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2nd BoS Minutes of Meeting

The 2nd meeting of the Board of Studies (BoS) for the Department of Humanities and Sciences was held in hybrid mode on 9th June 2025. The meeting included members from the disciplines of Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, and English. The following members of the Board were present:

Members Present:

S. No.	Name of the member	Affiliation	Role in BOS
1	Dr. L. Obulapathi	Associate Professor & Head Dept. of Humanities & Sciences, Annamacharya University, Rajampet, Ph: 9885792205, lop@aitsrajampet.ac.in	Chairman
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7	Dr. B. Sreenivasulu	Assistant Professor Dept. of H&S (Physics) Annamacharya University Rajampet, Ph:9492666682 bsl@aitsrajampet.ac.in	Course Coordinator – Member
8	Mr. J. Siva Krishna	Assistant Professor Dept. of H&S (Chemistry) Annamacharya University Rajampet, Ph; 8500227480 jsk@aitsrajampet.ac.in	Course Coordinator – Member
9	Mrs. P. Suneetha Naidu	Assistant Professor Dept. of H&S (English) Annamacharya University Rajampet, Ph: 8074037953, psn@aitsrajampet.ac.in	Course Coordinator – Member
10	Dr. M. Raja Vishwanathan	Department of Humanities & Social Science, National Institute of Technology Warangal – 506004, Telangana Ph: 9908858942, vishwanathan@nitw.ac.in	Subject Expert – Member

11	Dr. V.B. Chitra	Professor of English JNTUA, Anantapuramu Ph:6301799895 chitravb1@gmail.com	Subject Expert – Member
12	Prof. K.C. Sivakumar	Dept. of Mathematics IIT Madras, Ph: 044-22574622 kcskumar@iitm.ac.in	Subject Expert – Member
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14	Prof. D. Dinakar	Dept. of Physics NIT Warangal Ph: 9866948560 dinakar@nitw.ac.in	Subject Expert – Member
15	Prof. K. Thyagarajan	Dept. of Physics JNTU College of Engineering Kalikiri, Ph:9440874936 ktrjntu@gmail.com	Subject Expert – Member
16	Dr. K. Vijayakrishna	Associate Professor Dept. of Chemistry IIT, Bhuvaneswar Ph: 6747135122, kvijayakrishna@iitbbs.ac.in	Subject Expert – Member
17	Prof. A. Gangaiah Damu	Dept. of Chemistry Yogi Vemana University Kadapa, Ph:9177888961 agdamu01@gmail.com	Subject Expert – Member
18	Prof P.V Satya Narayana	Professor, Department of Mathematics, VIT University Vellore, Ph:9789574488	University Nominee – Member
19	Dr. A. Pitchaiah	Principal Scientist in drug discovery Sai Life sciences Genome valley, Hyderabad, Telangana Contact: 9959153685 e-mail: pitchaiah80@gmail.com	Industry Representative – Member

Members of Absence:

S. No.	Name of the member	Affiliation	Role in BOS
1	Mr. P. Rizwan Khan	Dept. of CSE Equinox, Bangalore Ph: 7382449546 Rizwanpatan569@gmail.com	Alumni Representative – Member

Agenda of the Meeting:

Item No	Particulars
BoS/2025/H&S/2.1	Confirmation of the Minutes of the 1st Board of Studies Meeting
BoS/2025/H&S/2.2	To discuss and finalize the course structure and syllabus for II-B.Tech., and II-B.Sc., programs under the AU-24 Regulations.
BoS/2025/H&S/2.3	To discuss and finalize the course structure and syllabus for II-M.Sc., and II-M.A., under the AU-24 Regulations.
BoS/2025/H&S/2.4	To review and address any discrepancies observed in the first-year UG and PG courses (i.e., B.Tech., MCA, B.Sc., M.Sc., and M.A.) under the AU-24 Regulations
BoS/2025/H&S/2.5	Discussion on the inclusion of courses aligned with Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), cross-cutting issues and Indian Knowledge System (IKS) in the curriculum of the respective departments.
BoS/2025/H&S/2.6	To discuss and approve the syllabus for the Annamacharya University Research Admission Test (AURAT) - 2025 for the respective departments.
BoS/2025/H&S/2.7	To approve the list of examiners for second-year courses/subjects.
BoS/2025/H&S/2.8	Discussion on feedback received regarding the curriculum
BoS/2025/H&S/2.9	Any other item with permission of the Chair

MINUTES OF THE MEETING

Welcome address and Introduction

Dr. L. Obulapathi, Chairman, Board of Studies, Department of Humanities and Sciences, extended a warm welcome to all the esteemed members of the Board of Studies. At the outset, Dr. Obulapathi introduced the members of the Board and expressed his gratitude for their presence and for accepting the invitation to participate in the 2nd BoS meeting. He then outlined the agenda and briefed the members on the key items scheduled for discussion during the meeting.

Agenda Item No. BoS/2025/H&S/2.1: Confirmation of the Minutes of the 1st Board of Studies Meeting BoS/2025/H&S/2.7 To approve the list of examiners for second-year courses/subjects.

2.1.ENG:

Discussion: The minutes of the first Board of studies meeting were reviewed by all members. The board noted that the minutes accurately reflected the proceedings of the meeting. No corrections were proposed.

Resolution: The board resolved to confirm and approve the minutes of the 1st Board of Studies meeting as circulated.

2.1.MAT:

Discussion: The minutes of the first Board of studies meeting were reviewed by all members. The board noted that the minutes accurately reflected the proceedings of the meeting. No corrections were proposed.

Resolution: The board resolved to confirm and approve the minutes of the 1st Board of Studies meeting as circulated.

2.1.CHE:

Discussion: The minutes of the first Board of studies meeting were reviewed by all members. The board noted that the minutes accurately reflected the proceedings of the meeting. No corrections were proposed.

Resolution: The board resolved to confirm and approve the minutes of the 1st Board of Studies meeting as circulated.

2.1.PHY: The Minutes of the 1st Board of studies are reviewed and confirmed.

Agenda Item No. BoS/2025/H&S/2.2: To discuss and finalize the course structure and syllabus for II-B.Tech., and II-B.Sc., programs under the AU-24 Regulations.

2.2.ENG.1 (Universal Human Values)

Recommendations: Nil

Resolutions: All the members of the committee unanimously approved the syllabus without any modifications

2.2.ENG.2 (Essence of Indian Traditional Knowledge)

Recommendations: Nil

Resolutions: All the members of the committee unanimously approved the syllabus without any modifications

2.2.ENG.3 (Constitution of India)

Recommendations: Nil

Resolutions: All the members of the committee unanimously approved the syllabus without any modifications

2.2.MAT.1 (Complex Variables and Partial Differential Equations)

Recommendations: Prof. K.C. Siva Kumar suggested to change the course title 'Complex Variables and Numerical Methods' to 'Complex Variables and PDE' to better reflect the revised content. He also recommended to retain the first four units from Complex Variables and restructure Unit 5 as Applications of Partial Differential Equations (PDE).

Resolutions: The committee agreed with the suggestions. The following changes were made: The revised title 'Complex Variables and Partial Differential Equations ' was approved, and the suggested content structure was incorporated into the syllabus.

2.2.MAT.2 (Probability and Random process)

Recommendations:

- Prof. M.C. Raju suggested to change the course tittle “Complex variables and Random processes” to “Probability and Random process”. He also suggested the following changes:
- Introduce Introduction to Probability as Unit 1
- Shift Random Variables to Unit 2
- Shift Multiple Random Variables to Unit 3
- Split Unit 3 into Unit 4 and Unit 5
- Remove complex variable topics from the last two units

Resolutions: The course title and syllabus were revised as recommended, and the changes were incorporated accordingly.

2.2.MAT.3 (Discrete Mathematics)

Recommendations: Siva Kumar Sumar suggested incorporating real-world applications in each unit of the Discrete Mathematics course to enhance practical understanding and contextual relevance. The recommendation includes adding applications in Switching Circuits for Unit 1, exploring sequences like the Fibonacci Sequence in Unit 2, focusing on Coding Theory applications in Unit 3, and covering general practical applications in Units 4 and 5.

Resolutions: The proposed application-based topics were incorporated in the respective units of the Discrete Mathematics syllabus.

2.2.MAT.4 (Probability and Statistics)

Recommendations: No changes were suggested for this course.

Resolutions: The course 'Probability and Statistics' was reviewed and approved without any modifications.

2.2.MAT: To discuss and finalize the course structure and syllabus for II-B.Sc. programs under the AU-24 Regulations.

2.2.MAT.5 (Discrete Mathematics)

Recommendations: No changes were suggested for this course.

Resolutions: The course 'Probability and Statistics' was reviewed and approved without any modifications.

2.2.MAT.6 (Numerical Methods)

Recommendations: No changes were suggested for this course.

Resolutions: The course 'Probability and Statistics' was reviewed and approved without any modifications.

2.2.CHE.1 (Environmental Science)

Recommendations

- Prof. K. Vijayakrishna suggested revising CO4 and CO5, as they use the verb "understand", which is not a measurable verb. He recommended replacing it with measurable verbs.
- Mr. J. Sivakrishna proposed that the Unit 1 syllabus is too vast to be completed within the prescribed seven lecture hours. Prof. K. Vijayakrishna and Prof. A. G. Damu reviewed and revised the unit, recommending the removal of topics related to Land Resources and Food Resources.
- Prof. K. Vijayakrishna recommended including an advanced topic such as Genetically Modified Crops as a sub-topic in any one of the five units, to be assigned under self-learning mode.
- Prof. K. Vijayakrishna also suggested that the Program Outcome 7 (Ethics) be moderately mapped to all five Course Outcomes.
- Prof. A. G. Damu suggested removing the topic HIV/AIDS from Unit 5, as it is not well aligned with the unit's title and content.

Resolutions:

- The course outcomes CO4 and CO5 were revised using measurable verbs: "explain" and "discuss".
- The topics Land Resources and Food Resources were removed from Unit 1.
- The topic Genetically Modified Crops was added to Unit 3 as a self-learning topic.
- Program Outcome 7 (Ethics) has been moderately mapped to all Course Outcomes (COs).
- The topic HIV/AIDS has been removed from Unit 5, as it was not in line with the unit's scope.

Agenda Item No. BoS/2025/H&S/2.3: To discuss and finalize the course structure and syllabus for II-M.Sc., and II-M.A., under the AU-24 Regulations

2.3.ENG.1: M.A (English) III &IV Semester Courses (12 Subjects)

Recommendations:

- Prof V B Chitra suggested revising the course outcomes according to Blooms Taxonomy levels.
- Dr M Raja Viswanathan suggested a few innovative course outcomes
- Dr M Viswanathan proposed to see the possibility of renaming some courses
- The experts also suggested to follow MLA style for prescribed and reference books.

Resolutions:

- As per the recommendations of Dr M Viswanathan and with the approval of the committee, following courses have been renamed as:
    - ❖ Women's Writings as Women's Writings Across the Ages
    - ❖ Short Story as Introduction to the Short Story
    - ❖ English Language Teaching as Introduction to ELT
- The committee approved the modifications and revised the course outcomes according to the guidelines
- All the other minor changes suggested by the external members have been agreed upon and incorporated in the syllabi.
- As per the recommendations of the committee, all the references have been presented according to MLA format

2.3.MAT.:

Recommendations:

Based on the deliberations of the Second BoS meeting, the following academic suggestions were made to enhance the curriculum by integrating industry-relevant computer-related courses:

1. Introduction of "C Programming" – Theory Course
    - Suggested by: Prof. K.C. Siva Kumar, Prof. M.C. Raju, and Prof. P. Satyanarayana
    - Recommendation: To introduce a core course titled "C Programming" in the II Year I Semester. The course will cover basic programming concepts and problem-solving techniques to build a strong foundation in computer programming.
2. Introduction of "C Programming Lab" – Practical Course
    - Suggested by: Prof. K.C. Siva Kumar, Prof. M.C. Raju, and Prof. P. Satyanarayana
    - Recommendation: To accompany the theory course with a practical component, a "C Programming Lab" is recommended in the II Year I Semester. This lab will offer hands-on experience to strengthen students' coding abilities.
3. Introduction of "Data Structures through Python" – Theory Course
    - Suggested by: Prof. K.C. Siva Kumar
    - Recommendation: To introduce a new course titled "Data Structures through Python" in the II Year II Semester. The course will focus on the implementation and application of data structures using Python, aligning with modern programming practices.
4. Introduction of "Data Structures through Python Lab" – Practical Course
    - Suggested by: Prof. K.C. Siva Kumar, Prof. M.C. Raju, and Prof. P. Satyanarayana
    - Recommendation: A lab component titled "Data Structures through Python Lab" is proposed in the II Year II Semester to provide practical exposure to data structures using Python.

Resolutions Passed: After discussion, the Board resolved the following:

- The BoS unanimously approved the inclusion of the following new courses from the upcoming academic year:
    1. C Programming (Theory) – II Year I Semester
    2. C Programming Lab – II Year I Semester
    3. Data Structures through Python (Theory) – II Year II Semester
    4. Data Structures through Python Lab – II Year II Semester
- It was resolved that the syllabus, course outcomes, and assessment methods for these courses shall be framed in accordance with Outcome-Based Education (OBE) and industry relevance.
- The curriculum design committee will prepare detailed course structures and submit them for final approval.

2.3.CHE.1 (Course structure)

Recommendations:

- Prof. K. Vijayakrishna and Prof. A. G. Damu suggested replacing the theory course Instrumental Methods of Analysis with a course on Organic Spectroscopy, considering that there is a laboratory course on spectroscopy in the fourth semester of the M.Sc. Chemistry program.
- Prof. K. Vijayakrishna also recommended updating the prescribed textbooks and reference books to their latest editions across all courses.

Resolutions:

- In line with the above suggestions, the course Instrumental Methods of Analysis has been replaced with Organic Spectroscopy.
- All prescribed textbooks and reference books for the M.Sc. Chemistry program have been updated to their latest editions.

2.3.CHE.2: (Inorganic Chemistry – III)

Recommendations:

- Prof. K. Vijayakrishna suggested including the top-down approach for the synthesis of nanomaterials in Unit IV.
- Dr. A. G. Damu and Prof. K. Vijayakrishna recommended including the topic Applications of Nanomaterials in Health, Energy, and Environment in Unit IV.

Resolutions:

- Unit IV has been modified to include the top-down approach for nanomaterial synthesis.
- The topic Applications of Nanomaterials in Health, Energy, and Environment has been included in Unit IV.

2.3.CHE.3: (Organic Chemistry – III)

Recommendation: Dr. A. Pitchaiah and Prof. K. Vijayakrishna suggested specifying drug molecules with heterocyclic moieties instead of general representations in Unit IV.

Resolution: Unit IV has been revised to include specific drug molecules with heterocyclic moieties as suggested.

2.3.CHE.4: (Physical Chemistry – III)

Recommendations:

- Prof. K. Vijayakrishna corrected the term "repeat units" to "repeating units".
- He also suggested including controlled radical polymerization with examples such as NMP, ATRP, and RAFT.
- He recommended adding measurement of average molecular molar mass of polymers and including Gel Permeation Chromatography (GPC) at the end of Unit II.
- Prof. K. Vijayakrishna and Prof. A. G. Damu suggested including Powder XRD and Single Crystal XRD in Unit III.

Resolutions:

- Based on the suggestions, Units II and III have been revised to include GPC, Powder XRD, and Single Crystal XRD.

2.3.CHE.5: (Drug Discovery, Design and Development)

Recommendations: Prof. K. Vijayakrishna and Dr. A. Pitchaiah suggested replacing Unit IV with "Role of AI in Diagnosis and Drug Discovery Applications".

Resolutions: The course syllabus was revised to include "Role of AI in Diagnosis and Drug Discovery Applications" in Unit IV.

2.3.CHE.6: (Materials Science)

Recommendations:

- The committee recommended changing the course title from "Materials Chemistry" to "Materials Science".
- Prof. K. Vijayakrishna suggested revising Unit I to include introduction, types of materials, and latest applications in various fields.
- Prof. A. G. Damu recommended including basic analysis methods such as UV, IR, BET, and SEM, TEM in Unit I, and suggested removing AFM.
- Prof. K. Vijayakrishna proposed including sensor materials in Unit III, as part of the applications of optical materials.

Resolutions:

- The course title has been changed to "Materials Science".
- Unit I content has been modified by adding types of materials, and latest applications as per the suggestions.
- Sensor materials have been included in Unit III.

2.3.CHE.7: (Multistep synthesis of organic compounds, Molecular drawing, modeling, synthesis and characterization of selected bioactive molecules)

Recommendation: Prof. K. Vijayakrishna recommended including % yield calculation for each organic synthesis experiment.

Resolution: as per the suggestion % yield has been incorporated into each organic synthesis lab exercise

2.3.CHE.8: (Organic chemistry – IV)

Resolution: The syllabus was reviewed and approved without any modifications.

2.3.CHE.9: (Instrumental Methods of Analysis)

Recommendation: The committee recommended replacing the course "Instrumental Methods of Analysis" with "Organic Spectroscopy"

Resolution: The course Instrumental Methods of Analysis was replaced with Organic Spectroscopy.

2.3.CHE.10: (Medicinal chemistry and Natural products)

Recommendations: Prof. A. G. Damu and Dr. A. Pitchaiah suggested rearranging the units by swapping Unit III with Unit I, and Unit IV with Unit II.

Resolutions: The order of the units has been modified as recommended.

2.3.CHE.11: (Industrial Organic Chemistry)

Recommendations:

- Prof. K. Vijayakrishna suggested including "Introduction and Types of Surfactants" and "Micelle Formation" in Unit III.
- He also proposed replacing "Mechanism involved in the preparation of polymers" with "Synthesis and applications of phenolic resins, polyurethanes, epoxy resins, alkyd resins, natural and synthetic rubbers, and biodegradable polymers".

Resolutions: The syllabus has been revised accordingly to incorporate the suggested content

2.3.CHE.12: (Bioinorganic, bioorganic, biophysical chemistry)

Recommendations: Prof. A. G. Damu and Dr. A. Pitchaiah suggested removing overlapping topics between Units I and II.

Resolutions: The overlapping content in Units I and II has been removed.

2.3.CHE.13: (Spectral Identification of Organic Compounds)

Resolution: The syllabus was reviewed and approved without any modifications.

2.3.PHY.1 (Course structure)

Recommendations: No changes were suggested for Course structure.

Resolutions: The Course structure was reviewed and approved without any modifications.

2.3.PHY.2 (Quantum Mechanics – I)

Resolutions: The syllabus was reviewed and approved without any modifications.

2.3.PHY.3 (Nuclear and Particle Physics)

Resolutions: The syllabus was reviewed and approved without any modifications.

2.3.PHY.4 (Advanced electronics (microprocessor and microcontroller))

Resolutions: The syllabus was reviewed and approved without any modifications.

2.3.PHY.5 (Atmospheric Physics)

Resolutions: The syllabus was reviewed and approved without any modifications.

2.3.PHY.6 (Atomic and Molecular Physics)

Resolutions: The syllabus was reviewed and approved without any modifications.

2.3.PHY.7 (Electronics lab-2)

Resolutions: The syllabus was reviewed and approved without any modifications.

2.3.PHY.8 (Microprocessor and micro controller lab)

Resolutions: The syllabus was reviewed and approved without any modifications.

2.3.PHY.9 (Quantum Mechanics – II)

Resolutions: The syllabus was reviewed and approved without any modifications.

2.3.PHY.10 (Analytical Techniques)

Resolutions: The syllabus was reviewed and approved without any modifications.

2.3.PHY.11 (Communication systems)

Resolutions: The syllabus was reviewed and approved without any modifications.

2.3.PHY.12 (Introduction to VLSI design)

Resolutions: The syllabus was reviewed and approved without any modifications.

2.3.PHY.13 (Computational methods and C - Programming)

Resolutions: The syllabus was reviewed and approved without any modifications.

2.3.PHY.14 (Practical - I (Project))

Resolutions: The syllabus was reviewed and approved without any modifications.

2.3.PHY.15 (Communication systems lab)

Resolutions: The syllabus was reviewed and approved without any modifications.

Agenda Item No. BoS/2025/H&S/2.4: To review and address any discrepancies observed in the first-year UG and PG courses (i.e., B.Tech., MCA, B.Sc., M.Sc., and M.A.) under the AU-24 Regulations

2.4.MAT: No changes

2.4.CHE:

Discussion: The Board reviewed the Course End Survey Reports of both theory and laboratory courses pertaining to the first-year UG (B.Tech. and B.Sc.) under the AU-24 Regulations. Upon thorough examination, no discrepancies were observed or reported in the structure, content, or delivery of these courses.

Resolution: The Board noted the absence of discrepancies and appreciated the departments for maintaining the consistency and quality of the curriculum and instruction. No changes were recommended under this item

2.4.PHY.1 (Applied Physics)

Resolutions: No changes were suggested for this course. The course 'Applied Physics' was approved without any modifications.

2.4.PHY.2 (Engineering Physics)

Recommendations: Prof. K. Thyagarajan suggested to include one more reference book entitled "Hand book of modern sensor by Jacob Fraden".

Resolutions: The committee approved the inclusion of reference book entitled "Hand book of modern sensor by Jacob Fraden".

2.4.PHY.3 (Applied Physics Lab)

Recommendations: Prof. K. Thyagarajan suggested to include the sentence, "any ten experiments are to be performed among the listed experiments".

Resolutions: The committee approved the inclusion of the sentence: "any ten experiments are to be performed among the listed experiments".

2.4.PHY.4 (Engineering Physics Lab)

Recommendations: Prof. K. Thyagarajan suggested to include the sentence, any ten experiments are to be performed among the listed experiments.

Resolutions: The committee approved the inclusion of the sentence: "any ten experiments are to be performed among the listed experiments".

Agenda Item No. BoS/2025/H&S/2.5: Discussion on the inclusion of courses aligned with Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), cross-cutting issues and Indian Knowledge System (IKS) in the curriculum of the respective departments

2.5.CHE.1:

Discussion: The Board of Studies deliberated on integrating Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) into the curriculum. It was acknowledged that the Environmental Science course offered by the Department of Chemistry already addresses key SDGs such as clean water, clean energy, sustainable consumption, climate action, life on land, and health and well-being, through topics on resource use, pollution control, biodiversity, sustainable practices, and environmental legislation.

Resolution: The Board resolved to emphasize SDG contributions in the course objectives and outcomes of Environmental Science and recommended integrating SDG-aligned activities, like documenting local environmental assets or analyzing climate issues, into fieldwork and assessments.

Agenda Item No. BoS/2025/H&S/2.6: To discuss and approve the syllabus for the Annamacharya University Research Admission Test (AURAT) - 2025 for the respective departments

2.6.ENG.1: AURAT English syllabus

Recommendations:

- Prof V B Chitra suggested Dalit Literature and Digital Humanities to be included in to the syllabus
- Dr M Raja Viswanathan suggested removal of the topics like 'Phonetics, Aspects of Communication, Soft Skills & Behaviour'
- Dr Viswanathan recommended to have an integrated topic of Professional Communication in place of independent aspects of the same.
- Dr Viswanathan also advised to shift focus from theoretical concepts to research-oriented

Resolutions:

- The committee approved all the changes suggested by the external members
- All the recommendations have been agreed upon and incorporated in to the syllabi.
- Committee accepted to include Dalit literature and Digital Humanities into the syllabus
- Committee approved the integrated topic of Professional Communication
- committee approved the removal of the topics - Phonetics, Aspects of Communication, Soft Skills & Behaviour
- Committee agreed to include research-oriented topics like 'Bilingualism, Translanguaging, Multilingualism, Principles of ELT, ESP, Academic Reading and Writing, Discourse Analysis, Genre Analysis and Critical Pedagogy

2.6.MAT.1: AURAT Applied Mathematics syllabus : Reviewed and approved

2.6.CHE.1: AURAT Chemistry syllabus

Recommendation: The Board recommended the adoption of the proposed syllabus for the AURAT entrance test conducted by the university.

Resolution: The recommendation was approved, and the syllabus will be implemented for the upcoming AURAT examinations.

2.6.PHY.1: AURAT Physics syllabus

Recommendations: No changes were suggested for AURAT Physics syllabus.

Resolutions: The syllabus was reviewed and approved without any modifications.