

PG AND RESEARCH DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS
Minutes of Board of Studies(24th June2024)

The first Board of Studies meeting for the academic year 2024-25 was held on 24th June 2024 via googlemeet (<https://meet.google.com/swp-hbdg-wyz>) at 2:00 pm.

The following members of the board were present for the same.

1.	Chairperson	Dr. Sitara. V. Attokkaran, Associate Professor &Head,, Department of Economics, Vimala College, Thrissur.
2.	University Nominee	Dr Zabeenahameed P, Associate Professor, Department of Economics, University of Calicut, Dr John Matthai Centre, Aranattukara, Thrissur
3.	Subject Expert	DrThushara George, Professor, Dept of Economics, St Teresa's College, Ernakulam
4.	Subject Expert	Dr Siby Abraham, Assit.Prof.. and Head. Dept of economics, SH college, Thevara
5.	Member	Dr. Vimala. M, Associate Prof.& Controller of Examination, Vimala College, Thrissur
6.	Member	Dr. Mary Thomas. K, Asst. Professor, Department of Economics, Vimala College, Thrissur.
7.	Member	Dr. SnehaGopeekrishna, Asst. Professor, Department of Economics, Vimala College, Thrissur.
8.	Member	Dr. Liji Maliakkal, Asst. Professor, Department of Economics, Vimala College, Thrissur.
9.	Member	Dr. Binu Ann Kuriachan, Asst. Professor, Department of Economics, Vimala College, Thrissur.
10	Representative from Industry	Dr Sandya Suresh, Associate Vice President, HR, ESAF, Thrissur
11	Representative from Alumnae	Dr Smitha R, Asst. Professor, Sri Achuthamenon Govt. College, Kuttanellur, Thrissur

The Chairperson of the Board, Dr.Sitara V. Attokkaran addressed and welcomed all the board members to the meeting. This was followed by discussing matters in the agenda.

1. Ratification and Approval of FYUGP syllabus

The new FYUGP syllabi were presented and discussed. The new FYUGP syllabus was well received by the Board members. A copy of the same was mailed to each of the members. The BOS approved FYUGP syllabus. The BoS authorised Department Council to discuss and frame topics of open ended modules of first year courses.

2. Approval panel of examiners for UG and PG programs

The BoS approved the new panel of examiners for both UG and PG programmes for the academic year 2024-25.

3. Result analysis 2023-24 pass out batches

The result analysis of 2023-24 passed out BA and MA batches were presented, and discussed.

4. Discussion of Internship opportunities

It was resolved to include more internships with reputed companies and institutions and field projects will equip the students with knowledge at the application level.

5.Feedback on curriculum

The feedback of the passed out students of both UG and PG were presented and discussed. The pitfalls were resolved to be rectified focusing more on corrective measures that can be implemented at the department level. The board members suggested that more focus is to be given to placements of students through CGPT support programs at the college level.

The meeting came to a close at 3: 00 p.m. with vote of thanks delivered by board member Dr.Mary Thomas K.

