



## ANNA UNIVERSITY : : CHENNAI – 600 025

### THE MINUTES OF THE 27<sup>TH</sup> MEETING OF THE ACADEMIC COUNCIL

#### MINUTES OF THE 27<sup>th</sup> MEETING OF THE ACADEMIC COUNCIL HELD ON 12.10.2021 AT 10.00 A.M. IN THE ACADEMIC COUNCIL HALL OF ANNA UNIVERSITY CHENNAI UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF Dr.R. VELRAJ, VICE-CHANCELLOR, ANNA UNIVERSITY CHENNAI – 25.

The following members were present:

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| 1  | Dr. R.Velraj              | Vice Chancellor & Chairman of Academic Council, Anna University, Chennai -25.                                   |
| 2  | Dr. G. Ravikumar          | The Registrar & Secretary of Academic Council, Anna University, Ch – 25.  |
| 3  | Dr. R. Senthil            | Chairperson i/c., Faculty of Civil Engineering, AU, Ch – 25.  |
| 4  | Dr. G. Arumaikkannu       | Chairperson, Faculty of Mechanical Engineering, AU, Ch – 25.  |
| 5  | Dr. S. Usa                | Chairperson, Faculty of Electrical Engineering, AU, Ch – 25.  |
| 6  | Dr. Ranjani Parthasarathi | Chairperson, Faculty of I & C, AU, Chennai – 25.  |
| 7  | Dr. S. Subramanian        | Chairperson, Faculty of Technology, AU, Chennai – 25.   |
| 8  | Dr. K. R. Sitalakshmi     | Chairperson, Faculty of Architecture & Planning, AU, Ch – 25.   |
| 9  | Dr. M. Chandrasekar       | Chairperson, Faculty of Science & Humanities, AU, Ch – 25.  |
| 10 | Dr. L. Suganthi           | Chairperson, Faculty of Management Sciences, AU, Ch-25.   |
| 11 | Dr. R.S. Bhuvaneshwaran   | The Professor i/c, University Library, Anna University, Ch – 25.  |
| 12 | Dr. M. Arularasan         | The Principal i/c, Thanthai Periyar Government Institute of Technology, TPGIT, Bagayam, Vellore – 632 002.      |
| 13 | Dr. Palaninatharaja       | The Principal, Thiagarajar College of Engineering, Tiruparankundram, Madurai – 625 015.                         |
| 14 | Dr.V.Thirunavukkarasu     | The Vice - Principal, Government College of Engineering, Bodinayakkanur, Theni – 625 513.                       |
| 15 | Dr. Rajeshwari            | The Principal, Coimbatore Institute of Technology, Civil Aerodrome (Post), Avinashi Road, Coimbatore – 641 014. |
| 16 | Dr. B.V. Mudgal           | Professor, Department of Civil Engineering, CWR, AU, Ch – 25.   |
| 17 | Dr. G. Nagarajan          | Professor and Head, Department of Mining Engineering, Anna University, Chennai – 25.                            |
| 18 | Dr. P. Vanaja Ranjan      | Professor, Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering, Anna University, Chennai – 25.                 |

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- 19 Dr. K. Malathi Professor, Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering, Anna University, Chennai – 25.
- 20 Dr. V. R. Giridev Professor and Head, Department of Textile Technology, Anna University, Chennai – 25.
- 21 Dr. D. Arivudainambi Professor, Department of Mathematics, AU, Chennai – 25.
- 22 Dr. Vaddi Seshagiri Rao The Principal, St. Joseph's College of Engineering, Old Mahabalipuram Road (OMR), Chennai – 600 119.
- 23 Dr.D. Vasudevan The Principal, PSNA College of Engineering and Technology, Kothandaraman Nagar, Dindigul – 624 622.
- 24 Dr. K. Palanikumar The Principal, Sri Sai Ram Institute of Technology, Sai Leo Nagar, West Tambaram, Chennai – 600 044.
- 25 Dr. A. Ramesh The Principal, Chennai Institute of Technology, Puduper Village, Nandambakkam Post, Kundrathur, Chennai – 600 069
- 26 Dr. R. John Oral Bhaskar The Principal, Kings Engineering College, Sriperumpudur Taluk, Kancheepuram.
- 27 Dr.D. Valavan The Principal, Saranathan College of Engineering, Panjappur, Tiruchirappalli District.
- 28 Dr. S. Durairaj The Principal, Dhanalakshmi Srinivasan Engineering College, Thuraiyur Road, Perambalur District – 621 212.
- 29 Dr. G. Wiselin Jiji The Principal, Dr. Sivanthi Athitanar College of Engineering, Tiruchendur – 628 215.
- 30 Dr.S.U. Prabha The Principal, Dr.NGP Institute of Technology, Kalapati Road, Coimbatore District – 641 035.
- 31 Dr. K. Bommanana Raja The Principal, Excel Engineering College, Pallakkapalayam, Sankarai West Post, Namakkal District
- 32 Dr. N. Suresh Kumar The Principal, Velammal College of Engineering and Technology, Madurai – Rameshwaram High Road, Viraganoor, Madurai District – 625 009.
- 33 Dr. T. Elango The Principal, Mahendra Institute of Technology, Mahendhirapuri, Vadugapalayam, Mallasamudram West
- 34 Dr. T. K. Kannan The Principal, Gnanamani College of Technology, Pachal Post, Namakkal District – 637 018.
- 35 Dr. V. Natarajan The Principal, Jeppiar Engineering College, Old Mahabalipuram Road (OMR), Chennai – 600 119.
- 36 Dr. T. Alwarsamy Former Principal, Government College of Engineering, Bargur, No.1, 93<sup>rd</sup> street, 21<sup>st</sup> Avenue, Ashok Nagar, Chennai – 83.
- 37 Dr. A. Mala Principal (Retired), Alagappa Chettiar Government College of Engineering and Technology, Karaikudi – 630 003.
- 38 Selvi. R. Baby General Manager, Tamil Nadu Small Industries, Development Corporation, Thiru. V. Ka. Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai 32.
- 39 Thiru. Karthick Athmanathan Sr. Vice President, BU Head-EV's and E-mobility Solutions Ashok Leyland Ltd. Chennai, Tamil Nadu – 600 004.
- 40 Thiru KK. Kamalakannan Managing Director, UTRACON Structural Systems, Adayar, Chennai.

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- 41 Thiru.T.Mohanraj General Manager (Marketing) / DRO TANCEM, 2nd Floor, LLA Buildings 735, Anna Salai, Chennai, Tamil Nadu - 600 002.
- 42 Thiru R.P.Arivudainambi General Manager, TNPL Corporate Office, Tamil Nadu Newsprint and Papers Ltd. 67, Mount Road, Guindy, Chennai - 600 032.
- 43 Thiru B.Pannerselvam Chief General Manager (Technical), Chennai Petroleum Corporation Limited, (CPCL), 536, Anna Salai, Teynampet, Chennai – 600 018.
- 44 Thiru S. Anburajan President, Tamil Nadu Small and Tiny Industries Association (TANSTIA)  
M/S. Ark Biscuit Corporation, 49B, Town Hall Road, Madurai – 625 001.
- 45 Thiru. A. R. Senthil Kumar Honorary Secretary, Indian Finished Leather Manufacturers and Exporters Association, (M/s. Rathnam Leathers), CMDA Building, Tower II 3 rd Floor, South Wing, No.1, Gandhi Irwin Bridge Road
- 46 Thiru V. Kirubhashankar Director, Board of Apprenticeship Training (Southern Region) CIT Campus, Taramani, Chennai – 600 113.
- 47 Thiru. S. Suresh Babuji, IEDS Director in Charge, MSME Development Institute (MSME-DI) Ministry of MSME Govt. of India, MSME Bhawan 65/1, GST Road Guindy, Chennai – 600 032.
- 48 Dr. Ramesh Nodal Officer, The Tamilnadu Industrial Investment Corporation Limited (TIIC), 692, Anna Salai, Nandanam, Chennai – 600 035.
- 49 Dr. N. Ramesh Babu Professor, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Indian Institute of Technology Madras, Chennai – 600 036.

**Special Invitees**

- 50 The Dean CEG Campus, Anna University, Chennai - 25.
- 51 The Dean ACT Campus, Anna University, Chennai - 25.
- 52 The Dean MIT Campus, Anna University, Chennai - 44.
- 53 The Controller of Examinations Anna University, Chennai - 600 025.
- 54 The Additional Controller of Examinations (UDs) Anna University, Chennai - 600 025.
- 55 The Director Centre for Research, Anna University, Chennai – 25.
- 56 The Director Centre for Distance Education, Anna University, Ch – 25.
- 57 The Director Centre for Affiliation of Institutions, Anna University, Ch – 25.
- 58 The Director Centre for Academic Courses, Anna University, Ch – 25.
- 59 The Deputy Directors Centre for Academic Courses, Anna University, Ch – 25.

The meeting began with the Director Academic Courses inviting the Registrar and Secretary, Academic Council, Anna University, Chennai, to deliver the welcome address and calling the meeting to order. The Registrar welcomed the members of the Academic Council and briefly outlined the various agenda items to be presented at the meeting. After the welcome address, the Director requested the Vice-Chancellor and the Chairman of the Academic council to deliver the Special Address.

The Vice-Chancellor while addressing the Council also welcomed the members of Committee. He highlighted the salient points which are to be taken up in the Academic Council Meeting. The main focus for the revision of the Curriculum and Syllabus is to bridge the gap between the academics and industry such that students are given appropriate knowledge to take up challenging positions in industry, besides the knowledge given for higher studies and research. He also stressed to frame it in such a way that it would be providing knowledge of interdisciplinary nature. He sought the cooperation and valuable suggestions from the respective members to achieve the goals of the University.

Following the address by the Vice-Chancellor, the Director, Centre for Academic Courses moved the following agenda items on behalf of the Vice-Chancellor.

**1. Items Moved by the Director, Academic Courses on behalf of the Vice-Chancellor**

**VC 27.01 TO NOTE THE APPROVAL GIVEN BY THE SYNDICATE TO THE MINUTES OF THE 26<sup>th</sup> MEETING OF THE ACADEMIC COUNCIL HELD ON 11.02.2021.**

The Minutes of the 26<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Academic Council Held on 11.02.2021 as approved by the Syndicate in its meeting held on 16.02.2021.

The approval of the Minutes of the 26<sup>th</sup> Academic Council meeting by the Syndicate is noted.

**Annexure 27.01 - Minutes of 26<sup>th</sup> Academic Council**

**VC 27.02 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE INCLUSION OF THE SYLLABUS OF THE FOLLOWING AUDIT COURSE FOR ALL THE PG PROGRAMMES OFFERED IN THE UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENTS UNDER REGULATIONS 2019 (CBCS).**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the inclusion of the syllabus of the following Audit Course for all the PG Programmes offered in the University Departments under Regulations 2019 (CBCS).

**Annexure 27.02 - நற்றமிழ் இலக்கியம்**

**VC 27.03 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE EXTENSION OF THE RUSA REGULATIONS 2018 TILL 2023 FOR B.E. COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING PROGRAMME OFFERED IN THE UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENTS OF ANNA UNIVERSITY.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the extension of the RUSA Regulations 2018 till 2023 for B.E Computer Science and Engineering Programme offered in the University Departments of Anna University.

**VC 27.04 TO CONSIDER AND RATIFY CERTAIN AMENDMENTS MADE IN THE REGULATIONS 2018 (RUSA) OF THE UG DEGREE PROGRAMME OFFERED IN THE UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENTS.**

**RESOLVED TO RATIFY** certain amendments made in the Regulations 2018(RUSA) of the UG degree programme offered in the University Departments.

**Annexure 27.04 - UG Regulations 2018 (RUSA)**

**VC 27.05 TO CONSIDER AND RATIFY CERTAIN AMENDMENTS MADE IN THE REGULATIONS 2019 (CBCS) OF ALL THE UG AND PG DEGREE PROGRAMMES OFFERED IN THE UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENTS.**

**RESOLVED TO RATIFY** certain amendments incorporated in the Regulations 2019 (CBCS) of all the UG and PG Programmes offered in University Departments.

**Annexure 27.05 - 1. UG Regulations 2019 (CBCS)**

**2. B. Arch. Regulations 2019 (CBCS)**

**3. PG Regulations 2019 (CBCS)**

**4. M. Arch. / M. Plan Regulations 2019 (CBCS)**

**VC 27.06 TO CONSIDER AND RATIFY THE PERMISSION ACCORDED TO THE STUDENTS OF VARIOUS SEMESTERS WHO HAVE UNDERGONE STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAMME OF UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENTS, ANNA UNIVERSITY AT INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITIES UNDER VARIOUS AGREEMENTS.**

**RESOLVED TO RATIFY** the permission accorded to the students of various semesters in University Departments who have undergone student exchange programme in International Universities under various agreements.

**Annexure 27.06 – Student Exchange**

**VC 27.07 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE FOLLOWING REGULATIONS 2021 (CBCS) FOR PG – MBA (Online Mode) TO BE OFFERED IN UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENTS AND FOR ALL THE UG AND PG DEGREE PROGRAMMES TO BE OFFERED IN THE NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the following Regulations 2021(CBCS) for PG – MBA (Online Mode) to be offered in University Departments and for all the UG and PG Degree Programmes to be offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University.

**Salient points – UG / PG (R-2021)**

- a) **Regulations 2021 – UG – B.E./B.Tech. (Full-Time)**
- b) **Regulations 2021 – UG – B.Arch. (Full-Time)**
- c) **Regulations 2021 – PG – M.E./M.Tech./M.C.A.**
- d) **Regulations 2021 – PG – M. Arch.**
- e) **Regulations 2021 – PG – M.B.A.**
- f) **Regulations 2021 – PG – Five year Integrated M.B.A.**
- g) **Regulations 2021 – PG – M.B.A. (Online mode) (University Departments)**

**VC 27.08 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE CHANGE IN DEGREE AND PROGRAMME NOMENCLATURE FROM B.E. AGRICULTURE ENGINEERING TO B.TECH. AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the change in Degree and Programme Nomenclature from B.E Agriculture Engineering to B.Tech. Agricultural Engineering offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University.

**Annexure 27.08 – B. Tech. Agricultural Engineering**

**VC 27.09 TO CONSIDER AND RATIFY CERTAIN AMENDMENTS MADE IN THE REGULATIONS 2017 (CBCS) FOR ALL THE UG AND PG DEGREE PROGRAMMES OFFERED IN THE NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY.**

**RESOLVED TO RATIFY** the amendments incorporated in the Regulations 2017 (CBCS) of all the UG and PG Programmes offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University.

**Annexure 27.09 – 1. UG Regulations 2017 (CBCS)**

**2. PG Regulations 2017 (CBCS)**

**3. B. Arch. Regulations 2017 (CBCS)**

**4. M. Arch. Regulations 2017 (CBCS)**

**VC 27.10 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE TO START THE FOLLOWING NEW UG AND PG DEGREE PROGRAMMES TO BE OFFERED IN UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENTS, AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES, NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AND DISTANCE EDUCATION AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 – 2022 ONWARDS.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the start of the following new UG and PG Degree Programmes to be offered in University Departments, Autonomous Colleges, Non-Autonomous Colleges and Distance Education affiliated to Anna University from the academic year 2021 – 2022 onwards.

- Annexure 27.10 – 1. University Departments**  
**2. Non-Autonomous Colleges Affiliated to Anna University.**  
**3. Autonomous Colleges.**  
**4. Distance Education.**

**VC 27.11 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE PROVISION OF AWARD OF B.E./ B.TECH (HONS) WITH SPECIALIZATION AND B.E./ B.TECH WITH MINOR DEGREE IN UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENTS AND AUTONOMOUS AND NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 – 2022 ONWARDS.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the provision of award of the following Degree Classifications in University Departments and Autonomous and Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University from the academic year 2021-2022 onwards.

- B. E./B.TECH (Hons.) with Specialization
- B. E. / B.TECH with Minor Degree

**Annexure 27.11 – B.E. (HONS) and B.E. with Minor Degree**

**ONE TIME MEASURES TAKEN DUE TO COVID'19 PANDEMIC IN UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENTS, AUTONOMOUS AND NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY.**

**VC 27.12 TO CONSIDER AND RATIFY THE FOLLOWING NOTIFICATIONS ISSUED BASED ON THE DECISIONS TAKEN AS A ONE TIME MEASURE FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE STUDENTS OF UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENTS, AUTONOMOUS AND NON AUTONOMOUS AFFILIATED COLLEGES AND DISTANCE EDUCATION OF ANNA UNIVERSITY IN VIEW OF THE COVID'19 PANDEMIC.**



**RESOLVED TO RATIFY** the notifications issued based on the decisions taken as a ONE TIME MEASURE due to the Covid'19 pandemic in University Departments, Autonomous and Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University and Distance Education of Anna University.

**Annexure 27.12 – 1. One Time Measure due to COVID'19 pandemic  
2. Notifications**

**ITEMS PERTAINING TO FACULTY OF CIVIL ENGINEERING**

**ITEMS PERTAINING TO NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES**

**FC27.01 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE CURRICULUM AND SYLLABUS OF SEMESTERS I & II FOR THE UG (FT) DEGREE PROGRAMMES TO BE OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS AFFILIATED COLLEGES UNDER R-2021 (CBCS) WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 – 2022 ONWARDS.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the Curriculum and Syllabus of Semester I and II for the following UG (FT) Degree Programmes to be offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University under Regulations 2021 (CBCS) from the academic year 2021-2022 onwards.

1. **B.E. Civil Engineering**
2. **B. E. Agriculture Engineering**
3. **B.E. Geoinformatics Engineering**
4. **B.E. Environmental Engineering**
5. **B.E. Civil Engineering (Tamil Medium)**

**FC27.02 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE CURRICULUM FOR SEMESTERS I TO IV AND SYLLABUS FOR SEMESTER I FOR THE PG (FULL TIME) DEGREE PROGRAMMES TO BE OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS AFFILIATED COLLEGES UNDER R-2021 (CBCS) WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 – 2022 ONWARDS.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the Curriculum for Semesters I to IV and Syllabus for Semester I for the following PG (FT) Degree Programmes to be offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University under Regulations 2021 (CBCS) from the academic year 2021-2022 onwards.

1. **M.E. Structural Engineering**
2. **M.E. Construction Engineering and Management**
3. **M.E. Environmental Engineering**
4. **M.E. Soil Mechanics and Foundation Engineering**
5. **M. Tech. Remote Sensing and GIS**
6. **M. E. Infrastructure Engineering and Management**

**FC27.03 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE COMMON SYLLABUS FOR CIVIL ENGINEERING RELATED COURSES OF B.E. / B.TECH. DEGREE PROGRAMMES UNDER R-2021 TO BE OFFERED BY THE NON-AUTONOMOUS AFFILIATED COLLEGES ANNA UNIVERSITY, CHENNAI WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021-2022.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the common syllabus for Civil Engineering related courses to be offered for the B.E./B.Tech. Degree Programmes under R-2021 in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University from the academic year 2021–2022.

**Common Syllabus for Civil Engineering Related Courses of  
B.E. / B.Tech. Degree Programmes Under R-2021**

**FC27.04 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE CHANGE IN PROGRAMME NOMENCLATURE FROM M.TECH. REMOTE SENSING TO M.TECH. REMOTE SENSING AND GIS OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the change in Programme nomenclature from *M.Tech Remote Sensing* to *M.Tech Remote Sensing and GIS* offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University.

**ITEMS PERTAINING TO FACULTY OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERING****I. ITEMS PERTAINING TO UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENTS**

**FM27.01 TO CONSIDER AND RATIFY THE MINOR CHANGES INCORPORATED IN THE CURRICULUM OF M.E. ENGINEERING DESIGN PROGRAMME UNDER R-2019 (CBCS) OF UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENT OF ANNA UNIVERSITY.**

**RESOLVED TO RATIFY** the minor changes incorporated in the Curriculum of M.E. Engineering Design Programme under R2019 (CBCS) offered in the University Departments of Anna University.

**Modifications in the Curriculum of M.E. Engineering Design**

**FM27.02 TO CONSIDER AND RATIFY THE REVISED VISION AND MISSION, PROGRAMME EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES AND PROGRAMME SPECIFIC OUTCOMES INCORPORATED IN THE SYLLABUS OF THE B. E. PRODUCTION ENGINEERING DEGREE PROGRAMME OFFERED IN UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENTS OF ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER R-2015.**

**RESOLVED TO RATIFY** the revised Vision, Mission, Programme Educational Objectives and Programme Specific Outcomes incorporated in the Syllabus of B. E. Production Engineering Degree Programme offered in University Departments of Anna University under R-2015.

**Revised Vision, Mission and PEO's and PSO's of B.E. (Production Engg.)****ITEMS PERTAINING TO NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES**

**FM27.03 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE CURRICULA AND SYLLABI OF SEMESTERS I & II FOR THE UG (FULL TIME) DEGREE PROGRAMMES TO BE OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS AFFILIATED COLLEGES OF ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER R-2021 (CBCS) WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 – 2022 ONWARDS.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the Curricula and Syllabi of Semester I and II for the following UG (FT) Degree Programmes to be offered in Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University under Regulations 2021 (CBCS) from the academic year 2021-2022 onwards.

1. **B.E. Mechanical Engineering**
2. **B.E. Mechanical Engineering (Sandwich)**
3. **B.E. Manufacturing Engineering**
4. **B.E. Production Engineering**
5. **B.E. Automobile Engineering**
6. **B.E. Aerospace Engineering**
7. **B.E. Industrial Engineering and Management**
8. **B.E. Industrial Engineering**
9. **B.E. Safety and Fire Engineering**
10. **B.E. Materials Science and Engineering**
11. **B.E. Mechatronics Engineering**
12. **B.E. Mechanical and Automation Engineering**
13. **B.E. Robotics and Automation**
14. **B.E. Marine Engineering**
15. **B.E. Aeronautical Engineering**
16. **B.E. Mechanical Engineering (Tamil Medium)**

**FM27.04 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE CURRICULA I TO IV SEMESTERS AND SYLLABI OF SEMESTER I FOR THE PG (FULL TIME) DEGREE PROGRAMMES TO BE OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED OF ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER R-2021 (CBCS) WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 – 2022 ONWARDS.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the Curricula for Semester I to IV and Syllabi of Semester I for the following PG (FT) Degree Programmes to be offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University under Regulations 2021 (CBCS) from the academic year 2021-2022 onwards.

1. **M.E. CAD/CAM**
2. **M.E. Computer Aided Design**

3. M.E. Engineering Design
4. M.E. Product Design and Development
5. M.E. Computer Integrated Manufacturing
6. M.E. Manufacturing Engineering
7. M.E. Mechatronics
8. M.E. Internal Combustion Engineering
9. M.E. Automobile Engineering
10. M.E. Thermal Engineering
11. M.E. Energy Engineering
12. M.E. Industrial Engineering
13. M.E. Industrial Safety Engineering
14. M.E. Aerospace Technology
15. M.E. Aeronautical Engineering

**FM27.05 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE COMMON SYLLABI FOR MECHANICAL ENGINEERING RELATED COURSES OF B.E. / B.TECH. DEGREE PROGRAMMES UNDER R- 2021, TO BE OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS AFFILIATED COLLEGES OF ANNA UNIVERSITY WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 – 2022.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the common syllabi for Mechanical Engineering related courses to be offered for the B.E./B.Tech. Degree Programmes under R-2021 in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University from the academic year 2021–2022.

**Common Syllabus for Mechanical Engineering Related Courses of B.E. / B.Tech. Degree Programmes under R - 2021**

**FM27.06 TO CONSIDER AND RATIFY THE CURRICULUM AND SYLLABI OF SEMESTERS III FOR THE B.E. SAFETY AND FIRE ENGINEERING (FULL TIME) DEGREE PROGRAMME OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED OF ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER R-2017(CBCS).**

**RESOLVED TO RATIFY** the Curriculum and Syllabi of Semester III for B.E. Safety and Fire Engineering (Full Time) Degree Programme offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University under R-2017 (CBCS).

**B.E. Safety and Fire Engineering (FT) – III SEMESTER**

**FM27.07 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE CURRICULUM AND SYLLABI OF SEMESTERS IV TO VIII FOR THE B.E. SAFETY AND FIRE ENGINEERING (FULL TIME) DEGREE PROGRAMME TO BE OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS AFFILIATED COLLEGES TO ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER R-2017(CBCS).**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the Curriculum and Syllabi of Semesters IV to VIII for B.E. Safety and Fire Engineering (Full Time) Degree Programme to be offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University under R-2017 (CBCS).

**B.E. Safety and Fire Engineering (FT) - IV TO VIII SEMESTER**

**FM27.08 TO CONSIDER AND RATIFY THE MINOR CHANGES INCORPORATED FOR THE COURSE “AT8011 AUTOMOTIVE TESTING” OF B.E. AUTOMOBILE ENGINEERING OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER R-2017(CBCS).**

**RESOLVED TO RATIFY** the minor changes incorporated in the Course “*AT8011 Automotive Testing*” of B.E. Automobile Engineering offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University under R2017 (CBCS).

**AT8011 Automotive Testing - Revised Syllabus**

**ITEMS PERTAINING TO FACULTY OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING**

**ITEMS PERTAINING TO NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES**

**FE27.01 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE CURRICULUM AND SYLLABUS OF SEMESTERS I & II FOR THE UG (FULL TIME) DEGREE PROGRAMMES TO BE OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER R-2021 (CBCS) WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 – 2022 ONWARDS.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the Curriculum and Syllabus of Semesters I and II for the following UG (FT) Degree Programmes to be offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University under Regulations 2021 (CBCS) from the academic year 2021-2022 onwards.

1. **B.E. Electrical and Electronics Engineering**
2. **B.E. Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering**
3. **B.E. Instrumentation and Control Engineering**

**FE27.02 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE CURRICULUM SEMESTERS I TO IV AND SYLLABUS OF SEMESTER I FOR THE PG (FULL TIME) (CBCS) DEGREE PROGRAMMES TO BE OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS AFFILIATED INSTITUTIONS UNDER R-2021 WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 – 2022 ONWARDS.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the Curriculum Semesters I to IV and Syllabus of semester I for the following PG (FT) Degree Programmes to be offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University under Regulations 2021 (CBCS) from the academic year 2021-2022 onwards.

1. **M.E. Power Systems Engineering**
2. **M.E. Power Electronics and Drives**
3. **M.E. Embedded Systems Technologies**

**FE27.03 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE COMMON SYLLABI FOR ELECTRICAL RELATED COURSES OF B.E. / B.TECH. DEGREE PROGRAMMES UNDER R-2021 (CBCS) OFFERED TO BE OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS AFFILIATED COLLEGES OF ANNA UNIVERSITY WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 – 2022.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the common syllabi for Electrical related courses to be offered for the B.E/ B.Tech Degree Programmes under R-2021 in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University from the academic year 2021-2022.

**Common Syllabus for Electrical Related Courses of  
B.E. / B.Tech. Degree Programmes under R-2021**

**ITEMS PERTAINING TO FACULTY OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION ENGINEERING**

**ITEMS PERTAINING TO NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES**

**FI27.01 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE CURRICULA AND SYLLABI OF SEMESTERS I & II FOR THE UG (FULL TIME) DEGREE PROGRAMMES TO BE OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER R-2021 (CBCS) WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 – 2022 ONWARDS.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the Curricula and Syllabi of Semesters I and II for the following UG (FT) Degree Programmes to be offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University under Regulations 2021 (CBCS) from the academic year 2021-2022 onwards.

1. **B.E. Computer Science and Engineering**
2. **B.Tech. Information Technology**
3. **B.E. Computer and Communication Engineering**
4. **B.Tech. Artificial Intelligence and Data Science**
5. **B.Tech. Computer Science and Business Systems**
6. **B.E. Electronics and Communication Engineering**
7. **B.E. Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering**
8. **B.E. Biomedical Engineering**
9. **B.E. Medical Electronics**
10. **B.E. Computer Science and Engineering (Tamil Medium)**

**FI27.02 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE CURRICULA OF THE SEMESTERS I TO IV AND SYLLABI OF SEMESTER I FOR THE PG (FULL TIME) DEGREE PROGRAMMES TO BE OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER R-2021 (CBCS) WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 – 2022 ONWARDS.**



**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the Curricula of the Semesters I to IV and Syllabi of Semester I for the following PG (FT) Degree Programmes to be offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University under Regulations 2021 (CBCS) from the academic year 2021-2022 onwards.

1. **M.E. Computer Science and Engineering**
2. **M.E. Computer Science and Engineering (With Specialization in Cyber Security)**
3. **M.E. Computer Science and Engineering (With Specialization in Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning)**
4. **M.E. Computer Science and Engineering (With Specialization in Networks)**
5. **M.E. Mobile and Pervasive Computing**
6. **M.E. Biometrics and Cyber Security**
7. **M.E. Big Data Analytics**
8. **M.Tech. Information Technology**
9. **M.E. Software Engineering**
10. **M. E. Multimedia Technology**
11. **M.E. E-Learning Technologies**
12. **M.C.A. (2 years)**
13. **M.E. Applied Electronics**
14. **M.E. VLSI Design**
15. **M.E. Digital Signal Processing**
16. **M.E. VLSI and Embedded Systems**
17. **M.E. Electronics and Communication Engineering**
18. **M.E. Electronics and Communication Engineering (Industry Integrated)**
19. **M.E. Communication Systems**
20. **M.E. Communication and Networking**
21. **M.E. Biomedical Engineering**
22. **M.E. Medical Electronics**

**FI27.03 TO CONSIDER AND RATIFY THE SYLLABI FOR SEMESTERS III AND IV FOR THE FOLLOWING UG (FULL TIME) (CBCS) DEGREE PROGRAMMES OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER R-2017 WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 – 2022 ONWARDS.**

**RESOLVED TO RATIFY** the Syllabi for Semesters III and IV for the following UG (Full Time) CBCS Degree Programmes offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University under R-2017 with effect from the academic year 2021-2022 onwards.

- 1. B.Tech. Artificial Intelligence and Data Science – III, IV SEM**
- 2. B.Tech. Computer Science and Business Systems – III, IV SEM**

**FI27.04 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE SYLLABI FOR SEMESTERS V TO VIII FOR THE FOLLOWING UG (FULL TIME) DEGREE PROGRAMMES TO BE OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER R-2017 (CBCS) WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 – 2022 ONWARDS.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the Syllabi of V and VIII Semesters for the following UG (Full Time) CBCS Degree Programmes to be offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University under R2017 with effect from the academic year 2021-2022 onwards.

- 1. B.Tech. Artificial Intelligence and Data Science – V TO VIII SEM**
- 2. B.Tech. Computer Science and Business Systems – V TO VIII SEM**

#### **ITEMS PERTAINING TO FACULTY OF TECHNOLOGY**

##### **I. ITEMS PERTAINING TO UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENTS**

**FT27.01 TO CONSIDER AND RATIFY THE REVISED COURSE CODE AND CREDITS INCORPORATED IN THE CURRICULA AND SYLLABI OF THE FOLLOWING UG (FULL TIME) DEGREE PROGRAMMES OFFERED IN THE UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENTS OF ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER R-2019 (CBCS).**

**RESOLVED TO RATIFY** the revised course code and credits incorporated in the Curricula and Syllabi for the following UG (Full Time) Degree Programmes offered in the University Departments of Anna University under R-2019 (CBCS).

1. **B. Tech. Textile Technology.**
2. **B. Tech. Apparel Technology.**
3. **B. Tech. Chemical Engineering.**
4. **B. Tech. Ceramic Technology.**

## II. ITEMS PERTAINING TO NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES

**FT27.02 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE CURRICULA AND SYLLABI OF SEMESTERS I & II FOR THE UG (FULL TIME) DEGREE PROGRAMMES TO BE OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER R-2021(CBCS) WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 – 2022 ONWARDS.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the Curricula and Syllabi of semesters I & II for the UG (Full Time) degree programmes to be offered in Non-Autonomous colleges Affiliated to Anna University under R-2021(CBCS) from the Academic year 2021–2022 onwards.

1. **B.Tech. Chemical Engineering**
2. **B.Tech.Chemical and Electrochemical Engineering**
3. **B.Tech. Biotechnology**
4. **B.Tech. Biotechnology and Biochemical Engineering**
5. **B.Tech. Food Technology**
6. **B.Tech. Pharmaceutical Technology**
7. **B.Tech.Textile Technology**
8. **B.Tech.Textile Chemistry**
9. **B.Tech. Handloom and Textile Technology**
10. **B.Tech. Fashion Technology**
11. **B.Tech. Petrochemical Technology**
12. **B.E. Petrochemical Engineering**
13. **B.Tech.Petroleum Engineering**
14. **B.Tech. Plastics Technology**

**FT27.03 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE CURRICULA OF SEMESTERS I TO IV AND SYLLABUS OF SEMESTER I FOR THE PG (FULL TIME) DEGREE PROGRAMMES TO BE OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER R-2021 (CBCS) WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 – 2022 ONWARDS.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the Curricula of Semesters I to IV and Syllabus of Semester I for the following PG (FT) Degree Programmes to be offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University under Regulations 2021 (CBCS) from the academic year 2021-2022 onwards.

1. **M.Tech. Chemical Engineering**
2. **M.Tech. Biotechnology**
3. **M.Tech. Textile Technology**
4. **M.Tech. Textile Technology (with specialization in Textile Chemistry)**
5. **M.Tech. Plastics Technology**
6. **M.Tech. Nano Science and Technology**
7. **M.Tech. Biopharmaceutical Technology**

**FT27.04 TO CONSIDER AND RATIFY THE CURRICULUM AND SYLLABUS OF I AND II SEMESTERS OF B. TECH. BIOTECHNOLOGY AND BIOCHEMICAL ENGINEERING (CBCS) DEGREE PROGRAMMES OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER R-2017 WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2019 – 2020 ONWARDS.**

**RESOLVED TO RATIFY** the Curriculum and Syllabus of Semesters I and II B.Tech. Biotechnology and Biochemical Engineering (CBCS) Degree Programmes offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University under R2017 from the academic year 2019-2020 onwards.

**B. Tech. Biotechnology and Biochemical Engineering- I & II SEM**

**FT27.05 TO CONSIDER AND RATIFY SEMESTERS III AND IV SYLLABUS OF B.TECH. BIOTECHNOLOGY AND BIOCHEMICAL ENGINEERING OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER R-2017.**

**RESOLVED TO RATIFY** the Semesters III and IV Syllabus of B.Tech. Biotechnology and Biochemical Engineering (CBCS) Degree Programmes offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University under R-2017.

**B.Tech. Biotechnology and Biochemical Engineering – III & IV SEM**

**FT27.06 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE SEMESTERS V TO VIII SYLLABUS OF B.TECH. BIOTECHNOLOGY AND BIOCHEMICAL ENGINEERING TO BE OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER R-2017.**

**RESOLVED TO RATIFY** the Semesters V and VIII Syllabus of B.Tech. Biotechnology and Biochemical Engineering (CBCS) Degree Programmes offered in the Non Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University under R-2017.

**B.Tech. Biotechnology and Biochemical Engineering – V to VIII SEM**

**ITEMS PERTAINING TO FACULTY OF SCIENCE AND HUMANITIES**

**I. ITEMS PERTAINING TO UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENTS**

**FS27.01 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE NEW CURRICULA AND SYLLABI FOR THE M.SC. DEGREE PROGRAMME (2-YEAR) TO BE OFFERED IN UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENTS UNDER R-2019 (CBCS) WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 – 2022 ONWARDS.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the new Curricula and Syllabi for the M.Sc. Multimedia (with specialization in Visual Communication) Degree Programmes to be offered in University Departments of Anna University under Regulations 2019(CBCS) from the academic year 2021-2022 onwards.

**M.Sc. Multimedia (specialization in Visual Communication) (2 years)**

**II. ITEMS PERTAINING TO NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES**

**FS27.02 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE SYLLABI OF SEMESTERS I & II FOR THE FOLLOWING COURSES OF UG (FULL TIME) AND SEMESTER I SYLLABI FOR THE FOLLOWING COURSES OF PG (FULL-TIME) DEGREE PROGRAMMES TO BE OFFERED IN THE NON-AUTONOMOUS AFFILIATED COLLEGES TO ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER REGULATIONS 2021.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the Syllabi of Semesters I and II for the following courses of UG (Full Time) and Semester I Syllabi for the following courses of PG (Full Time) Degree Programmes to be offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University under Regulations 2021 (CBCS).

1. **English**
2. **Mathematics - UG & PG**
3. **Physics**
4. **Chemistry**

**ITEMS PERTAINING TO FACULTY OF ARCHITECTURE AND PLANNING****ITEMS PERTAINING TO NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES**

**FA27.01 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE CURRICULUM AND SYLLABI OF SEMESTERS I & II FOR THE B. ARCH. (FULL TIME) DEGREE PROGRAMME TO BE OFFERED IN NON AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER R-2021 (CBCS) WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021-2022 ONWARDS.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the Curriculum and Syllabi of Semesters I and II for the B.Arch. (FT) Degree Programme to be offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University under Regulations 2021 (CBCS) from the academic year 2021-2022 onwards.

**B. Arch**

**FA27.02 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE CURRICULA OF SEMESTERS I TO IV AND SYLLABUS OF SEMESTER I FOR THE FOLLOWING PG (FT) DEGREE PROGRAMMES TO BE OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER R-2021 (CBCS) WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021-2022 ONWARDS.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the Curricula of Semesters I to IV and Syllabus of Semester I for the following PG (FT) Degree Programmes to be offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University under Regulations 2021 (CBCS) from the academic year 2021-2022 onwards.

1. **M. Arch. (General)**
2. **M. Arch. (Environmental Architecture)**
3. **M. Arch. (Real Estate Development)**
4. **M. Arch. (Conservation)**
5. **M. Arch. (Digital Architecture)**
6. **M. Arch. (Urban Design)**

**ITEMS PERTAINING TO FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES**

**FN27.01 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE CURRICULUM AND SYLLABI OF SEMESTERS I TO IV FOR M.B.A (FULL-TIME) DEGREE PROGRAMMES TO BE OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER R-2021 (CBCS) WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 – 2022 ONWARDS.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the Curriculum and Syllabi of Semesters I to IV for M.B.A (Full-Time) degree programmes to be offered in Non-Autonomous Colleges Affiliated to Anna University under R-2021 (CBCS) from the Academic year 2021–2022 Onwards.

**M.B.A. (FULL – TIME)**

**FN27.02 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE CURRICULUM AND SYLLABI FOR I TO VI SEMESTERS FOR THE M.B.A (PART-TIME) DEGREE PROGRAMMES TO BE OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER R-2021 (CBCS) WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 – 2022 ONWARDS.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the curriculum and syllabi for I to VI semesters for the M.B.A (Part-Time) degree programmes to be offered in Non-Autonomous colleges Affiliated to Anna University under R-2021 (CBCS) from the academic year 2021–2022 onwards.

**M.B.A. (PART –TIME)**

**FN27.03 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE CURRICULUM AND SYLLABI OF SEMESTERS I TO X FOR M.B.A (INTEGRATED) - 5 YEARS (FULL TIME) DEGREE PROGRAMME TO BE OFFERED IN NON-AUTONOMOUS COLLEGES AFFILIATED TO ANNA UNIVERSITY UNDER R-2021(CBCS) WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 – 2022 ONWARDS.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the Curriculum and Syllabi of semesters I to X for M.B.A (Integrated) - 5 years (Full Time) degree programme to be offered in Non-Autonomous colleges affiliated to Anna University under R-2021(CBCS) from the academic year 2021–2022 onwards.

**M.B.A (INTEGRATED) - 5 YEARS (FT)**

**FN27.04 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE CURRICULUM AND SYLLABI OF SEMESTERS I TO IV FOR M.B.A (GENERAL MANAGEMENT) PROGRAMME TO BE OFFERED IN ONLINE MODE UNDER R-2021 ONLINE BY CENTRE FOR DISTANCE EDUCATION, ANNA UNIVERSITY WITH EFFECT FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 – 2022 ONWARDS.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the Curriculum and Syllabi of semesters I to IV for M.B.A (General Management) programme to be offered in online mode under R-2021 online by Centre for Distance Education, Anna University from the academic year 2021–2022 onwards.



**M.B.A (GENERAL MANAGEMENT)**

**FN27.05 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE M.B.A. (BUSINESS ANALYTICS) PROGRAMME TO BE STARTED IN ONLINE MODE UNDER REGULATIONS 2021 ONLINE BY CENTRE FOR DISTANCE EDUCATION, ANNA UNIVERSITY WITH EFFECT FROM 2021 – 2022 ONWARDS.**

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the M.B.A. (Business Analytics) programme to be started in online mode under Regulations 2021 online by Centre for Distance Education, Anna university from 2021–2022 onwards.

**ITEMS PERTAINING TO RESEARCH BOARD**

**FR27.01 TO CONFIRM THE MINUTES OF THE THIRTY SIXTH MEETING OF THE RESEARCH BOARD HELD ON 03.11.2020.**

**RESOLVED** to confirm the minutes of the 36<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Research Board held on 03.11.2020.

**FR27.02 TO INFORM THE ADMISSION OF CANDIDATES FOR Ph.D. PROGRAMME DURING JANUARY 2021 SESSION**

The number of candidates admitted to Ph.D. programme during January 2021 is given in Annexure:

**Annexure FR27.02**

**RESOLVED** to note as given in the agenda.

**FR27.03 TO INFORM THE DETAILS OF RESEARCH SCHOLARS WHO HAVE BEEN GRANTED EXTENSION (BEYOND 6 YEARS DUE TO COVID-19 PANDEMIC SITUATION) TO SUBMIT THEIR Ph.D. THESIS**

**RESOLVED** to note the list of 1493 Ph.D. scholars granted extension of time to submit their thesis after the previous Research Board meeting, as given in the **Annexure – I** (Page Nos. **A1–1 to A1–97**).

**FR27.04 TO INFORM THE APPROVAL GIVEN FOR SUPERVISOR RECOGNITION.**

**RESOLVED** to note as given in **Annexure – II** (Page Nos. **A2–1 to A2–34**).

**FR27.05 TO INFORM THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE INSPECTION COMMITTEES CONSTITUTED FOR RECOGNITION OF DEPARTMENTS / ORGANIZATION AS APPROVED RESEARCH CENTRES OF ANNA UNIVERSITY.**

**RESOLVED** to note the list of Departments and R&D centres approved by the Vice Chancellor and Convener Committee for research centre recognition based on the recommendation of the Inspection Committee as given in **Annexure - III** (Page No.**A3-1 to A3-2**).

**FR27.06 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE SELECTION OF CANDIDATES FOR ADMISSION TO Ph.D. PROGRAMME FOR JULY 2021 SESSION.**

The 35<sup>th</sup> Research Board has given approval for the selection of Ph.D. Scholars via online interview. As per the Board's directions and as per the directions of Convenor Committee, interview has been conducted for the applicants for the Ph.D. Programme July 2021 session.

A total number of 2651 applications were received for admission to Ph.D. Programme July 2021 session as listed in **Annexure-IV** (Page No. **A4-1 to A4-249**). After scrutiny, 2608 candidates were called for the online interview held between 19.07.2021 to 24.07.2021 at Centre for Research. Total 358 candidates were absent for the online interview.

**RESOLVED** to note the list of absentees for the Online Interview as given in **Annexure-V** (Page No. **A5-1 to A5- 12**) and the details of candidates appeared for the online interview and the distribution of marks secured (CGPA + Interview) are given in **Annexure-VI** (Page No. **A6 -1 to A6 - 3**).

**RESOLVED TO RATIFY** the fixing of cut off mark for the selection of Ph.D. candidates for the admission to July 2021 session in order to accommodate 60% of the candidates in each faculty.

**Annexure FR27.06**

**RESOLVED TO NOTE** that the admission of candidates awaiting final semester result are “withheld” and his / her admission will be based on furnishing the required necessary documents.

The “Recommended” candidates who have assured to produce leave sanction and relieving order (as applicable) before the final admission is “withheld” and his/her admission will be based on furnishing the required necessary documents.

Selected candidates have the option to join the Ph.D. programme *either during the July 2021 or January 2022 session.*

**FR26.07 TO INFORM THE ADMISSION OF Ph.D. SCHOLARS UNDER QIP SCHEME OF AICTE IN JANUARY 2021 SESSION**

**RESOLVED** to note that the following Quality Improvement Programme (QIP) Scholars who had completed their pre-registration during 2019 – 2020 have been admitted to Ph.D. programme during January 2021 session.

**Annexure FR27.07**

**FR27.08 TO INFORM THE ADMISSION OF Ph.D. SCHOLARS UNDER ADF SCHEME OF AICTE IN JANUARY 2021 SESSION**

**RESOLVED** to note that the following candidates have been selected under AICTE Doctoral Fellowship (ADF) Scheme sponsored by AICTE for the year 2019 – 2020 by the nodal centres identified by AICTE. The candidates have been admitted to Ph.D. Programme in January 2021 session on Full Time basis under ADF Scheme at nodal centres as mentioned below.

**Annexure FR27.08**

**FR27.09 TO CONSIDER AND RATIFY THE AMENDMENTS IN THE Ph.D. REGULATIONS 2020.**

The Ph.D. / M.S (by Research) Regulations 2015 was replaced with Ph.D. Regulation 2020 with effect from January 2020. RESOLVED to ratify the following amendments in Regulations 2020:

**Annexure FR27.09**

**FR27.10 MATTERS FOR DISCUSSION**

**FR27.10.01 TO CONSIDER THE PROPOSAL FOR THE MODALITIES IN ISSUING THE ELIGIBILITY CERTIFICATE FOR ADMISSION TO Ph.D. PROGRAMME.**

The 12<sup>th</sup> Executive Meeting of the Centre for Academic courses held on 31.10.2019 has approved to transfer the issuance of Eligibility Certificate to the candidates who are applying for the Ph.D. Programme from Centre for Academic Courses to Centre for Research with effect from July 2020 onwards.

It is proposed to consider the following in the course eligibility certification for the admission to Ph.D. programme and also to incorporate any changes carried out by UGC list of PG Programme from time to time.

- 1) The students who have completed two year Part-Time PG degree programmes, through AUT Coimbatore shall undergo **three additional courses**.
- 2) The students who have obtained their PG degree through week end programmes in three years through MBCBS from Anna University of Technology, Trichy shall undergo **three additional courses**.
- 3) The Students who got admitted upto the year 2011 into 2 year Part-Time / Weekend P.G. programmes conducted by certain UGC approved Universities shall undergo **four additional courses**.
- 4) The students who secured PG Degree from Universities other than Central and State Government need to obtain course eligibility from Centre for Research.

**RESOLVED** to admit the candidate those who have completed their PG degrees in 2 years full time mode or 3 years part time mode for the PhD Programme after verifying the credits obtained in their PG Degree.

**FR27.10.02: INDIAN COUNCIL FOR CULTURAL RELATIONS PH.D APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION**

Anna University facilitate foreign candidate to pursue Ph.D. in University Departments. The Centre for Research has received 12 applications from International Relations, Anna University (Centre for Research, Anna University) on August 2020 for the Ph.D. admission through ICCR. Due to the pandemic situations that aroused and due to unavailability of foreign candidates the processing of the applications received from International Relations, Anna University through ICCR got delayed. Now, it is proposed to consider these applications along with the admission for the July 2021 / January 2022 session.

**RESOLVED** to consider the 12 ICCR applications for admission to July 2021 / January 2022 session.

**FR27.10.03: CLARIFICATION OF CA, ICWA, CS:**

UGC issued notification D.O.No.9-35/2016 (CPP-II) dated 15.04.2021 and stated that Chartered Accountant (CA), Cost and works Accountants (ICWA), Company Secretary (CS) are equivalent as PG degree and eligibility for Ph.D. admission. It is requested for approval that, those who have applied for Ph.D. with these qualification (ie.CA, ICWA, CS) shall be considered for the admission subject to the eligibility criteria of (10+2+3(UG)).

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** the eligibility of the candidates those who possess CA, ICWA, CS qualifications for admission to Ph.D. programme in the Faculty of Management Sciences.

**FR27.10.04: UPDATION OF JOURNAL LISTING:**

As per the approval of 35<sup>th</sup> Research Board, the Journal listing of the Centre for Research has been updated and published in the web page. Later, it is identified that some of the journals are not upto the expected standards, some of the journals changed its name and changed the publishers as detailed below:

**Annexure FR27.10 - 04**

The Centre may accept the synopsis of the scholars who have already submitted the research articles in the above listed journals proposed to be removed, one month prior to the date of the 37<sup>th</sup> Research Board (**10.08.2021**). Such scholars may be permitted to submit their synopsis till **31.07.2022**.

**RESOLVED TO APPROVE** that the scholars can submit the synopsis if they have published the paper online with DOI number / Published Paper (with Volume and issue No.) of their research articles in the removed / updated Journals till 31st July 2022 only. The communication of such research article to the journal should have been made on or before 16th July 2021.

**FR27.10.05: TO INFORM THE INCREASE IN FELLOWSHIP AMOUNT OF ACRF (ANNA CENTENARY RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP)**

Anna University has allotted 50 fellowships per year for the Ph.D. Research Scholars within the four Campuses with Rs.20,000/- per month for three years or till the submission of the Thesis. It was decided at the Research Board meeting to increase the fellowship amount (scholarship given to meritorious students based on the review of selection committee) to attract more Full Time Scholars to pursue their Ph.D. in Anna University.

**RESOLVED** to note that Research Board has permitted to increase the scholarship amount from Rs.20,000/- to Rs.34,000/- per month.

**FR27.10.06: REQUEST FOR NEW BUILDING FOR THE CENTRE FOR RESEARCH AND HOSTEL FOR THE SCHOLARS:**

At present, the Centre for Research is functioning in the second floor of the Building of Distance Education. It is requested for approval to construct a new building for the Centre for Research for the smooth functioning of the centre. It is also presented that, there is no hostel facility for the full time research scholars, except few rooms allotted in the NRI Hostel. Hence, it is requested for the provision of hostel for the scholars within the campus.

**RESOLVED TO DROP this agenda as it is not pertaining to this Committee**

## Recommendations of Academic Council

**The members of the Academic Council recommended the following items based on the deliberations**

### **1. PG Project Work**

- i. The students shall be given an option to carry out the Project Work II either in their own institution or in another academic institution of repute/ research organization / industry.
  - If the student is opting to carryout the Project Work II in their own institution, the Project Work II shall be a continuation of Project Work I.
  - If the student is opting to carryout the Project Work II in another academic institution of repute/ research organization / industry, then the Project Work I has to be completed as an Individual Project work, in order to proceed to Project Work II in an Industry. The student shall be given time upto Review II during his Project Work I, to decide whether he/she is opting for continuing the work in the same institution or do a separate project work in another academic institution of repute / research organization / industry.
- ii. Corresponding Specific changes are made to M.Arch. Regulations and Curriculum as applicable and appropriate. Nomenclature of course is changed with “Thesis Phase I: Research” being retitled as “Dissertation” and “Thesis Phase II: Project” being retitled as “Thesis Project”.
- iii. Corresponding Specific changes are made to M.B.A. Regulations as applicable and appropriate.

### **2. Academic Audit**

*“Every educational institution shall strive for a better performance of the students by conducting the internal assessments as mentioned in Clause 12. In order to ensure the above, Academic Audit is to be done for every course taught during the semester. For the internal assessments conducted for each course as per details provided in Clause 12, the academic records shall be maintained in the form of documentation for the individual assignments / case study report / report of mini project submitted by each student and assessment test question paper and answer script. Report of industrial training / internship shall also be maintained, if applicable. For laboratory courses students’ record shall be maintained. Further, the bio-metric attendance of all students shall be maintained as a record”.*

The members decided to remove the biometric attendance of all the students to be maintained as a record as it will not be feasible for a huge number of students in a short duration of time on a daily basis. Instead the manual attendance record would suffice to meet the requirements.

### 3. Internal Assessment Evaluation

In connection with the UG / PG programmes, the Academic council has decided the following weightage for internal assessment evaluation and end semester evaluation

- Theory Courses – 40% Internal + 60% External
- Laboratory Courses - 60% Internal + 40% External
- Theory cum Laboratory Courses - 50% Internal + 50% External

Corresponding Specific Changes are made to B.Arch./ M.Arch. /M.B.A. Regulations as applicable and appropriate.

The Academic Council also recommended to follow the same evaluation procedure uniformly for Autonomous, Non-Autonomous colleges affiliated to Anna University and University Departments for the students who join from Academic year 2021 – 2022 onwards.

### 4. Passing Requirement and Awarding of Letter Grades

**The items proposed to the Academic Council: With regard to passing requirement of UG / PG programmes,** “A student who secures not less than 50% of total marks prescribed for the course [Internal Assessment + End semester University Examinations] with a minimum of 45% of the marks prescribed for the end-semester University Examination, shall be declared to have passed the course and acquired the relevant number of credits. This is applicable for both theory and practical courses (including project work).”

Corresponding Specific Changes are made to B.Arch./ M.Arch. /M.B.A. Regulations as applicable and appropriate.

In addition to the above existing clause the following has been recommended:

Further, for those students who secure pass mark as mentioned above, an expert committee shall be constituted by the Vice-Chancellor to formulate a mechanism for deciding the award of letter grades using relative grading principle.

The recommendations of the expert committee shall be included in the Regulations.



**5. Reconstitution of the Syllabus Sub Committee and Board of Studies**

The Curriculum and Syllabus for all the UG Programmes from Semester III up to Final Semester of the Non Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University have to be framed under R-2021 as per the recommendation of the Academic Council to bridge the gap between academics and industry. In this regard, the members of the Academic Council have decided to reconstitute the Syllabus Sub Committee and Board of Studies with a revised structure as constituted by the Vice-Chancellor.

**6. Submission of Answer Scripts for Online Examinations**

As directed by the Syndicate in its 262<sup>nd</sup> meeting held on 19.05.2021, the end semester examinations of November/December 2020 (Re-exam) and April/May 2021 for all the UG and PG Programmes were conducted in Online Mode. The students were permitted to upload the answer scripts within 60 minutes after the scheduled completion time of the examinations. Representations had been received from students that they were unable to upload the answer scripts within the stipulated time, due to power failure, network issues etc.

Hence, the Academic council has recommended to extend the time for uploading the answer scripts as given below.

- Forenoon session – Answer Scripts uploaded till 3.30pm of the same day, shall be considered.
- Afternoon session – Answer Scripts uploaded till 8.30pm of the same day, shall be considered.

The above provisions shall be extended for the Examinations conducted for Distance Education and for the 2<sup>nd</sup> semester Post-Graduate Programmes.

In special cases an appropriate decision can be made through constituting a Committee by Anna University inclusive of the Principal/ Dean of Colleges.

**7. Mathematics Course**

The Academic council has decided to offer a common Mathematics course “Statistics and Numerical Methods” in Semester II instead of the proposed Mathematics courses prescribed in the curriculum of Undergraduate Programmes (except B. Arch.) to be offered in the Non-Autonomous Colleges affiliated to Anna University under Regulations 2021.

**8. Age Limit for Supervisor Recognition**

The following decisions were made for the supervisor recognition for research guidance

The Research Supervisor shall be permitted to take students for research guidance upto the age limit as given below

- Government and University Departments - 58 years
- Affiliated Colleges - 63 years

**9. Experience Certificate**

The members recommended that the Centre for Research shall permit the Staff Members from Government / Government aided educational institutions to submit their applications for joining their PhD programmes even without experience certificate, provided the applications are forwarded through the Head of the Institution / Principal. In such cases provisional registration shall be provided and the same shall be confirmed upon the experience certificate produced by the staff before the registration confirmation of the scholar by the Centre for Research.

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