

G. S. COLLEGE OF COMMERCE & ECONOMICS  
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**Minutes of the Academic Council Meeting**  
**21-8-2020**

The **fifth** meeting of the Academic Council of G. S. College of Commerce & Economics, Nagpur (Autonomous), constituted as per UGC (Conferment of Autonomous Status Upon Colleges and Measures for Maintenance of Standards in Autonomous Colleges) Regulations, 2018, was held online on the ZOOM platform (owing to Covid-19) on 21-8-2020 at 11.30 a.m. under the chairmanship of Dr. P.M.Paradkar, officiating Principal.

Dr N. Y. Khandait, Principal, G. S. College of Commerce & Economics, Nagpur and Chairman, Academic Council, though on leave, attended the meeting.

The following members could not participate.

Dr Pramod Sharma	Member	University Nominee
Shri Ashutosh Dharmadhikari	Member	Expert law
Shri Ranjit Dani	Member	Expert (Commerce)
Dr A. G. Pawade	Member	Expert (Education)

Dr Anant Deshmukh (University Nominee) could not participate but sent his feedback via email.

The following members were present.

Sr. No.	Name	Designation	Category
1.	Dr P.M.Paradkar	Chairperson	Officiating Principal
2.	Dr K.C.Deshmukh	Member	University Nominee
3.	Shri Hemant Singhal	Member	Expert (Industry)
4.	Dr RH Nagarkar	Member	HOD (Commerce)
5.	Dr Mrs Ashwini Purohit	Member	HOD (Business Administration & Management)
6.	Dr Mrs S.D. Morey	Member	HOD (Economics)
7.	Prof. P.J. Yadao	Member	HOD (Information Technology)
8.	Prof. Mrs S.S. Kathaley	Member	HOD (Languages)
9.	Dr A.B.Patle	Member	HOD (Accountancy & Statistics)
10.	Prof. Sushma Gawande	Member	Faculty (Information Technology)
11.	Dr Mrs D.V.Chavan	Member	Faculty (Languages)
12.	Dr VN Thangan	Member/Secretary	Faculty Member nominated by Principal

The following agenda was discussed:

- 1) To approve the final Academic Regulations of two new courses of B.Com. (Honours) and B.Com. (Finance and Accounting).
- 2) To approve the revised Academic Regulations of existing courses i.e. B.Com., B.B.A., B.C.C.A, M.Com. and M.B.A.  
*Note: The original academic regulations have been revised in terms of internal assessment mechanism, grievance mechanism, moderation & revaluation, program/ course outcomes etc. Revised portion have been showed in red in revised regulations.*
- 2) To approve the Directions regarding admission criteria, attendance criteria, examination reforms, program /course outcomes and conduct of examinations and declaration of results in view of COVID-19.
- 4) To approve the modified syllabus/units as per recommendations of various Board of Studies.
- 5) AOB

The following business took place in the meeting:

1. Dr. V. N. Thangan, Secretary, requested Dr P.M. Paradkar to chair the meeting.
2. Dr. P. M. Paradkar, Chairman, welcomed all the members and invited Dr. V. N. Thangan to read out the agenda.
3. Dr V.N. Thangan read out the agenda and informed that all the draft regulations and draft directions were sent to all members on their respective email ids. He requested Principal Dr N.Y. Khandait to elaborate on the agenda.
4. Dr N.Y.Khandait gave the details of various items on the agenda and requested the members to approve the same.
5. Dr Khandait also requested the members to consider Dr S. D. Morey's suggestions on the admission criteria to be incorporated in the Direction on admission criteria. He invited Dr S.D. Morey to put forth her suggestions.
6. Dr S. D. Morey, who is the Coordinator of M.Com. program and also the admission officer in on-going UG admissions said that as per the suggestions received from the Admission Committee certain policies needed to be chalked out with respect to applicant-students with gap. She pointed out every year students with gap ranging from 1 year to 5-7 years apply for various UG/PG courses but we have no fixed policy for them. She suggested that
  - A. Students with a gap of maximum two years may be allowed to participate in admission procedure of both UG and PG programs except MBA.
  - B. While considering such students for admission their percentage of qualifying exam shall be reduced by 5% for each year of gap for UG admissions and by 3% for each year of gap for PG admissions except MBA in order to ensure that freshers are not put to any disadvantage.
  - C. The maximum age limit of admission in first semester of UG program should be maximum 20 years and for first semester of PG program except MBA, it should be maximum 25 years at the time of application/registration.
  - D. While preparing the merit list if there is a tie between the percentage of students the tie may be resolved as per the following rules:
    - i. In case of any tie of marks/percentage between a fresher and a student with gap after deducting the latter's marks, the preference in merit order shall be given to a fresher.

- ii. Further, in case of a tie of marks/percentage between the freshers themselves, and also between the students with gap, students with higher marks in English Language in the HSC/qualifying examination shall be put ahead in the merit list in case of admissions to the First Semester of UG programs. If the tie persists, then the aggregate marks in the SSC or the marks in English Language in the SSC, or the marks in Mathematics in SSC, in that order, shall be taken into account.
  - iii. In case of admissions to the PG programs (except MBA), if there is a tie of marks/percentage between a fresher and a student with gap after deducting the latter's marks, the preference in merit order shall be given to a fresher. Further, in case of a tie of marks/percentage between the freshers themselves, and also between the students with gap, students with higher marks in an Accountancy or a Taxation course, in that order, in the final year (V<sup>th</sup> or VI<sup>th</sup> semester) examination shall be put ahead in the merit list. If the tie still persists, the aggregate marks scored by a candidate in the HSC or equivalent examination, or the marks scored in English Language in HSC or equivalent examination or the aggregate marks scored in the SSC examination, in that order, shall be taken into account to decide the order of merit of the candidate.
7. Shri Hemant Signal appreciated and congratulated to G. S. College, Nagpur for taking initiatives for starting the two new courses i.e. B.Com. (Honours) and B.Com. (Finance & Accountancy). He said that these two new courses will be beneficial to the students for employment and entrepreneurship. He approved all the Academic Regulations and Directions on admission attendance, examination remark, program/course outcomes, conduct of examination and declaration of results in view of COVID 19. He also consented to incorporate Dr SD Morey's suggestions on the admission criteria.
  8. Dr. K.C. Deshmukh congratulated the Management of G. S. College, Nagpur and Principal Dr. N. Y. Khandait for starting the two new courses of B.Com. (Honours) and B.Com. (Finance and Accountancy). He said these courses are available in Mumbai and Pune only and not in other part of the state. He believed that these courses will bring about positive changes in Commerce Education in the RTM Nagpur University.
  9. Dr. K. C. Deshmukh asked Principal Dr. N. Y. Khandait to appoint faculty for the new courses. He also suggested that the future curriculum of the various courses should be compatible with the New Education Policy. He further suggested that the Boards of Studies should every year upgrade the syllabus to the extent of minimum 20% in order to bring the programs on par with the national and international levels. He also suggested that the subjects like Probability Theory, Operation Research, Financial Mathematics and Industrial mathematics should be added as elective subjects for improving the employability skills of students.
  10. Dr K. C. Deshmukh approved all the academic regulations and directions including Dr Morey's suggestions on admission policy.
  11. All other members approved the items no. 1, 2, 3 and 4 of the agenda.
  12. The Academic Council thus unanimously passed the following resolutions.
    - a. The final Academic Regulations of two new courses of B.Com. (Honours) and B.Com. (Finance and Accounting) are approved for implementation w.e.f. 2020-21 session.
    - b. The revised Academic Regulations of existing courses i.e. B.Com., B.B.A., B.C.C.A, M.Com. and M.B.A. are approved for implementation w.e.f. 2020-21 session

c. The following Directions are approved with permission to effect timely changes if required.

**1. DIRECTION NO. 1 of 2020**

[REGARDING DECLARATION OF RESULTS OF II<sup>ND</sup> & IV<sup>TH</sup> SEMESTER IN THE WAKE OF COVID-19]

**2. DIRECTION NO. 2 of 2020**

[REGARDING CRITERIA OF ADMISSIONS TO THE ACADEMIC PROGRAMS OF B.COM., B.COM.(HONS), B.COM. (F & A), B.COM. (COMPUTER APPLICATION), BBA & M.COM.

**3. DIRECTION NO. 3 of 2020**

[REGARDING ATTENDANCE CRITERIA FOR ALL ACADEMIC PROGRAMS]

**4. DIRECTION NO. 4 of 2020**

[REGARDING PROGRAMME/COURSE OUTCOMES]

**5. DIRECTION NO. 5 of 2020**

[REGARDING THE CRITERIA TO BE APPLIED FOR MODERATION AND EVALUATION OF ANSWER BOOKS AND EXTENSION OF DEADLINE FOR THE DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR THE ACADEMIC PROGRAMS OF B.COM., B.COM.(HONS), B.COM. (F & A), B.COM. (COMPUTER APPLICATION), BBA, M.COM. & M.B.A.]

13. Principal Dr N.Y.Khandait asked Dr V.N.Thnagan to finalize all the regulations and directions. He also instructed Dr Thangan to refer to the University Direction on declaration of result, if any, before finalizing the college's direction on declaration of results. He also asked Dr Thangan to prepare the minutes of the meeting and forward them to all the members for their perusal.

14. There being no other business, the meeting ended with thanks to the Chair.

Dr. P.M. Paradkar  
Officiating Principal

Dr V.N. Thangan  
Secretary, Academic Council



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### Minutes of Academic Council Meeting dated 11.01.2021

The **Sixth** meeting of Academic Council of G. S. College of Commerce and Economics, Nagpur (Autonomous), constituted as per the UGC (Conferment of Autonomous Status Upon College and Measure for maintenance of Standard in Autonomous College) Regulations, 2018, was held online on the Zoom Platform (owing to Covid-19) on 11.01.2021 at 11.30 a.m. under the chairmanship of Principal Dr. N. Y. Khandait.

The following members were present.

Sr. No.	Name	Designation	Category
1	Dr. N. Y. Khandait	Chairman	Principal
2	Dr. K. C. Deshmukh	Member	University Nominee
3	Dr. Anant Deshmukh	Member	University Nominee
4	Dr. A. G. Pawde	Member	Expert (Education)
5	Dr. Hemant Singhal	Member	Expert (Industry)
6	Dr. R. H. Nagarkar	Member	HOD (Commerce)
7	Dr. A. A. Purohit	Member	HOD (Business Administration and Management)
8	Dr. S. D. Morey	Member	HOD (Economics)
9	Dr. A. B. Patle	Member	HOD (Accountancy and Statistics)
10	Prof. P. J. Yadao	Member	HOD (Information Technology)
11	Prof. S. S. Kathaley	Member	HOD (Language)
12	Prof. Sushma Gawande	Member	Faculty (Information Technology)
13	Dr. D. V. Chavan	Member	Faculty (Language)
14	Prof. M. V. Purohit	Member	Faculty (Accountancy and Statistics)
15	Dr. Archana Dadhe	Member	Faculty (Business Administration and Management)
16	Dr. V. N. Thangan	Member/ Secretary	Faculty Member nominated by Principal

The following members could not participate.

Dr. Pramod Sharma	Member	University Nominee
Shri Ashutosh Dharmadhikari	Member	Expert (Law)
Shri Ranjit Dani	Member	Expert (Commerce)

The following agenda was discussed:

1. To approve the DIRECTION REGARDING CONDUCT OF EXAMINATION OF SUMMER 2020 FOR STUDENTS OF NON-TERMINAL SEMESTERS OF ALL UG AND PG PROGRAMMES WITH A BACKLOG OF FAILED SUBJECTS IN PREVIOUS SEMESTERS IN THE WAKE OF COVID-19
2. AOB

The following business took place in the meeting:

1. Dr. V. N. Thangan, Secretary, welcomed all the members and read out the agenda and requested Principal Dr. N. Y. Khandait to elaborate on the agenda
2. Dr. N. Y. Khandait explained to the members of Academic Council about the necessity of the passage of Direction No. 1 of 2021 as mentioned in item no. 1 of the agenda. He stated that the draft of the said Direction was already sent to all the members for their perusal and comments. He requested the members to approve the said Direction while welcoming their suggestions, if any.
3. Dr. V. N. Thangan read out the Direction before all the members.
4. Dr. K. C. Deshmukh, enquired about the number of students who are going to appear for the examinations covered under the said Direction.
5. Prof. P. J. Yadao, Controller of Examination, informed that there are about 550 students who are going to take examinations for their backlog papers. He also said the opinions of these students were collected online about their preferred mode of examination, i.e. online or offline mode, and that more than 95% students have preferred online mode of examination.
6. Principal Dr N.Y. Khandait also pointed out that the pattern of examination would be as stipulated in the college's earlier Direction No. 6/2020 according to which the Summer 2020 Examinations of terminal semesters of M.Com. and M.B.A. were conducted in order to maintain uniformity in the conduct of examinations.
7. Dr. K. C. Deshmukh appreciated the college's efforts for maintaining high standards in the conduct of online examinations.
8. Dr. A. G. Pawde, Dr. Anant Deshmukh, Dr. K. C. Deshmukh and Mr. Hemant Singhal approved the direction.
9. The Academic Council thus unanimously passed the resolution that:

**Direction No. 1 of 2021**

[REGARDING CONDUCT OF EXAMINATION OF SUMMER 2020 FOR STUDENTS OF NON-TERMINAL SEMESTERS OF ALL UG AND PG PROGRAMMES WITH A BACKLOG OF FAILED SUBJECTS IN PREVIOUS SEMESTERS IN THE WAKE OF COVID-19] is accepted and approved.

10. There being no other business, the meeting ended with thanks to the chair.



Dr. N. Y. Khandait  
Principal



Dr. V. N. Thangan  
Secretary, Academic Council



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**Minutes of The Academic Council Meeting dated 27.02.2021**

The **Seventh** meeting of the Academic Council of G. S. College of Commerce and Economics, Nagpur (Autonomous), constituted as per the UGC (Conferment of Autonomous Status Upon College and Measure for maintenance of Standard in Autonomous College) Regulations, 2018, was held online on the Zoom Platform (owing to Covid-19) on 27.02.2021 at 11.30 a.m. under the chairmanship of Officiating Principal Dr. P. M. Paradkar.

The following members were present:

Sr. No.	Name	Designation	Category
1	Dr. P. M. Paradkar	Chairman	Officiating Principal
2	Dr. K. C. Deshmukh	Member	University Nominee
3	Dr. A. G. Pawde	Member	Expert (Education)
4	Shri Ranjit Dani	Member	Expert (Commerce)
5	Dr. R. H. Nagarkar	Member	HOD (Commerce)
6	Dr. A. A. Purohit	Member	HOD (Business Administration and Management)
7	Dr. S. D. Morey	Member	HOD (Economics)
8	Dr. A. B. Patle	Member	HOD (Accountancy and Statistics)
8	Prof. P. J. Yadao	Member	HOD (Information Technology)
10	Prof. S. S. Kathaley	Member	HOD (Language)
11	Prof. Sushma Gawande	Member	Faculty (Information Technology)
12	Dr. D. V. Chavan	Member	Faculty (Language)
13	Prof. M. V. Purohit	Member	Faculty (Accountancy and Statistics)
14	Dr. Archana Dadhe	Member	Faculty (Business Administration and Management)
15	Dr. V. N. Thangan	Member/ Secretary	Faculty Member nominated by Principal

The following members could not participate due to their prior engagements:

Dr. Pramod Sharma	Member	University Nominee
Dr. Anant Deshmukh	Member	University Nominee
Shri Ashutosh Dharmadhikari	Member	Expert (Law)
Dr. Hemant Singhal	Member	Expert (Industry)

The following agenda was discussed:

1. To approve the Direction No. 2 of 2021 **REGARDING CONDUCT OF EXAMINATION OF WINTER 2020 FOR REGULAR STUDENTS OF ALL ODD SEMESTERS OF ALL UG AND PG PROGRAMMES AND EX-STUDENTS WITH BACKLOG OF FAILED SUBJECTS OF ALL PREVIOUS SEMESTERS OF ALL UG AND PG PROGRAMMES IN THE WAKE OF COVID-19**
2. AOB

The following business took place in the meeting:

1. Dr. V. N. Thangan, Secretary, sought permission of the chair to start the proceedings. After permission of the chair Dr. Thangan read out the agenda.
2. Officiating Principal Dr. P. M. Paradkar requested Prof. P. J. Yadao, Controller of Examination, to elaborate the nature and contents of the proposed Direction.
3. Prof. P. J. Yadao, Controller of Examination explained to the members of Academic Council about the necessity of conducting the full-length semester end examination as per the question pattern stipulated in the Academic Regulations of respective courses. He further stated that owing to the Covid-19 situation, the said examination shall have to be conducted through online mode. He further added that the college has also proposed a full-length preliminary examination through online mode. He informed that the preliminary examination is a part of internal assessment mechanism. Therefore, he requested all the members to approve the said Direction.
4. Dr. K. C. Deshmukh appreciated the college's initiatives in conducting full length examination as per the prescribed pattern instead of conducting curtailed examination in MCQ pattern. He further suggested that the college may conduct a preliminary examination of one hour duration through online mode so that the students get used to the new methodology of examination. He said that there should be maximum use of AI (Artificial Intelligence) in conducting online examinations.
5. Offg. Principal Dr. P. M. Paradkar informed the house that the college has proposed to conduct a full-length preliminary examination through online mode, both, as the part of internal assessment mechanism and for giving practice to students. It will be based on the entire syllabus as per the original scheme of examination as stipulated in the Academic Regulations of respective courses. He added that if the preliminary examination and semester end examination are conducted for two different durations, then the students may get confused. He further informed the members, that all the teachers have successfully conducted their unit tests and collected their



home assignments from students through online mode. Therefore, students are already comfortable with the proposed set up.

6. Dr. K. C. Deshmukh agreed to this and approved the new methodology of examination along with the all the contents of the proposed Direction.
7. Dr. A. G. Pawade appreciated the college for taking efforts in preparing the students before the semester end examination and thinking positively about maintaining the quality of academics and assessment systems as a responsible autonomous college in these difficult times. He approved the proposed Direction in its entirety.
8. Shri Ranjit Dani also approved the entire Direction.
9. Accordingly, the Academic Council unanimously passed the resolution that:

**Direction No. 2 of 2021**

**[REGARDING CONDUCT OF EXAMINATION OF WINTER 2020 FOR REGULAR STUDENTS OF ALL ODD SEMESTERS OF ALL UG AND PG PROGRAMMES AND EX-STUDENTS WITH BACKLOG OF FAILED SUBJECTS OF ALL PREVIOUS SEMESTERS OF ALL UG AND PG PROGRAMMES IN THE WAKE OF COVID-19]** is unanimously approved and accepted.

10. There being no other business, the meeting ended with thanks to the chair.



Dr. P. M. Paradkar  
Officiating. Principal



Dr. V. N. Thangan  
Secretary, Academic Council

