

# **3<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of Board of Studies**

**Sep 02<sup>nd</sup>, 2020**



**Institute of Legal Studies  
and Research  
GLA University, Mathura**



**Agenda Note for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Meeting of the Board of Studies –ILSR**  
**to be held on Sep 02<sup>nd</sup>, 2020**

Agenda Item – 1: To confirm the minutes of the 2<sup>nd</sup> BoS meeting

Agenda Item – 2: Action Taken Report (ATR)

Agenda Item –3: To discuss shifting to Trimester system from Semester system, Internship policy and Project-based learning system for 2 existing and upcoming batches (2018, 19 & 20):

Agenda Item – 4: To consider and approve changes for following subjects:

Agenda Item – 5 To consider and approve revised new courses/syllabi for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> year for BA, LL.B ( Hons.) & B.Com, LL.B ( Hons.)

Agenda Item-6: To consider and approve the courses focusing on skill development/entrepreneurship/employability of B.A.LL.B (H) and B.Com. LL.B.(H) program.

Agenda Item: 7: To consider and approve modification in one course and to introduce one new course in PhD Programme, as recommended by the Research Cell of the University

Agenda Item – 8: Any other item with the permission of the chair



# Institute of Legal Studies and Research

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2<sup>nd</sup> September, 2020

## Minutes of meeting of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of Board of Studies held on September 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2020

An online meeting on the approval of a five-year trimester system, internship and project-based learning policy, course structure and the first three-year syllabi for BA, LL.B (H) and B.Com, LL.B (H) of the Institute of Legal Studies and Research (ILSR), GLA University was held on 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2020 via the Zoom platform.

Following members were present.

1. **Prof. Avinash Dadhich**, Dean, Institute of Legal Studies & Research, GLA University, Mathura
2. **Prof. Ashish Sharma**, Associate Dean (Academic Affairs), GLA University, Mathura
3. **Prof. V.K. Ahuja**, Professor of Law, Faculty of Law, Delhi University
4. **Prof. Ajay Kumar**, Professor of Law & Dean Academic Affairs, Chanakya National Law University, Patna
5. **Dr. Rajan Kumar**, Associate Professor of Political Science, Centre for Russian and Central Asian Studies, School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi
6. **Dr. Birpal Singh**, Assistant Professor of Sociology at National Law Institute University, Bhopal
7. **Dr. Viral Pandya**, Co-Dean of Faculty and Academic Affairs & Associate Professor of Management, Gujarat National Law University

At the outset, the Chairman of BOS, Prof. Avinash Dadhich, Dean, ILSR & Prof. Ashish Sharma, Associate Dean (Academic Affairs) welcomed the Members for attending the 3<sup>rd</sup> meeting of the Board of Studies at ILSR to initiate the proceedings of BoS following the agenda note circulated earlier.

### **Agenda Item – 1: To confirm the minutes of the 2<sup>nd</sup> BoS meeting**

*The minutes of the meeting of 2<sup>nd</sup> BoS held on July 28<sup>th</sup>, 2019 was confirmed.*

### **Agenda Item – 2: Action Taken Report (ATR)**

*The ATR based on the minutes of the 3<sup>rd</sup> BoS is as follows:*



Agenda Item	Description	Action Taken
1	To confirm minutes of the 2 <sup>nd</sup> meeting of BoS	Confirmed.
2.	Action Taken Report (ATR)	
3	To consider and approve proposal for switching from Semester to Trimester system & internship policy and Project-based learning system.	Proposal for switching from Semester to Trimester system & Internship policy and Project-based learning system were approved.
4	To consider and approve changes in Law and Non-Law subjects	Suggestions were incorporated and approved Syllabi were implemented.
5.	To consider and approve syllabi for 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> year for BA, LL.B (Hons.) & B.Com, LL.B (Hons.)	Suggestions were incorporated and approved Syllabi were implemented
6	Any other item with the permission of the chair	No item has been reported

**Agenda Item –3: To discuss shifting to Trimester system from Semester system, Internship policy and Project-based learning system for 2 existing and upcoming batches (2018, 19 & 20):**

BoS members appreciated the proposed trimester, internship policy & project-based learning framework as providing a comprehensive model of education in which due emphasis would be given to research papers, moot court and project-based evaluation process. With the following findings and recommendations they suggested this adjustment for current and future students at ILSR:

1. This change is as per the 2008 BCI Education Rules and ILSR does not entail any regulatory danger in this trimester framework. Project-based learning Policy is enclosed as **Annexure –A**
1. Faculties should provide the students with good encouragement and mentoring for projects, moot court and research papers.
2. Providing all students with 2 compulsory and 1 optional internship per year would bring practical knowledge and law-learning to students. However, as per internship policy, this internship should be supervised accordingly. Internship Policy is enclosed as **Annexure –B**

**Agenda Item – 4: To consider and approve changes for following subjects:**



The members of the BOS made useful remarks, and suggested the proposed course structure for Five Year BA LLB (H) and B.Com. LLB (H) and Syllabi for papers on offer in the first 3 years of 5 years programmes.

#### **Suggestions in Law Subjects Syllabi:**

- Legal Hindi: Add Conveyance Deed in Module II
- Company Law: Add introduction of Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 under the Winding Up topic.
- Property Law and Easement Law: Add Equity and Trust Law in Module II of the Syllabus
- Law of Torts: Add enactment year of the Consumer Protection Act.
- Contract Law II: Add Specific Relief Act in the syllabus.
- Labour Law I: Deduct some part from Module I related to the origin and introduction of industrial relation
- Labour Law II: Explains the area to be covered in the given legislation.
- Constitutional Law, syllabus of Trimester I should be swapped with Trimester II
- Law of Taxation: Provisions of Constitution of India related to tax and GST should be added.
- Administrative Law: A book by Stanley De Smith should be added in the textbook section

#### **Suggestions in Non- Law Subjects Syllabi:**

- **Political Science -I**  
Political Theory and Political ideologies will be in the first module. In political ideology, it will consist the followings ideologies e.g. Liberalism, Socialism, Marxism, Feminism. In Module II, it will include Classical Indian Political Thought
- **Political Science-II**  
In this paper, in the first module, major debates on the political obligation are incorporated. In the second module, Gandhian thought on political obligation as well as rights and obligation are incorporated.
- **Political Science-III**  
In this paper, some suggestions are made for bifurcation of topics as module wise. The Constitution and Constitutionalism were placed in the first module.
- **Political Science-IV**  
In this paper, the party system was placed in the first module. Major issues in Indian Politics are elaborated in the second module.
- **Political Science-VII**  
No major changes are included. The syllabus is fine.
- **Political Science-VIII**  
In this paper, major changes were made. In the first module, four major theories of IR are incorporated. Second, India and major powers. India and international organizations are incorporated.
- **Sociology Paper I**



Add Karl Marx and Max Weber and the historical and socio-economic background of the emergence of sociology.

- **Sociology Paper III**

Add Law and marginalized sections in India (Women, Children and Indigenous People)

- **History Paper I**

Politics, Society and Culture in Ancient India were incorporated in the first module. The Justice and legal institutions are included in the first module. In the Second module, Politics, Society and Culture in Medieval India was included as per suggestions in the meeting.

- **History Paper-II**

The evolution of law in British India and Legal Institutions were incorporated in the first module. Constitutional Developments and Framing of the Indian Constitution and Modern and Contemporary India are included in the second module.

- **History Paper III**

Latin and Roman Judicial system, The French Revolution, *Magna Carta* were incorporated in the first module. American Revolution and first WW and WW II are focused on the second module.

**Agenda Item – 5 To consider and approve new courses/revised syllabi for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> year for BA, LL.B (Hons.) & B.Com, LL.B ( Hons.)**

*The syllabi after incorporation of all suggestions by the BoS members are enclosed as Annexure C*


**Agenda Item-6: To consider and approve the courses focusing on skill development/entrepreneurship/employability of B.A.LL.B (H) and B.Com. LL.B.(H) program.**

**List attached as Annexure-D**

**Agenda Item-7:** Research Cell of the University recommended modification in the Syllabus of “Research Methodology” Course as well as recommended to introduce “Research and Publication Ethics” course in PhD Programme from the Session 2020-21. Syllabi of both the courses were duly considered by the board and subsequently approved.

**Agenda Item – 8: Any other item with the permission of the chair**

*No item has been reported*

  
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All the members of BoS




**List of new courses introduced during the last five years**

**(from Session 2016-17 to 2020-2021)**

S.No.	Session	Name of the programme	Year	No. of New courses introduced	Title of New courses introduced
1	2020-2021	Bachelor of Arts LLB (Hons.)	III	12	Labour Law- I
					Law of Crimes – I
					Political science-VI
					Property Law and Easement Laws
					Administrative Law
					Labour Law- II
					Law of Crimes-II
					Civil Procedure Code I
					Company Law
					The Code of Criminal Procedure -I
					Political Science -Public Administration
					Law of taxation
2	2020-2021	B.Com. LLB (Hons.)	III	12	Labour Law- I
					Law of Crimes – I
					Cost Accounting
					Property Law and Easement Law
					Administrative Law
					Labour Law- II
					Law of Crimes-II
					Civil Procedure Code I
					Company Law
					principles and practices of banking and insurance,
3	2020-	Ph.D. Law	I	4	The Code of Criminal Procedure -I
					Law of Taxation
					Research and Publication Ethics



	2021				Research methodology
					Law and social transformation in India
					Emerging challenges in law

  
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