

Minutes of the Board of Post-Graduate Studies in English meeting held in the Department of English on 27-07-23 at 10 a.m.

The meeting was held in order to update and revise the syllabus for the MA English Programme. The members examined and reviewed the current MA syllabus and after due discussion and deliberation, modifications and revisions were recommended. This included the revision of old courses as well as the introduction of various new courses. The chair apprised the members of the directions received from the office of the Dean, Academic Affairs to comply with the NEP (2020) recommendations and to focus on employability/skill development factor while framing new courses. Accordingly, new courses pertaining to Writing Skills, Communication skills, Business English, Creative writing and Writing for the Media were framed. In addition, courses related to gender, environment and other social concerns were also framed. The syllabus now caters to canonical English literature, Indian and American literature, gender-based courses as well as courses with contemporary relevance. While framing the content for Core courses, DCEs and OE and GE courses, the aim was to keep latest trends and developments in English Studies in mind and the syllabus was framed accordingly.

Members Present

Prof Iffat Maqbool (Convener)

Prof Simi Malhotra

Prof Akshaya Kumar

Prof Nusrat Jan

Prof Mufti Mudasir

Prof Aejaz Mohammad Sheikh

Prof Sabeha Mufti

Dr Tasleem Ahmad War

Prof Yasmeen Farooq

Dr Muzaffar Karim

Dr Javaid Iqbal

Dr Shabir Hussain

Dr Qazi Khursheed Ahmad

Dr Ameen Parray

Mr Shahnawaz Muntazir

Ms Sana Altaf


Prof Iffat Maqbool
(Chairperson)

Prof. and Head
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The following members who were present at the meeting of the BOPGS in English recommended the syllabus for M A English Programme w.e.f August, 2023.

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