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DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION SCIENCE AND **ENGINEERING**

BOARD OF STUDIES MEETING

4th Oct. 2023 DATE

Dept. of ISE, NHCE **VENUE**

11.00 am to 2.00pm TIME

Professor and Dean-Academics Now Horizon College of Engineering Ring Road Bellandur Post Bengaluru 560 103

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Agenda 5: Discussion and Approval of Evaluation Metrics in CIE component

Agenda 6: Suggestions and Recommendations from Board Member

Agenda 7: Concluding Remarks

LIST OF MEMBERS

SI. No	Category	Nomination of the committee	Name of the person	Designation & Affiliation
1	Head of the	Chairperson	Dr. Vandana C P	Associate Professor &
	Department			HOD, Dept. of ISE
2	Special Invitees	1	Dr.Manjunatha	Principal, NHCE
		2	Dr. R.J Anandhi	Professor and Dean -
				Academics, NHCE
		3	Dr. Swathi. B	HoD, Dept. of Data
				Science, NHCE
	Faculty member	Member		
3	at different	1	Dr. K Saravanan	Professor, Dept. of ISE,
	level with			NHCE, Bangalore
	different	2	Dr. Arvind Kapse	Professor, Dept. of ISE,
	specialization			NHCE, Bangalore
		3	Dr. Kalaivani D	Associate Professor,
				Dept. of ISE, NHCE,
				Bangalore
		4	Mrs. Divya K.V	Sr. Assistant Professor,
				Dept. of ISE, NHCE,
				Bangalore
		5	Mrs. TN Chitti	Sr. Assistant Professor,
				Dept. of ISE, NHCE,
				Bangalore
	Subject expert		Member	
4	from outside	1	Prof. Anandhi Giridharan	Academic Technical
	the college		Principal Research Scientist	Expert
	nominated by		IISc, Bangalore.	
	Academic	2	Dr. Natarajan S	
	Council		Professor and Key Resource	
			Person, PES University,	

			Bengaluru		
5	Experts from				
	outside the	1	Dr Nalini,	VTU Nominee	
	college		Professor, Dept. of CSE,		
	nominated by		Nitte Meenakshi Institute of		
	VTU		Technology, Bengaluru		
	Representative		Member		
6	from Industry /	1	Mr. Prasad L.K	Industry Technical	
	Corporate		Founder & Managing	Expert	
	sector / allied		Director,	-	
	area related to		Acceleron Labs Ltd.,		
	placements,		Bangalore.		
	nominated by	2	Mr. Satyam Jakkula		
	Academic		Senior Program Manager-		
	Council		Supplier		
			Management		
			IBM, Bangalore		
	Post Graduate	Member			
7	meritorious	1	Mr.Aditya Srivastava,	Alumini	
	alumni		Packaged App Development,		
	nominated by		Senior Analyst, Accenture,		
	Principal		Bangalore		
	-	2	Mr. Mohamed Nafeel		
			Advanced Software Engineer,		
			Honey Well, Bengaluru		
			Member		
3	Co-opted	1	Mr. Aniz Mirza,	Placement	
	members		Head Placement & Corporate		
			relations, NHCE, Bangalore		
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		2	Dr. Sivaramakrishnan,	Academic and Research	
			Associate Professor and R&D	Expertise	
			coordinator, ISE, NHCE		

3	Ms. Shruthi,
	Assistant Professor and
	Placement Coordinator,
	Dept. of ISE, NHCE

WELCOME ADDRESS BY THE CHAIRMAN OF BOS AND INTRODUCTION OF MEMBERS

Minutes

The **BOARD OF STUDIES (2023 – 24)** meeting was held on 4th Oct. 2023 in hybrid mode using Google Meet with internal members, few external members (in person) and other external members joined online.

Dr. K. Saravanan, Professor in the Department of ISE welcomed the BOS Committee members. He presented the agenda of the Board of studies meeting to the members. He introduced the Internal and External BOS members. He started the discussion on the Scheme and syllabus of B.E semester V to VIII of Batch 2021-2025, and semester III to VIII of Batch 2022-2026 which was shared via email to all the board members earlier.

AGENDA - 1

TITLE

BE - Scheme for semester V, VI, VII & VIII of 2021-2025 Batch – Discussion and Approval (NEP 160 Credits)

Minutes

- 1. Dr. K. Saravanan, professor, ISE presented the scheme of semester V, VI, VII and VIII of 2021-2025 batch.
- 2. The panel was asked to explain the need of the course 'Innovation & Design Thinking' and it was explained.
- 3. The panel has suggested to keep internship from semester III onwards. It was explained that based on NEP it is being followed as suggested.

AGENDA - 2

TITLE

Approval of BE syllabus for 5th and 6th semester of Batch 2021-2025 (160 credits)

Minutes

1. Dr.K.Saravanan, professor, ISE presented the syllabus of semester V and VI of Batch 2021-2025.

2. After a detailed discussion on the syllabus the board members approved the syllabus of 5th and 6th semester, which incorporated the previous suggestions given by BOS.

AGENDA - 3

TITLE

BE - Scheme of semsester from III to VIII of Batch 2022-2026 – Discussion and Approval (NEP 160 Credits)

Minutes

- 1. Dr.K.Saravanan, professor, ISE presented the scheme of semester III to VIII of batch 2022-2026.
- 2. During the presentation the implementation of Non-credit Mandatory Coureses (NCMC) such as National Service Scheme (NSS), Physical Education (PE) (Sports and Athletics) and Yoga were explained.
- 3. Also about the course under Universal Human Values Course (UHV) was explained.

AGENDA - 4

TITLE

BE - syllabus of semsester from III and IV of 2022-2026 Batch – Discussion and Approval (NEP 160 Credits)

Minutes

- 1. Dr.K.Saravanan, professor, ISE presented the syllabus of semester III and IV of 2022-2026 batch.
- 2. After a detailed discussion on the syllabus the board members approved the syllabus of 3^{rd} and 4^{th} semester.

BOS Meeting – Department of Information Science and Engineering

AGENDA - 5

TITLE

Suggestions and Recommendations from Board Members

The suggestions from various BOS members are presented as following:

Dr. Anandhi Giridharan, Academic Technical Expert

- 1. Prof. Dr. Anandhi Giridharan recommended to include a module about 'Edge Computing' in the course 'Principles of Cloud Computing' in semester V of Batch 2021-25. The internal committee has decided to incorporate it in the upcoming batch syllabus.
- 2. She asked whether outreach programme is there in practice or not. Dr. Vandana, HoD, explained that the process is in practice with Activity point (100 points)
- 3. She also suggested to include the course 'Signal processing'. This suggestion will be implemented in upcoming scheme.

Dr Natarajan S, Academic Technical Expert

- 1. Prof. Dr Natarajan recommended to have 'Principles of Cyber Security' course as elective, instead of keeping it as a core subject. But the input from placement department requested to have it as a core subject.
- 2. The professor suggested to invite the technical experts from industry for atleast few of the topics of 'Innovation & Design thinking'. The suggested point will be followed in TLP.
- 3. He suggested to push 'Research Methodology' in the higher semesters. This suggestion will be followed from the upcoming batches onwards.
- 4. He suggested to change the name of the professional elective course 'Bio inspired Design and Innovation' into 'Bio-inspired computing' in sem. VI of Batch 2021-25. Since the course is to be provided commonly to all braches, this can be done in future.
- 5. He suggested that the course 'Computer Vision' could be named as 'Image processing and Computer vision' in sem. V of Batch 2022-26. It will be incoprporated.

6. He also suggested that the faculty upgradation should be a continuous process and to balance between the theoretical and practical approaches.

Mr. Prasad L.K, Industry Technical Expert

- 1. Mr. Prasad appreciated the BOS process and mentioned that the scheme and syllabus of ISE department is in line with the industry requirements and standards.
- 2. He suggested to check whether the course 'Operations Research' is meant to be in electivelist in sem. V of Batch 2021-25. Later the BoS decided that it should be in elective list.
- 3. He suggested to add 'Computer storage' in syllabus and suggested that it can be a part of cloud computing course. It will be incorporated.
- 4. He suggested to change the name of the course 'Virtual Reality' into 'Virtual Reality & Augmented Reality' in semester VII of Batch 2021-25. It will be incorporated.
- 5. He also suggested to rename the course of 'Advanced Machine Learning' into 'Machine Learning' in sem. VI of Batch 2021-25. It will be incorporated.
- 6. He suggested to establish practical lab exclusively for cloud computing. This suggestion will be implemented during the upcoming batches onwards.

Mr. Satyam Jakkula, Industry Technical Expert

- 1. Mr. Satyam Jakkula suggested that faculties can have mentors from industry to further enhance the skills. He was explained that his suggestion is in-practise already.
- 2. He suggested to collaborate with IBM in organizing guest lectures. He was explained about the MoU which was signed recently with IBM.
- 3. BOS chairman updated that guest talks are being conducted by industry experts in all the courses (especially 5th module) to bridge the gap between academics and industry and to enrich students' knowledge with up-to-date technology trends.
- 4. BOS chairman explained the presence of strong industry institute interaction cell and 19 Center of Excellence (COE) in college. Also she explaine about ongoing program 'Train the Trainer' which is being conducted in COEs which enhances faculty skillset.
- 5. BOS chairman also highlighted that 'Life skill and lifelong learning' is a separate department in college which enhance the communication skill, soft skill and

personality development of students. Toastmaster collaborated activities are in place and students actively take part in it.

Dr. Nalini, VTU Nominee

- 1. Prof. Dr. Nalini appreciated that the scheme and syllabus is well framed
- 2. She suggested for integrated labs in the scheme.
- 3. She also suggested to incorporate Information retrieval systems, Full stack web development subjects in the curriculum. This suggestion will be followed from the upcoming batches onwards.

Mr. Prashanth, Alumnus from 2012-2016 Batch

- 1. Mr. Prasanth observed that too many subjects are loaded in the Semester V. But later it was considered that no theory courses in semester VIII, it is decided to keep as it is.
- 2. He suggested that in the semester VIII students should have one MBA Syllabus ('Income Tax' oriented clourse can be there which can also be a non-credit course). This suggestion will be followed from the upcoming batches onwards.
- 3. Communication skill course inclusion in scheme was appreciated.
- 4. BOS chairman shared the observation that lower semester students came up with very innovative ideas which got recognized in National level events.

Mr. Mohamed Nafeel, Alumnus from 2012-2016 Batch

- 1. Mr. Mohamed Nafeel suggested to incorportate some practical concepts in the course 'Natural Language Processing'.
- 2. Full stack course as profession elective can be doensized, as it is very elaborated.
- 3. He suggested that the Real time operating system should be incorporated in 'Operating System' subject. It can be done in the upcoming batches onwards.

Mr. Aniz Mirza, Placement Nominee

- 1. Mr. Aniz updated that during internship period, department closely and constantly monitor the students so that they can be absorbed by companies.
- 2. College provides the orientation session before any placement drive highlighting the company polices, culture and basic etiquette to be followed.

- 3. Suggested that the mini project documentations can be shared with faculties via email so that email writing process comes inbuilt.
- 4. BOS chairman augmented that the suggestions provided will be considered and feasible solutions will be provided.

AGENDA - 6

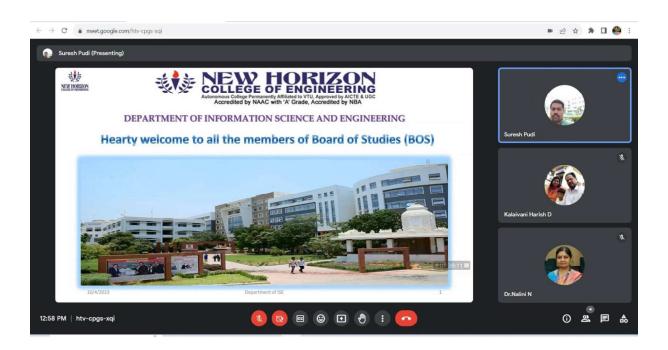
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Concluding Remarks

Minutes

- 1. BOS chairperson expressed that the students are being given quality education as par with foreign universities.
- 2. Also she explained that the Industry readiness and technical excellence are being attained in trending technologies.
- 3. She enlightened that the students and faculty are trained to write proposals for funding agencies.

SCREENSHOTS











VOTE OF THANKS BY THE CHAIRMAN-BOS

BOS Chairman delivered Vote of Thanks and appreciated each and every member of the board for their contribution and valuable suggestions provided.