

# MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF STUDIES.

Minutes of the Board of Studies, Meeting of English Language and Literature and Communicative English, Language and Journalism, CMS College, Kottayam (Autonomous) held at 10 a.m on the 30<sup>th</sup> of April, 2019.

## Members Present:

1. Linny Rachel Mathew (Head, Dept. of English) - Chairperson Linny
2. Dr. K.M. Krishnan (Director, School of Letters) University Expert - Krishnan
3. Dr Anne Angeline Abraham (Head, Dept. of English, Bishop Moore College, Mavelikkara) Subject Expert - Annie
4. Dr Sanjeev Bharathan (Dept. of Communication & Journalism, Mar Ivanios College, Thiruvananthapuram) Subject Expert - Sanjeev
5. Dr. Appu Jacob John (Head, Dept. of English St. Albert's College, Ennakulam) Alumni Expert - Appu

## Faculty of the Dept. of English.

Mr. Jacob Eapen Kunnath

Ms Anju Gosan George

Dr. Toji John Panicker.

Dr Alena Manoharan

Ms. Selin Samuel.

Ms Betty Elsa Jacob

Dr. Susan Mathew

Mr Dilto Prasad.

Kunnath  
Annie  
Sanjeev  
Appu  
Selin  
Betty  
Susan  
Dilto





Faculty of the Dept. of Communicative English  
Dr Giggly Joseph (Head)  
Ms Neelba Elsa Varghese  
Mr Arun Varghese Thomas  
Ms Aswathy Mary Varghese.

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The Board of Studies meeting of the Department of English was conducted on the 30th of April, 2019 at 10 am at the Department itself. All the members of the Board of Studies were present.

Also present (Dr Aleena Manoharan, Member Secretary)

Apology for absence- ( Ms Anju Susan Kurian and Ms Levin Mary Jacob)

The Chairperson (Ms Cinny Rachel Mathew) welcomed the members present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read out and passed. In her introductory speech, she explained the details of the agenda and the academic matters to be discussed.

## AGENDA

**Agenda Item 1-** Prepare and approve the curriculum for MA English

It was decided to revise the curriculum of MA English offered by the Department of English, to be implemented in CMS College (Autonomous) Kottayam w.e.f 2019 admissions.

The framing of the syllabus was made in tune with the UGC model curriculum of the Mahatma Gandhi University. The curriculum was framed by mapping the courses incorporating graduate program outcomes-. PG (GPO), program specific outcomes (PSO) and Course outcomes (CO).

The curriculum of MA English consists of 16 core courses, 4 elective courses , a project and a comprehensive viva voce.

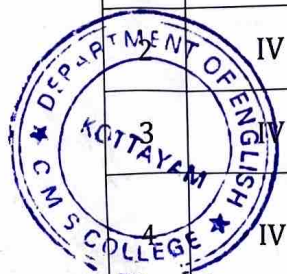
This meeting was convened to prepare and approve the PG syllabus to be adopted for the admissions of 2019.





The Post Graduate syllabus which was designed included the following courses:

SL NO	SEMESTER	COURSE TYPE	COURSE NATURE	NAME OF THE COURSE
1	I	CORE	THEORY	CHAUCEER AND THE ROOTS OF ENGLISH
2	I	CORE	THEORY	WRITINGS OF THE RENAISSANCE
3	I	CORE	THEORY	REVOLUTION AND THE ENLIGHTENMENT
4	I	CORE	THEORY	LITERARY CRITICISM AND ACADEMIC WRITING
5	I	CORE	THEORY	INDIAN ENGLISH LITERATURE
SL NO	SEMESTER	COURSE TYPE	COURSE NATURE	NAME OF THE COURSE
v 1	II	CORE	THEORY	LITERATURE OF THE NINETEENTH CENTURY
2	II	CORE	THEORY	MODERNISM IN CONTEXT
3	II	CORE	THEORY	DIMENSIONS OF THE POST MODERN
4	II	CORE	THEORY	LANGUAGE AND LINGUISTICS
5	II	CORE	THEORY	THEORIES OF KNOWLEDGE
SL NO	SEMESTER	COURSE TYPE	COURSE NATURE	NAME OF THE COURSE
1	III	CORE	THEORY	AMERICAN LITERATURE
2	III	CORE	THEORY	CULTURAL STUDIES
3	III	CORE	THEORY	GENDER STUDIES
4	III	CORE	THEORY	MODES OF FICTION
5	III	CORE	THEORY	TEXTS AND PERFORMANCE
SL NO	SEMESTER	COURSE TYPE	COURSE NATURE	NAME OF THE COURSE
1	IV	CORE	THEORY	LITERATURE AND THE EMPIRE
	IV	ELECTIVE	THEORY	MODERN EUROPEAN DRAMA
	IV	ELECTIVE	THEORY	SHAKESPEARE ACROSS CULTURES
	IV	ELECTIVE	THEORY	STUDYING TRANSLATIONS: ASPECTS AND CONTEXTS



5	IV	ELECTIVE	THEORY	MODERN EUROPEAN FICTION
6	IV	CORE		PROJECT
7	IV	CORE		VIVA VOCE

The subject experts and the Faculty were unanimously of the view that the syllabus was substantial and comprehensive. They expressed the view that the components of the syllabus were in keeping with the most recent thought patterns and thus very contemporary. No changes were suggested.

**Agenda Item 2- Recommend reference books for teachers and students.**

The Board of Studies recommended books for the reference of teachers and students and the same has been incorporated in the curriculum.

**Agenda Item no. 3 -Suggest panel of names of examiners to the Academic Council.**

Board of Studies approved the names of the panel of examiners.

**Agenda Item no. 4 -Other Matters.**

No other matters arose from the floor.

The Member Secretary- Dr Aleena Manoharan proposed the vote of thanks

The meeting came to an end by 12.30 pm.

(Read and confirmed)

Member Secretary



Dr Aleena Manoharan



Cinny Rachel Mathew

(Chairperson)

Kottayam

Place & Date

30th April '19.

