



Department of Sociological Studies
School of Social Sciences and Policy
Central University of South Bihar, Gaya

Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Studies (BoS) Meeting held on
10th and 11th of August 2023

Members Present:

1. Prof. M Vijay Kumar Sharma -- Chairperson
2. Prof. Anil Kumar Singh Jha -- Member
3. Dr. Sanat Kumar Sharma -- Member
4. Dr. Samapika Mohapatra -- Member
5. Dr. Jitendra Ram -- Member
6. Dr. Haresh Narayan Pandey -- Member
7. Dr. Priya Ranjan -- Member
8. Dr. Parijat Pradhan -- Member
9. Dr. Aditya Mohanty -- Member
10. Mr. Ahammedul Kabeer AP -- Member
11. Prof Shiv Shankar -- Cognate Member
12. Dr Pravin Kumar -- Cognate Member
13. Prof DK Singh -- External Expert
14. Prof AK Joshi -- External Expert
15. Prof SF Chandra Sekhar -- Special Invitee
16. Prof. AN Singh -- Special Invitee

Agenda

1. Revision of MA in Social Work Syllabus for AY 2023-24

Resolution

Agenda No 1:

It was resolved that in order to make the Masters in Social Work more relevant in the light of NEP-2020 and guidelines of UGC, the BoS recommends that:

- (a) The name of the Department should be modified from the existing 'Department of Sociological Studies' to the 'Department of Sociology and Social Work'. This will

2 help students to have distinctive perception about the courses offered by the department. This change should be updated on the website.

(b) The name of the programme should be modified from 'Master of Arts in Social Work' to 'Master of Social Work (MSW)'. This change should be updated on the website.

(c) The Course Structure should include 60% of theory papers and 40% of field Work Practicum as per UGC Norms for Social Work education at Post Graduate Levels. A detailed description of 80-Credit courses with four units per course for all the semesters is recommended, which is as per PG ordinances of CUSB.

The meeting concluded with a Vote of Thanks.


Signatures

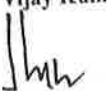

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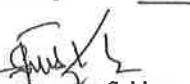

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Course Structure

Master of Social Work (MSW) (80 Credits)

Odd Semester (Semester – I)

DBCC (DISCIPLINE BASED CORE COURSES)

(4 Credit each)

Paper I	Foundations of Social Work
Paper II	Sociology for Social Workers
Paper III	Dynamics of Human Behaviour
Paper IV	Field Work Practicum (Concurrent- I)

OEIC (OPEN ELECTIVE: INTERDISCIPLINARY IN NATURE) (4 Credit each)

Paper I	Gender and Development
Paper II	Society, Culture, and Deviance
Paper III	Society and Environment
Paper IV	Sociology of Health and Healing

MENC Skill Based (Non-Credit Course equivalent to 2 credits)

Paper I	Yoga, Health & Mental Wellbeing
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Even Semester (Semester – II)

DBCC (DISCIPLINE BASED CORE COURSES)

(4 Credit each)

Paper V	Methods of Social Work (I): Social Case Work
Paper VI	Methods of Social Work (II): Social Group Work
Paper VII	Social Work Research and Statistics
Paper VIII	Field Work Practicum (Concurrent- II) & SOCIAL WORK CAMP

DBCE (DISCIPLINE BASED CORE ELECTIVE) (4 Credit each)

Paper I	Social Security and Social Justice
Paper II	Community Development
Paper III	Counselling for Social Workers
Paper IV	Environment and Sanitation
Paper V	Social Exclusion and Social Inclusion

MENC (MANDATORY ELECTIVE NON-CREDIT COURSE) (2 credit each)

Paper II	Constitutional Values
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Odd Semester (Semester – III)

DBCC (DISCIPLINE BASED CORE COURSES)

(4 Credit each)

Paper IX	Methods of Social Work (III): Community Organizations
Paper X	Field Work Practicum (Concurrent -III) & STUDY TOUR

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(4 Credit each)

Paper X Education and Society

Paper IV Social Entrepreneurship

Paper XIII Internship

Paper ~~XXX~~ Health Care and Social Work

Paper IV Innovation and Entrepreneurship

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