



GOVERNOR'S SECRETARIAT, BIHAR
RAJ BHAVAN, PATNA-800022

Letter No.-PU(Regulation)-55/2018- /GS(I), Dated-
From,

P. C. Choudhary,
O.S.D. (Judicial)

To,
The Vice Chancellor,
Patna University,
Patna-800004.

Sub:-Regarding approval of Draft Admission Ordinance and Examination Regulations under Choice Based Credit System of M.A. in Social Work, a self financing programme.

Sir,

I am directed to invite a reference to the University's Letter No.-Acad/6016 dated-19-01-2019 on the subject mentioned above and to inform that the Hon'ble Chancellor after due consideration of the proposal of the University and on advice of the Advisory Committee has been pleased to approve the Ordinance and Regulations of M.A. in Social Work, under C.B.C.S a self financing programme from the session 2018-2019 onwards of Patna University by superseding earlier regulation (Attested copy enclosed)

This is for your information and necessary action.

Yours faithfully,

Encl:-As above.

Sd/-
(P.C. Choudhary)
O.S.D. (Judicial)

Memo No.- PU(Regulation)-55/2018- /GS(I), Dated-

Copy alongwith copy of approved Admission Ordinance and Examination Regulations Choice Based Credit System of M.A. in Social Work, a self-financing programme of Patna University, Patna. forwarded to the Principal Secretary, Education Department, Govt. of Bihar for information and necessary action.

Encl:-As above.

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O.S.D. (Judicial)

Memo No.- PU(Regulation)-55/2018- 693 /GS(I), Dated- 26-02-2019

Copy alongwith copy of approved Admission Ordinance and Examination Regulations of 2 Years M.A. in Social Work, a self-financing programme of Patna University, Patna. forwarded to Scientist-D, In-Charge Computer Cell, Raj Bhavan, Patna for uploading on the website of Raj Bhavan/Guard File of Regulations and Ordinance of Patna University, Patna.

P. C. Choudhary
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PATNA UNIVERSITY



ORDINANCE & REGULATION

M.A. IN SOCIAL WORK

CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM
(CBCS)

(To be effective from 2018-19)

FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

प्राचार्य पदधिकारी (न्यायिक)
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PATNA UNIVERSITY, PATNA - 800005

**ORDINANCE FOR ADMISSION IN M.A. IN SOCIAL WORK
CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM (CBCS)
FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES**

PREAMBLE:

The CBCS provides an opportunity for the students to choose courses from the prescribed list of courses core, elective and ability enhancement courses. The courses can be evaluated following the grading system, which is considered to be better than the conventional marks system. Therefore, it is necessary to introduce uniform grading system in the entire higher education in India. This will benefit the students of universities of Bihar to move across institutions within India to begin with and across countries. The uniform grading system will also enable potential employers in assessing the performance of the candidates. The Universities shall follow the guidelines formulated by the UGC in order to bring uniformity in evaluation system and computation of the Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) based on student's performance in examinations.

The Postgraduate degree courses for subjects under Faculty of Social Sciences shall be of four semesters spread over two years duration. The course shall be named as the 'Master of Arts' course and shall be abbreviated as M.A.

1. General

- 1.1 The ORDINANCE and the REGULATIONS shall be called the 'Admission Ordinance' and 'Regulation of Examination' for Post-Graduate degree courses to be applicable in the Patna University.
- 1.2 These ordinance and regulation shall be effective from the academic session 2018-19.
- 1.3 The M.A. Course shall consist of 20 papers spread over four semesters consisting of Core Courses (CC), Elective Courses (EC), Discipline Specific Elective Courses (DSE), Ability Enhancing as described in Table 1. There shall be five courses/papers in first semester, six courses/papers in second semester, six courses/papers in second semester, six courses/papers in third semester and three courses/papers in fourth semester; each course carrying 100 marks. The entire curriculum shall be of 2000 marks taken together. However, the CGPA/class shall be awarded on the performance of the candidate on 16 papers which includes the 14 CC papers and two EC papers having an aggregate of 1600 marks. The various types of courses under CBCS is defined in section 3.

2. The subjects:

The Postgraduate Degree "M.A. in Social Work" in the Faculty of Social Science

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3. **OUTLINE OF THE CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM (CBCS) for M.A. in Social Work course:**

It consists of a number of courses i.e. **Core Course (CC)**, **Elective Course (EC)**, **Discipline Specific Elective Course (DSE)**, **Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC)** and **Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECC)**. Each course is equivalent to a paper. The nature of these courses are defined below:

3.1.1 **Core Course (CC):**

A course which should compulsorily be studied by a candidates as a core requirement on the basis of subject of M.A. studies and is termed as a Core Courses.

3.1.2 **Elective Course (EC):**

Generally a course which can be chosen from a pool of courses (Basket) and which may be very specific or specialized or advanced or supportive to the subject/discipline of study or which provides an extended scope or which enables an exposure to some other subject/discipline/domain or nurtures the candidate's proficiency/skill is called an Elective Course.

3.1.3 **Discipline Specific Elective Course (DSE):**

Elective courses may be offered by the main discipline/subject of study is referred to as Discipline Specific Elective. The University/Institute may also offer discipline related Elective courses of interdisciplinary nature (to be offered by main discipline/subject of study).

3.1.4 **Generic Elective (GE) Course:**

An elective course chosen generally from an unrelated discipline/subject, with an intention to seek exposure is called a **Generic Elective**.

P.S.: A core course offered in a discipline/subject may be treated as an elective by other discipline/subject and vice versa and such electives may also be referred to as Generic Elective.

3.1.5 **Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC):**

The Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC) / Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC). "AEC" courses are the courses based upon the content that leads to life skill enhancement.

3.1.6 **Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECC):**

(Qualifying and Non-CGPA course):

University will run a number of Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECC) which is qualifying in nature and student from all faculties have to qualify in all courses.

3.1.7 **Dissertation/Project/Internship/Industrial Training:** An elective course designed to acquire special/advanced knowledge, such as supplement study/support study to a project work, and a candidate studies such a course on his own with an advisory support by a teacher/faculty member is called dissertation/project.

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