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Date: 23.02.2022

To,

Dr. Shweta Manwadkar, Principal,

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Dear Madam,

The meeting of Board of Studies of the Krishna College of Physiotherapy will be held on Monday, 28th February, 2022 at 02.30 pm. in the Krishna College of Physiotherapy, Krishna Institute of Medical Sciences "Deemed To Be University", Karad.

Being a Member of the said Board; you are requested to attend the same.

Yours Sincerely,

KIMSDU, KARAD

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Board of studies meeting for progress report of B.Sc. Sports program & update on admission process (2021-2024) under Somaiya Vidyavihar University

Proposed date and time: 25th June 2021 at 11:00 AM

**VENUE: Zoom Meeting** 

## **AGENDA**

- 1. Action points suggested in the last BOS Meeting held on 1st March 2021.
- 2. Summary/Feedback of BSc Sports and Exercise Science programme launched from October 2020 Academic Year 2020-23.
- 3. Examination schedule & report on examination conducted for FY Academic Year 2020-21.
- 4. Amendments in the Syllabus of BSc Sports and Exercise Science programme.
- 5. Admission process for the BSc Sports and Exercise Science programme for A. Y. 2021-24.
- 6. Any other matter with the permission of Chair.

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# BOARD OF STUDIES MEETING - PROPOSED B.Sc. (PHYSICAL EDUCATION, HEALTH EDUCATION AND SPORTS) PROGRAM SOMAIYA VIDYAVIHAR UNIVERSITY

# MINUTES OF THE MEETING

Date: 14th May 2020 Time: 11:00 AM

Venue: Audio-Video Conferencing

## Board of Studies members in attendance:

- Prof. V.N.R. Pillai Vice Chancellor Somaiya Vidyavihar University
- 2. Mr. Aazaz Khan Director Somaiya Sports Academy
- 3. Mr Virendra Bhandarkar Director Sports Authority of India
- 4. Dr. Jose James -Ex- Director, School of Physical Education, Mahatma Gandhi University,
- 5. Dr. Uttam Kendre Former Sports Director Mumbai University.
- 6. Dr. Apurva Mathankar Co-Founder Strength and Conditioning Academy India.
- 7. Mr. Prasad Mathankar Co-Founder Strength and Conditioning Academy India, IIM
- Dr. Priti Mehendale Associate Professor, Kinesiotherapy, K J Somaiya College of
- 9. Prof. Issac Jacob Area Chairperson Marketing and International Business Programme Coordinator- PGDM Communications (IMC), PGDM International Business and **PGDM Executive, SIMSR**

# Somaiya Vidyavihar University team:

- 1. Mr. Nandakumar Gilke Registrar Somaiya Vidyavihar University
- 2. Dr. Ramesh Karandikar Exam Controller Somaiya Vidyavihar University
- 3. Mr. Mahaveer Devannavar General Manager Information Technology, Somaiya Vidyavihar
- 4. Mr. Krunal Mehta Student
- 5. Ms. Nitya Somaiya Student
- 6. Mr. Omkar Pawar Student
- 7. Mr. Heet Gandhi Student
- 8. Mr. Ashutosh Rathod Deputy Manager Somaiya Sports Academy
- 9. Mr. Aditya Singh- Deputy Manager Somaiya Sports Academy
- 10. Mr. Siddheshwar Shinde Sports Coordinator Somaiya Sports Academy
- 11. Mr. Omeir Babi Assistant Cricket Coach, Somaiya Sports Academy

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#### Points as discussed:

1. Welcome note by Mr. Aazaz Khan - Director, Somaiya Sports Academy.

Mr. Aazaz Khan introduced and welcomed all the members present in the meeting.

2. Confirmation of Minutes of the Expert Committee meeting held on 25<sup>th</sup> November 2019 and Action Taken Report

Mr. Aazaz Khan informed all the members briefly about the meeting conducted on 25th November 2019 regarding starting Sports certification programs. However, it was discussed further with Somaiya Vidyavihar University (SVU) management and it was decided to change the program from a Certification program to a B.Sc. program which will be discussed in the current meeting.

3. To review the proposal of B.Sc. (Physical Education, Health Education and Sports) program

Mr. Aditya Singh presented the concise proposal to all the members. He informed everyone that other points like program objectives, program learning objectives, detailed syllabus of each course with reference books and infrastructural requirements are covered in the detailed proposal shared earlier with the members.

There were various points which were discussed post the presentation by all members which are as follows:

# APPROVAL OF SPORTS MANAGEMENT COURSE

Vice Chancellor, Prof. R Pillai informed the members about a separate Sports Management course which has been approved by the Academic Council. This course will be organized by Somaiya Insitute of Management Studies and Research (SIMSR) in association with Somaiya Sports Academy (SSA). He also mentioned that the minutes of the management council meeting will be shared with SSA and SIMSR in order to work further on this course.

### IMPORTANCE OF SPORTS AT SVU

Vice Chancellor informed that sports will be mandatory for all the students at SVU, Swimming and Self Defense has been identified by the management as mandatory sports for all the students as they play an important role everyone's life.

Mr. Nandakumar Gilke, Registrar, SVU also mentioned that the students will be eligible to receive their respective degrees at SVU only if they pass in the mandatory sports examinations.

Dr. Jose James added that certain universities and colleges are following fitness test formats where tests are conducted at the beginning and at the end of the semester and fitness certificates are issued to the students. Somaiya Sports Academy can look into this option in order to increase the general fitness levels of the students at SVU.

Mr. Aazaz Khan suggested that First Aid course also must be made mandate for students of SVU as it is a very important skill to have and which will be very helpful in a case of emergency. Vice Chancellor mentioned that apart from the above mentioned mandate courses; this has also been added as a mandatory course for all students.

# **COURSES IN THE PROPOSED B.Sc. PROGRAM**

Dr. James suggested that the courses in the proposed B.Sc. program are well balanced in the scheme and covers almost all the important courses related to Physical Education, Health Education and Sports. He emphasized that the program must include Sports Ethics as well in the curriculum. Sports Ethics will add value to the course and it is important for the students to learn the course at the undergraduate level. Vice chancellor also agreed to the point. Later, Dr. James also enquired about the Sports Technology course in the program. Mr. Aditya informed that the course has been added as a Skill Enhancement Course and the syllabus of the same is mentioned in the detailed proposal. Dr. James opinionated that the Sports Technology course should be a core subject instead of being a Skill Enhancement Course and the Vice Chancellor agreed to the same.

Mr. Virendra Bhandarkar made a point that the success of the course lies on how well it will be conducted which will totally depend on the quality of the faculties teaching the courses. Prof. R. Pillai assured everyone that the university will make sure that very top industry professionals and experienced faculties will be teaching the courses of the proposed BSc program.

Mr. Mahaveer Devannavar suggested that the program should include an option to study advanced language courses as all the students will have studied Basic English as a subject in their respective previous education. He also suggested that additional minor degree with lesser credits (around 20 credits) along with the B.Sc. Course can

also be offered. A possibility of having elective courses for foreign languages, Marathi language, etc. offered parallel by other Somaiya institutes should also be looked into. This was discussed further in a separate meeting between SSA team and Mr. Mahaveer Devannavar the minutes of the same are shared in a separate file for reference.

Mr. Gilke enquired about adding Sports History along with Sports Ethics in the program. Mr. Aditya Singh informed the members that in the 5th Semester of the proposed program, the students will be going through the history of the sport selected in the first unit of the Sports Proficiency course. Vice Chancellor mentioned that along with the mentioned courses, SSA should also consider Sports Diplomacy and look into viability of adding the same to the program.

Dr. Apurva Mathankar added that she has experienced the students to be very well versed with the theoretical part of the courses and they really struggle when the same has to be applied in a practical scenario while attending an athlete. Thus, she suggested that apart from all the incorporated courses, Athlete Handling should be added as part of the program. In the particular topic the students can learn to build the rapport and understand the athletes better. This will be important to evaluate the athlete's performance. Dr. Mathankar also suggested that if not as a part of the syllabus this can be an additional topic in existing practical sessions. Dr. Priti Mehendale suggested that the students can be given exposure to practical environment similar to the physiotherapy students sent for clinical postings.

Prof. Isaac Jacob mentioned that Sports Ethics should be added to the program as mentioned by Vice Chancellor and Dr. James. The addition makes great sense as it will enhance the aura to the BSc program once mentioned in the marketing campaign pages.

Mr. Heet Gala suggested that the program must include co-curricular courses for the students. Vice Chancellor told the members that an option to choose the extracurricular courses like Music will be incorporated for all the students at Somaiya Vidyavihar University.

Ms. Nitya Somaiya had an opinion that the proposed syllabus for the courses likes Computer Applications and English Communication should be comparatively advanced.

# **COLLABORATIONS AND TIE UPS**

Mr. Virendra Bhandarkar appreciated the details and the way the BSc proposal has been well-researched and articulated. He mentioned that the program looks very professional and if it is executed in a similar way a possible tie-up with Sports Authority of India (SAI) can be considered. In the future, SVU can be one of the learning partners with SAI where the athletes and coaches at SAI can be recommended to enroll for the course offered by SVU. The tie-up will also lead the students of this course to be eligible to do internships at Khelo India Youth Games and other sporting events organized by SAI.

Prof. Isaac Jacob mentioned that for strategic tie ups from a marketing point of view, various renowned sports clubs can be approached. The same can offer internships to the students undergoing the proposed program. He mentioned that Real Madrid Football Club has their management course and we must look at such institutes for tie-ups which in turn will add value to the proposed course. A cross tie-ups with the sports brands associated with MBA Sports Management and BSc Sports programs can be looked into the future. He added that a tie-up with Sports Authority of India apart from the Football clubs who are into sports education will be very beneficial.

#### **NOMENCLATURE AND SCHEME OF EXAMINATION**

Prof. Pillai conveyed that the nomenclature for the course may be changed as Chancellor of SVU, Mr. Samir Somaiya, had various suggestions. There will be another meeting to be conducted between management council and SSA for the same. Board of Studies will be duly informed in the case of change of program's nomenclature.

Dr. Karandikar mentioned that 10+2 or equivalent must be a mandate to enroll in the proposed course. He suggested that validity of the degree must be checked in consideration with future employment prospects. He also suggested that a scope for further studies option must be considered for the students after they finish the BSc program. Vice Chancellor suggested that another follow up BOS meeting should be organized with the Chancellor, Mr. Samir Somaiya to be present to discuss the details with him.

Dr. Jose James mentioned that the nomenclature can be B.Sc. (Health and Sports Sciences). He also added that the regulations, scheme of examination and evaluation should be decided. Prof. James suggested that the ratio of theory and practical for the course should be clearly defined. According to him, 40 percent dedicated to

theory, 40 percent to practical and 20 percent to internal examination can be considered. Vice Chancellor added that the ratio must vary for each course or module included in the program. He also gave an example of a course like English Communication or Environmental Science which will have more weightage to theory than practical.

#### AGE CRITERIA

Mr. Bhandarkar pointed out that the students who will be interested in this program will be consisting of current and former athletes, sport professionals who want to enhance their knowledge and add a degree to their profile, Physical Education teachers and Sports enthusiasts. Considering the prospective students, he suggested that the age limit must be well defined and relaxed to get a chance to apply for this course post the age of 25. He also told the members that a former international athlete undergoing the course will be great in terms of branding the course and reaching better quality students who are proficient in sports.

Dr. Jose James mentioned that the criteria cap was suggested as the proposed program is a foundation program. Vice Chancellor addressed that the program will be a first degree program instead of a basic foundation program. He also made it very clear to the members that the proposed BSc program is not a teacher's training course. He agreed with Mr. Bhandarkar and suggested that there will be a clear possibility of age relaxation which will be decided on case to case basis.

#### **MARKETING CAMPAIGN**

Mr. Mahaveer Devannavar mentioned that we must start digital campaigns for the program at the earliest and should start gauging enquires and interests towards the course. Mr Aazaz Khan agreed and suggested that all possible types of marketing must start at the earliest.

Vice Chancellor agreed to the marketing campaign and suggested to start working on the same to Mr. Aazaz Khan and Mr. Devannavar. Mr Gilke mentioned that it will be important to get an approval on the course fees in order to start the marketing on various platforms as it will be an important aspect which will impact the marketing.

Dr. Jose James and Mr Mahaveer Devannavar suggested that program objectives, syllabus framework and the learning outcome of the program on the campaign pages, must be defined.

## SCHOLARSHIP / SPONSORSHIP

Mr. Aazaz Khan enquired about scholarship programs and policies that can be applied at SVU. Vice Chancellor informed the members that the scholarship offered in the past were given in a much focused way. He suggested that a committee should be appointed to define the policies for scholarship program.

Prof. Isaac Jacob suggested that meetings with various sports brands should be conducted in order to collaborate for sponsorships. He mentioned that various brands such as Puma and Nike sponsor relevant students (international athletes or other sports enthusiasts) for undergoing similar programs. Prof. Isaac also added that the students doing the MBA Sports Management program can be given a live project to get the sponsorships when they learn the sponsorship course.

Mr. Bhandarkar acknowledged that the sports companies offer such kind of sponsorships, however, for both the sports programs; the student applying for the scholarship must have good credentials. Hence, the admission committee must identify and verify the credentials of the athletes/students who apply for this sponsorship.

Mr. Aazaz Khan thanked all the present members and concluded the meeting.

## Action to be taken:

Somaiya Sports Academy to take care of the following action points:

1. Brainstorm and prepare a revised proposal considering following possibilities:

(a) Revised age criteria with clearly stating the relaxations

(b) Suggested courses like Sports Ethics, Sports Diplomacy and Sports Technology to be as a Discipline Specific Core course; inter-disciplinary elective subjects

(c) Scheme of evaluation and passing criteria

(d) Scholarship scheme in line with the norms of Somaiya Vidyavihar University

(e) Additional credits to the existing program

(f) Majors, Honours, Minors, Major & Minor and Certification Programs

(g) Multiple Exits

- Start looking out for leading sports industry professionals and faculties strata
- 3. Schedule meeting with the Board of Studies once the revised proposal is ready for presentation

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# 4th Board of studies meeting for progress report of B.Sc. Sports program and to institute new UG and PG courses in physical education Under Somaiya Vidyavihar University

# Board of Studies members attended the meeting on 1st March 2021

- 1. Prof. V.N.R. Pillai Vice Chancellor Somaiya Vidyavihar University
- 2. Mr. Nandakumar Gilke Registrar Somaiya Vidyavihar University
- 3. Mr. Aazaz Khan -Director Somaiya Sports Academy
- 4. Dr Uttam Kendre Prof. Emeritus Somaiya Sports Academy
- 5. Dr Apurva Mathankar -Co-Founder Strength and Conditioning Academy India. NSCA Member -
- 6. Mr. Prasad Mathankar -Co-Founder Strength and Conditioning Academy India.
- 7. Dr. Priti Mehendale Associate Professor, K J Somaiya College of Physiotherapy.
- 8. Mr. Virendra Bhandarkar Dy Director Sports Authority of India.

## **AGENDA**

- 1. Submission of progress report ongoing B.Sc. sports and exercise science for the academic 2020-21 by Dr. U. N. Kendre. Annexure I
- 2. Submission of academic calendar of B.Sc. sports and exercise science. Annexure II
- 3. To discuss the proposal to start the B.P.ED four years, B.P.ED two years and M.P.ED two years program. Annexure III
- 4. Progress report of sports infrastructure development (Eklavya Sports Complex) by Aazaz Khan. Annexure IV
- 5. Fees fixation of B.Sc. Sports program for academic year 2021-24
- 6. Any other matter with the permission of the chair.

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# Minutes of the meeting

Mr. Aazaz Khan, Director, S.S.A. welcomed all members and briefed the members about the meeting, he requested Hon'ble Vice Chancellor to grant permission to start the meeting, which was granted, then the agenda of the meeting

- 1. Dr. U.N. Kendre briefed on the progress of B.Sc. Sports and Exercise Science.
  - a. Mr. Prasad Mathankar asked for the response and experience of current students. Dr. Kendre informed the members that the eighteen students enrolled are keen to gain their knowledge and are showing interest in lectures to explore their abilities by submitting assignments and other class work.
  - b. Mr. Bhandarkar appreciated the patience and response by students in B.Sc. sports. However we must try to get the students back on the campus.
  - c. Mr. Isaac Jacob also supported the idea of getting students back on the campus as it is a practical dominant course, he also suggested that we can get students on campus in batches if required.
- 2. Dr. U.N. Kendre briefed about the yearly examination and tentative dates of the
  - Dr. Nandakumar Gilke Registrar SUV asked Director SSA to take the BOS meeting after consulting with the exam controller for appointing paper setters for the academic year 2020-21. Dr. Kendre assured that necessary action will be taken to
- 3. Dr. Kendre has proposed new courses four year integrated B.P.Ed., two year B.P.Ed. and two year M.P.Ed. courses to be instituted.
  - a. Dr. Nandakumar Gilke Registrar SVU asked regarding the availability of infrastructure such as a lab, class room etc for conducting the new courses.
  - b. The registrar further suggested all the faculty members required for starting the B.P.Ed. and M.P.Ed. course must be considered in a BOS meeting. SSA should plan a BOS meeting for the same if the meeting is not possible. SSA must take consent from all BOS members on an email. Once approved by the BOS these faculty positions should be proposed to the board of management.
  - c. Mr. Bhandarkar suggested that the SVU must think of sports specific or specialized courses to be introduced instead of new courses proposed by SSA. He told the members that considering new trends in criteria setting for job opportunities in the sports industry, the industry requires more sports specific certificates or degree holders.

- d. Dr. Kendre enquired with Mr. Bhandarkar regarding the possibility of starting NIS six weeks certificate courses at Somaiya Vidyavihar University. Mr. Bhandarkar reverted that he had a discussion with the Head of Academics Mr. Nagi at NIS patiala regarding the same. However, NIS is yet to release the requisition for these courses, in the first week of march Mr. Bhandarkar is expecting to receive the circular about the courses. He ensured that he will get at least two or three courses started at SVU for which the infrastructure is ready.
- e. Mr. Bhandarkar also mentioned that he will try to get funds from Khelo India for development of infrastructure such as a multi purpose hall, athletics track etc for SVU. Mr. Aazaz Khan reverted that SSA will be starting the athletics track revamp in the coming month as it is already planned. He also thanked Mr. Bhandarkar in anticipation of efforts towards getting these funds for infrastructure development. Mr. Aazaz Khan will evaluate the progress and the suggestions by Mr. Bhandarkar.
- 4. Mr. Khan presented a progress report of Eklavya Sports Complex. As per the report in the first phase two classrooms will be ready soon to accommodate the students of B.Sc. sports and exercise science.
  Mr. Bhandarkar suggested and invited SSA members to visit Aurangabad SAI to understand the infrastructure development as per International standard.
- 5. Discussion was taken regarding the fees fixation for the B.Sc. sports and exercise science academic year 2021-24. Dr. Gilke will be sharing the details of the document to be prepared for the academic council meeting to fix the fees for academic 2021-24.
- 6. Dr. Kendre asked Mr. Bhandarkar about conducting Khelo India Games at SVU. Mr. Bhandarkar pointed out the various requirements for conducting the Khelo India Games or Khelo India University Games such as Infrastructures, Volunteers, Officials, Technical team, Accommodation and other expertise. He said once SVU is ready to meet all the requirements then only we can propose for conducting this event.

#### **Action Points:**

- 1. Director, SSA should meet the COE, SVU to discuss the paper setter for the BSc Sports and Exercise Science.
- 2. Director, SSA should consider all the infrastructure and faculty requirements to start the BPEd and MPEd programme and present the detailed proposal in the next BOS meeting, if feasible.

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Respected Members,
Board of Studies for Clinical Conditions & Clinical Subjects in Physiotherapy

Greetings from School of Physiotherapy!

This is to inform you, that the meeting of the "Board of Studies in Clinical Conditions & Subjects in Physiotherapy", is scheduled on Monday, 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 2020 at 11.00 am

Venue: Conference Room, School of Physiotherapy

6<sup>th</sup> Floor Medical College Building.

The Agenda for the meeting include:

To discuss and review the syllabus.

To discuss scheme of Examination

To discuss rules for Internship programme.

Any other business with the permission of chair.

Kindly make it convenient to attend the same.

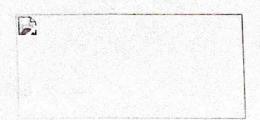
Warm regards

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