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70 9) The dept. may specify the electives to be offered in # each demester ro) The duplication of texts may be avoided to the maximum extend possible between core and elective courses as well. i) Existing syllabus was revised and updated. 12) Newly proposed elective considers were presented, discussed and approved 13) The sor decusions of the Bos with held on 27th essth March, 2019 will come to effect from 2019 July admusions onwards 14) LEC 5020: Deatu Workshop will have to be taught for one full semester and modalities of the evaluation will have to be worked at the Faculty Council. Dr. Rared Pannian Abynon/ 2=/05/17 (Chain, Bo.S) Asha S. Jole 3/19 Shalini . M Shalimi (Dr Ravishankar Rac Im (prof MH Andre, mm) man No (Dr. B. Han havar)

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Attended by

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- 4. Dr. Prasad Pannian (Member)
- 5. Dr. Asha S (Member)
- 6. Dr. Ram Binod Ray (Member)
- 7. Dr. Vellikkeel Raghavan (Special Invitee)
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Items:

The Board had a two-day meeting and discussed the draft syllabus placed. The suggestions made in the Board were incorporated in the draft syllabus, which was approved.

The Board further resolved to approve the innovative course LEC 5018 'Theatre Workshop' to be offered as an Elective Course, subject to administrative sanction.

The curriculum of the MA English & Comparative Literature programme has been approved. The approved curriculum comprises 15 core courses and 22 Elective courses, as detailed below.

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LEC5102	Drama	Core	4	0	0	4
LEC5103	Literary Criticism	Core	4	0	0	4
LEC 5104 5204	Comparative Literature -I	Core	4	0	0	4
LEC5201	Poetry - II	Core	4	0	0	4
LEC5202	Modern Drama and Performance	Core	4	0	0	4
LEC5203	Fiction - I	Core	4	0	0	4
LEC52045303	Comparative Literature -I	Core	4	0	0	4
LEC5301	Fiction - II	Core	4	0	0	4
LEC5302	Critical Theory	Core	4	0	0	4
-LEC5303 5107	Academic Writing	Core	4	0	0	4
LEC5303 5307 LEC5304 5 , LEC5401	English Language & Linguistics	Core	4	0	0	4
LEC5401	Translation Studies	Core	4	0	0	4
LEC5402	Indian Writing in English	Core	4	0	0	4
LEC5403	Dissertation	Core	0	22	1	4

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LEC5201	Poetry - II	Core	4	0	0	4
LEC5201	Modern Drama and Performance	Core	4	0	0	4
LEC5202	Fiction - I	Core	4	0	0	4
LEC5205	Comparative Literature -I	Core	4	0	0	4
LEC5204	Fiction - II	Core	4	0	0	4
LEC5302	Critical Theory	Core	4	0	0	4
LEC5302	Comparative Literature -II	Core	4	0	0	4
LEC5305	English Language & Linguistics	Core	4	0	0	4
LEC5401	Translation Studies	Core	4	0	0	4
LEC5402	Indian Writing in English	Core	4	0	0	4
LEC5403	Dissertation	Core	0	22	1	4

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	ELECTIVE COURSES		Н	Р	Т	С
LEC5001	Arab Spring Narratives	Elective	3	0	0	3
LEC5002	Children's Literature	Elective	3	0	0	3
LEC5003	Contours of Modernity	Elective	3	0	0	3
LEC5004	Culture, Society and Marginality	Elective	3	0	0	3
LEC5005	Dalit Studies	Elective	3	0	0	3
LEC5006	Documentary Film	Elective	3	0	0	3
LEC5007	English Language Teaching	Elective	3	0	0	3
LEC5008	Film Appreciation (Summer Course)	Elective	3	0	0	3
LEC5009	Film Studies	Elective	3	0	0	3
LEC5010	Indian Diaspora Literature	Elective	3	0	0	3
LEC5011	Introduction to Cultural Studies	Elective	3	0	0	3
LEC5012	Introduction to Gender Studies	Elective	3	0	0	3
LEC5013	Journalism and Mass Communication	Elective	3	0	0	3
LEC5014	Malayalam Literature in Translation	Elective	3	0	0	3
LEC5015	Post Secular Feminism	Elective	3	0	0	3
LEC5016	Shakespeare across Cultures	Elective	3	0	0	3
LEC5017	The World of Mythologies	Elective	3	0	0	3
LEC5018	Theatre Workshop	Elective	3	0	0	3
LEC5019	Understanding Post Humanism	Elective	3	0	0	3
LEC5020	Woman and Islam	Elective	3	0	0	3
LEC5021	Women and Cultural Forms	Elective	3	0	0	3
LEC5022	Women and Writing	Elective	3	0	0	3

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90 Minutes of the Bos held on 23/09/2019 Members Present: Da Joseph Koyippally Joseph (Chair Da Prasad Pannian (Member) Da Asha G. (Member) Alle Da Ram Binod Ray (Member) Agenda Approval of the MOOCS) LEC 5023 - Shakespeare ACROSS Cultures 2) LEC 5024 : Film Studies Decisions The PG Board of Studies has approved the syllabi of the following MOOCS as PG Elective Courses carlying 4 Credits. LEC 5023 - Shakespeare Across Cultures LEC 5024 - Film Studies The syllabi will come into effect from this semester on elel Dr. Jouget Kingsally Or. Jouget Kingsally ASHA S Bos Member)

2. Metrics: H-index, G-index, i10 Index, altimetrics

Course Code	LEC7103	Credits	4
Course Title	SPECIAL COURSE RELATED TO THE CORE AREA OF RESEARCH	Semester	PhD (Coursework)
Student	Ms. Safwana Salam	Faculty	Dr. Asha S

This course seeks to acquaint the candidate with the seminal works of scholarship in the domains related to the core area of research such as Minority Studies, Gender Studies, Feminist Historiography, Anthropological/(Auto) Ethnographic Studies, Postcolonial and Post Secular Studies and the Islamic social and cultural historiography of Kerala with particular reference to the historiography of (North) Malabar. The course would exhaustively cover relevant foundational scholarship in the broad disciplines, apart from exploring recent enquiries in the domains concerning the core area of study of the researcher.

Course Objectives

- 1. To explore how the Muslim subject position in India is a complex of discursive representations and lived experiences
- 2. To introduce foundational scholarship in Islamic gender studies and feminist historiography
- 3. To familiarize anthropological and auto ethnographic enquiries in relation to Islam and Muslim communities across the world
- 4. To develop an understanding of Muslim social and cultural history, tradition and practices, particularly in relation to the Mappila community of North Malabar

Course Structure

The course instructor will select 2 to 3 texts from each Module in the Semester for detailed study and for purposes of assessment. The remaining texts will be marked for recommended reading.

Module I: Minority Studies

The module offers an understanding of Minority Studies particularly with reference to the Muslim subjectivity in India and South Asia. Representations of Muslim subject position in mainstream discourses are also looked at critically through selections included in this module.

- Imtiaz Ahmad and Helmut Reifeld. "Introduction" in *Lived Islam in South Asia: Adaptation,* Accommodation and Conflict pp. xi-xxv
- Shahid Amin- "Representing the Musalman: Then and Now, Now and Then" in *Subaltern Studies XII: Muslims, Dalits, and the Fabrications of History*
- M.T. Ansari- "Questions of Community" in Islam and Nationalism in India: South Indian Contexts pp. 55-70
- Lila Abu-Lughod "Local Contexts of Islamism in Popular Media"

Module II: Islamic Gender Studies & (Feminist) Historiography

The module would introduce the researcher to foundational texts in Islamic gender studies and (feminist) historiography which explore questions concerning the relationship between religion, gender and community identities and address the question of agency of the postcolonial feminist subject.

- Nandini Deo. "Postsecular Feminisms: Religion and Gender in Transnational Contexts" in *Postsecular Feminisms: Religion and Gender in Transnational Context*, Ed. Nandini Deo pp. 1-12
- Zoya Hasan. "Minority Identity, State Policy and the Political Process" / Barbara D. Metcalf. "Reading and Writing about Muslim Women in British India" in *Forging Identities: Gender, Communities, and the State In India*, ed. Zoya Hasan

- Anindita Ghosh. "Introduction" in *Behind the Veil: Resistance, Women, and Everyday in Colonial South Asia* pp. 1-20
- Saba Mahmood. "Women's Agency within Feminist Historiography"

Module III: Anthropological/ (Auto) Ethnographic Enquiries

The module seeks to introduce anthropological studies in relation to Islam and to equip the researcher with the framework and methodology of (auto) ethnographic studies and enquiries.

- Talal Asad "The Idea of an Anthropology of Islam"
- Wael B. Hallaq- "Introduction" in Sharia: Theory, Practice, Transformations pp. 1-23
- Tony E. Adams, Stacy Holman Jones, Carolyn Ellis ed.– "Doing Ethnography" in *Autoethnography: Understanding Qualitative Research* pp. 46-67
- Heewon Chang- "Collecting Autoethnographic Data" in Autoethnography as Method

Module IV: Muslim Social and Cultural History and Tradition

This module would cover academic enquiries into the social and cultural history, tradition and practices of the Muslims of Kerala broadly and of North Malabar in particular.

- J.B.P. More- "Introduction" in Origin and Early History of the Muslims of Keralam pp. 17-27
- Caroline Osella & Filippo Osella. -"Food, Memory, Community: Kerala as both 'Indian Ocean' Zone and as Agricultural Homeland"
- Mahmood Kooria, Michael N. Pearson "Introduction: Situating Malabar in the Indian Ocean" in *Malabar in the Indian Ocean: Cosmopolitanism in a Maritime Historical Region*
- Sherin B.S- "The History of Islam in Kerala: Underpinnings of the Feminist Agency" in *The Labyrinth of Dissonance: Islam and Women in Kerala* pp. 26-82
- Shamshad Hussain- "Oral Traditions of Women" in *Oral Traditions of Malabar Rebellion*. Diss. pp. 590-608

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Assessment

The Evaluation will comprise Continuous assessment for 40 marks and End-Semester Assessment for 60 marks.