



# LOCF COMPONENT IN DEGREE PROGRAMME

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**The Centre for Internal Quality Assurance (CIQA) developed new tools for obtaining feedback from all stakeholders by incorporating some of the foundational principles of NEP 2020. These feedback tools have been approved by the Vice-Chancellor.**

**The focus was on the Learning Outcome Based Curriculum Framework (LOCF); the use of online methods including Social Media for counselling the learners; and online tools for continuous assessment of the learners; in order to facilitate the achievement of expected learning outcomes.**

**Feedback was obtained through an online survey conducted through Google forms for all the stakeholders namely: Teachers, Academic Counsellors, Subject Experts, Learners, Alumni, and Employers who were requested to respond to the survey online within a stipulated time frame. The data collected was analyzed and reports were prepared.**

**The feedback analysis reports revealed that the stakeholders were of the opinion that LOCF is an important parameter as emphasized in NEP 2020. The teachers were of the view that IGNOU systematically follows LOCF as the learning outcomes (objectives) have been clearly spelt out in every Unit of the SLMs. They are also of the opinion that self-check exercises provided in the Units facilitate learning outcomes and questions for the term-end examination are based on the expected programme learning outcomes.**

**Academic Counsellors strongly agreed that Programme specific learning outcomes have been clearly spelt out in the programme guide and prospectus. The majority of the Academic Counsellors were of the opinion that Learners are aware of the learning outcomes.**

**The feedback analysis reports of the Learners also are in line with the opinion of the Academic Counsellors. The majority of the learners were also of the opinion that Project work/Field work/ Internship/ Practicals (wherever applicable) have helped them in acquiring the desired skills and competencies.**

UGC notified the National Higher Education Qualifications Framework (NHEQF) (February 2022) by which the expected Programme Learning Outcomes (PLOs) are to be defined in terms of the following parameters:

1. Knowledge:
2. Skills:
3. Application of Knowledge & Skills:
4. Generic Learning Outcomes:
5. Constitutional, Humanistic, Ethical, and Moral Values:
6. Employability & Entrepreneurship skills:

To facilitate the preparation of LOCF documents by the Schools of Studies the CIQA has prepared a Sample LOCF document for the MA (Distance Education) programme offered by the University. All the Schools of Studies were requested to revise and prepare the LOCF for all the degree programmes offered by them. The LOCF documents received from the various Schools of Studies were examined in the light of the NHEQF guidelines by the CIQA.

The number of degree programmes offered by the Schools of Studies during 2021-2022 is as follows:

Schools	PG Degree		UG Degree	
	ODL	Online	ODL	Online
SOA				
SOCE	3			
SOCIS	1		1	
SOE	2		1	
SOEDS	1			
SOET				
SOFL				
SOGDS	2			
SOH	5	1	2	
SOHS			1	
SOITS	3			
SOJNMS	1			
SOL				
SOMS	6		6	1
SOPVA	1		1	
SOS	1		2	
SOSS	9	1	9	1
SOSW	2		1	
SOTHSM	1		2	1
SOTST	1	1		
SOVET	2			
STRIDE	1			
<b>Total</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>3</b>

# LIST OF MASTER DEGREE PROGRAMMES

SL NO	PROG CODE	PROG NAME
1	MAAE	MASTER OF ARTS (ADULT EDUCATION)
2	MAAN	MASTER OF ARTS (ANTHROPOLOGY)
3	MADE	MASTER OF ARTS (DISTANCE EDUCATION)
4	MADP	MASTER OF ARTS(DRAWING AND PAINTING)
5	MADVS	MASTER OF ARTS (DEVELOPMENT STUDIES)
6	MAEDU	MASTER OF ARTS(EDUCATION)
7	MAER	MASTER OF ARTS(ENTREPRENEURSHIP)
8	MAFCS	MASTER OF ARTS(FOLKLORE AND CULTURE STUDIES)
9	MAGD	MASTER OF ARTS (GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT STUDIES)
10	MAH	MASTER OF ARTS (HISTORY)
11	MAJMC	MASTER OF ARTS (JOURNALISM & MASS COMMUNICATION)
12	MAJY	MASTER OF ARTS(JYOTISH)
13	MAPC	MASTER OF ARTS (PSYCHOLOGY)
14	MAPY	MASTER OF ARTS (PHILOSOPHY)
15	MARD	MASTER OF ARTS (RURAL DEVELOPMENT)
16	MATS	MASTER OF ARTS (TRANSLATION STUDIES)
17	MAUD	MASTER OF ARTS(URDU)
18	MAWGS	MASTER OF ARTS (WOMEN AND GENDER STUDIES)
19	MCA NEW	MASTER OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS
20	MCOM	MASTER OF COMMERCE
21	MCOMBPCG	MASTER OF COMMERCE IN BUSINESS POLICY AND CORPORATE GOVERNANCE
22	MCOMFT	MASTER OF COMMERCE(FINANCE AND TAXATION)
23	MCOMMAFS	MASTER OF COMMERCE IN MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING & FINANCIAL STRATEGIES
24	MEC	MASTER OF ARTS (ECONOMICS)
25	MEG	MASTER OF ARTS (ENGLISH)
26	MGPS	MASTER OF ARTS (GANDHI AND PEACE STUDIES)
27	MHD	MASTER OF ARTS (HINDI)
28	MLIS	MASTER OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE
29	MP	MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION(BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION)
30	MPA	MASTER OF ARTS (PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION)
31	MPB	MASTER OF BUISNESS ADMINISTRATION(BANKING AND FINANCE)
32	MPS	MASTER OF ARTS (POLITICAL SCIENCE)
33	MSCCFT	MASTER OF SCIENCE (COUNSELING AND FAMILY THERAPY)
34	MSCDFSM	MASTER OF SCIENCE(FOOD NUTRITION)
35	MSCENV	MASTER OF SCIENCE(ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE)
36	MSCIS	MASTER OF SCIENCE(INFORMATION SECURITY)
37	MSCMACS	M.SC. (MATHEMATICS WITH APPLICATIONS IN COMPUTER SCIENCE)
38	MSK	MASTER OF ARTS(SANSKRIT)
39	MSO	MASTER OF ARTS (SOCIOLOGY)
40	MSW	MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK
41	MSWC	MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK ( COUNSELLING)
42	MTTM	MASTER OF TOURISM AND TRAVEL MANAGEMENT

# LIST OF BACHELOR DEGREE PROGRAMMES

SL NO	PROG CODE	PROG NAME
1	BAECH	BACHELOR OF ARTS (HONOURS) ECONOMICS
2	BAEGH	BACHELOR OF ARTS (HONOURS) ENGLISH
3	BAG	BACHELOR OF ARTS
4	BAHDH	BACHELOR OF ARTS (HONOURS) HINDI
5	BAHH	BACHELOR OF ARTS (HONOURS) HISTORY
6	BAPAH	BACHELOR OF ARTS (HONOURS) PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION
7	BAPCH	BACHELOR OF ARTS(HONS) PSYCHOLOGY
8	BAPFHMH	BA (PERFORMING ARTS) HINDUSTANI MUSIC HONOURS
9	BAPSH	BACHELOR OF ARTS (HONS) POLITICAL SCIENCE
10	BASOH	BACHELOR OF ARTS(HONS) SOCIOLOGY
11	BAVTM	BACHELOR OF ARTS (VOCATIONAL STUDIES) TOURISM MANAGEMENT
12	BBARL	BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION(RETAILING)
13	BBASM	BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION(SERVICES MANAGEMENT)
14	BCA	BACHELOR OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS
15	BCOMAF	BACHELOR OF COMMERCE(ACCOUNTANCY AND FINANCE)
16	BCOMCAA	BACHELOR OF COMMERCE (CORPORATE AFFAIRS AND ADMINISTRATION)
17	BCOMFCA	BACHELOR OF COMMERCE(FINANCIAL AND COST ACCOUNTING)
18	BCOMG	BACHELOR OF COMMERCE
19	BED	BACHELOR OF EDUCATION
20	BLIS	BACHELOR OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCES
21	BSCANH	BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (HONOURS) ANTHROPOLOGY
22	BSCBCH	BACHELOR OF SCIENCE(HONS) BIOCHEMISTRY
23	BSCG	BACHELOR OF SCIENCE
24	BSCN	BACHELOR OF SCIENCE(NURSING(POST BASIC))
25	BSWG	BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK
26	BTS	BACHELOR OF ARTS IN TOURISM STUDIES

The LOCF documents of all the degree programmes are uploaded on CIQA webpage.

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