

University of Mumbai



No. AAMS(UG)/108 of 2021-22

CIRCULAR:-

Attention of the Principals of the Affiliated Colleges and Directors of the Recognized Institutions in Faculty of Commerce & Management.

They are hereby informed that the recommendations made by the Ad-hoc Board of Studies in B.Com. (Accounting & Finance) at its online meeting held on 7th June, 2021 and subsequently passed by the Board of Deans at its meeting held on 11th June, 2021 vide item No. 7.1 have been accepted by the Academic Council at its meeting held on 29th June, 2021 vide item No. 7.1 and that in accordance therewith, regarding inclusion of Regional Case Study under Skill Enhancement Courses in B.Com. Accounting and Finance (Sem – IV), has been brought into force with effect from the academic year 2021-22 accordingly. (The same is available on the University's website www.mu.ac.in).

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8th October, 2021

(Dr. B.N.Gaikwad)
I/c REGISTRAR

To

The Principals of the Affiliated Colleges and Directors of the Recognized Institutions in Faculty of Commerce & Management.

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Copy forwarded with Compliments for information to:-

- 1) The Dean, Faculty of Commerce & Management,
- 2) The Chairman, Ad-hoc Board of Studies in B.Com. (Accounting & Finance),
- 3) The Director, Board of Examinations and Evaluation,
- 4) The Director, Board of Students Development,
- 5) The Co-ordinator, University Computerization Centre,

(Dr. B.N.Gaikwad)
I/c REGISTRAR

Copy to :-

- 1. The Deputy Registrar, Academic Authorities Meetings and Services (AAMS),**
- 2. The Deputy Registrar, College Affiliations & Development Department (CAD),**
- 3. The Deputy Registrar, (Admissions, Enrolment, Eligibility and Migration Department (AEM),**
- 4. The Deputy Registrar, Research Administration & Promotion Cell (RAPC),**
- 5. The Deputy Registrar, Executive Authorities Section (EA),**
- 6. The Deputy Registrar, PRO, Fort, (Publication Section),**
- 7. The Deputy Registrar, (Special Cell),**
- 8. The Deputy Registrar, Fort/ Vidyanagari Administration Department (FAD) (VAD), Record Section,**
- 9. The Director, Institute of Distance and Open Learning (IDOL Admin), Vidyanagari,**

They are requested to treat this as action taken report on the concerned resolution adopted by the Academic Council referred to in the above circular and that on separate Action Taken Report will be sent in this connection.

- 1. P.A to Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor,**
- 2. P.A Pro-Vice-Chancellor,**
- 3. P.A to Registrar,**
- 4. All Deans of all Faculties,**
- 5. P.A to Finance & Account Officers, (F.& A.O),**
- 6. P.A to Director, Board of Examinations and Evaluation,**
- 7. P.A to Director, Innovation, Incubation and Linkages,**
- 8. P.A to Director, Board of Lifelong Learning and Extension (BLLE),**
- 9. The Director, Dept. of Information and Communication Technology (DICT) (CCF & UCC), Vidyanagari,**
- 10. The Director of Board of Student Development,**
- 11. The Director, Department of Students Welfare (DSD),**
- 12. All Deputy Registrar, Examination House,**
- 13. The Deputy Registrars, Finance & Accounts Section,**
- 14. The Assistant Registrar, Administrative sub-Campus Thane,**
- 15. The Assistant Registrar, School of Engg. & Applied Sciences, Kalyan,**
- 16. The Assistant Registrar, Ratnagiri sub-centre, Ratnagiri,**
- 17. The Assistant Registrar, Constituent Colleges Unit,**
- 18. BUCTU,**
- 19. The Receptionist,**
- 20. The Telephone Operator,**
- 21. The Secretary MUASA**

for information.

Minutes of BOS in Hospitality Studies held on 18th March, 2021

- 1) The members then discussed the feasibility of conducting the Event Planning, Marketing and Management subject. This subject has a practical component only and these 'practicals' are conducted in the Semester VI of B.Sc. in Hospitality Studies. This subject gives each student a 'hands on' experience in planning an event, marketing it and finally managing the event as a practical examination. Post the event, a viva- voce is conducted by an external examiner, who attends the event when it is held.

(In January 2021, several principals and heads of Hospitality Colleges expressed their concern regarding having a physical event on the college campus and the risk it poses to the students and all those who attend the event owing to the ongoing pandemic.

A request to conduct a BOS in Hospitality Studies meeting was then made by the interim board as no new BOS had been constituted. The BOS was finally allowed to conduct a meeting via a mail on the 12th of March, 2021.)

The members took cognizance of the fact that the situation in the city and the state has further deteriorated since January, 2021. They expressed their concern over having an actual event on college premises under the current circumstances where Maharashtra accounted for 60% of total COVID-19 cases in the country. As experts claim that since this is probably the second wave of COVID-19, the board realizes the risk involved in having physical events for various colleges and institutes and the threat that it would pose to students & invitee's.

The board therefore collectively suggested that Hospitality colleges must consider doing virtual/online events, with students handling the event and participating from home. Theoretical inputs for these events may be provided using online digital platforms as this mode is being used for other subjects also. Each college must appoint an external examiner, the same way it has been done in previous years', and request the examiner to attend the virtual/online event. Subsequent to this, the colleges can await further instructions from the University of Mumbai/ Cluster head for conducting the viva-voce of the same.

The meeting concluded with a vote of thanks.

Please place the above points (As stated in the agenda) in the Board of Deans and Academic Council for their kind perusal and approval at the earliest as we are already midway into the Semesters.