DEPARTMENT OF AQUACULTURE

SACRED HEART COLLEGE, THEVARA (AUTONOMOUS)

Proceedings of the Board of Studies Meeting Held on 13.10.2014 at 11 am in the Chamber of the Director of the Department.

Members present

1. Dr. T.V. Anna Mercy
2. Ms. Sangeetha K.R
3. Ms. Asha Babu
4. Dr. V.C George

1. Approval of M.G. University syllabus for P.G. Batch 2014-15. Syllabus has already been revised recently.
2. The grading may be done by awarding marks to the questions in the examination.
3. Approval of internal/external assessment ratio: Ratio of 25% and 75% for internal and examinations respectively may be followed.
4. The marks awarding pattern of M.G. University may be followed.
5. Lists of examiners both for theory and practicals are appended separately.
6. Curricular and extra curricular

    1. Internship for skill development
    a) Internship in fish processing factory – 15 days
    b) Internship in national laboratories – 10 days
    c) Aquaculture practices in commercial fish farm and hatcheries- 5 days

    The above three internships are integral part of the course and are residential programmes.

    2. Study tour: Study tour can be conducted provided the finance is given by the management.

3. Possibility of awarding extra credits through innovative activities: As we have an ornamental fish hatchery, fishes can be produced commercially by students during extra hours. Both credits and production-based incentive should be given.

7. BOS suggested to start elective course to develop entrepreneurial skill.

8. BOS decided to add topics which would boost the expertise and entrepreneurial abilities of students and make them employable in the future.

9. BOS suggested to add topics which cultivates human values and professional ethics.

10. BOS also recommended making awareness about the importance of environmental protection and sustainability of fisheries resources.

The meeting was concluded at 12 noon.

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