## Department of Natural Resources TERI School of Advanced Studies

Venue: TERI School of Advanced Studies

(Online meeting – MS Team) Time 11:00-12:15 PM

Date: 04 August, 2021

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Agenda: BOS meeting for Academic Year 2021

## Present:

Prof P. K Joshi, Professor, School of Environmental Sciences, JNU

Prof MilapPunia, Professor, Centre for the Study of Regional Development, JNU

Dr Anu Rani Sharma (Member)

Dr Neeti (Member)

Dr NithiyanandamYogeswaran (Member)

Dr Sudipto Chatterjee (Member)

Dr VSP Sinha (HoD, DNR, Chair)

HoD DNR and Faculty members welcomed BoS members and the meeting started with brief departmental presentation from HoD DNR Dr Vinay sinha. Following agenda items were discussed in the meeting.

1. Changes in the course outline in the purview of one credit being assigned as 15 hours against the existing criteria of one credit as 14 hours. This was duly recommended and accepted by the BoS members.

(Annexure 1: List of the courses and changes recommended by faculty)

**Discussions minute are as under:** HoD DNR presented the rational behind credit alignment being assigned as 15 hours against the existing criteria of one credit as 14 hours.

Conclusion: This proposal was well accepted by Internal and External BoS members.

**Action:** The proposal along with approved course outlines will be circulated to Academic council for due approval.

**Discussions minute are as under:** HoD DNR presented brief introduction of new program on Spatial data science to BoS members.

Conclusion: BoS Members suggested that it will be right decision to offer the masters program in suggested domain as it is need of the hour. There was a suggestion from BoS members that course may be renamed as Data Science and there could be more focus on data processing, visualization and data analytics. Further it was advised to do detailed assessment of man power and relevant market research in view of job prospects and opportunities. HoD suggested that due procedure will be followed in offering the new Masters course in Data Science.

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Action: This will be further discussed in detail in Dept meetings.

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6. Department Audit report

**Discussions minute are as under:** HoD DNR presented DNR Audit report to BoS members and proposed that Prof P K Joshi, be chosen as Auditor for the same.

Conclusion: Proposal was well accepted by internal and external BoS members.

Action: HoD DNR to be in touch with Prof P K Joshi for the same.

Final Remarks: Meeting was fruitful and ended with a thanks from DNR Faculty members.

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Prof MilapPunia, Professor,

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## Board of Studies TERI School of Advanced Studies Department of Natural Resources The academic year 2021-2022

Date: 04/ August / 2021

Time: 11:00 - 12:15 PM

Venue: TERI University & Online option: MS Team

## Agenda

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(Annexure 1: List of the courses and changes recommended by faculty)

2. Consistency for credit and learning hours for Field trips/minor and major projects/internships/major thesis.

(Annexure 2: Rational)

- 3. Minimum credit requirements to earn a Master's degree in TERI SAS (Annexure 3: List of the courses and credit load)
- 4. Approval for Revised course outlines: MSc Geoinformatics

  Annexure 4: Revised course outlines of Geoinformatics
- 5. Brief Introduction of New Programme on Spatial Data Science
- 6. Department Audit report