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Minutes of the PG-BoS Meeting

The minutes of the **3rd Postgraduate Board of Studies (PG-BoS)** meeting of Bombay College of Pharmacy-Autonomous (BoS/PG/003/2021) held **Online on Saturday, 9th October 2021**, on **Microsoft Teams** are as follows

The following PG-BoS members were present for the meeting

1. Dr. Krishna Iyer (I/c Principal and Chairperson, PG-BoS, Bombay College of Pharmacy)
2. Dr. Vaishali Shirsat (Member Secretary, PG-BoS and HoD-Pharmaceutical Analysis, Bombay College of Pharmacy)
3. Dr. Ujwala Shinde (HoD-Pharmaceutics, Bombay College of Pharmacy)
4. Dr. Premlata Ambre (HoD-Pharmaceutical Chemistry, Bombay College of Pharmacy)
5. Dr. Alka Mukne (HoD-Pharmacognosy, Bombay College of Pharmacy)
6. Dr. S. Y. Gabhe (Professor of Pharmaceutical Chemistry, Bharati Vidyapeeth's Poona College of Pharmacy)
7. Dr. Ravindra Purohit (Professor & Head, Department of Regulatory Affairs, Bharati Vidyapeeth's Poona College of Pharmacy, Pune and Director of R N Pharma Consulting, Pune)
8. Dr. Vandana Patravale (Professor of Pharmaceutics, Institute of Chemical Technology, Mumbai)
9. Dr R. B. Smarta (Chief Managing Director, Interlink Marketing Consultancy Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai)
10. Dr Parizad Elchidana (Principal Technical Consultant, ACG, Mumbai)



Dr. Shalaka Dhat from Bombay College of Pharmacy-Autonomous was present at the meeting to note down the minutes of the meeting and coordinate overall conduct of the meeting.

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At the onset of the meeting, Dr. Krishna Iyer welcomed all the esteemed members of the PG-BoS, Bombay College of Pharmacy-Autonomous present at the meeting. Dr. Iyer then proceeded with the agenda for the meeting. Every point in the agenda was taken up for discussion and resolved subsequently.

Agenda points with discussion and resolution

003.01 To confirm the minutes of the previous PG-BoS meeting (BoS/PG/002/2020) held on Saturday, 17th October 2021.

The minutes of the previous (3rd) PG-BoS meeting (BoS/001/2019) held on Saturday, 17th October 2021 were circulated to all the members prior to the meeting. As there were no changes required to be made to the minutes of the earlier meeting, the members unanimously agreed that the minutes of the previous PG-BoS meeting (BoS/PG/002/2020) held on 17th October 2021 be confirmed.



003.02 To approve the syllabus for Online Certificate Course in 'Patenting of NDSS and Specialty [505(b) (2)] products offered by Bombay College of Pharmacy and Pharma Literati in association with The Indian Pharmaceutical Association-Maharashtra State Branch.

Dr. Krishna Iyer elaborated on the 2-month online certificate course in 'Patenting of NDSS and Specialty [505(b) (2)] products offered by Bombay College of Pharmacy and Pharma Literati in association with The Indian Pharmaceutical Association-Maharashtra State Branch. Dr. Iyer briefly explained the contents of the course, the entire syllabus of which was framed into three modules. Dr. Parizad appreciated the initiative undertaken by the institute in starting the course on patenting. She added that the course would be more enriched if the requirements for Patent filling both in India and at global level were covered in greater depths including the post patenting phase. Dr. Patravale mentioned that the above aspects were covered in the first module. She added that she had interacted earlier with Mr. Shivpuje, Co-founder Pharma Literati and had found his thought process with respect to the deliverable contents was very well sorted. She added that Mr. Shivpuje had tie ups with several patenting associations, businesses worldwide to coverup the syllabus of the course in more impactful manner. Dr. Smarta emphasized that after the grant of patent, commercialization and licensing aspects involved therein are quite critical and same should be taught in more details. He further added that he would be happy to support for these post patenting aspects. Dr. Purohit expressed his opinion that specialty products and 505(b)(2) were two different things and it would be more appropriate to have a more comprehensive title for the certificate course rather than being too much focused.

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Dr. Iyer assured that the suggestions received by the committee members will be shared with Mr. Shivpuje and necessary changes may be made to the syllabus.

After discussions and deliberations, the PG-BoS recommended that the syllabus for Online Certificate Course in 'Patenting of NDDS and Specialty [505(b) (2)] products offered by Bombay College of Pharmacy and Pharma Literati in association with The Indian Pharmaceutical Association-Maharashtra State Branch be approved and necessary modifications with respect to the detailing of the syllabus and the scope of the title may be made as per recommendations of the PG-BoS committee.

003.03 To approve the syllabus of Universal Human Values-II course (AICTE Initiative) equivalent to 45 teaching hours and 03 credits at the Sem II (M.Pharm)

Dr. Iyer mentioned that in line with AICTE, University of Mumbai had taken initiative to design the syllabus for UHV-II course to be followed by all colleges affiliated to University of Mumbai. He added that Bombay College of Pharmacy had decided that the same syllabus offered by University of Mumbai would be adopted at Bombay College of Pharmacy for M.Pharm (Sem II). He also mentioned that the course of 45 hours and 03 credits will be mandatorily completed by the students for the award of M.Pharm degree. Dr. Iyer further added that the course will be mentioned in the marksheet of the students, however the credits will not be considered for final marks and credits calculation. He added that the students will be awarded a separate course completion certificate with credits mentioned therein.


Dr. Premlata, In-charge of Universal Human Values initiative at Bombay College of Pharmacy, explained in brief about the UHV-I course offered for faculty members by AICTE. She added that most of the faculty members had completed UHV-I course and as per AICTE mandate had initiated introduction of UHV to newly admitted First year B.Pharm, directly admitted S.Y.B.Pharm as well as M.Pharm students during Student Induction Program (SIP). She mentioned that UHV-II course offered by AICTE is a residential course and the faculty is required to be present at the pre decided centre for completing the course. Dr. Iyer added that though faculty members had completed UHV-I course, it was proposed to hire external faculty for teaching the syllabus.

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Dr. Patravale welcomed the initiative of starting a credit course on Universal Human Values. However, she expressed her concern whether the students of M.Pharm can directly take up UHV-II course without completing UHV-I course. It was recommended by the committee members that the course be referred to as UHV only without putting any suffix to UHV.

Dr. Smarta mentioned that rather than college teachers teaching the course it would be appropriate if a facilitator is appointed for conducting the entire course. Dr. Patravale added that many institutes are signing MOU with organizations catering to deliver Universal Human Values. She requested Dr. Iyer to get in touch with Dr. Katare from Punjab University, which has signed an MOU with Heartfulness, an organization involved in promoting Human values.

After discussions and deliberations, the members of PG-BoS recommended that the syllabus for course on Universal Human Values be approved.

003.04 Any other matter with the permission of the Chair.

As there were no other matters to be discussed, the meeting was concluded with Vote of Thanks to the Chair.

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