




# **Guidelines for MOOC Credit Transfer**

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# MOOC Credit Transfer Adoption to Regular Course



Step 1 : Make Amendments	-----	BOS / Regulations / Act
Step 2: Select the courses	-----	Offered in MOOC platform
Step 3: Designate Course Coordinator	-----	To facilitate / guide students
Step 4: Disseminate Information	-----	Announcements / Motivate
Step 5: Course Registration	-----	Enrollment & learn
Step 6: Evaluation	-----	Appear in proctored exam
Step 7: Marks for students	-----	MOOC Certification
Step 8: Equivalence Certificate	-----	Incorporate for regular grades

# Regulatory Amendments

1. Maximum limit of credit transfer for each level of programme
2. Authentication of MOOC credentials through
  - a. **Verified** course completion - Proctored Exam
  - b. **Non-verified** course completion (if permitted)  
Certificate of completion / achievement

**MOOC credits == University Credits ?**

**Recognition of MOOC credits from various  
Education providers**

**Traditional business model of universities  
disrupted**

# Recommendations to Course Coordinator

## 1. Application Stage

- a. Authenticity of MOOC Course Provider
- b. Course Description & Learning outcome
- c. Course Topics & Learning Activities
- d. Assessment Strategy
- e. Course Grade Principles

## 2. Learning Attainment & Credit Transfer

- a. Course Mapping of Regular & MOOC
- b. Verify learning attained with additional evaluation (if needed)
- c. Decision on credit transfer – Grade & Credit mapping

# Roles of Stakeholders

## MOOC provider :

- Best Practices in content development
- Maintain student database

## Learner :

- Choose relevant course for credit transfer
- Engage life long learning

## Institution:

- Assign responsible coordinators
- Establish MoU with MOOC providers
- Amend Regulations & evolve credit transfer process
- Ensure transparency, consistency & accountability through QA



# P3\_M2\_Activity\_1

1. Explore the maximum transferrable credit limit of MOOC courses with respect to UGC, AICTE guidelines on UG & PG programmes
2. Whether MOOC credit transfer is implemented in your institution?  
If yes,
  - a. List the amendments made in Regulation.
  - b. How the credit transfer mapping & grading is achieved?

## References

- UGC (Credit Framework for Online Learning Courses through Swayam, Regulation, 2016), [https://www.ugc.ac.in/pdfnews/4064990\\_UGC-\(Credit-Framework-for-Online-Learning-Courses-through-SWAYAM\)-Regulation,-2016.pdf](https://www.ugc.ac.in/pdfnews/4064990_UGC-(Credit-Framework-for-Online-Learning-Courses-through-SWAYAM)-Regulation,-2016.pdf)