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DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK

MINUTES OF THE BOS MEETING – SOCIAL WORK – 11TH MAY, 2016

Venue: Conference Room, CUK, Periye

Members Present: Dr. Jilly John, Dr. Renjith R. Pillai (Internal Expert)
Dr. Sekar, Dr. B T Lawani, Dr. Rameela Shekhar (External Expert)

1. Dr. John, Dean, School of Social Sciences, welcomed the participants and recommended the board to consider the women sensitivity issues and conflict resolution issues.
2. Board decided to have concurrent field work in all the 4 semesters in addition to block field work
3. Collaboration in terms of development of electives with other departments to be initiated.
4. The board discussed on the course structure, added few more details on the papers.
5. Based on the Dean's suggestion, the Board recommends that training of trainers to be organised on the areas – women issues and conflict resolution on the larger framework of disaster management.
6. Recommends for a centre for women studies from UGC at CUK.
7. The board also recommends proposals to be forwarded to ICSSR for setting up a Centre for Disaster Management as a virtual Department with involvement of allied Departments.
8. Board discussed in detail, the faculty involvement in supervision of field work and handholding support provided at the field level for students. Field work agencies are scattered in and around Kasargod District (approximately 70 square kilometers). The board strongly recommends that the direct cost involved in travelling to these social laboratories is reimbursed.

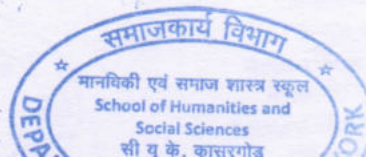
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DR. JILLY JOHN
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HMS 5012: RIGHTS OF WOMEN AND GENDER JUSTICE

Course Objectives

- Develop gender sensitive perspective to promote gender equality and sensitize on the issues and status of women in India
- Understand women's rights and women's empowerment
- Study the programmes, policies legislations and organisations in the area of women Welfare & empowerment
- Acquire knowledge and skills for social work intervention with women

Course Outline

Unit 1 Introduction to Gender Sensitivity

- Definition of gender, gender sensitivity, gender equality, gender justice Historical overview of Gender in India/ Kerala
- Feminism: history, ideology, feminist movement approaches to feminism.

Unit 2 Status of Women

- Demographic profile of Indian Women: rural, urban, tribal, -with reference to health, education and employment, changing roles and status of women in India
- Socio legal status of women among different religious group
- Issues relating to women: destitute women, widows, un-wed mothers, single women. Atrocities against women: domestic violence, dowry death, female infanticide and feticide
- Sexual exploitation: rape, prostitution, devadasi system, HIV/AIDS. Problem of working women in organized and un-organised sectors

Unit 3 Empowerment

- Need for Empowerment of women, Empowerment - Meaning, principles, process, and indicators of Women's Empowerment
- Social Empowerment of Women – Contemporary movements for women's development – legislative reformation – legal literacy for women
- Economic Empowerment of Women - Entrepreneurship in women – Property rights for women - Banking facilities for women
- Women & Governance- women representation in Government – central state and local levels – leadership training for women and community organisation
- Self Help Groups, Kudumbasree Mission for Women empowerment
- Women's contribution for the development of society: International, national.

Unit 4 Right of Women

- Definition and concepts of marginalization
- Human rights for women - Constitutional Provisions-Women's right at home, work placement.
- International Convention on Elimination of all forms of discrimination against Women (CEDAW) - National Commission for Women – National policy for the empowerment of the women (2001) - Domestic violence Act 2005
- Governmental and nongovernmental programmes for women: Educational, Recreational, vocational, guidance and counselling, leadership, health and empowerment
- International and Nations organisations working for the welfare, development and empowerment of women; various activist movements for and by women in India

Unit 5 Social Work Practice for and with Women

- Relevance of Social Work Values, Ethics, Methods and Skills Related to Social Work practice with Women

- Strategies of prevention and Intervention with a variety of problems and life situations experienced by Women – Campaigns, Mobilising Support, Advocacy

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