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## CIRCULAR :-

The Head, University Department of German and the Principals of the affiliated Colleges in Arts are hereby informed that the recommendation made by the Board of Studies in German at its meeting held on 6<sup>th</sup> March, 2009 has been accepted by the Academic Council at its meeting held 21<sup>st</sup> April, 2009 vide item No.4.34 and subsequently approved Management Council at its meeting held on 22<sup>nd</sup> May, 2009 vide item No. 20 and that, in accordance therewith, One Year Part-Time Diploma in Conversational Japanese has been introduced with effect from the academic year 2009-2010.

Further that in exercise of powers conferred upon the Management Council under Section 54(1) and 55(1) of the Maharashtra Universities Act, 1994, it has made Ordinances 5861 and 5862, Regulations 8026, 8027, 8028, 8029, 8030 and 8031 including syllabus relating to the One Year Part-Time Diploma in Conversational Japanese is as per Appendix and that the same has been brought into force with effect from the academic year 2009-2010.

MUMBAJ-400 032 29<sup>th</sup> September, 2009

PRINK, VENKATARAMANI REGISTRAR

To.

The Head, University Department of German and the Principals of the affiliated colleges in Arts.

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2) The Chairperson, Ad-hoc Board of Studies in German,

3) The Controller of Examinations

4) The Co-Ordinator. University Computerization Centre.

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## UNIVERSITY OF MUMBAI



ORDINANCES, REGULATIONS,
SCHEME OF EXAMINATION
AND SYLLABUS
FOR THE
ONE YEAR PART-TIME DIPLOMA
IN
CONVERSATIONAL JAPANESE

(Introduced with effect from the academic year 2009-2010.)

## Ordinances and regulations relating to the One Year Course in Conversational Japanese (New course beginning in the academic year 2009-10)

The University Department of German offers a Certificate Course, a Diploma Course, and an Advanced Diploma in Japanese. However, since Japanese has 3 scripts, one, the Kanji consisting of over 5000 characters, in all the courses conducted at the University, emphasis is on learning the script, reading and writing. Due to time constraints, very little emphasis is given to speaking. This course is for students who wish to improve their speaking skills.

- 05861 Title of the Course Diploma in Conversational Japanese
- 0 5862 Eligibility: Students seeking admission to the One Year Course in Conversational Japanese should have passed Level 3 of the Japanese Language Proficiency Test conducted each year all over the world by the Japan Foundation (Government of Japan), and may be given admission after they have undergone an entrance test and have been found suitable. The entrance test consisting of 2 papers as under shall be administered. (i) An essay paper in the subject. (ii) A paper to test the student's general acquaintance with the subject. (iii) An interview.
- R 8026 Intake capacity: 20
- R 8027 Teaching faculty qualification: as per University regulations.
- R 8028 Duration of the course The Diploma in Conversational Japanese will be of one academic year.
- R 8029 Fee Structure: as per University regulations
- R 8030 Scheme of Syllabus and Evaluation for the One Year Conversational Course in Japanese Text Book: The main text books used will be Minna no Nihongo 2. 2007. (Published by the Three A Network, Japan) and Japanese through Dialogues for Intermediate Learners (Drills and Tasks) published by The Japan Times, Japan.

Additional material from newspapers and magazines and the internet will also be used.

Exam Pattern: There will be viva of 100 marks consisting of:

Aural Comprehension 25 marks
 Dictation 20 marks
 Reading 20 marks
 Questions based on reading 20 marks
 General Conversation 25 marks
 Total 100 marks

R 8031 Standard of Passing: Students should secure a minimum of 50% in the viva.

Exam fees will be collected as per the University rules.

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