## Loyola College (Autonomous), Chennai – 600034 Department of Economics

Minutes of the Board of Studies meeting held on 19<sup>th</sup> March, 2019 at JD Conference Hall at 10.30 a.m.

The following external members were present:

- Dr. A. Annadurai -Subject Expert, Associate Professor, Department of Economics, Madras Christian College, Chennai.
- Dr. JabeenAra Begum Subject Expert, Head & Associate Professor, Justice Basheer Ahmed Sayeed College for Women, Chennai.
- Mr. A.C.Rajendra Kumar Industrial Representative, Development Officer, LIC of India, Alumnus of Department of Economics (Shift I), Loyola College
- Mr. Jang Dim Lung Meritorious Alumnus, Senior Analyst, Barclays Investment Bank, Alumnus of Department of Economics (Shift II), Loyola College
- Ms. Helda Susan Shaji Student Represtative, II M.A. Economics

**Dr. D. Sathiyavan** – University Nominee, Associate Professor, Department of Econometrics, University of Madras, expressed his inability to be present for the Board of Studies due to unavoidable reason and his e-mail communication to this effect is attached herewith.

All the staff members of Shift I and Shift II were present.

Prof. B.Bhagwan Das, Head, Department of Economics, welcomed the members of the Board of Studies and briefed about the agenda for the meeting. The following deliberations were made as per the circulated agenda:

# Passing the M.Phil curriculum to be implemented from 2019-20

With regard to the M.Phil curriculum restructuring, all the theory papers including Subject Specialization shall be offered during the First Semester. The Research Project alone shall be offered during the Second Semester. This resolution was passed by the Board of Studies members

### Result Analysis - November 2018

Prof. S. Neeta presented the result analysis for November 2018 semester examination. She highlighted that the academic performance of PG students was consistently good over the semesters, but the poor performance of IPG in comparison with IIPG is an area of concern. The academic performance of UG students is improving over the years. But the overall passpercentage of the UG students is not impressive and after a long deliberation it was

unanimously decided to implement student centric strategies to improve the overall results of UG students.

#### Curriculum restructuring

Dr. ElangoParimalam presentedthe modified syllabus for the following four papers for ratification:

- 1. Data Analytics for Economists PG
- 2. Environmental Economics PG
- 3. Research Methods in Economics UG
- 4. Indian Economic Planning and Policy UG

The ratified syllabus was discussed in length and after deliberations and incorporating the suggestions from the Board of Studies members, the syllabus was passed. The same has been attached herewith.

Prof. B.Bhagwan Das introduced the new proposed template for UG as given by the Office of the Academic Deans and requested the Board of Studies members to propose Major/Allied/Elective papers to be offered during the various semesters. He also emphasized the need for passing the papers proposed for semesters I and II immediately in order to implement the same from the academic year 2019-20. However the members can propose papers to be offered during other semesters in this Board of Studies, while the proposed syllabus for those papers other than semesters I and II can be discussed and passed during the next Board of Studies meeting.

The restructured curriculum was discussed and the template was passed by the Board of Studies members and the same is attached herewith.

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### BOARD OF STUDIES MEETING

**Venue: Department of Economics** 

Time: 10.30 a.m.

Date|: 19-03-2019

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1.	Prof. B. Bhagwan Das Head and Chairman Board of Studies	8. Bhey les
2.	Dr. D. Sathiyavan Associate Professor Department of Econometrics University of Madras External Expert Nominated by University of Madras	
3.	Dr. Annadurai Associate Professor in Economics, Madras Christian College, Chennai, Subject Expert	19/03/22/
4.	Dr. Jabeen Ara Begam Head, Associate Professor in Economics, JBAS College for Women, Chennai, Subject Expert	Jakeen Acabeaga 19/03/19.
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