarding this.

Item No.4 : To discuss and finalize the nature of OJT and internship policy.

Dr. C. B. Patil explained the policy framed for OJT and internship. At UG level, for 2 credits, there will be 60 hrs' training. At PG level, for 4 credits, there will be 120 hrs' training.

Dr. Gurav stressed that a rigorous feedback should be taken on OJT from the collaborating agency/industry in order to check the credibility of the students undergoing OJT.

Item No.5 : To discuss and approve the syllabi and curricula structure and evaluation pattern of newly approved programmes to be introduced from academic year 2025-26

From the academic year, the following programmes will be newly introduced:

1. M.A.(Correctional Administration)
2. M.A. (Rural Studies)
3. M.Sc. (Geo-informatics)
4. M.Sc. (Zoology)

The co-ordinators of these programmes presented the draft syllabi and proposed evaluation structure.



Item No.6 : To discuss and approve the value added courses to be offered during 2025-26.

A list of proposed value added courses which will be offered by various departments during 2025-26 is prepared. It was approved by the members and details were discussed.

Item No.7: To discuss the rough draft of framework for MOOC to be launched from 2025-26.(2/4 Credit)

MOOCs are incorporated in the NEP(2.0) curriculum at various stages. Departments are asked to prepare four quadrant courses for 2/4 credits which will be launched on college LMS. The topics of these courses were discussed and finalised.

Item No.8 : To discuss and finalize the syllabi of AICTE approved UG (BBA & BCA) and PG (MBA & MCA) professional programs.

Mr. V. B. Pujari , coordinator of MCA, presented the structure of curriculum syllabi and evaluation pattern of AICTE approved UG (BBA & BCA) and PG (MBA & MCA) professional programs which are offered during 2024-25. Online MOOCs will be offered and students have to complete 3 out of 5 courses.

Item No.9 To approve equivalence of M.Sc.Applied Statistics programme with M.Sc. Statistics.

Prin. Dr. R. R. Kumbhar informed the members that the BoS of Statistics has tried to establish an equivalence between the syllabi of M.Sc. (Statistics) and M.Sc. (Applied Statistics) offered by our college. This is done as for the post of Assistant Professor in Statistics, during appointment procedure, the equivalence is needed. He further informed that 80% similarity between the syllabi of both Applied Statistics and Statistics PG programmes is needed. Accordingly, BoS has appointed a sub-committee and the members of this sub-committee have submitted report of equivalence of these courses.

Item No.10 To discuss and approve teaching and evaluation pattern of B.Com.I & II as per NEP 2.0.

Mr. Sunny Kale informed that in NEP (1.0), Commerce faculty had accepted 80:20 evaluation pattern for the curriculum offered during 2024-25. However, considering the uniformity in all programmes, it was discussed to change the evaluation pattern from 80:20 to 40:10. The same course will be split into two papers. This change was approved by the members of Academic council with some inputs.

Item No.11: To present analysis of feedback on curriculum taken from stakeholders.

Dr. Joshi presented the analysis of feedback on curriculum taken from stakeholders.

Item No.12 To approve policy regarding Grace Marks for sports Students.

Dr. G. J. Navathe , CoE, presented the policy of allotting Grace Marks to the sports persons. The policy is briefly as follows:

1. There will be a separate exam of 100 marks scheduled for sports persons at the end of each academic year.



2. Out of Total 100 marks, 60 marks will be granted for performance in tournaments and 40 marks for a theory exam.
3. Students will be granted marks (out of 60) for participation and winning medals at zonal (4), interzonal (8), state (12), national (16) or international (20) level sports tournaments.
4. The theory exam will be offline and MCQ based, related to the game the student is involved in.
5. These marks will not be carried forward to the next academic year.
6. These marks will not be considered for securing Merit Scholarship.

This policy is framed in order to avoid the academic loss of sports persons who bring accolades to the institute through their performance.

The members of Academic Council approved and finalised the Grace Marks policy

Item No.13 : Any other matter with the permission of the Chair.

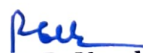
1. Taking decision regarding Four year degree programme.

The curriculum of UG 4th year (Honors) and PG Part I will be equivalent. As UG 4th year will be research based, there might arise problems regarding classrooms and research labs. Also, there will be problems regarding work-load if the fourth year is not grantable.

Dr. S. D. Shinde suggested that we should wait for the Government guidelines regarding these matters and then, take final decision whether to start the four year degree programme.

As there was no other matter to discuss, the meeting ended with the permission of the Chair. A vote of thanks was extended by Prof. Sanjay Thorat.




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