

MINUTES OF THE 23rd BOARD OF STUDIES (BoS) HELD ON 13.05.2026 AT 3:00 PM

The 23rd Board of Studies of the Department of Public Administration is held on 13.05.2026 at 03:00 PM in the office of the Department of Public Administration in hybrid mode. Prof. Syed Najiullah, Chairperson of the Board of Studies, welcomed the following members present in the meeting.

S.No.	Name	Signature
10.	Prof. Syed Najiullah Professor & Head, DoPA	Chairperson
11.	Prof. Mohammad Arif, Department of Political Science, Mahatma Gandhi Kashi Vidyapeeth, Varanasi, UP	External Member
12.	Prof. S.N. Ambedkar, Department of Public Policy, Law & Governance, Central University of Rajasthan	External Member
13.	Prof. Kaneez Zehra Professor, DoPA	Member
14.	Dr. Ahmed Raza Assistant Professor, DoPA	Member
15.	Dr. Junaid Khan Assistant Professor, DoPA	Member

He extended a warm welcome to the newly appointed External Members, Prof. Mohammad Arif, and Prof. S.N. Ambedkar, and wished that their vast experience and rich expertise in the subject will help in the academic pursuit of the Department.

Prof. Syed Rabbe Subhani, Professor, Dr. Ishtiyag Ahmed, Associate Professor and Dr. Jeevan Kumar Cheruku, Associate Professor could not attend the meeting.

The Board of Studies discussed the agenda items and decided as follows;

Item No. 1

Sub:- Confirmation of the minutes of the 22nd BoS held on 01.05.2025.

Resolution:- The Board of Studies (BoS) considered and confirmed the minutes of the 22nd Board of Studies meeting held on 01.05.2025, as circulated, and approved the same without any modifications. (Annexure -1 enclosed)

Item No.2

Sub:- Confirmation of the DRC Minutes held on 22.09.2025, 06.11.2025, 05.12.2025, 18.02.2026, 17.04.2026, 07.05.2026.

Resolution :- The Board of Studies (BoS) considered and confirmed the minutes of the Departmental Research Committee (DRC) meetings held on 22.09.2025, 06.11.2025, 05.12.2025,

18.02.2026, 17.04.2026, and 07.05.2026, as circulated, and approved the same without any modifications. (Annexure - 2 enclosed)

Item No. 3

Sub:- Allocation of Research Supervisor to Mohd. Afzal and change of research supervisor & research topic of Ms. Afroz Fatima, Batch 2024. (Approved in DRC held on 22.09.2025 & 07.05.2026)

Resolution:- The Board of Studies (BoS) considered and approved the allocation of Prof. Syed Najiullah as Research Supervisor to Mr. Mohd. Afzal and the change of Research Supervisor of Ms. Afroz Fatima, Batch 2024 from Prof. Kaneez Zehra to Dr. Ahmed Raza, as recommended by the Departmental Research Committee (DRC) in its meeting held on 22.09.2025.

The BoS also approved the change of research topic of Ms. Afroz Fatima from "Welfare Policies for Muslim Minority in Karnataka: A Study of Bidar District" to "Assessing the Implementation of Women-Centric Welfare Policies in Karnataka: A Case Study of Gruha Lakshmi Scheme in Bidar District"

کرناٹک میں خواتین کے لئے فلاحی پالیسیوں کا جائزہ : ضلع بیدر میں گروہا لکشمی اسکیم کا ایک اکانی مطالعہ

as recommended by the Departmental Research Committee (DRC) in its meeting held on 07.05.2026

Item No.4

Sub:- Allocation of Research Supervisors to Part-Time Ph.D under self-finance-batch 2024 and regular batch- 2025. (Approved in DRC held on 05.12.2025)

Resolution:- The Board of Studies (BoS), after due consideration, approved the allocation of Research Supervisors to the Part-Time Ph.D. scholars under Self-Finance Batch-2024 and Regular Ph.D. scholars Batch-2025, as recommended by the Departmental Research Committee (DRC) in its meeting held on 05.12.2025, as detailed below:

S.No.	Roll No./ Enrollment No.	Name of the Research Scholar	Research Supervisor Allotted
1.	24PHPAS01HY/A242580	P Surendra Rao	Prof. Rabbe Subhani
2.	24PHPAS02HY/A242581	Aakarapu Sravanthi	Prof. Rabbe Subhani
3.	24PHPAS03HY/A242582	C. Deepak	Prof. Syed Najiullah
4.	25PHPA001HY/A251754	Kulsum Begum	Dr. Junaid Khan
5.	25PHPA002HY/A251755	Md Ejazuddin	Prof. Syed Najiullah
6.	25PHPA004HY/A251756	Faizan Rashid	Prof. Kaneez Zehra
7.	25PHPA005HY/A251757	Ayaz Ahmed CH	Dr. Junaid Khan

The Board of Studies resolved to approved the same.

Item No.5

Sub:- Finalisation of Ph.D. research topic Mahfooz ur Rahman, Batch 2021, Mohd. Afzal, Batch 2024 along with Ph.D. part time under self-finance mode batch 2024 and the regular batch 2025.

Resolution:- The Board of Studies (BoS), after detailed deliberations, approved the finalisation of the Ph.D. research topics of Mr. Mahfooz ur Rahman, Mr. Mohd. Afzal, Batch-2024, along with the research topics of the Part-Time Ph.D. scholars under Self-Finance Mode Batch-2024 and Regular Ph.D. scholars Batch-2025, as recommended by the Departmental Research Committee (DRC).

The approved research topics are as follows:

Sl. No.	Name of the Research Scholar	Name of the Research Supervisor	Research Topic	Date of Joining
1.	Aakarapu Sravanthi	Prof. Syed Rabbe Subhani	Urban Governance and Public Service Delivery: A Study of Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation (GHMC), Telangana. شہری حکمرانی اور عوامی خدمات کی فراہمی: گریٹر حیدرآباد میونسپل کارپوریشن (جی ایچ ایم سی) تلنگانہ کا ایک مطالعہ۔	07.04.2025
2.	C Deepak	Prof. Syed Najiullah	Institutional Reforms under National Education Policy 2020: A Study of the University Level Students' Engagement in Hyderabad Metropolitan Region, Telangana قومی تعلیمی پالیسی 2020 کے تحت ادارہ جاتی اصلاحات: حیدرآباد میٹروپولیٹن ریجن، تلنگانہ میں یونیورسٹی سطح کے طلباء کی شمولیت کا ایک مطالعہ۔	04.04.2025
3.	P Surendra Rao	Prof. Syed Rabbe Subhani	Urban Local Governance and Development: A Study of Medak Municipality in Telangana State. شہری مقامی حکمرانی اور ترقی: ریاست تلنگانہ میں میڈک میونسپالٹی کا ایک مطالعہ۔	07.04.2025
4.	Kulsum Begum	Dr. Junaid Khan	Municipal Solid Waste Management in Telangana: An Administrative Study of Nizamabad Municipal Corporation. تلنگانہ میں بلدیاتی ٹھوس فضلہ انتظامیہ: نظام آباد میونسپل کارپوریشن کا ایک انتظامی مطالعہ۔	14.07.2025
5.	Ayaz Ahmed CH	Dr. Junaid Khan	Forest - Based Livelihood among Tribal Communities in Jammu and Kashmir: Assessing the Impact of Forest and Environmental Policies جموں و کشمیر کے قبائلی طبقات کے جنگلات پر مبنی معاشی ذرائع: جنگلاتی اور ماحولیاتی پالیسیوں کے اثر کا جائزہ۔	14.07.2025
6.	Md. Ejazuddin	Prof. Syed Najiullah	Cyber Security Governance and Protection of Digital Public Infrastructure: A Study of Hyderabad City, Telangana سائبر سیکورٹی حکمرانی اور ڈیجیٹل عوامی اساسوں کا تحفظ: شہر حیدرآباد، تلنگانہ کا ایک مطالعہ۔	14.07.2025



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7.	Mohd Afzal	Prof. Syed Najiullah	E-Governance Policies in Jammu and Kashmir: A Study of Digital India Land Records Modernization Programme in Poonch District. جموں و کشمیر میں ای حکمرانی پالیسیاں: ضلع پونچھ میں ڈیجیٹل انڈیا لینڈ ریکارڈز ماڈرنائزیشن پروگرام کا ایک مطالعہ۔	30.07.2024
8.	Mahfooz ur Rahman	Dr. Ishtiyaq Ahmad	Urban Governance and Migration in India: A Case Study of Malda District of West Bengal ہندوستان میں شہری حکمرانی اور نقل مکانی: مغربی بنگال کے ضلع مالده کا ایک اکانی مطالعہ۔	16.10.2021

It is also suggested to upload the list of research scholars along with their research topics on the MANUU website. The Board of Studies approved the same.

Item No.6

Sub:- Replacing the Political Thought (MAPA104CCT) M.A. 1st Semester Paper with Introduction to Governance with paper code MAPA104CCT.

Resolution:- The Board of Studies (BoS) considered the proposal regarding the replacement of the paper Political Thought (MAPA104CCT) of M.A. Public Administration, I Semester, with the paper titled Introduction to Governance bearing the same paper code, i.e., MAPA104CCT.

After detailed deliberations, the Board approved the proposal with certain modifications suggested by the members, including changes in some of the sub-titles of the units and re-ordering of a few sub-topics in the syllabus for better academic coherence and course structure. (Annexure - 3 enclosed)

The Board resolved to approve the same with the above modifications.

Item No.7

Sub:- Introduction to Indian Constitution (PGPA301GET) M.A. 3rd Semester Paper to be offered in 1st Semester with the paper code PGPA101GET.

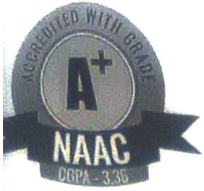
Resolution:- The Board of Studies (BoS), after due consideration and deliberation, approved the proposal to introduce the paper titled Introduction to Indian Constitution in the M.A. Public Administration I Semester under the paper code PGPA101GET. The said paper was earlier offered in the III Semester with the paper code PGPA301GET.

The Board resolved to approve the same for implementation as per the academic requirements of the programme.

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Item No.8

Sub:- Revision of Ph.D.Thrust Area Paper: Good Governance (PHPA106DST).

Resolution:- The Board of Studies (BoS) considered the proposal regarding the revision of the Ph.D. Thrust Area paper titled Good Governance (PHPA106DST).

After detailed deliberations, the Board approved the revised syllabus with certain suggestions made by the members, including modifications in some of the sub-titles of the units and re-ordering of a few sub-topics for ensuring better academic clarity, continuity, and course structure. (Annexure - 4 enclosed)

The Board resolved to approve the same with the above modifications.

Item No. 9

Sub:- Approval of the List of Panel of Examiners for thesis evaluation of Ph.D. Public Administration

Resolution:- With the permission of the BoS, the chairperson has placed the list of the subject expert as external examiners (enclosed at Annexure – 5) for the evaluation of the Ph.D. Public Administration thesis. The BoS approved the same.

The meeting of the BoS concluded with the vote of thanks by the chairperson.


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