

**SRI MEENAKSHI GOVERNMENT ARTS COLLEGE FOR WOMEN (A),**

**MADURAI- 625 002**

**(Affiliated To Madurai Kamaraj University)**

**(Re-Accredited With 'B++' Grade in 4<sup>th</sup> Cycle by NAAC)**



**Department of Botany**

**Minutes of PG Board of Studies Meeting**

The Board of Studies Meeting for PG was convened in the Department of Botany (Venue UG lab) at 9.30 am on 09.08.2023. The following members were present:

**UNIVERSITY NOMINEE:**

1. **Dr.N.D.Kannan**, Assistant Professor, Department of Plant Biotechnology, School of Biotechnology, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai-21.

**SUBJECT EXPERTS:**

1. **Dr.S.Karuppusamy**, Associate Professor in Botany, The Madura College (A), Madurai-11
2. **Dr.V.Karthikeyan**, Assistant Professor in Botany, Center for Research in Botany, Thiagarajar College, Madurai-9.

**INDUSTRIAL EXPERT:**

1. **Dr.S.Narasimman**, Proprietor, A.M.Herbals and Agro Business, Melur Main Road, Alagarkovil, Madurai-625301.

**STUDENT NOMINEE:**

1. **Dr.V.E.Seshapriya**, D/o.R.Venkitasamy, 25/2, SökkakothanUrani, TPK Road, Rathinapuram, Madurai-1.

All Faculty members of Botany Department were present and the Syllabus for PG Botany Courses was discussed in detail and following resolutions were made:

1. To follow the common curriculum framework of TANSCHÉ with necessary changes made in the hours and credits by the Curriculum Development Committee of Sri Meenakshi Govt. Arts College for Women, Madurai.

2. In Semester I to offer **Ecology, Phytogeography, Conservation Biology and Intellectual Property Rights** as Elective Paper as it could not be accommodated in Semester II as Core Paper.
3. In Semester III to offer **Recombinant DNA Technology and Industrial Applications** as Elective Paper as it could not be accommodated as Core Paper.
4. In Semester III to offer existing **Gardening** as Non-Major Elective Course (SEC 2).
5. In Semester IV to offer **Botany for Competitive Examinations** as Professional Competency Skill Enhancement Course (SEC 3).
6. Project with Viva Voce  
Internal maximum: 60 marks; External maximum: 40 marks.  
**Evaluation criteria for Internal (60 marks):**  
**The 60 marks for internals can be given for three reviews of 20 marks each.**

**Review- I**

Problem Selection / Choice of the Topic	Methodology / Technology used	Effective content delivery	Interaction / Answering questions	Total
5	5	5	5	20

**Review- II**

Work Progress	Development of ideas	Effective content delivery	Interaction / Answering questions	Total
5	5	5	5	20

**Review- III**

Final outcome of the project	Implementation & execution	Effective content delivery	Interaction / Answering questions	Total
5	5	5	5	20

**Evaluation criteria for External (40 marks):**

Organisation of ideas	Effective content delivery	Report	Total
10	10	20	40

7. It is decided that both Theory and Practical Papers, Internal Maximum is 25 marks and External Maximum is 75 Marks.
8. For **Post Graduate Programme of Botany**, total credits are **91** and the total number of Courses are **24** with Maximum of **2400** Marks.

**Question Pattern for PG:**

**Section A:** Either or pattern 5x5=25

**Section B:** Either or pattern 5x10=50

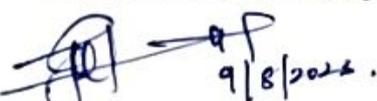
**Question Pattern for PG Professional Competency Skill Enhancement course-Botany for Competitive Examinations:**

**Section A:** 1x25 =25

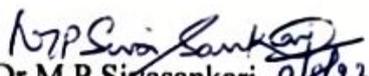
**Section B:** 5x10 =50 (Either or Pattern)

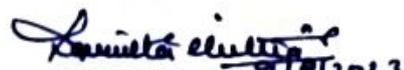
**Attainment Level for PG:** K1, K2, K3, K4

  
1. Dr.G.Grace Lydial Pushpalatha

  
2. Dr.G.Mangai Kasthuri

  
3. Dr.G.Sampath Kumar

  
4. Dr.M.P.Sivasankari

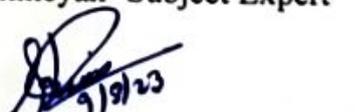
  
5. Dr.S.M.Janetta Nithia

  
6. Dr.I.Sobha Kumari

  
Dr.N.D.Kannan - University Nominee

  
Dr.S.Karuppusamy-Subject Expert

  
Dr.V.Karthikeyan -Subject Expert

  
Dr.S.Narasimman-Industrial Expert

  
Student Nominee-Dr.V.E.Seshapriya

  
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