

# Department of Biotechnology Himachal Pradesh University

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## PROCEEDING OF THE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN THE SUBJECT OF MICROBIOLOGY HELD ON 03/07/2018 AT 11.00 A.M.

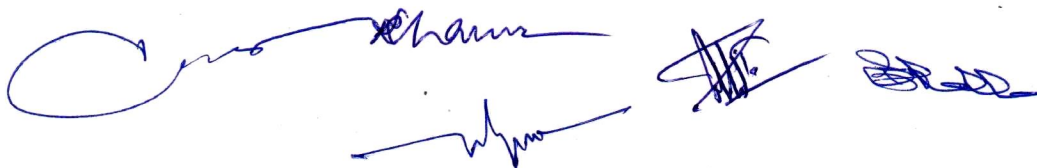
A meeting of the Board of Studies in the subject of Microbiology was held on 02-07-2018 at 11.00 A.M. The following members were present:

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| 1. Prof. Duni Chand<br>Chairman, Department of Biotechnology            | Chairman       |
| 2. Prof. S.S. Kanwar, Dept. of Biotech. HPU, Shimla-5                   | Member         |
| 3. Prof. Reena Gupta, Dept. of Biotech., HPU, Shimla-5                  | Member         |
| 4. Prof. Arvind Kumar Bhatt, Dept. of Biotech., HPU, Shimla-5           | Member         |
| 5. Prof. Wamik Azmi, Dept. of Biotech., HPU, Shimla-5                   | Member         |
| 6. Dr. Savitri, Dept. of Biotechnology, HPU, Shimla-5                   | Member         |
| 7. Dr. Shalini Sharma, SILB, Solan, H.P.                                | Spl. Invitee   |
| 8. Prof. M. K. Gupta, HPKV, Palampur.                                   | Subject Expert |
| 9. Prof. Rohit Sharma, Dept. of Microbial Biotechnology, PU, Chandigarh | Subject Expert |
| 10. Prof. T. C. Bhalla (Retd.)  | Spl. Invitee   |

At the very outset, the Chairman welcomed the members of the Board of Studies and apprised them of the agenda of the meeting. The Chairman thanked the outside expert member for making it possible to attend the meeting at a short notice. Thereafter, following agenda item (s) is/were taken up for discussion, deliberation and decision:

### AGENDA No. 1: To approve the draft of General Instructions and Course Curriculum for B.Sc. (Hons.) Microbiology (Annual System) under CBCS.

The Chairman placed before the members of the Board of Studies the proceedings and recommendations of the meeting of Deans of the Faculties and Chairpersons/Directors of



Teaching Departments/Institutes regarding change of ongoing semester system in B.Sc. (Hons.) Microbiology to Annual System from the current academic session 2018-2019. After detailed deliberations and discussions the members approved the proposed Course Curriculum (Annexure-I) with minor corrections and suggestions.

**AGENDA No. 2: To start Ph.D. in the subject of Microbiology from the academic session 2018-19.**

The Chairman placed before the members of the Board of Studies the proceedings and recommendations of the meeting of Department Council to start of Ph.D. in the subject of Microbiology from the academic session 2018-19. The members of the Board of Studies discussed the matter and keeping in view the very genuine demands of the students, agreed to start Ph.D. in the subject of Microbiology from the academic session 2018-19. The members also suggested that the applicant for Ph.D. programme having M.Sc. in Microbiology or related subjects be registered for Ph.D. Microbiology and who is having M.Sc. in other disciplines of Life Sciences including Biotechnology be registered for Ph.D. in the subject of Biotechnology. The matter may be placed further in the forthcoming meeting of Faculty of Life Sciences/RDC in Microbiology.

The meeting ended with vote of thanks to the Chair.

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(Shalini Sharma)

(Rohit Sharma)

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