University of Mumbai



No. UG/130 of 2019-20

CIRCULAR:-

Attention of the Principals of the affiliated Colleges, the Heads of the University Departments and Directors of the recognized Institutions in Interdisciplinary Studies Faculty is invited to this office Circular No. UG/58 of 2015-16, dated 19th August, 2015 relating to the syllabus as per the (CBSGS) for the Master of Education (M.Ed.) – Special Education (Hearing Impairment).

They are hereby informed that the recommendations made by the Board of Studies in Special Education at its meeting held on 03rd July, 2019 have been accepted by the Academic Council at its meeting held on 26th July, 2019 <u>vide</u> item No. 4.35 and that in accordance therewith, the regarding amendment of M.Ed. Special Education evaluation of dissertation work from the academic year 2019-20 accordingly to read as under: (The same is available on the University's website <u>www.mu.ac.in</u>)

Amendment of evaluation of dissertation work

Existing:-

Viva voce of the dissertation will be held jointly by the internal and external examiners and marks will be awarded jointly by the internal and external referees (and moderator if option # (ii) is chosen) on the basis of the content of dissertation and viva voce performance. For external assessment of Part-II (Dissertation), the colleges have following two options in order to increase the fairness in assigning marks to the candidates.

The Concerned Board of Studies (BOS) of the University will appoint two or three external referees who will examine minimum six to maximum thirteen candidates. The marks of each candidate will be forwarded to the University. The Head of the Dept of Education of the concerned college will be the moderator for the dissertation and will be physically present for the viva of all candidates. The marks assigned and moderated will be considered final and forwarded to the University.

Amended:-

Viva voce of the dissertation will be held jointly by the internal and external examiners and marks will be awarded jointly by the internal and external referees (and moderator if option # (ii) is chosen) on the basis of the content of dissertation and viva voce performance. For external assessment of Part – II (Dissertation), the colleges have following two options in order to increase the fairness in assigning marks to the candidates.

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"EVALUATION OF DISSERTATION WORK: The concerned BOS of the university will appoint external referee/s based on the number of dissertations to be evaluated. One external referee should be appointed for 7 to 8 dissertations for evaluation. The viva voce of the dissertation will be held jointly by the internal and external examiners and marks will be awarded jointly by them. The marks of each candidate will be forwarded to the University."

MUMBAI – 400 032 2 5th September, 2019 (Dr. Vinod P. Patil)
I/c REGISTRAR

To

The Principals of the affiliated Colleges, the Head of the University Department and Directors of the recognized Institutions in Interdisciplinary Studies Faculty. (Circular No. UG/334 of 2017-18 dated 9th January, 2018.)

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26 September, 2019

Copy forwarded with Compliments for information to:-

- 1) The I/c Dean, Faculty of Interdisciplinary Studies,
- 2) The Chairman, Board of Studies in Special Education,
- 3) The Director, Board of Examinations and Evaluation,
- 4) The Professor-cum-Director, Institute of Distance and Open Learning (IDOL),
- 5) The Director, Board of Students Development,

6) The Co-ordinator, University Computerization Centre,

(Dr. Vinod P. Patil)
I/c REGISTRAR