



THE MADURA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS)

(Affiliated to Madurai Kamaraj University, Reaccredited (4th Cycle) with “A” Grade by NAAC)

ACADEMIC COUNCIL

Date: 13.03.2024

NOTICE

An ordinary meeting of the Academic Council will be held on **3rd April 2024** at **10:30 a.m.** at Seminar hall. Resolutions from Board of Studies and Private resolutions may be submitted to the Member Secretary, Academic Council (eswaran@maduracollege.edu.in) on or before 16.03.2024. The deadline for withdrawal of resolutions will be 19.03.2024 up to 3:00 p.m.

The agenda and resolutions to be discussed will be made available to the members sufficiently in advance.

Dr.R.Eswaran
Member Secretary

Dr.J.Suresh
Principal & Chairman



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AGENDA FOR THE MEETING ON 03.04.2024

1. Prayer
2. Welcome Address : The Chairman, Academic Council
3. Confirmation of the Minutes of the previous Academic Council Meeting held on 12.10.2023
4. Business brought forward by the Chairman
5. Resolutions of Boards of Studies from various Departments
6. Any other subjects brought forward by the Chairman
7. Observation & Remarks by the External Members
8. Vote of Thanks : Member Secretary
9. National Anthem

II. BUSINESS BROUGHT FORWARD BY THE CHAIRMAN

III. RESOLUTIONS BROUGHT FORWARD BY HEADS OF VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS

1) FROM THE BOARD OF STUDIES OF TAMIL DEPARTMENT

Dr.S.Dhanasamy, Chairman, Board of Studies in Tamil, shall move and **Dr.A.Atheeswari** shall second the following resolutions, passed in the Board of Studies meeting held on 13.02.2024.

- 1.1. Resolved to introduce the revised syllabus for II year B.A./B.Sc. and B.Com. (other than B.A. Tamil) Part-I Tamil for students who joined the programme from the academic year 2023-24 (**pp 1-11, 13**).
- 1.2. Resolved to introduce the revised syllabus for II year B.A. Tamil, Part-I Tamil for students who joined the programme from the academic year 2023-24 (**pp 14-18, 46-50**).
- 1.3. Resolved to introduce the revised curriculum, syllabus, programme structure for II year B.A. Tamil for students who joined the programme from the academic year 2023-24 (**pp 12, 19-42, 45, 51-75**).
- 1.4. Resolved to introduce the revised Add On courses titled 'IDHAZHİYAL' and 'KAVITHAIK KALAI' to be offered during the III and IV Semester of B.A. Tamil for students who joined the programme from the academic year 2023-24 (**pp 13, 43-44, 76-78**).
- 1.5. Resolved to introduce the revised Self Study course titled 'PUDHUMAIPITTHAN' of II B.A. Tamil for students who joined the programme from the academic year 2023-24 (**pp 13, 79-80**).
- 1.6. Resolved to introduce the revised curriculum, syllabus, programme structure for II year M.A. Tamil for students who joined the programme from the academic year 2023-24 (**pp 81-153**). The curriculum includes a Multi-disciplinary course titled TAMIL AZHAKIYAL offered jointly with the department of Economics and Botany (**pp 112-118**).

**Resolutions 1.7. & 1.8. – withdrawn*

2) FROM THE BOARD OF STUDIES OF HINDI DEPARTMENT

Prof.S.Murali, Chairman, Board of Studies in Hindi, shall move and **Dr.S.Dinakaran** shall second the following resolutions, passed in the Board of Studies meeting held on 13.02.2024.

- 2.1. Resolved to pass the revised syllabus for Part-1 Language Hindi based on TANSICHE model curriculum for Second year B.A./ B.Sc./ B.Com. Programme for students who join the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 154-165**).

3) FROM THE BOARD OF STUDIES OF SANSKRIT DEPARTMENT

Prof.P.Manikandan, Chairman, Board of Studies in Sanskrit, shall move and **Prof.S.Murali** shall second the following resolutions, passed in the Board of Studies meeting held on 13.02.2024.

- 3.1. Resolved to pass the revised syllabus for Part-1 Language Sanskrit based on TANSICHE model curriculum for Second year B.A./B.Sc./ B.Com. Programme for students who join the programme from the Academic year 2023-24. (**pp 166-180**).

4) FROM THE BOARD OF STUDIES OF ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

Dr.SheelaP.Karthick, Chairman, Board of Studies in English, shall move and **Dr.G.Sivasubramanian** shall second the following resolutions, passed in the Board of Studies meeting held on 13.02.2024.

- 4.1. Resolved to pass the syllabi for Part II English based on TANSICHE model curriculum for the second year (semester III & IV) B.A./B.Sc./ B.Com. programmes under outcome based education with Choice Based Credit System for students who joined the programmes from the Academic year 2023-2024 (**pp 181-196**).
- 4.2. Resolved to pass the revised curriculum, programme structure and syllabi based on the TANSICHE model curriculum, under outcome based education with choice based credit system for the second year (Semester III & IV) B.A. English programme for students who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 197-242**).
- 4.3. Resolved to pass the revised curriculum, programme structure and syllabi based on the TANSICHE model curriculum for the second year (semester III & IV) M.A. English programme for students who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 243-303**).The curriculum includes a Multi –Disciplinary Course on “Green Studies” offered jointly with the department of Tamil and Botany (**pp 264-269**).

- 4.4. Resolved to pass the syllabus for the Generic elective courses to be offered by the department of English to B.A. English programme for students who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 207-211, 229-232**).
- 4.5. Resolved to pass the syllabus for the Discipline specific elective courses to be offered to students of M.A.English programme who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 259-263, 289-293**).
- 4.6. Resolved to pass the syllabus for Skill Enhancement courses to be offered to the students of B.A.English programme who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 212-220, 233-240**).
- 4.7. Resolved to pass the syllabus for Skill Enhancement courses to be offered to the students of M.A.English programme who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 294-291**).
- 4.8. Resolved to pass the syllabus for Skill Enhancement course to be offered as NME to all PGprogrammes for students who joined the respective programmes from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 270-274**).

5) FROM THE BOARD OF STUDIES OF ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT

Dr.S.Theenathayalan, Chairman, Board of Studies in Economics, shall move and **Dr.P.Kannan** shall second the following resolutions, passed in the Board of Studies meeting held on 13.02.2024.

- 5.1. Resolved to pass the revised curriculum and syllabi based on TANSCHÉ model curriculum for II - B.A. Economics Programme for students who have joined from the Academic year 2023-24 and onwards (**pp 304-368**).
- 5.2. Resolved to pass the revised curriculum and syllabi based on TANSCHÉ model curriculum for II - M.A. Economics programme for Students who have joined from the Academic Year 2023-24 and onwards (**pp 369-433**). The curriculum includes a Multi-Disciplinary course offered jointly with the departments of Tamil, Commerce and Statistics (**pp 391-395**).
- 5.3. Resolved to pass the syllabi for the Generic Elective Courses (GEC) to be offered to the students of II – Year B.A. Economics and II – Year M.A. Economics programmes who have joined the respective programmes from the Academic year 2023-24 and onwards (**pp 322-326, 350-353, 386-390, 415-424**).

- 5.4. Resolved to pass the syllabi for Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC) to be offered for the II - Year B.A. Economics and II – Year M.A. Economics programmes for the students who have joined their respective programmes from the Academic Year 2023-24 and onwards (**pp 327-335, 354-358; 425-429**).
- 5.5. Resolved to introduce a Non-Major Elective Course (NME) titled “Budget and Financial Administration” in the Third Semester for the students who have joined their respective programmes from the Academic Year 2023-24 and onwards (**pp 396-400**).
- 5.6. Resolved to introduce two Add-on Courses namely Rural Development Studies and Labour Economics for the students of II – B.A. Economics who have joined from the Academic Year 2023-24 and onwards (**pp 359-362**).
- 5.7. Resolved to introduce a Self Study Course entitled Energy Economics for the students of II – B.A. Economics who have joined from the Academic Year 2023-24 and onwards (**pp 363-364**).
- 5.8. Resolved to introduce a Certificate Course entitled Economics for Competitive Examinations for the students of all Under Graduate Students (Open to all) who have joined from the Academic Year 2023-24 and onwards (**pp 365-366**).
- 5.9. Resolved to introduce Internship, Project cum viva-voce and Extension Activity for the II – M.A. Economics students who have joined from the Academic Year 2023-24 and onwards as per TANSICHE guidelines (**pp 401-402, 413-414, 430-431**).

6) FROM THE BOARD OF STUDIES OF COMMERCE DEPARTMENT

Dr.A.Mayilmurugan, Chairman, Board of Studies in Commerce, shall move and **Dr.S.Selvakumar** shall second the following resolutions, passed in the Board of studies meeting held on 13.02.2024.

- 6.1. Resolved to pass the revised curriculum and syllabi based on TANSICHE model curriculum for second year B.Com (General) Programme for students who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 434-436, 444, 448-657**).
- 6.2. Resolved to pass the revised curriculum and syllabi based on TANSICHE model curriculum for second year B.Com (Professional Accounting) Programme for students who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 437-438, 445, 448-657**).

- 6.3. Resolved to pass the revised curriculum and syllabi based on TANSCHÉ model curriculum for second year B.Com (Banking and Insurance) Programme for students who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (pp 439-440, 446, 448-657).
- 6.4. Resolved to pass the revised curriculum and syllabi based on TANSCHÉ model curriculum for second year B.Com (Financial Marketing Analytics) Programme for students who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (pp 441-442, 447, 448-657).
- 6.5. Resolved to pass the revised curriculum and syllabi based on TANSCHÉ model curriculum for second year M.Com. programme for Students who joined the programme from the Academic Year 2023-24 (pp 443, 658-733).
- 6.6. Resolved to pass Multi-Disciplinary Course on “Insurance, Actuarial Statistics and Economy” for II year M.Com students during III Semester for those who have joined from the Academic Year 2023-24. The course is offered with the departments of Economics and Statistics (pp 688-693).
- 6.7. Resolved to pass Non Major Elective (NME) course on “Marketing and Salesmanship” for PG students (other than Commerce) during III Semester for the students who have joined their respective programmes from the Academic Year 2023 -24 (pp 694-698).
- 6.8. Resolved to pass the revised syllabi for Generic elective courses ‘Financial Accounting’ and ‘Cost and Management Accounting’ based on TANSCHÉ model curriculum for second year B.Sc (IT) Programme during III Semester and IV Semester respectively for students who have joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (pp 734-743).
- 6.9. Resolved to pass the revised syllabi for Skill Enhancement Course ‘Basic Accountancy’ based on TANSCHÉ model curriculum for second year B.A (Economics) Programme during IV Semester for students who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (pp 744-747).

7) FROM THE BOARD OF STUDIES OF MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT

Dr.S.Muthukumar, Chairman, Board of Studies in Mathematics, shall move and **Dr.C.Thangapandi** shall second the following resolutions, passed in the Board of studies meeting held on 13.02.2024.

- 7.1. Resolved to pass the revised curriculum and syllabi based on TANSCHÉ model curriculum for II B.Sc. Mathematics students who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (pp 748-785).
- 7.2. Resolved to pass the revised curriculum and syllabi based on TANSCHÉ model curriculum for II M.Sc. Mathematics Students who joined the programme from the Academic Year 2023-24 (pp 786-864).
- 7.3. Resolved to pass the revised syllabus for the Generic Elective courses offered to the students of programme other than their programme of study and who joined their respective programmes from the Academic year 2023-24 (pp 865-883).
- 7.4. Resolved to pass the revised syllabus for Skill Enhancement Courses offered to the students of II B.Sc. Mathematics students who joined the programmes from the Academic year 2023-24 (pp 760-767, 776-783).
- 7.5. Resolved to pass the revised syllabus for Skill Enhancement courses in the third semester offered to the students of M.Sc. Mathematics who joined the programme from the Academic Year 2023-24 (pp 849-852).
- 7.5. Resolved pass the revised syllabus for the NME courses offered to students of PG programmes in the third semester for students of programmes other than their programme of study who joined from the Academic Year 2023-24 (pp 814-818).
- 7.6. Resolved to ratify the presentation of elaborate form of syllabus and the inclusion of section numbers in the textbook content for the paper “Computational Mathematics” 23U2MSED3 for the first year under graduate students in second semester (pp 884-888).
- 7.7. Resolved to ratify the inclusion of one more elective paper in each of the core elective theory course namely “Fuzzy sets and its applications”, subject code 23P1MECT1(B) as core elective –I and one core elective theory course namely ”Object Oriented System Development”, subject code 23P1MECT2(B) and the respective practical paper namely “Practical in Object Oriented System Development”, subject code 23P1MECP1(B) as core elective –II in first semester (pp 889-901).
- 7.8. Resolved to ratify the inclusion of one more elective paper in each of the core elective theory course namely “Mechanics” subject code 23P2MECT3(B) as core elective –III , “Numerical Analysis”, subject code 23P2MECT4(B) as core elective –IV and “Formal Languages”, subject code 23P2MECT5(B) as core elective –V in second semester (pp 902-916).

7.9. Resolved to pass the syllabus for “Certificate Course entitled “Industrial Quality Techniques” to post graduate students of all programmes (pp 917-918).

8) FROM THE BOARD OF STUDIES OF STATISTICS DEPARTMENT

Dr.P.Vetriselvi, Chairman, Board of Studies in Statistics, shall move and **Dr.R.Madhanagopal** shall second the following resolutions, passed in the Board of studies meeting held on 13.02.2024.

8.1. Resolved to pass the revised curriculum and syllabus based on TANSICHE model curriculum for second year B.Sc. Statistics programme for students who join the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 onwards (pp 919-963).

8.2. Resolved to pass the revised curriculum and syllabus based on TANSICHE model curriculum for second year M.Sc. Statistics programme for Students who join the programme from the Academic Year 2023-24 onwards (pp 966-1041).

8.4. Resolved to pass the syllabus for Skill Enhancement Courses (NME) to be offered to the students of programmes other than their programme of study and who join their respective programmes from the Academic Year 2023-24 onwards (pp 997-1001).

8.5. Resolved to pass the syllabus for Skill Enhancement Courses to be offered to the students of II B.Sc. Statistics and II M.Sc. Statistics Programme(s) who join these programmes from the Academic Year 2023-24 (pp 934-938, 952-955; 1031-1035).

8.6. Resolved to introduce the certificate course entitled “Official Statistics” to Under-graduate students from the Academic year 2023-2024 (pp 964-965).

**Resolution 8.3. – withdrawn*

9) FROM THE BOARD OF STUDIES OF PHYSICS DEPARTMENT

Dr.M.PremaRani, Chairman, Board of Studies in Physics, shall move and **Mr.V.Meenakshi Sundaram** shall second the following resolutions, passed in the Board of studies meeting held on 13.02.2024.

9.1. Resolved to introduce the revised curriculum and syllabus based on TANSICHE model curriculum for second year B.Sc. Physics Programme for students who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (pp 1042-1080).

- 9.2. Resolved to pass the revised curriculum and syllabus based on TANSCHÉ model curriculum for second year M.Sc. programme for Students who joined the programme from the Academic Year 2023-24 (**pp 1081-1145**).
- 9.3. Resolved to pass the syllabus for the Discipline Specific Elective courses to be offered to the students of M.Sc. Physics and who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 1095-1105, 1126-1136**).
- 9.4. Resolved to pass the syllabus for Skill Enhancement Courses (NME) to be offered to the students of programmes other than their programme of study and who joined their respective programmes from the Academic Year 2023-24 (**pp 1111-1115**).
- 9.5. Resolved to pass the syllabus for Skill Enhancement Courses to be offered to the students of B.Sc. & M.Sc. Physics Programme(s) who join these programmes from the Academic Year 2023-24 (**pp 1052-1061, 1070-1079; 1137-1141**).
- 9.6. Resolved to pass Multi-Disciplinary Course “Material Science” for M.Sc. students those who have joined from the Academic Year 2023-24. The course is offered jointly with the departments of Mathematics and Chemistry (**pp 1106-1110**).

10) FROM THE BOARD OF STUDIES OF CHEMISTRY DEPARTMENT

Dr.A.Xavier, Chairman, Board of Studies in Chemistry, shall move and **Dr.P.S.Harikrishnan** shall second the following resolutions, passed in the Board of studies meeting held on 13.02.2024.

- 10.1. Resolved to pass the curriculum and syllabus based on TANSCHÉ model curriculum for second year B.Sc., Chemistry Programme for students who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 onwards (**pp 1146-1168, 1184-1203, 1217-1220, 1237-1241**).
- 10.2. Resolved to pass the curriculum and syllabus based on TANSCHÉ model curriculum for second year M.Sc., Chemistry programme for Students who joined the programme from the Academic Year 2023-24 onwards (**pp 1242-1316**).
- 10.3. Resolved to pass the syllabus for the Generic elective courses to be offered to the students of programmes other than their programme of study and who join their respective programmes from the Academic year 2023-24 onwards (**pp 1169-1183, 1204-1216, 1221-1236**).

- 10.4. Resolved to pass the syllabus for Skill Enhancement Courses (NME) to be offered to the all PG students who join their respective programmes from the Academic Year 2023-24 onwards (**pp 1276-1280**).
- 10.5. Resolved to pass the syllabus for Skill Enhancement Course (SEC) to be offered to students of second year B.Sc., Chemistry who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-2024 onwards (**pp 1159-1168, 1194-1203**).
- 10.6. Resolve to ratify the change of course title as Foundation Course should be renamed as Introductory Chemistry (23U1CFCT1) for the first year B.Sc., students who have joined during the Academic Year 2023 – 24 onwards. pg. no. 1244

11) FROM THE BOARD OF STUDIES OF BOTANY DEPARTMENT

Prof.S.Chellapandian, Chairman, Board of Studies in Botany, shall move and **Dr.P.Kannan** shall second the following resolutions, passed in the Board of studies meeting held on 13.02.2024.

- 11.1. Resolved to pass the revised curriculum and syllabus based on TANSCHÉ model curriculum for second year B.Sc. Botany Programme for students who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 1317-1353**).
- 11.2. Resolved to pass the revised curriculum and syllabus based on TANSCHÉ model curriculum for second year M.Sc. Botany programme for students who joined the programme from the Academic Year 2023-24 (**pp 1354-1410**).
- 11.3. Resolved to pass the syllabus for the Generic elective courses to be offered to the second year Zoology major students from the Academic year 2023-24.
- 11.4. Resolved to pass the syllabus for Skill Enhancement Courses to be offered to the students of second year of B.Sc. Botany who joins the programme from the Academic Year 2023-24 (**pp 1330-1339, 1346-1353**).
- 11.5. Resolved to pass the syllabus for Skill Enhancement Courses (NME) to be offered to PG students who joined their respective programmes from the Academic Year 2023-24 (**pp 1382-1386**).

11.6. Resolved to pass the syllabus for Certificate course 'Flower arrangement' from the academic year 2024-25 to the students of all the UG and PG courses (**pp 1411-1414**).

12) FROM THE BOARD OF STUDIES OF ZOOLOGY DEPARTMENT

Dr.S.Dinakaran, Chairman, Board of Studies in Zoology, shall move and **Dr.L.D.Devasree** shall second the following resolutions, passed in the Board of studies meeting held on 13.02.2024.

12.1. Resolved to ratify the syllabi for II semester of B.Sc. Zoology programme for students who joined the programme from the academic year 2023-2024 (**pp 1415-1416, 1419-1434**).

12.2. Resolved to ratify the syllabi for the Generic Elective courses offered to the II semester of B.Sc. Botany students who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 1418, 1435-1441**).

12.3. Resolved to pass the curriculum and syllabi based on TANSCHÉ model curriculum for III semester and IV semester of B.Sc. Zoology programme for students who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 1417-1418, 1442-1482**).

12.4. Resolved to pass the syllabus for Skill Enhancement Courses offered to the students of II B.Sc. Zoology who joined the programmes from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 1456-1460, 1470-1479**).

**Resolutions 12.5. & 12.6. - withdrawn*

13) FROM THE BOARD OF STUDIES OF COMPUTER SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

Er.J.Rajendran, Chairman, Board of Studies in Computer Science, shall move and **Prof.R.Uma Sankari** shall second the following resolutions, passed in the Board of studies meeting held on 13.02.2024.

13.1. Resolved to pass and implement the Revised curriculum and syllabus based on the TANSCHÉ model curriculum for Semester III and Semester IV of II B.Sc. Computer Science Programme for students who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 1483-1529**).

13.2. Resolved to pass the syllabus for the Generic elective courses based on the TANSCHÉ model curriculum to be offered in the III and IV semesters to the students of II B.Sc. Computer Science programme who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 1492-1495, 1514-1518**).

13.3. Resolved to pass the syllabus for Skill Enhancement Courses to be offered in the III and IV semesters to the students of II year B.Sc. Computer Science Programme who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 1496-1505, 1519-1528**).

14) FROM THE BOARD OF STUDIES OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT

Prof.K.RajaSaravanaKumar, Chairman, Board of Studies in Information Technology, shall move and **Dr.K.Rajeswari** shall second the following resolutions, passed in the Board of Studies meeting held on 13.02.2024.

14.1. Resolved to pass the revised Curriculum and Syllabi based on TANSICHE Model Curriculum for Second Year B.Sc. Information Technology students who joined the Programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 1530-1577, 1582-1585**).

14.2. Resolved to pass the revised Curriculum and Syllabi based on TANSICHE Model Curriculum for Second Year M.Sc. Computer Science Students who joined the Programme from the Academic Year 2023-24 (**pp 1586-1662**).

14.3. Resolved to pass the Syllabi for Skill Enhancement Courses to be offered to the Second year B.Sc. Information Technology students who joined the Programme from the Academic Year 2023-24 (**pp 1546-1554, 1564-1573**).

14.4. Resolved to pass the Syllabus for Multi Disciplinary Course to be offered to the Second Year M.Sc. Computer Science students who joined the Programme from the Academic Year 2023-24. This Course is offered jointly with the Departments of Mathematics and Physics (**pp 1615-1619**).

14.5. Resolved to pass the Syllabus for Skill Enhancement Course (NME) titled “Basic Excel Techniques” to be offered to the students of Second year PG Programmes other than their Programme of study and who joined their respective Programmes from the Academic Year 2023-24 (**pp 1620-1625**).

14.6. Resolved to pass the Syllabus for Professional Competency Skill Course titled “Quantitative Aptitude” to be offered to the Second Year M.Sc. Computer Science students who joined the Programme from the Academic Year 2023-24 (**pp 1650-1654**).

- 14.7. Resolved to pass the Syllabi for Add-On Courses titled “Multimedia Tools” and “R Programming” to be offered during Third and Fourth Semester of B.Sc. Information Technology for students who joined the Programme from the Academic Year 2023-24 (pp 1574-1577).
- 14.8. Resolved to pass the Syllabus for Add-On Course titled “Values and Ethics in Research” to be offered in the Second Year to M.Sc. Computer Science students who joined the Programme from the Academic Year 2023-24 (pp 1657-1659).
- 14.9. Resolved to pass the Syllabi for Certificate Courses titled “Web Designing Tools” and “PC Hardware & Troubleshooting” to be offered to the students who joined from the Academic Year 2023-24 (pp 1578-1581).
- 14.10. Resolved to pass the Syllabus for Self Study Course titled “Quantitative Aptitude” to be offered to the Second Year B.Sc. Information Technology students who joined the Programme from the Academic Year 2023-24 (pp 1582-1583).

15) FROM THE BOARD OF STUDIES OF MICROBIOLOGY DEPARTMENT

Dr.K.Rajeswari, Chairman, Board of Studies in Microbiology, shall move and **Prof.R.Suguna** shall second the following resolutions, passed in the Board of studies meeting held on 13.02.2024.

- 15.1. Resolved to pass the revised syllabus based on TANSICHE model curriculum for second year B.Sc Microbiology Programme for students who join the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (pp 1663-1707, 1724-1731).
- 15.2. Resolved to pass the revised syllabus based on TANSICHE model curriculum for second year M.Sc Microbiology programme for students who join the programme from the Academic Year 2023-24 (pp 1732-1819).
- 15.3. Resolved to pass the syllabus for the Generic elective courses to be offered to the students of programmes II year B.Sc., Biotechnology who join their respective programmes from the Academic year 2023-24 (pp 1666, 1708-1723).
- 15.4. Resolved to pass the syllabus for add-on courses titled “Biostatistics and Bioinformatics”, “Introduction to Medical Coding” semester III, IV respectively and self-study course titled ‘Bioenergy’ for B.Sc., Microbiology programme for students who join the programme from the Academic Year 2023-24 (pp 1724-1728).

15.5. Resolved to pass the syllabus for Skill Enhancement Courses as NME to be offered to the PG students of programmes other than their programme of study who join their respective programmes from the Academic Year 2023-24 (**pp 1768-1772**).

15.6. Resolved to pass the syllabus for Multi-disciplinary course (MDC) for III semester of second year M.Sc Microbiology programme for students who join the programme from the Academic Year 2023-24. The course is offered jointly with the departments of Mathematics and Computer Science (**pp 1762-1767**).

Resolution 15.7. - withdrawn

16) FROM THE BOARD OF STUDIES OF BIOTECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT

Prof.R.Suguna, Chairman, Board of Studies of Biotechnology, shall move and **Dr.K.Rajeswari** shall second the following resolutions passed in the Board of Studies meeting held on 13.02.2024.

16.1. Resolved to ratify the programme structure for B.Sc. Biotechnology Programme for II semester from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 1820-1824**).

16.1. Resolved to pass the programme structure for B.Sc. Biotechnology Programme for II Year from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 1820-1824**).

16.2. Resolved to ratify the syllabi for B.Sc. Biotechnology II semester for the students who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 1825-1841**).

16.3. Resolved to ratify the syllabi for Generic Elective Biotechnology offered to I B.Sc. Microbiology II semester for the students who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 1875-1888**).

16.4. Resolved to pass the curriculum and syllabi for Second year B.Sc. Biotechnology Programme for students who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 1842-1874, 1889-1893**).

16.5. Resolved to pass the syllabi for Add-on courses titled “Forensic Biotechnology” and “Herbal Medicine” offered to Second year B.Sc. Biotechnology Programme for students who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (**pp 1889-1890**).

16.6. Resolved to pass the syllabus for Self-study course titled “Good Laboratory Practices “offered to Second year B.Sc. Biotechnology Programme for students who joined the programme from the Academic year 2023-24 (**P 1891**).

17) FROM THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN NATIONAL CADET CORPS (NCC)

Dr.S.V.Karthikeyan, Chairman, Board of studies in NCC, shall move and **Dr.K.Kathirvelpandian**, shall second the following resolutions passed in the meeting of the Board of studies in NCC held on 13.02.2024.

17.1. Resolved to pass the revised syllabus for Part-V NCC in the fourth semester for students who joined their respective programmes from the academic year 2023-24 and onwards (**pp 1899-1902**).

17.2. Resolved to ratify the revised syllabus for Part-V NCC in the second semester for students who joined their respective programmes from the academic year 2023-24 and onwards (**pp 1894-1898**).

18) FROM THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME (NSS)

Dr.Y.Natarajan, Chairman, Board of studies in NSS, shall move and **Dr.M.Kannan**, shall second the following resolutions passed in the meeting of the Board of studies in NSS held on 13.02.2024.

18.1. Resolved to pass the revised syllabus for Part-V NSS in the fourth semester for students who joined their respective programmes from the academic year 2023-24 and onwards (**pp 1907-1910**).

18.2. Resolved to ratify the revised syllabus for Part-V NSS in the second semester for students who joined their respective programmes from the academic year 2023-24 and onwards (**pp 1903-1906**).

19) FROM THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN YOUTH RED CROSS (YRC)

Dr.S.Selvakumar, Chairman, Board of studies in YRC, shall move and **Dr.S.Krithika**, shall second the following resolutions passed in the meeting of the Board of studies in YRC held on 13.02.2024.

19.1. Resolved to pass the revised syllabus for Part-V YRC in the fourth semester for students who joined their respective programmes from the academic year 2023-24 and onwards (**pp 1915-1918**).

19.2. Resolved to ratify the revised syllabus for Part-V YRC in the second semester for students who joined their respective programmes from the academic year 2023-24 and onwards (**pp 1911-1914**).

20) FROM THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Dr.K.Kathirvelpandian, Chairman, Board of studies in Physical Education, shall move and **Dr.S.V.Karthikeyan**, shall second the following resolution passed in the meeting of the Board of studies in Physical Education held on 13.02.2024.

20.1. Resolved to pass the revised syllabus for Part-V Physical education in the fourth semester for students who joined their respective programmes from the academic year 2023-24 and onwards (**pp 1923-1926**).

20.2. Resolved to ratify the revised syllabus for Part-V Physical education in the second semester for students who joined their respective programmes from the academic year 2023-24 and onwards (**pp 1919-1922**).

21) FROM DEAN (ACADEMICS)

Prof.S.Sivaramakrishnan, Dean (Academics), shall move and **Dr.I. Sahul Hamid**, Dean (Planning and Development) shall second the following resolution:

21.1. Resolved to offer Add-on courses passed by the respective Board of Studies during semesters 3 and 5 for students who joined all UG programmes offered by the institution from the academic year 2023-2024.

22) FROM THE MEMBER – PRIVATE RESOLUTION

Prof.S.Chellapandi, Head, Department of Botany, shall move and **Dr.S.Dinakaran**, Head, Department of Zoology shall second the following resolution:

22.1. Resolved to adopt the existing syllabus for “Environmental science and Gender Awareness” course (Regulation 2020) for students who joined all UG programmes offered by the institution from the academic year 2023-2024. The end semester examination would held at the end of fourth semester.

ADDENDUM

Dr.S.V.Karthikeyan, Associate NCC officer, shall move and **Dr.K.Kathirvelpandian**, Physical Director shall second the following resolution:

- 22.2. Resolved to permit NCC cadets of our college to avail 35 days of leave on-duty (OD) to attend camps like RDC, TSC and special camps like Mountaineering, Trekking, attachment camps, EBSB, CATC, etc. and however excluding this OD leave, the minimum attendance requirement to avoid repeating the course remains same.

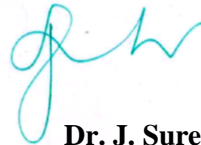
Prof.S.Sivaramakrishnan, Dean (Academics), shall move and **Dr.I.Sahul Hamid**, Dean (Planning and Development) shall second the following resolution:

- 22.3. Resolved to award two extra credits to students who successfully complete a community project listed under Nan Muthalvan scheme from the academic year 2023-24.

IV. Any Other Subject



Dr. R. Eswaran
Member Secretary



Dr. J. Suresh
Principal & Chairman



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MEETING OF THE ACADEMIC COUNCIL

Date : 03.04.2024 (Wednesday)

Venue: Seminar Hall

Time : 10.30a.m.

MINUTES OF THE ACADEMIC COUNCIL MEETING

The ordinary meeting of the Academic Council was held in the Seminar Hall on Wednesday, 03rd April 2024 at 10.30 am.

Members Present

- 1) Dr. J. Suresh (Chairman, Academic Council)
- 2) Dr. R. Eswaran (Member Secretary, Academic Council).
- 3) Sri. S. Seetharaman (President, MCB)
- 4) CA.S. Natanagopal (Secretary, MCB)
- 5) Sri. N. Anand Srinivasan (Treasurer, MCB)
- 6) Dr. K. Perumal (University Nominee)
- 7) Dr. V. Ramarajapandian (University Nominee)
- 8) Dr. S. SaleemaRabiyath (University Nominee)
- 9) Sri. S. Sankaran (Member representing Industry & Vice President, MCB)
- 10) Dr. S. Dhanasamy
- 11) Dr. A. Atheeswari
- 12) Dr. G. Karunakaran
- 13) Dr. N. Rathinakumar
- 14) Dr. V. Usha
- 15) Dr. M. Kannan
- 16) Dr. D. Gandhimathi
- 17) Dr. S. Kannadasan
- 18) Dr. Sheela P. Karthick
- 19) Dr. G. Sivasubramanian
- 20) Dr. A. Chandrabose
- 21) Dr. S. Sudha
- 22) Dr. A. Vigneshkumar
- 23) Dr. S. Venkatesh
- 24) Prof. B. Tamilselvi
- 25) Prof. S. Murali
- 26) Prof. P. Manikandan
- 27) Dr. S. Theenathalayan
- 28) Dr. P. Kannan
- 29) Dr. R. Gopi
- 30) Dr. V. Sriman Narayanan
- 31) Dr. S. Karthikeyan
- 32) Dr. S. Meenakshi
- 33) Dr. A. Mayilmurugan
- 34) Dr. S. Selvakumar
- 35) Dr. K. HemaMalini
- 36) Dr. Y. Natarajan
- 37) Dr. S. Chandrasekar
- 38) Dr. R. Vennila
- 39) Dr. A. Karuppusamy
- 40) Dr. S. Ramachandran
- 41) Prof. S. Krithika
- 42) Prof. P. Jayalakshmi
- 43) Dr. S. Muthukumar
- 44) Dr. C. Thangapandi
- 45) Dr. R. Pandiselvi
- 46) Dr. K.M. Dharmalingam
- 47) Dr. V. Ananthaswamy
- 48) Dr. I. Sahul Hamid
- 49) Dr. U. Karthick Raja
- 50) Dr. I. Padmavathi
- 51) Dr. S. Usha
- 52) Dr. V. Sangeethasubha
- 53) Dr. P. Vetrisevi
- 54) Dr. R. Madhanagopal
- 55) Dr. M. Venkateswaran
- 56) Dr. M. Rabert
- 57) Dr. M. Premarani
- 58) Prof. V. Meenakshisundaram
- 59) Prof. T. Vivekanandan
- 60) Prof. S. Sivaramakrishnan
- 61) Dr. M. Kavitha
- 62) Dr. G. Gowri
- 63) Dr. K. Neyvasagam
- 64) Dr. R. Vishnu Priya
- 65) Dr. J. Sivasubramanian
- 66) Dr. A. Xavier
- 67) Dr. P.S. Harikrishnan
- 68) Dr. M. Karpagavalli

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| 69) Dr. M. Malarvizhi | 88) Dr. L.D. Devasree |
| 70) Dr. S.V. Karthikeyan | 89) Dr. B. Latha |
| 71) Prof. S. Vidhyasankar | 90) Dr. C. Selvakumar |
| 72) Dr. R. Ramachandran | 91) Dr. P. Sivakumar |
| 73) Dr. S. Selvakumar | 92) Er. J. Rajendran |
| 74) Dr. P. Prasanna | 93) Prof. R. Umasankari |
| 75) Dr. M. Boominathan | 94) Dr. T. SreeRamkumar |
| 76) Dr. M. Hasmath Farzana | 95) Dr. K. Kathirvel Pandian |
| 77) Dr. J. Shanmugapriya | 96) Dr. N. Paneerselvam |
| 78) Prof. S. ChellaPandian | 97) Dr. S. Vimal |
| 79) Dr. P. Kannan | 98) Dr. K. Vidhya |
| 80) Dr. S. Karuppusamay | 99) Dr. S. Suresh Kannan |
| 81) Dr. S. Gnaana Saraswathi | 100) Prof. G. Sreedevi |
| 82) Prof. V. Meenakshi Sundaram | 101) Dr. M. Revathi |
| 83) Dr. N. Janakiraman | 102) Dr. S. Angayarkanni |
| 84) Dr. M. Karpagajothi | 103) Prof. K. Rajasaravanakumar |
| 85) Dr. P. Jansi Rani | 104) Prof. R. Suguna |
| 86) Dr. S. Saravanan | 105) Dr. K. Rajeswari |
| 87) Dr. S. Dinakaran | 106) Mr. M. Venkatraman |

1. The meeting was called to order by Dr.J.Suresh, Principal and The Chairman of the Academic Council (*hereafter mentioned as The Chairman*). The meeting started with the college prayer. The Chairman welcomed Sri.S.Seetharaman, President, Madura College Board (MCB), Sri.S.Sankaran, Vice-president, MCB, CA.S.Natanagopal, Secretary, MCB, Sri.N.Anand Srinivasan, Treasurer, MCB, University nominees: Dr.K.Perumal, Dr.V.Ramarajapandian and Dr.S.SaleemaRabiyath, all Heads of the Departments (HoDs), Deans, Dr.N.Paneerselvam, Chief Coordinator (Self-Financing Stream), Controller of Examinations (CoE), Deputy Controller of Examinations, Assistant Controller of Examinations, Co-ordinators (SF stream) and all other members of the Academic Council.

2. The Chairman, during welcome address, emphasized the importance of curriculum design and development in the current scenario of higher education system in India. He also narrated the phases on successful implementation of Outcome Based Education (OBE) and Tamil Nadu State Council for Higher Education (TANSCHÉ) model curriculum in the college. The chairman also elucidated the dynamic nature of curriculum development and implementation. He stressed the point that curriculum should progress the student(s) to take up their role in the academic cum industrial arena. He added that the concept of curriculum should be adaptable and protean nature, which should cater the diverse requirements of the society. And with delight, he announced that NAAC assessment has given high score (3.8 out of 4) for the Criterion-I (Curricular aspects) covering curriculum design and implementation. The

chairman profusely thanked the Madura College Board for their support and encouragement. The chairman concluded by appreciating the support rendered by the faculty for the accomplishment.

3. The Minutes of the previous Academic Council meeting held on 12.10.2023 was confirmed and passed. The Chairman invited the Heads and Chairman, Board of Studies (BoS) of all the Departments to present their resolutions one by one.

4. Resolutions No. **1.1. to 1.8.** were moved by **Dr.S.Dhanasamy**, Chairman, BoS of Tamil department and seconded by **Dr.A.Atheeswari**. Dr.S.Muthukumar suggested to mention III and IV semester in the resolution 1.1. The chairman (BoS, Tamil) agreed for the correction suggested. CA S. Natanagopal, The Secretary, MCB, queried about the total lecture hours for Add on course and Prof.S.Sivaramakrishnan replied that 30 hours per semester for Add on course. While presenting resolution 1.6, Dr.S.Dinakaran suggested to write the resolutions in Tamil instead of English. The chairman replied that the suggestions are well taken. While presenting resolution 1.7., Dr.S.Muthukumar queried about the need of resolution to be passed by Tamil department. Dr.Sheela P.Karthich explained that the course is a multi-disciplinary course to be offered by English Department and a part of the course (an unit) would be handled by the Tamil Department. After a long discussion among the members, Chairman (BoS, Tamil) agreed to **withdraw resolution 1.7.**

While presenting resolution 1.8, about certificate courses, Prof.S.Sivaramakrishnan pointed out that the course contents was already passed in the previous meetings of Academic council and therefore, he suggested to pass the ratification instead of a resolution. Dr.S.Dhanasamy replied that the department didn't make any changes in the syllabi contents. Hence, He agreed to **withdraw resolution 1.8.** Then, the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

5. Resolution No. **2.1.** was moved by **Prof.S.Murali**, Chairman, BoS of Hindi department and seconded by **Dr.S.Dinakaran**. Members unanimously agreed the resolution. Then, the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

6. Resolutions No. **3.1.** was moved by **Prof.P.Manikandan**, Chairman, BoS of Sanskrit department and seconded by **Prof.S.Murali**. Members unanimously agreed the resolution. Then, the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

7. Resolutions No. **4.1. to 4.7.** were moved by **Dr.Sheela P.Karthick**, Chairperson, BoS of English department and seconded by **Dr.G.Sivasubramanian**. Prof.S.Sivaramakrishnan suggested to remove the word “on” in front of course title in resolution 4.3. Dr.S.Muthukumar inquired about the contribution of participating departments for Multi-disciplinary course (MDC). Dr.Sheela P.Karthick clarified that Departments of English, Tamil and Botany contributes in the ratio of 3:1;1. In response to resolution 4.4, Dr.S.Muthukumar questioned about the Generic elective courses, Dr.Sheela P.Karthick requested the members to consider the course as Elective. Dr.A.Xavier, CoE, argued that it could be discipline specific elective. The Chairman requested the English department to mention the programme (UG/PG) when presenting resolution 4.5, Dr.A.Xavier, CoE, requested to remove the word ‘Generic or discipline specific’ in the resolution. Prof. S. Sivaramakrishnan replied that Elective courses would have options. In response to resolution 4.7., Prof. S. Sivaramakrishnan suggested to mention NME in the resolution. Dr.A.Xavier clarified that PGNME is to be offered during 2nd and 4th semesters of PG programmes. The chairman advised the department to revise resolutions and suggested to include one more resolution for NME. Dr.Sheela P.Karthick agreed for the changes suggested by the The chairman and members of Academic Council.

Then, the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

8. Resolutions No. **5.1. to 5.9.** were moved by **Dr.S.Theenathayalan**, Chairman, BoS of Economics department, and seconded by **Dr.P.Kannan**.

While presenting resolution 5.2., Dr.S.Theenathayalan, reiterated that Department of Economics will handle 2 hours in the multidisciplinary course. In response to resolution 5.8, regarding certificate courses, Dr.A.Xavier reminded that the list of certificate courses offered by the department has not been received by the CoE office. Dr.S.Theenathayalan assured to send it soon.

Then, the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

9. Resolution No. **6.1. to 6.9.** were moved by **Dr.A.Mayil Murugan**, Chairman, BoS of Commerce department, and seconded by **Dr.S.Selvakumar**.

While reading resolution 6.6., Dr.A.Mayilmurugan requested the members to read the page numbers as 635-670. He read the resolutions by including ‘and onwards’ at the end of the resolutions. While reading resolution 6.9, Dr.S.Theenathayalan opined that if we mention from the year 2023-24, we don’t need to include ‘and onwards’ in the resolution.

Then, the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

9. Resolutions No. **7.1. to 7.9.** were moved by **Dr.S.Muthukumar**, Chairman, BoS of Mathematics department and seconded by **Dr.C.Thangapandi**. While presenting resolution 7.3, Dr.S.Muthukumar clarified that the resolution is for UG students. While presenting resolution 7.7., Dr.S.Theenathayalan questioned that whether any changes made in the syllabi. Dr.S.Muthukumar clarified that the courses are optional/choices for the respective elective courses. Prof.S.Sivaramakrishnan opined that the core elective should be mentioned as Elective. Added to that Dr.A.Xavier, CoE, suggested to mention as course code instead of subject code. Dr.S.Muthukumar agreed for the changes suggested in the resolutions.

Then, the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

10. Resolutions No. **8.1 to 8.6.** were moved **Dr.P.Vetriselvi**, Chairperson, BoS of Statistics department and seconded by **Dr.P.Madhanagopal**. While presenting resolution 8.3, Dr.S.Muthukumar questioned the suitability of the resolution as the resolution is about the Generic Elective courses. Chairman (BoS, Statistics) agreed to **withdraw resolution 8.3**. While presenting resolution 8.5., Dr.S.Muthukumar suggested to paraphrase the resolution by adding page numbers in the respective courses of UG and PG. Dr.P.Vetriselvi agreed to recast the resolution. While presenting resolution 8.6., Dr.P.Vetriselvi clarified that the course will be offered from 2024-25. Dr.Sheela P.Karthick pointed out a typographical error in the resolution as “entitles” instead of “entitled” Dr.S.Theenathayalan questioned about the need of passing the resolution in the current Academic council meeting. There was a lot of discussion among members on the resolution. The chairman intervened and explained that the concerned BoS discussed and approved the syllabi for the course, and he suggested to pass the resolution in the current meeting. A few members gainsaid and opined as a wrong precedence. The chairman clarified and confirmed the statutory requirements and compliance of academic process i.e., deliberated and approved in the BoS. Hence, he supported the stand of Statistics department in passing the resolution in the today’s meeting. Members unanimously agreed in passing the resolution.

Then, the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

11. Resolutions No. **9.1. to 9.6.** were moved **Dr.M.Prema Rani**, Chairperson, BoS of Physics department, and seconded by **Prof.V.Meenakshi Sundaram**. While presenting resolution 9.3, Dr.S.Muthukumar questioned about the options offered by the department for the elective courses. Dr.M.Prema Rani replied that there are 2 options offered for each elective course. Dr.S.Muthukumar also suggested to mention the semester in the resolution 9.4. and 9.5. The chairman intervened and explained that the semester mentioned in the programme skeleton and passed in the BoS. He questioned the need of

mentioning the semester in the resolution. Also, He suggested that the resolution(s) could be of more general with clarity. He also reiterated that the general nature of resolution would have the space for the department for replacing the course content or taught, semester etc. in the forthcoming years. At the end, He justified that the query made by the member could be considered as suggestion and not as a correction. Then the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

12. Resolutions No. **10.1. to 10.6.** were moved by **Dr.A.Xavier**, Chairman, BoS of Chemistry department and seconded by **Dr.M.Karpagavalli**. While presenting resolution 10.3., The chairman clarified that Generic Elective courses are to be considered as such for the B.A. Tamil and English programme and for all others it means allied, He said. While presenting resolution 10.4., Dr. Theenathayalan questioned the equal usage of the term “Skill Enhancement course” and “Non-Major Elective course” He also questioned how come NME comes under SEC. The chairman summarised the history of the move. He further explained that NME was not included first in the list of courses given by TANSCHHE for various programmes, and later university suggested that NME can be included in place of SEC. As per the direction, we have decided in the council meeting and subsequent meetings on curriculum framework. We have also decided that in the UG courses it can be considered as SEC and for the PG courses as NME. He also profounded that honestly speaking no difference between SEC and NME. Dr.P.Harikrishnan also expressed that same opinion. Dr.K.Perumal, University nominee opined that usage of SEC or NME doesn't more important than the content offered. He also supported for the decision by the college on SEC on UG courses and NME on PG courses. Then all the members unanimously agreed for the usage of SEC and NME. While presenting resolution 10.6. about the change of title of Foundation course offered during I semester of the B.Sc. Chemistry Programme, Dr.S.Theenathayalan queried Whether the change of title reflected in the mark statement. Dr.A.Xavier assured that the title change will be reflected in the mark statement.

Then, the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

13. Resolutions Nos.**11.1. to 11.6.** were moved by **Prof.S.Chellapandian**, Chairman, BoS of Botany department and seconded by **Dr.P.Kannan**. Before presenting the resolutions, Prof.S.Chellapandian proposed that the resolution should start with “It has been resolved”. He also reviewed the history of Academic council from since receipt of Autonomous status by the college. He also pleaded the members to focus the discussion on issue based not a person based. While

reading the resolutions, he clarified that a few common corrections in the resolutions from various departments could be due to the template provided by the college. The Chairman replied that the template could be considered as a 'tool fix' and it was given to ensure the basic interests of the resolutions. He reiterated that 'we didn't impose and absolutely no issues if the department(s) make necessary changes of their interests'. Prof.S.Chellapandian thanked the Chairman for the clarification. While presenting resolution 11.5., He requested the members to read the resolution with correction inside the bracket "(as NME course)".

Then, the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

14. Resolutions No.12.1. to 12.6. were moved by **Dr.S.Dinakaran**, Chairman, BoS of Zoology department and seconded by **Dr.L.D.Devasree**. While reading resolution 12.4, He requested the members to read as "Programme" instead of "Programmes". While presenting resolutions 12.5. and 12.6., about adopting existing syllabi of add on course and Generic Elective courses, members queried about the need of resolutions. Chairman (BoS, Zoology) also agreed to **withdraw resolutions 12.5. and 12.6.**

Then the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

15. Resolutions No.13.1 to 13.3. were moved by **Er.J.Rajendran**, Chairman, BoS of Computer Science department and seconded by **Prof.R.Umasankari**. Members unanimously agreed the resolutions.

Then, the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

16. Resolutions No.14.1. to 14.10. were moved by **Prof.K.Rajasaravanakumar**, Chairman, BoS of Information Technology department and seconded by **Dr.K.Rajeswari**. The motion was then thrown open for discussion. While presenting resolution 14.8 on Add-on course on "Values and Ethics", Dr.S.Theenathayalan questioned about having Add-on course in PG. Prof.S.Sivaramakrishnan replied that the department didn't have a course on research methods, hence, they have decided to give as add on course and that could validate the project in PG curriculum. The chairman queried whether it is a compulsory course and will it not affect the minimum credits since it offered out of curriculum hours. Dr.Theenathayalan opined that it is an extra course and compulsory. Dr.K.Perumal, University nominee suggested to keep Add on course and make it non-mandatory. Dr.S.Saleema Rabiya opined that the content is more important for the students of the programme. Hence keep an Add-on and not as a Mandatory course. After a long discussion among members, it was unanimously accepted to keep the

course with non-mandatory option. While reading resolution 14.9 regarding certificate course., Prof.K.Rajasaravankumar, clarified that the course is for UG students only.

Then, the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

17. Resolutions No.**15.1. to 15.7.** were moved by **Dr.K.Rajeswari**, Chairperson, BoS of Microbiology department and seconded by **Prof.R.Suguna**. While presenting resolution 15.4., Dr.S.Dinakaran questioned the competency of the staff to handle the programme on medical coding. The chairman overviewed about the examination and valuation pattern of add-on course and he explained that the pattern could ease the passing of students in the Add-on course. While presenting resolution 15.7., The chairman opined that serious discussion on evaluation pattern and pass minimum in Add-on is needed. He pleaded that whenever we conduct exam we should fix pass minimum and we need to refine it in the coming years after a healthy deliberations. The members questioned the need of resolution 15.7. Chairman (BoS, Microbiology) also agreed to **withdraw resolution 15.7.**

Then, the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

18. Resolutions No.**16.1. to 16.6.** were moved by **Prof.R.Suguna**, Chairperson, BoS of Biotechnology department and seconded by **Dr.K.Rajeswari**. Members requested to rephrase the resolution 16.1. Prof.R.Suguna agreed for changing the resolution.

Then the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

19. Resolutions No.**17.1. to 17.2.** were moved by **Dr.S.V.Karthikeyan**, Chairman, BoS in National Cadet Corps (NCC) and seconded by **Dr.K.Kathirvelpandian**. Members unanimously agreed the resolutions.

Then the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

20. Resolutions No.**18.1. to 18.2.** were moved by **Dr.Y.Natarajan**, Chairman, BoS in National Service Scheme (NSS) and seconded by **Dr.M.Kannan**. Members unanimously agreed the resolutions.

Then the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

21. Resolutions No. **19.1. to 19.2.** were moved by **Dr.S.Selvakumar**, Chairman, BoS in Youth Red Cross (YRC) and seconded by **Dr.S.Krithika**. Members unanimously agreed the resolutions. Then the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

22. Resolutions No. **20.1. to 20.2.** were moved by **Dr.K.Kathirvelpandian**, Chairman, BoS in Physical Education (PEd) and seconded by **Dr.S.V.Karthikeyan**. Members unanimously agreed the resolutions. Then the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

23. Resolution No. **21.1.** was moved by **Prof.S.Sivaramakrishnan**, Dean (Academics) and seconded by **Dr.I.Sahul Hamid**, Dean (Planning and Development). Dr.S.Theenathayalan queried that if it is extra credit and not mandatory why to run the course?. Dr.SheelaPKarthick opined that exceptions may be given to departments. The chairman explained that if it is given option many departments wont offer. Prof.V. Meenakshisundaram questioned the mode of conduct of self study courses. The chairman clarified the need of Add on courses and self study courses for the NAAC assessment to cater the need of above average students. Dr.Saleema Rabiyyath opined that the Add on and self study courses may be continued as in the present system. Members agreed the resolution to keep the Add on courses and self study courses. Then, the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

24. The private Resolution No. **22.1.** was moved by **Prof.S.Chellapandian**, Head, Department of Botany and seconded by **Dr.S.Dinakaran**, Head, Department of Zoology, Members unanimously agreed the resolution. Then, the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

25. The private Resolution No. **22.2.** was moved by **Dr.S.V.Karthikeyan**, NCC officer, and seconded by **Dr.K.Kathirvelpandian**. The chairman explained that the existing On-duty (OD) for students is for 15 days and the students may be permitted to write the exam with prescribed fine if he/she acquired 50-75% attendance. He requested the members to present their opinions. Dr.S.Dinakaran and Dr.S.Theenathayalan opined that The principal can be authorized to finalize the decision on OD for students. After a lengthy discussion, it was decided to give a maximum of 35

days OD for the students and the forum authorize the principal to consider the genuine request from the NCC cadets.

Then the motion was put to vote and CARRIED.

In any other matters, Dr.R.Gopi remembered his participation along with NSS volunteers in Republic Day celebrations at New Delhi, with special permission along with OD from the University and The College. He suggested to consider the OD for the genuine request from students.

The Chairman requested the University nominees to give their observations and remarks. Dr.K.Perumal expressed his views about the deliberations of the academic council as follows:

1. He congratulated all the members for the fruitful deliberations.
2. He also suggested to focus more on How to develop skills among students? and he opined that the inclusion of skill content in curriculum is the need of the hour.
3. He felt such skill development help the students to face the competitive world.

Dr.S.Saleema Rabiyyath expressed her views as follows:

1. She cherished the tradition of The Madura College and felt happy to attend the meeting.
2. She highlighted the need of NSS and other Part-V to create social awareness and responsibility in the era of Media, piracy, fake news etc.
3. She also felt happy about inclusion of practical experience, field visits in the curriculum of many departments.
4. She also suggested to include the content that focus more on pelagiarism, reference, ethics of reference in the PG curriculum.

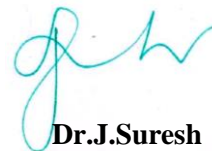
26. The Member secreatry, Dr.R.Eswaran proposed vote of thanks .

22. The Chairman adjourned the Academic Council meeting followed by the National Anthem.



Dr.R.Eswaran

Member Secretary



Dr.J.Suresh

Principal & Chairman