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November 24, 2025

**OFFICE ORDER**

**Sub: Re-constitution of the Board of Studies in the subject of Foreign Languages under the Faculty of Languages and Literature, K J Somaia School of Languages and Literature, Somaia Vidyavihar University, Mumbai, (SVU).**

**Ref: First Statutes of Somaia Vidyavihar University, Mumbai**

1. The Board of Studies in the subject of Foreign Languages under the Faculty of Languages and Literature, K J Somaia School of Languages and Literature, Somaia Vidyavihar University, Mumbai - as approved by the Board of Management of the Somaia Vidyavihar University, Mumbai.
2. The Constitution of Board of Studies is as per Clause No. 24 of First Statutes of SVU. The Board of Studies in the subject of Foreign Languages shall consist of the following members, namely:
  - i. The Chairperson, Board of Studies  
Prof. Veena Sanekar, Dean, Faculty of Languages and Literature and Director, K J Somaia School of Languages and Literature, Somaia Vidyavihar University, Mumbai. ([veena.sanekar@somaia.edu](mailto:veena.sanekar@somaia.edu))
  - ii. Faculty – Member (Associate Professor)  
Dr Anand B Bodhale, (English Language & Literature), K J Somaia School of Languages and Literature, Somaia Vidyavihar University, Mumbai. ([anandbodhale@somaia.edu](mailto:anandbodhale@somaia.edu))
  - iii. Faculty – Member (Assistant Professor)
    - a) Ms. Kruttika Bhosale, Assistant Professor, (German), K J Somaia School of Languages and Literature, Somaia Vidyavihar University, Mumbai. ([kruttika.b@somaia.edu](mailto:kruttika.b@somaia.edu))
    - b) Ms. Bhumi Malde, Assistant Professor, (French), K J Somaia School of Languages and Literature, Somaia Vidyavihar University, Mumbai. ([bhumi@somaia.edu](mailto:bhumi@somaia.edu))
    - c) Dr. Satyendra Upadhyay, Director, International Relations and Assistant Professor, K.J. Somaia Institute of Management, Somaia Vidyavihar University. ([satyendra.u@somaia.edu](mailto:satyendra.u@somaia.edu))
  - iv. Industry – Member  
Ms. Pranjali Chhitnis, German Language Specialist, Accenture Services Pvt. Ltd, ([pranjali.chhitnis@gmail.com](mailto:pranjali.chhitnis@gmail.com))

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v. Academia – Members

- a) Dr. Meher Bhoot, Professor, Department of German, University of Mumbai (German) ([meher.bhoot@german.mu.ac.in](mailto:meher.bhoot@german.mu.ac.in))
- b) Prof. Baliram N. Gaikwad, Former Registrar and Director–Department of Lifelong Learning and Extension, (DLLE), University of Mumbai. ([gaikwadbn@gmail.com](mailto:gaikwadbn@gmail.com))

vi) Research Organization – Member

Prof. Vidya Vencatesan, (French), Professor and Head, Department of French, I/C Director Center for European Studies, University of Mumbai, ([vidya.vencatesan@gmail.com](mailto:vidya.vencatesan@gmail.com))

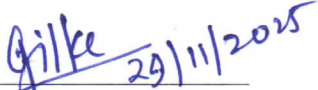
**Invitees**

- a) The Dean, Faculty of Languages & Literature will be the Permanent Invitee.
- b) Ms. Saheli Chattaraj, Somaiya School of Humanities and Social Sciences (Chinese) ([saheli@somaiya.edu](mailto:saheli@somaiya.edu))
- b) Ms. Prachi Chatter, Visiting Faculty (Japanese) ([prachi.90japanes@gmail.com](mailto:prachi.90japanes@gmail.com))
- c) Ms. Ketki Shah, Visiting Faculty (Spanish) ([ketki.shah@gmail.com](mailto:ketki.shah@gmail.com))
- d) Mr. Anurag Tripathi (Retd.), Sub-Editor, Nav Bharat Times ([MumbaiKhabar@gmail.com](mailto:MumbaiKhabar@gmail.com))

- 3. The term of the nominated members and cessation of the membership will be August 31, 2028, as per Clause No. 41 (I) of the First Statutes of SVU.

The powers and functions of the Board of Studies shall be as per all the sub clauses of Clause No. 25 of the First Statutes of SVU.

Issued, as approved accordingly.

  
Prof. Nandkumar Gilke  
Registrar



To:  
All the members

cc:

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- 2. Dean & Director, K J Somaiya School of Languages and Literature
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