

GOA UNIVERSITY
Taleigao Plateau, Goa 403 206

MINUTES

of the Eighth Meeting of the
XI ACADEMIC COUNCIL

Day & Date

Friday, 7th November 2025

Time

10.30 a.m.

**Conference Hall
Administrative Block
Goa University**

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Venue: Conference Hall, Administrative Block, Goa University.

A list of members who attended the Eighth Meeting of the XI Academic Council and those who sought leave of absence is appended.

The Chairperson (Vice-Chancellor) welcomed the members to the Eighth meeting of the XI Academic Council.

On the occasion of 150 anniversary of the National Song *Vande Mataram*, the song was sung during the Academic Council meeting to mark the commencement of the yearlong commemoration.

The Vice-Chancellor (Chairperson) informed that as decided by the Academic Council in its meeting held on 13th September, 2025, the respective Chairpersons of the Board of Studies were requested to submit the following:

1. The Syllabus for PG for Semesters III and IV based on the proposed Ordinance OA-35A.
2. The GU-ART syllabus based on the single major and minor category courses offered in Semesters I to IV of the concerned Undergraduate Degree Programme.
3. As per the NEP Guidelines for admission to PG Programmes, a student is eligible for PG Programme in a discipline corresponding to either major or minor disciplines in UG Programmes. In case of Programmes, which are not offered at UG level or are Multidisciplinary in nature or Management Programmes are required to submit eligibility for the concerned PG Programmes.

The Chairperson (Vice-Chancellor) further informed that only GU-ART Syllabus, the Change of Discipline Test (CDT), and the eligibility criteria would be discussed during the meeting. The PG syllabi for Semesters III and IV under Ordinance OA-35A along with the other remaining recommendations of the Board of Studies would be placed before the Standing Committee of the Academic Council due to time constraint.

Thereafter, the agenda was taken up for discussion by the Member Secretary (Registrar).

D	DISCUSSION ITEMS
D 1	CONFIRMATION

D 1.1	To confirm the minutes of the Seventh Meeting of the XI Academic Council held on 13th September 2025. As there were no observations received/raised from/by the members, the minutes of the Seventh Meeting of the XI Academic Council held on 13th September 2025 were confirmed. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - General)
D 2	FOLLOW UP ACTION
D 2.1	Follow up action on the minutes of the Seventh Meeting of the XI Academic Council held on 13th September 2025. The Academic Council noted the action taken/initiated on the various decisions taken in its meeting held on 13th September 2025. (Action: Concerned Assistant Registrars)
D 3	BOARDS OF STUDIES
D 3.1	Minutes of Board of Studies in Medicine and Allied meeting held on 06.06.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Medicine and Allied meeting held on 06.06.2025 recommending: 1. Syllabus of Community Medicine, Forensic Medicine & Toxicology, General Medicine and Pediatrics. 2. Evaluation of MCQs. 3. List of additional eligible external examiners. 4. Format for Internal Assessment (Theory and Practical) for Undergraduate students and Format of Practical Exams. 5. Format of Question Paper for III MBBS Part I. 6. Format of Practical Exam for III MBBS Part I. 7. Paper wise distribution of topics for III MBBS Part I Final Examination. 8. Blueprinting of topics for III MBBS Part I Final Examination. 9. Model question paper for III MBBS. 10. Remedial classes. 11. Time limit for MCQs to be allotted once it is distributed (10 questions). 12. It was decided to hold the meeting with the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, Registrar, Dean, Faculty of Medicine, Goa University, all the Chairpersons, Board of Studies, Controller of Examination and the Deputy Registrar (Academics) to discuss matter pertaining to the conduct of online examination, paper evaluation etc. separately with the Examination Division. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic – PG/Controller of Examinations Point No. 12)
D 3.2	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Commerce Meeting held through circulation. The Academic Council deferred the item for placing before the ensuing Standing Committee meeting of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)

D 3.3	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Botany Meeting held on 06.10.2025. The Academic Council did not approve the minutes of the Board of Studies in Board of Studies in Botany Meeting held on 06.10.2025. The Chairperson, Board of Studies presented the following: 1. The syllabus for Goa University Change in Discipline Test (CDT). 2. The syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for Botany Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027. The Chairperson, Board of Studies was requested to incorporate the following changes: a. Syllabus to be updated based on major and minor category courses offered in Semesters I to IV of the concerned Undergraduate Degree Programme. b. The syllabus to be submitted as per the prescribed syllabus template. Thereafter, the Chairperson, Board of Studies was requested to submit the revised syllabus after incorporating all the changes for placing before the ensuing meeting of the Standing Committee of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.4	Minutes of Board of Studies in Dentistry meeting held on 03.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Dentistry meeting held on 03.10.2025 recommending practical examination mark list format. Databases to be subscribed. The House agreed to send the softcopies of the thesis to the examiner for evaluation. It was informed that Part F, point 2 i.e. Goa Dental College to request Goa University to recognize it as centre for PhD Programme in Dentistry from the Academic Year 2026-2027, to be expunged from the minutes. The Dean, Faculty of Medicine was informed to apply separately for affiliation of Ph.D. Centre. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic – PG/Controller of Examinations)
D 3.5	Minutes of Board of Studies in Konkani meeting held on 06.10.2025 and 07.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Konkani meeting held on 06.10.2025 and 07.10.2025 recommending the syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for Konkani Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.6	Minutes of Board of Studies in Food Technology meeting held on 08.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Food Technology meeting held on 08.10.2025 recommending the following: 1. The eligibility for admission to M.Sc. Food Technology Programme.

	2. The syllabus for Goa University Change in Discipline Test (CDT) in M.Sc. Food Technology Programme. 3. The syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for PG in Food Technology Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.7	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Marathi meeting held on 06.10.2025 and 07.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Marathi meeting held on 06.10.2025 and 07.10.2025 recommending the syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for Marathi Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.8	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Philosophy meeting held on 08.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Philosophy meeting held on 08.10.2025 recommending the syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for Philosophy Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.9	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Marine Microbiology meeting held on 14.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Marine Microbiology meeting held on 14.10.2025 recommending the following: 1. The eligibility for admission to M.Sc. Marine Microbiology Programme. 2. The syllabus for Goa University Change in Discipline Test (CDT) in M.Sc. Marine Microbiology Programme. 3. The syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for M.Sc. Marine Microbiology Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.10	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Mathematics Meeting held on 13.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Mathematics meeting held on 13.10.2025 recommending the following: 1. The syllabus for Goa University Change in Discipline Test (CDT). 2. The syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for Mathematics Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027. 3. M.Sc. Mathematics Course Structure and syllabus for Semesters III and IV with a suggestion to incorporate following changes: a. References/Readings for the Course to be added. b. Content of the syllabus to be verified and reduced. c. Research Methodology Course (40 Credits) to be added.

	d. 'After going through this course, the students will be able to' to be added as sub heading for Course Outcomes. e. Mapping of Course Outcomes (COs) to Cognitive Levels to be verified. f. Credits of Discipline Specific Dissertation (DSD) Course MAT-6501 i.e. Dissertation, should be 20 Credits. g. Action verbs to be added in the Course outcomes. h. 'Matrix analysis' to be changed to 'compress analysis'. i. The GU-ART/CDT syllabus content to be concise as per major and minor papers. Thereafter, the Chairperson, Board of Studies was requested to submit the revised syllabus after incorporating all the changes. The Chairperson (Vice-Chancellor) was authorized by House to approve the revised syllabus on behalf of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.11	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Sanskrit Meeting held on 10.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Sanskrit Meeting held on 10.10.2025 recommending the syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for M.A. Sanskrit Studies Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.12	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Physics Meeting held on 10.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Physics meeting held on 10.10.2025 recommending the following: 1. The syllabus for Goa University Change in Discipline Test (CDT) for M.Sc. Physics Programme. 2. The syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for Physics Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027. with the suggestion to incorporate following changes: a. References/Readings for the Course to be added. b. Content of the syllabus to be verified. Thereafter, the Chairperson, Board of Studies was requested to submit the revised syllabus after incorporating all the changes. The Chairperson (Vice-Chancellor) was authorized by House to approve the revised syllabus on behalf of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)

D 3.13	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Commerce meeting held through circulation on 13.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Commerce meeting held through circulation on 13.10.2025 recommending the syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for Commerce Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027 with the suggestion to incorporate following changes: a. References/Readings for the Course to be added. b. The Syllabus to be submitted as per the prescribed syllabus template. Thereafter, the Chairperson, Board of Studies was requested to submit the revised syllabus after incorporating all the changes. The Chairperson (Vice-Chancellor) was authorized by House to approve the revised syllabus on behalf of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.14	Minutes of Board of Studies in Marine Science meeting held on 17.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Marine Science meeting held on 17.10.2025 recommending the following: 1. The eligibility for M.Sc. Marine Science Programme. 2. The syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for M.Sc. Marine Science Programme effective from Academic Year 2026-2027. The syllabus of Goa University Change in Discipline Test (CDT) for Marine Science Programme to be expunged. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.15	Minutes of Board of Studies in Portuguese Meeting held on 06.10.2025 and 07.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Portuguese Meeting held on 06.10.2025 and 07.10.2025 recommending the syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for M.A. in Portuguese Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027 with the suggestion to incorporate following changes: 1. References/Readings for the Course to be added and properly specified. The uniform format to be followed indicating the year of publication, name of the publisher etc and to be numbered and listed in alphabetical order. 2. APA format for references to be followed. Thereafter, the Chairperson, Board of Studies was requested to submit the revised syllabus after incorporating all the changes.

	The Chairperson (Vice-Chancellor) was authorized by House to approve the revised syllabus on behalf of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.16	Minutes of the Board of Studies in French meeting held on 06.10.2025 and 07.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in French meeting held on 06.10.2025 and 07.10.2025 recommending the syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for M.A. in French Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.17	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Environmental Science Meeting held on 10.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Environmental Science Meeting held on 10.10.2025 recommending the following: 1. The eligibility for M.Sc. Environmental Science Programme. 2. The syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for Environmental Science Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027 with the suggestion that Module on the content pertaining to “Engineering’ to be added as a part of syllabus. 3. Additional References/Readings for the Courses to be added. Thereafter, the Chairperson, Board of Studies was requested to submit the revised syllabus after incorporating all the changes. The Chairperson (Vice-Chancellor) was authorized by House to approve the revised syllabus on behalf of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.18	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Sociology meeting held on 14.10.2025. The Academic Council did not approve the minutes of the Board of Studies in Sociology meeting held on 14.10.2025. The Chairperson, Board of Studies presented the syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for M.A. Sociology Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027. The following changes were suggested to incorporate: 1. Syllabus of Single Major and Double Major Courses to be identified and included. 2. Module content to be expanded in the syllabus.

	Thereafter, the Chairperson, Board of Studies was requested to submit the revised syllabus after incorporating all the changes for placing before the ensuing meeting of the Standing Committee of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.19	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Women's Studies Meeting held through circulation. The Academic Council deferred the item for placing before the ensuing Standing Committee meeting of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.20	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Biochemistry Meeting held on 10.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Biochemistry meeting held on 10.10.2025 recommending the syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GUART) for M.Sc. in Biochemistry Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027 with the suggestion to incorporate following changes: 1. Module 8 i.e. 'Environmental Pollution and Impacts', to be removed from the syllabus. 2. Content of the syllabus to be verified and reduced. Thereafter, the Chairperson, Board of Studies was requested to submit the revised syllabus after incorporating all the changes. The Chairperson (Vice-Chancellor) was authorized by House to approve the revised syllabus on behalf of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.21	Minutes of the Board of Studies in English Meetings held on 06.10.2025 and 07.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in English meetings held on 06.10.2025 and 07.10.2025 recommending the syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for M.A. in English Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.22	Minutes of Board of Studies in Electronics meeting held on 08.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Electronics meeting held on 08.10.2025 recommending the following: 1. The syllabus for Goa University Change in Discipline Test (CDT) 2. The syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for Electronics Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)

D 3.23	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Remote Sensing & GIS Meeting held on 08.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Remote Sensing & GIS Meeting held on 08.10.2025 recommending the following: 1. The eligibility for M.Sc. in Remote Sensing & GIS Programme with a suggestion that the Chemistry to be included under eligibility. 2. The syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for M.Sc. in Remote Sensing and Geographical Information System Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027 under NEP with a suggestion that content regarding Civil Engineering to be added in the syllabus. The syllabus for Goa University Change in Discipline Test (CDT) of Remote Sensing & GIS Programme to be expunged from the minutes. Thereafter, the Chairperson, Board of Studies was requested to submit the revised syllabus after incorporating all the changes. The Chairperson (Vice-Chancellor) was authorized by House to approve the revised syllabus on behalf of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.24	Minutes of the Board of Studies in History meeting held on 14.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in History meeting held on 14.10.2025 recommending the syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for M.A. History Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027 with the suggestion to incorporate following changes: 1. Module 1, heading 'History of Goa' to be replaced as 'Pre-Liberation Goa'. 2. Module 3, heading 'History of India I' to be verified. 3. References/Readings of the Courses to be verified/modified. Thereafter, the Chairperson, Board of Studies was requested to submit the revised syllabus after incorporating all the changes. The Chairperson (Vice-Chancellor) was authorized by House to approve the revised syllabus on behalf of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.25	Minutes of the Board of studies in Biotechnology meeting held on 13.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Biotechnology meeting held on 13.10.2025 recommending the following: 1. The eligibility for M. Sc. in Biotechnology Programme. 2. The syllabus for Goa University Change in Discipline Test (CDT).

	3. The syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for Biotechnology Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.26	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Chemistry Meeting held on 13.10.2025 & 14.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Chemistry Meeting held on 13.10.2025 & 14.10.2025 recommending the syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for M.Sc. in Chemistry Programme (Organic/Inorganic/Physical/Analytical/Pharmaceutical) effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027 with a suggestion that the content of the syllabus to be verified and reduced. Thereafter, the Chairperson, Board of Studies was requested to submit the revised syllabus after incorporating all the changes. The Chairperson (Vice-Chancellor) was authorized by House to approve the revised syllabus on behalf of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.27	Minutes of Board of Studies in Public Administration meeting held on 15.10.2025. The Academic Council deferred the item for placing before the ensuing Standing Committee meeting of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.28	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Hindi meeting held on 06.10.2025 & 07.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Hindi meeting held on 06.10.2025 & 07.10.2025 recommending the syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for Hindi Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.29	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Library and Information Science meeting held on 13.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Library and Information Science meeting held on 13.10.2025 recommending the syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for Master of Library and Information Science Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027 with the suggestion to incorporate following changes: 1. Indian Knowledge System [IKS] related content to be included. 2. Module on Cuisines of Goa, Goan Literature etc. to be included. 3. It was informed that the content related to higher academic levels should not be added as a part of the syllabus.

	4. The syllabus to be submitted as per the prescribed syllabus template. 5. Reference/Reading books to be recommended instead of weblinks. Thereafter, the Chairperson, Board of Studies was requested to submit the revised syllabus after incorporating all the changes. The Chairperson (Vice-Chancellor) was authorized by House to approve the revised syllabus on behalf of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.30	Minutes of the Board of Studies for Data Science and Artificial Intelligence meeting held on 10.10.2025 and 16.10.2025. The Academic Council deferred the item for placing before the ensuing Standing Committee meeting of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.31	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Zoology meeting held on 15.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Zoology meeting held on 15.10.2025 recommending the following: 1. The syllabus for Goa University Change in Discipline Test (CDT) in M. Sc. in Zoology Programme. 2. The syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for Zoology Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027 with a suggestion that the content of the syllabus to be verified and reduced. Thereafter, the Chairperson, Board of Studies was requested to submit the revised syllabus after incorporating all the changes. The Chairperson (Vice-Chancellor) was authorized by House to approve the revised syllabus on behalf of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.32	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Computer Science meeting held on 09.10.2025. The Academic Council deferred the item for placing before the ensuing Standing Committee meeting of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.33	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Geography meeting held on 22.09.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Geography meeting held on 22.09.2025 recommending the Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test

	(GU-ART) syllabus from the Academic Year 2025-2026 with the suggestion to incorporate the following changes: 1. References/ Readings of the Course to be verified and reduced. 2. All courses from I to IV (Major/Minor) content to be included. 3. Module title to be added. 4. The Content of the syllabus to be reduced. 5. Corrections in Module 1 and Module 2 to be carried out. Thereafter, the Chairperson, Board of Studies was requested to submit the revised syllabus after incorporating all the changes. The Chairperson (Vice-Chancellor) was authorized by House to approve the revised syllabus on behalf of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.34	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Microbiology meeting held on 14.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Microbiology meeting held on 14.10.2025 recommending the following: 1. The syllabus for Change in Discipline Test (CDT) in M.Sc. Microbiology Programme. 2. The syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for M.Sc. in Microbiology Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.35	Minutes of the Board of Studies in the Earth Science meeting held on 15.10.2025. The Academic Council deferred the item for placing before the ensuing Standing Committee meeting of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.36	Minutes of Board of Studies in Psychology meeting held on 08.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in Psychology meeting held on 08.10.2025 recommending the syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for M.A. in Psychology and M.A. in Wellness Counselling and Post Graduate Diploma in Guidance and Counselling effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027 with a suggestion that the additional reference books to be added. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.37	Minutes of Board of Studies in Economics meeting held on 07.10.2025. The Academic Council did not approve the minutes of the Board of Studies in Economics meeting held on 07.10.2025.

	The Chairperson, Board of Studies presented the syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for M.A. in Economics Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027. The Chairperson, Board of Studies was requested to add the Courses of major and minor from Semester I to IV in the Syllabus. With regard to 'In the case of colleges offering Double Major under OA 38, the option of Project may also be permitted as an option for second major (40%) component' it was informed that the option cannot be granted. Thereafter, the Chairperson, Board of Studies was requested to submit the revised syllabus after incorporating all the changes for placing before the ensuing meeting of the Standing Committee of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 3.38	Minutes of the Board of Studies in International Studies meeting held on 28.10.2025. The Academic Council approved the minutes of the Board of Studies in International Studies meeting held on 28.10.2025 recommending the syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) for International Studies Programme effective from the Academic Year 2026-2027 with a suggestion that the module content to be expanded and described in detail in the syllabus. Thereafter, the Chairperson, Board of Studies was requested to submit the revised syllabus after incorporating all the changes. The Chairperson (Vice-Chancellor) was authorized by House to approve the revised syllabus on behalf of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 4	REPORTS OF THE AFFILIATION INQUIRY COMMITTEE
D 4.1	Goa Medical College & Hospital, Bambolim, Goa.
D 4.1.1	DM Cardiac Anaesthesiology The Academic Council approved the recommendations of the Affiliation Inquiry Committee for continuation of affiliation to the DM Cardiac Anaesthesiology Programme for three years i.e. academic year 2025-2026, 2026-2027 and 2027-2028 with an intake of 01 seat per year. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - General)
D 4.1.2	M.Ch. Cardiovascular & Thoracic Surgery (CVTS) The Academic Council approved the recommendations of the Affiliation Inquiry Committee for continuation of affiliation to the M.Ch. Cardiovascular & Thoracic Surgery

	(CVTS) for three years i.e. academic year 2025-2026, 2026-2027 and 2027-2028 with an intake of 02 seats per year. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - General)
D 4.1.3	M.Ch. Plastic Surgery The Academic Council approved the recommendations of the Affiliation Inquiry Committee for continuation of affiliation to the M.Ch. Plastic Surgery Programme for three years i.e. academic year 2025-2026, 2026-2027 and 2027-2028 with an intake of 01 seat per year. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - General)
D 4.1.4	M.Ch. Urology The Academic Council approved the recommendations of the Affiliation Inquiry Committee for continuation of affiliation to the M. Ch Urology Programme for three years i.e. academic year 2025-2026, 2026-2027 and 2027-2028 with an intake of 02 seats per year. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - General)
D 5	STATUTES AND ORDINANCES
D 5.1	To consider proposed part amendment to the Statute SC-16.4.1 IV. College Principal and Professor (Professor's Grade). Prof. V. S. Nadkarni, Chairperson of the Committee briefed the House on the proposed part amendment to the Statute. The Academic Council approved the proposed part amendment to the Statute SC-16.4.1 IV. College Principal and Professor (Professor's Grade). Pending finalisation of the minutes, the House approved to place proposed part amendment to the Statute before the Executive Council for its consideration. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - Colleges)
D 6	OTHER COMMITTEES
D 6.1	To consider the proposed guidelines for evaluation of project/project manual for Under Graduate General Education Programme under Ordinance OA-38. Prof. Pranab Mukhopadhyay briefed the House on the proposed Guidelines for evaluation of project/project manual. The Academic Council approved the proposed Guidelines for evaluation of project/project manual for Under Graduate General Education Programme under Ordinance OA-38 with the suggestion to incorporate the following changes: 1. Point B), iii. to be split and shown as:

	i. The Vice-Dean (Research) of the concerned School. ii. Programme Director shall coordinate the orientation for on-campus programmes. 2. Under Responsibilities (D), point i, a., instead of word 'Vice-Dean (Research)' to be changed to Discipline Faculty Committee (DFC) in case of On-Campus Programmes. 3. Under B. General Guidelines, Devanagari Script font size to be specified. 4. The similarity index shall be signed by the Project Supervisor and College Librarian. 5. Guidelines about viva conducted by External Examiner to be issued separately by the Examination Division. 6. Point 'D. PROJECT EVALUATION GUIDELINES', c. allocation of marks to be rectified in the table header and shown as 20% 30% 50% under the assessment. 7. Footnote pertaining to the presentation to be added. (Individual presentation, 10 minutes for each student, 5 minutes for viva and 5 minutes for presentation) 8. 'All 5 questions carry equal weightage of 6 marks each' to be indicated under the instructions of GUIDELINES FOR THE CONDUCT OF VIVA VOCE. 9. Appearance for Viva and presentation is mandatory. 10. Passing Criteria, point e. to be modified. 11. If a student is absent for Viva and presentation, s/he shall have to repeat the same. 12. External Examiner shall not be allotted more than 3 group projects in a day for assessment. 13. The marks obtained for Internal Individual Assessment (20%) and External Group Assessment (30%) shall be carried forward. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic – Colleges/Controller of Examinations)
D 6.2	Proposal of V.M. Salgaonkar College of Law, Miramar Panaji Goa for grant of Autonomous status. Prof. Anuradha Wagle, Chairperson of the Scrutiny Committee briefed the House on the points of discussion and recommendations made by the Committee. After discussion, the Academic Council accepted the Report of the Committee constituted to scrutinize the proposal of V.M. Salgaonkar College of Law, Miramar Panaji Goa for granting of Autonomous status. Pending finalization of the minutes, the House authorized the Chairperson (Vice - Chancellor) to place the Report of the Committee before the Executive Council meeting scheduled on 21.11.2025 for its consideration. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - General)

D 7	OTHER ITEMS																		
D 7.1	To consider the request of Mr. Singh Jaspal, Research Scholar at the V.M. Salgaocar College of Law, Miramar, Panjim-Goa to reside outside the territorial Jurisdiction of Goa University to continue his Ph.D. research work. After discussion, the Academic Council resolve to accept the request of Mr. Singh Jaspal, Research Scholar at the V.M. Salgaocar College of Law, Miramar, Panjim-Goa to reside outside the territorial Jurisdiction of Goa University to continue his Ph.D. research work. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)																		
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D 8.1	Minutes of the meeting of Board of Studies in French held through circulation. The Academic Council ratified the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor of approving the minutes of the Board of Studies in French Meeting recommending the following: 1. SWAYAM online courses as Generic Elective Courses for Semester III for MA programme for Academic Year 2024-2025. 2. Research Specific Elective (RES) Course titled INR 603- Academic Writing in International Relations offered by the School of International and Area Studies for MA French students whose dissertation is related to international studies.																		

	3. Modification and replacement of PSO 4 and PSO 5 for M.A. French and Francophone studies (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 8.2	Bifurcation of Goa College of Physiotherapy, Naturopathy and Yogic Science into two different Colleges i.e. (i) Goa College of Physiotherapy and (ii) Goa College of Naturopathy and Yogic Science. The Academic Council ratified the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor of approving the request received from Goa College of Physiotherapy, Naturopathy and Yogic Science, Sankhali Goa for bifurcation of Goa College of Physiotherapy, Naturopathy and Yogic Science into two different Colleges i.e. (i) Goa College of Physiotherapy and (ii) Goa College of Naturopathy and Yogic Science. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - General)
D 8.3	Minutes of Board of Studies in Law meeting held on 11.08.2025. The Academic Council ratified the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor of approving the Minutes of Board of Studies in Law meeting held on 11.08.2025 recommending the revised syllabus of Semester III, Health Law Course. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 8.4	Panel of Examiner in Fine Art. The Academic Council ratified the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor of approving the Panel of Examiners for Bachelor in Fine Art, submitted by the Chairperson, Board of Studies in Fine Art, duly approved by the Dean, Faculty of Performing Fine Art and Music. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 8.5	Minutes of Board of Studies in Interdisciplinary and Transdisciplinary Studies meeting held through circulation. The Academic Council ratified the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor of approving the minutes of the Board of Studies in Interdisciplinary and Transdisciplinary Studies meeting held through circulation recommending the following Value-Added Courses: 1. Fundamentals of Solid Waste Management and Fundamentals of Industrial Waste Management 2. Basic Statistics using Python and Data Management with R 3. Ancient Indian Wisdom for Holistic Living 4. Vedic Mathematics 5. Communications Skills: An Online Certificate Course 6. Peace Education Programme (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 8.6	Minutes of the Board of Studies in French Meeting held via Circulation on 11th September 2025. The Academic Council ratified the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor of approving the minutes of the Board of Studies in French Meeting held via Circulation on 11th September

	2025 recommending the Courses undertaken by Ms. Prachi Kerkar in Academic year 2024-2025 at Science Po Lyon, France in lieu of General Elective Courses (GE). (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 8.7	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Portuguese Meeting held by Circulation. The Academic Council ratified the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor of approving the minutes of the Board of Studies in Portuguese meeting held by Circulation recommending the courses chosen by Ms. Sanikaa Verlekar, Third year student of the BA Portuguese programme for attending a semester at the University of Porto, Portugal under the student mobility program of Erasmus+ as well as the transfer of the ECTS credits for the same. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 8.8	Proposed part amendment to Ordinance OA-14 relating to composition of Board of Studies in various subjects. The Academic Council ratified the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor of approving the proposed part amendment to Ordinance OA-14 relating to composition of Board of Studies in various subjects. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 8.9	Revised Question Paper Pattern for B.A. in Marathi. The Academic Council ratified the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor of approving the minutes of the Board of Studies in Marathi meeting held on 06.10.2025 and 07.10.2025 recommending the revised Undergraduate Question Paper Pattern for Major, Minor, AEC, and SEC courses as per Bloom's Taxonomy submitted by the Chairperson, Board of Studies in Marathi and approved by Dean, Shenoi Goembab School of Languages and Literature, Goa University. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 8.10	Proposed new Ordinance OA-35A governing the M.A., M.Sc., M.Com., M.S.W., M.T.T.M., M.P.Ed., M.L.I.Sc., MBA, MBA (FS), MCA, Post Graduate Diploma and other such Masters Programmes of study conducted by the on-campus Schools of Goa University and its Affiliated Colleges based on the Choice Based Credit System of Instruction based on NEP 2020. (Effective from Academic Year 2025-26). The Academic Council ratified the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor of approving the Proposed new Ordinance OA-35A governing the M.A., M.Sc., M.Com., M.S.W., M.T.T.M., M.P.Ed., M.L.I.Sc., MBA, MBA (FS), MCA, Post Graduate Diploma and other such Masters Programmes of study conducted by the on-campus Schools of Goa University and its Affiliated Colleges based on the Choice Based Credit System of Instruction based on NEP 2020. (Effective from Academic Year 2025-26). (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)

D 8.11	Panel of Examiners for UG and PG submitted by Board of Studies in Dentistry. The Academic Council ratified the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor of approving the panel of Examiners for UG and PG subjects duly approved by the Dean, Faculty of Medicine. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)																																										
D 8.12	Academic Term of M.Sc. Marine Biotechnology for the Academic year 2025-2026. The Academic Council ratified the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor of approving the Academic Term for the Academic year 2025-2026 of M.Sc. Marine Biotechnology Programme offered at School of Biological Sciences and Biotechnology, Goa University. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)																																										
D 8.13	Grant of Affiliation for Continuation and Extension to Colleges/Programmes. The Academic Council ratified the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor of approving the Reports of the Affiliation Inquiry Committee regarding grant of continuation/extension of affiliation to respective Programmes at the following affiliated Colleges, during the academic year 2025-2026:																																										
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D 8.14	Academic Terms/Revised Academic Term for the Academic Year 2025-26. The Academic Council ratified the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor of approving the following Academic Terms/Revised Academic Term for the Academic Year 2025-2026: 1. Academic Term applicable for the Post Graduate Diploma in Guidance & Counselling Programme for the academic year 2025-2026. 2. Academic Term applicable for the F.Y.B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture programme for the academic year 2025-2026. 3. Revised Academic Term applicable for the M.Phil. Psychiatric Social Work Part I & II programme for the academic year 2025-2026. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - Colleges)
D 8.15	Implementation of fees for Master of Science in Remote Sensing and GIS Programme at School of Earth, Ocean & Atmospheric Sciences. The Academic Council ratified the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor of approving the implementation of fees (i.e. Rs. 40,000/- app.) for Master of Science in Remote Sensing and GIS Programme at School of Earth, Ocean & Atmospheric Sciences, Goa University. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 8.16	Correction in the title of the Course COM-5203 of M.Com. Programme. The Academic Council ratified the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor of approving the correction in the title of Course COM-5203 of M.Com. Programme inadvertently mentioned as 'Human Resource Management' in the Programme Structure instead of "HR Analytics". (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 8.17	Question Paper Pattern for various Board of Studies. The Academic Council ratified the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor of approving the following Question Paper Pattern for 2 credit Major (Semester V) of various Board of Studies in view of urgency: 1. Board of Studies in Hindi 2. Board of Studies in Marathi 3. Board of Studies in English 4. Board of Studies in Chemistry 5. Board of Studies in Hospitality, Travel and Tourism Studies 6. Board of Studies in Geography 7. Board of Studies in Home Science 8. Board of Studies in Konkani 9. Board of Studies in Commerce 10. Board of Studies in Economics 11. Board of Studies in Zoology 12. Board of Studies in Sociology 13. Board of Studies in Sanskrit (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)

D 8.18	Revision in Minor (VET) Course of BA Political Science. The Academic Council ratified the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor of approving the minor revision in Semester V: POL-322 Democracy and Legal Literacy in India, Minor (VET) Course recommended by the Chairperson, Board of Studies in Political Science with the approval of the Dean. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 8.19	Minutes of the Board of Studies in Portuguese Meeting held by Circulation. The Academic Council ratified the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor of approving the minutes of the Board of Studies in Portuguese Meeting held by Circulation recommending courses chosen by Mr. Dinesh Reddy, third year student of the BA Portuguese programme for attending a semester at the University of Porto, Portugal under the student mobility program of Erasmus+ as well as the transfer of the ECTS credits for the same. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 8.20	Revision in Minor (VET) Course. The Academic Council ratified the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor of approving the minor revision in the Semester V: ECO-322 Financial Economics II, Minor (VET) Course recommended by the Chairperson, Board of Studies in Economics with the approval of the Dean. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
D 10	ANY OTHER BUSINESS [A.O.B]
D 10.1	To consider the recommendations of the Committee constituted to examine and decide about the grant of eligibility for admission to Undergraduate programmes at Goa University and its Affiliated Colleges to students who have passed Higher Secondary School Certificate Examination from two different Boards. Prof. Sanjay Pai P.N., Chairperson of the Committee briefed the House on the matter. After discussion, the Academic Council accepted the recommendations of the Committee. It was also informed by Shri Bhagirath G. Shetye, Chairman, Goa Board of Secondary and Higher Education (GBSHE), Porvorim, Goa, that the matter would be referred to the Academic Council of the Goa Board of Secondary and Higher Education, Porvorim, for detailed discussion. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - Colleges)
D 3.39	GUART syllabus in Political Science Programme. The Academic Council approved the syllabus for Goa University-Admissions Ranking Test (GUART) for Political Science Programme effective from 2026-2027 with the suggestion to incorporate following changes:

	a. Topics related to 'Government of Goa', 'Uniform Civil Code in Goa', to be added as a part of syllabus. b. Module 5 on Goa Specific matters to be added. Thereafter, the Chairperson, Board of Studies was requested to submit the revised syllabus after incorporating all the changes. The Chairperson (Vice-Chancellor) was authorized by House to approve the revised syllabus on behalf of the Academic Council. (Action: Assistant Registrar Academic - PG)
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The meeting ended with thanks to the Chair and all present.

Date: 12.12.2025

Sd/-
(Prof. Sunder Dhuri)
Registrar and Member Secretary

Sd/-
(Prof. H. B. Menon)
Vice-Chancellor and Chairperson

List of members who attended and sought leave for the meeting

Sr. No.	Names of Members	07.11.2025
1.	Vice-Chancellor, Goa University.	Present
2.	Dean, School of Physical & Applied Sciences, Goa University.	Present
3.	Dean, Manohar Parrikar School of Law, Governance & Public Policy, Goa University.	Present
4.	Dean, School of International and Area Studies, Goa University.	Present
5.	Dean, School of Earth, Ocean & Atmospheric Sciences, Goa University.	Present
6.	Dean, School of Sanskrit, Philosophy & Indic Studies, Goa University.	Present
7.	Dean, School of Chemical Sciences, Goa University.	Present
8.	Dean, Shenoji Goembab School of Languages & Literature, Goa University.	Present
9.	Dean, School of Biological Sciences & Biotechnology, Goa University.	Present
10.	Dean, Goa Business School, Goa University.	Present
11.	Dean, Faculty of Medicine, Goa University.	Present
12.	Dean, Faculty of Pharmacy, Goa University.	Present
13.	Dean, Faculty of Performing, Fine Art & Music, Goa University.	Present
14.	Dean, Faculty of Planning, Architecture & Design, Goa University.	Present
15.	Dean, DD Kosambi School of Social Sciences & Behavioural Studies, Goa University.	Present
16.	Dean, Faculty of Agriculture, Veterinary, Fisheries and Allied Sciences, Goa University.	Present
17.	Prof. Guntur Anjana Devi Raju Goa Business School, Goa University.	Present
18.	Prof. Sandeep Garg School of Biological Sciences & Biotechnology, Goa University.	Present
19.	Prof. K. G. Sankaranarayanan Goa Business School, Goa University.	Present

20.	Prof. Nina Caldeira, Shenoi Goembab School of Languages & Literature, Goa University.	Present
21.	Prof. P. S. Ramu Murthy Dhempe College of Arts & Science, Miramar, Panaji.	Present
22.	Prof. (Dr.) Mahesh Pai Goa College of Home Science, Campal, Panaji.	Present
23.	Prof. Helic Barreto Rosary College of Commerce & Arts, Navelim.	Present
24.	Prof. Vikas Pissurlekar P.E.S's College of Arts & Science, Farmagudi, Ponda.	Present
25.	Prof. (Dr.) Shaikh Mohammad P. Al-Usmani Shri Gopal Gaonkar Memorial Multi faculty College, Dharbandora.	Present
26.	Prof. Santosh Patkar Sridora Caculo College of Commerce & Management Studies, Khorlim, Mapusa.	Present
27.	Dr. Arvind Haldankar D.D. Kosambi School of Social Sciences & Behavioural Studies, Goa University.	Present
28.	Dr. Hanumant Chopdekar Shenoi Goembab School of Languages & Literature, Goa University.	Present
29.	Dr. Siddhi Jalmi School of Biological Sciences & Biotechnology, Goa University.	Present
30.	Dr. Annie Rajan DCT's Dhempe College of Arts & Science, Miramar, Panaji.	Present
31.	Prof. Cosma Fernandes MES College of Arts & Commerce, Zuarinagar.	Present
32.	Prof. Sandeep Lotlikar P.E.S's R.S.N. College of Arts and Science, Farmagudi, Ponda.	Present
33.	Dr. Meera R. Mayekar GVM's G.G.P.R. College of Commerce & Economics, Farmagudi, Ponda.	Present
34.	Dr. Russell Joaquim D'Souza Principal, Nirmala Institute of Education, Altinho, Panaji, Goa.	Present
35.	Shri Shivdatt Fati Shirodkar Dnyanprassarak Mandal's College and Research Centre, Assagao, Bardez, Goa.	Present
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38.	Shri Damodar Mauzo 57th Jnanpith Awardee, Majorda, Near Railway Station, Margao Goa.	Present
39.	Controller of Examinations, Goa University.	Present
40.	Librarian, Goa University.	Present

41.	Registrar, Goa University.	Present
42.	Director, Directorate of Internal Quality Assurance, Goa University.	Present
43.	Dr. Niyati Gopinath Kalangutkar School of Earth, Ocean & Atmospheric Sciences, Goa University.	Present
44.	Chairman, Goa Board of Secondary & Higher Secondary Examination, Porvorim, Goa.	Present
45.	Dr. Daniel Marven Coutinho Carmel College of Arts, Science & Commerce for Women, Nuvem.	Present
46.	Dr. Solley Thomas Carmel College of Arts, Science & Commerce for Women, Nuvem, Goa	Present
47.	President, Post-Graduate Students Union, Goa University.	Present
48.	Dean, Faculty of Engineering, Goa University.	Sought leave of Absence
49.	Dr. Asha B. Gahloth Government College of Arts, Science & Commerce Khandola, Marcela.	Sought leave of absence
50.	Dr. Alaknanada Shringare Manohar Parrikar School of Law, Governance & Public, Goa University.	Sought leave of Absence
51.	Prof. Jude Rodrigues Department of General Surgery, Goa Medical College & Hospital, Bambolim.	Sought leave of absence
52.	Dr. Dattaprasad Samant Department of General Surgery, Goa Medical College & Hospital, Bambolim.	Sought leave of absence
53.	Ar. Suhas Gaonkar Goa College of Architecture, Altinho, Panaji.	South leave of absence
54.	Prof. K. B. Subhash Goa Business School, Goa University.	Sought leave of absence
55.	Prof. F. M. Nadaf Govt. College of Commerce & Economics, Borda, Margao.	Sought leave of absence
56.	Dr. K.N. Madhusudanan Pillai Bharateeya Vichara Kendram Sanskriti Bhavan, Thiruvananthapuram.	Sought leave of absence
57.	Sr. Prof. (Dr.) A. M. Unnikrishnan Dean, Faculty of Oriental Studies, University of Kerala.	Sought leave of absence
58.	Dr. Suresh Babu Space Physics Lab Vikram Sarabai Space Centre, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala, India.	Sought leave of absence
59.	Dr. Nalini Chaturdas Naik D.D. Kosambi School of Social Sciences & Behavioural Studies, Goa University.	Sought leave of absence

60.	Dr. Aneesh Lotlikar, Scientist F and Divisional Head, Ocean Observation Network, Indian National Centre for Ocean Information Services (INCOIS), "Ocean Valley" Pragathi Nagar (BO), Nizampet (SO), Hyderabad.	Sought leave of absence
61.	Prof. (Dr.) Sujata Kadam All India Institute of Ayurveda (AIIA), Dhargal, Pernem, Mopa Airport Road, Goa.	Sought leave of absence
62.	Mr. Vividh Pawaskar Shree Mallikarjun College of Arts & Commerce, Canacona.	Sought leave of Absence
63.	Director, National Institute of Oceanography, Dona Paula, Goa.	Sought leave of Absence
64.	President, Goa University Student's Council, Goa University.	-