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The 2nd Meeting of the Academic Council of Parle Tilak Vidyalaya Association's Mulund College of Commerce (Autonomous) will be held on Wednesday, 13th April, 2022 at 11-00am. in an Online mode to consider the following agenda. The link for the meeting will be sent a day prior to the day of the meeting.

You are kindly requested to attend.

A G E N D A

1) To read and confirm the minutes of the meeting of 1st Academic Council held on 30th October 2021.

2) Action taken Report :

Agenda points	ATR
To approve and recommend the syllabi proposed by the Boards of Studies for various UG and PG programs - B.Com, BAF, BBI, BFM, BMS, BAMMC, IT, CS, M.Com AA, M.Com B & F, M.Com Management, M.Sc. IT.	Implemented from academic year 2021-22.
To approve and recommend the scheme of the examinations to be adopted from the AY 2021 - 22.	Implemented Suggestions made by Academic Council have been incorporated.
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Research Conclave held on 29 th January 2022	Details placed.

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4) To approve and recommend the syllabi proposed by the Boards of Studies for two new programs - B.Sc. Data Science and M.Sc. Finance for semester - I & II of the Academic year 2022-23.

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- 5) To approve and recommend the proposed Certificate Courses for the AY 2022 - 23.
- 6) To approve and recommend the Academic Calendar for the AY 2022 - 23.
- 7) To report on Research activities conducted in the AY 2021-22.
- 8) To report on the promotions under the CAS.
- 9) To report on IQAC activities for the AY 2021-22.
- 10) Any other business with the permission of the chair.


Dr.Sulbha Dey
Member Secretary


Dr.Sonali Pednekar
Principal

1. Prin.Dr.Sonali Pednekar
2. Dr.Abhijit Phadnis
3. Mr.Sunil Sathe
4. Prof.Sunil Bhagwat
5. Mr.Pravin Mulye
6. Prof.Kavita Laghate
7. Dr.Mala Lalvani
8. Prin.Dr.Suhasini V.Sant
9. Dr.K.G.Rajan
10. Dr.S.K.Dongre
11. Dr.Arjun Lakhe
12. Mrs.Shilpa Thakur
13. CA Mr.P.V.Lele
14. Dr.S.V.Rane

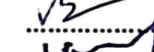
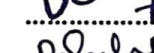
15. Dr.S.A.Pawar
16. Mr.B.Seshadri
17. Mr.Amit Yadav
18. Dr.Pramila D'Souza
19. Dr.Shayeree Ghosh
20. Dr.Hiren Dand
21. Mrs.Reena Nagda
22. Dr.Vijayalakshmi Kannan
23. Ms.Seema Ashar
24. Mr.Jayanta Ghorpade
25. CA Vinay Gudi
26. Dr.Rajashri Deshpande
27. CA Vinaya Marathe
28. Dr.Sulbha Dey

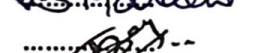














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13th April 2022

Minutes of Academic Council Meeting held on 13th April 2022

The 2nd Academic Council meeting was held on Wednesday, 13th April, 2022 at 11 am in an online mode. The Principal, Dr. Sonali Pednekar, welcomed all the members present for the meeting.

Following members were present for the meeting.

1	Prin.Dr.Sonali Pednekar	15	Dr.K.G.Rajan
2	Dr.Abhijit Phadnis	16	Mr.Amit Yadav
3	Mr.Sunil Sathe	17	Dr.Pramila D'Souza
4	Prof.Sunil Bhagwat	18	Mr.B.Seshadri
5	Mr.Pravin Mulye	19	Dr.Hiren Dand
6	Prof.Kavita Laghate	20	Mrs.Reena Nagda
7	Dr.Mala Lalvani	21	Dr.Vijayalakshmi Kannan
8	Dr. Suhasini V. Sant	22	Ms.Seema Ashar
9	Dr.S.K.Dongre	23	Mr.Jayanta Ghorpade
10	Dr.Arjun Lakhe	24	CA Vinay Gudi
11	Mrs.Shilpa Thakur	25	Dr.Rajashree Deshpande
12	CA Mr.P.V.Lele	26	CA Vinaya Marathe
13	Dr.S.V.Rane	27	Mrs.Sulbha Dey
14	Dr.S.A.Pawar	28	Dr.Shayeree Ghosh

- 1) To read and confirm the minutes of the meeting of 1st Academic Council held on 30th October 2021.

Minutes of the meeting of the 1st Academic Council meeting held on 30th October 2021 were read and confirmed.

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Research Conclave held on 29 th January 2022	Details placed.	Noted the fact

3) To approve and recommend the syllabi proposed by the Boards of Studies for various UG and PG programs - B.Com, BAF, BBI, BFM, BMS, BAMMC, IT, CS, M.Com - A/c., M.Com.- B & F, M.Com.- Management, M.Sc. IT for semesters III & IV of the Academic year 2022-23.

Dr. Rajan presented the details of the proposed syllabus for B.Com and Dr. Hiren Dand presented the details of the proposed syllabi for all SFC and PG programmes. The Council was informed that each UG program's, semesters III and IV would have courses of 20 credits per semester (as per the norms of the University of Mumbai). In addition to 20 credits, all BOS have recommended 2 extra credits to be earned by the learner. A total of 22 credits could be earned by the learner per semester.

Prof. Kavita Laghate suggested that the use of the word "Elective" should be avoided if students are not given options to choose the course.

It was suggested by Council members that the Course 'Research Methodology in Accounting and Finance' of the programme SYBAF should be renamed as 'Research Methodology in Commerce and Accountancy'

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CA. Dr. Abhijit Phadnis advised to include fundamental definitions and practical application of the management tools for the course Management Accounting across all programmes of semester III and IV.

Mr. Vinay Gudi informed that practical insights of the course would be introduced in the next cycle of BOS meetings and fundamental definitions are already present in the next semesters of the course. CA. Dr. Abhijit Phadnis offered to give his suggestions when the revamping of the subject takes place in the next cycle.

CA. Dr. Abhijit Phadnis requested that while sending the proposed syllabus for approval of any course for a specific semester, the syllabi of all other semesters should also be sent in order to have an overall picture of that course. The Principal agreed and confirmed the same.

Dr. Mala Lalvani suggested to change the name of the course 'Indirect Tax- Introduction to GST' (M.Com in Advanced Accountancy) to 'Essentials of GST' or 'Basics of GST'.

"RESOLVED THAT the syllabi proposed by the Boards of Studies for various UG and PG programs - B.Com, BAF, BBI, BFM, BMS, BAMMC, IT, CS, M.Com AA, M.Com B& F, M.Com Management, M.Sc. IT was approved and be implemented from the AY 2022-23."

Dr. Shivaji Pawar

Prof. Kavita Laghate

Proposed By

Seconded By

Carried Unanimously

4) To approve and recommend the syllabi proposed by the Boards of Studies for two new programs - B.Sc. Data Science and M.Sc. Finance for semesters - I & II of the Academic year 2022-23.

Dr. Hiren Dand and Dr. Rajashree Deshpande explained the details of courses of B.Sc Data Science and of M.Sc. Finance respectively.

With reference to the program, B.Sc Data Science it was suggested by Prof. Kavita Laghate that marks and credits given to Practical and Theory should be decided considering the number of hours required to teach them. Dr. Mala Lalvani pointed out that practical sessions require more hours. Dr. Hiren Dand clarified that the credits and marks are given as per the University norms. However, Dr. Hiren Dand assured that this would be discussed in their next BOS meeting.

With reference to M.Sc. Finance, Dr. Rajashree stated that learners of any stream are eligible for admission to the programme provided they have studied the course Mathematics or Quantitative Methods at the graduation level.

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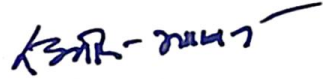


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Prof. Sunil Bhagwat pointed out that the learners may have difficulty in acquiring employment due to differences in their streams at the undergraduate and postgraduate levels. Prof. Sunil Bhagwat insisted that the learners of this program should be made aware of the difficulty in recruitment at the time of admission. The Principal assured the same to Council members. Prof. Kavita Laghate shared with the Council members that the same programme was also introduced by the University of Mumbai after taking input from experienced people in the industry. She expressed her happiness that Mulund College of Commerce had introduced this program.

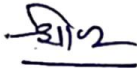
“RESOLVED THAT the syllabi proposed by the Boards of Studies for the two new programs – B.Sc. Data Science and M.Sc. Finance be approved and implemented for the semester I & II from the AY 2022 – 23.”

Dr. Shivaji Pawar


Prof. Sunil Bhagwat

Proposed By

Seconded By



Carried Unanimously

5) To approve and recommend the proposed Certificate Courses from the AY 2022 – 23.

Ms. Reena Nagda briefed the Council members about the Certificate Courses which were proposed by the BOS for Semesters III and IV. It was also informed by her that the admission for these courses would be open for Non-MCC students as well.

Prof. Sunil Bhagwat suggested keeping the duration of all the courses uniform i.e. either 30 or 45 hrs. Ms. Reena Nagda agreed to rework on the same and put the matter for discussion at the next BOS meeting.

“RESOLVED THAT the proposed Certificate courses be adopted from the AY 2022-23.”

Dr Hiren Dand

Dr. Arjun Lakhe

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Carried Unanimously





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6) To approve and recommend the Academic Calendar for the AY 2022 – 23.

Dr. Pramila D'souza explained in detail the Academic Calendar for the Academic year 2022-23. The Principal also pointed out that 2 sets of Academic Calendars were made. One was for the information of all stakeholders and the other for internal administration. The internal administration calendar also has the schedule of all the meetings which are expected to held during the year. She stressed that it would enable to have smooth administrative functioning.

"RESOLVED THAT the Academic Calendar be adopted for the Academic year 2022-23."

Dr. Rajashree Deshpande

Mr. Jayanta Ghorpade

Proposed By

Seconded By

Carried Unanimously

7) To report on Research activities conducted in the AY 2021-22

Dr Rajashree Deshpande informed the Council members that there were two activities held by the Research Committee.

- An informative session on how to draft a qualitative Research paper by Dr. Moushami Datta.
- Research Conclave which was held in January 2022, where faculty and students presented their research papers and the best papers were awarded cash prizes.

Dr Rajashree Deshpande also informed the Council members that out of the 80 research papers received from students and faculty, 18 papers of faculty were published in peer-reviewed journals.

Dr. Mala Lalvani suggested that the research culture in the college should be strengthened further and faculty should be encouraged to publish in SCOPUS index journals.

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Dr. Shivaji Pawar informed the Council members that the Research Centre of the college had currently registered 3 students for their Ph.D. All three students had completed their course work in Research Ethics.

Dr. Mala Lalvani inquired whether there is a six-monthly/annual presentation for Ph.D. students or any other activities where students would be meeting and exchanging their views. The Principal informed that the students had been just inducted and their research title would be soon approved by the RCC and after which the presentations will take place.

Prof. Sunil Bhagwat wanted to know whether the Research Center would be conducting a Research Methodology and Research Innovation course for these students, to which the Principal replied in affirmative.

8) To report on the promotions under the CAS

Dr. Arjun Lakhe informed the Council that 3 faculty had applied for promotions under CAS out of which one was promotion from Stage 4 (Associate Professor) to Stage 5 (Professor) and two from Stage 2 (Senior scale) to Stage 3 (Selection Grade). The due procedures were followed and the files have been submitted to the concerned authorities for further action.

He further informed that our college librarian was the first in the University to be promoted from Stage 4 to stage 5. All members congratulated him on his achievement.

9) To report on IQAC activities for the AY 2021-22

Mr. Amit Yadav reported that the IQAC had been very proactive in standardizing the processes related to autonomy. IQAC prepared the framework for BOS syllabus revision and for awarding additional credits to learners. IQAC had arranged for orientation of the first-year learners. Manuals for mentors had been designed and policy documents and codes of conduct for all stakeholders had also been devised by the IQAC. It was emphasized by him that all new templates were created keeping in mind the new requirements of Autonomy. The Principal congratulated the IQAC on the remarkable job done by them.

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The Principal informed that as per the NEP of UGC, colleges with a NAAC rating of more than 3.26 are eligible for offering online Degree programmes. She highlighted that although the College is identified as a Commerce College, it also offers courses in other disciplines. The Principal invited inputs and suggestions from the Council members to prepare a comprehensive perspective plan keeping in mind the guidelines from the new NEP to which all the Council members agreed.

There being no further business to be discussed, the meeting was concluded with a vote of thanks by Dr. Sulbha Dey.

READ & CONFIRMED

SECRETARY

CHAIRMAN

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Dr.Abhijit Phadnis

Mr.Sunil Sathe

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