

### Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Post graduate Studies (English).






A meeting of the Board of Post graduate Studies (English) was convened in the department of English on 14 Feb 2017 at 11:30 a.m. Members present were:

- Prof Lily Want (in chair)
- Prof Sumanyu Satpathy
- Prof Anil Raina
- Prof Majrooh Rashid
- Prof Aijaz Ahmed Sheikh
- Dr Nusrat
- Dr Iffat Maqbool
- Dr Muft Mudasir
- Prof Shahida
- Dr Javed A Bhat
- Dr Shabir
- Dr Qazi Khursheed
- Dr Mohammad Ameen Parrey
- Mr Tariq A Shah
- Ms Nadia Shah

The Board reviewed the current syllabus of M A English and resolved the following:

- That the syllabus needs to be made all-inclusive/comprehensive so that it is in tune with the prolific production of literary texts the world over
- That the students should be exposed to a vast range of literary texts to facilitate their performance in competitive examinations like SET and NET/JRF
- That a list of suggested/recommended reading be provided at the end of the Core Courses and Discipline Centric Electives

The Board was informed that the syllabuses designed by the Board of Under graduate Studies (English) for B A Honours (English) and B A Literature in accordance with the UGC template for these programmes under Choice Based Credit Scheme were all-inclusive/comprehensive and therefore the syllabus at the masters level should be equally updated /standardised when these students join the department of English. It was also resolved that the Generic Electives and Open Electives for students from sister departments and the rest of the departments of the University should be revisited and modified. The Board was of the opinion that most of these students have no background knowledge of English Literature and therefore the electives offered should be accessible and deal with contemporary/relevant issues.

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