

# School of Digital Trans-Media and Design

## Board of Studies: Minutes of Meeting

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### Meeting Points

1. What are the USPs of DSU School of Design?
2. Projects should be contiguous.
3. A project on entrepreneurship needs to be introduced in which students learn business model development.
4. Courses on Society and Human Behavior that includes consumer behavior should be included.
5. Trend Analysis and Forecasting can be a part of Product Planning and Strategy.
6. Topics on Material Selection should be included in Material Exploration courses.
7. How many courses are included in each of the following baskets: Aesthetics, technical function, sustainability function, Integration courses? Check which basket has lesser number of courses as compared to the other baskets. There must be a balance of courses among these baskets.
8. Another set of course basket could be: Mindset, Skill based course, Integration courses. Check which basket has lesser number of courses as compared to the other baskets. There must be a balance of courses among these baskets.
9. Projects should be tuned so that they cover only those aspects that have been taught in the theory until then.
10. A mini project in the I Semester that allows students to design without any prior knowledge of design process.
11. Reshuffling of courses can be considered.
12. Topics on the analysis of needs of all the stakeholders can be introduced.
13. Credit distribution in the semesters 7 and 8 should be revised so that the number of hours are increased while keeping the same credits.

