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<b>Roundtable Subject</b>		<b>Rural Community Engagement</b>
<b>Date</b>	29-1-2019	
<b>Time</b>	3 pm to 4 pm	
<b>Venue</b>	VC office	
<b>No. of Participants</b>	4	
<b>University Dignitaries</b>	1. Prof. Varun Sahni, VC, Goa University 2. Dr. Shaila Desouza, BOS Chairman, Social Work 2. Dr. Sunder N Dhuri, Director, UBA, Goa University	
<b>MGNCRE Resource Person</b>	Haritha S	

### Roundtable Activities/Discussion Points

1. Self-Introduction & Welcome address by MGNCRE Resource Person
2. Introductions of University HoD's and other Representatives
3. Sharing of Objectives of the Roundtable by MGNCRE Resource Person
4. Brief overview of Rural Community Engagement
5. Interactive discussion on current rural community engagement components in the curriculum in the University Courses
6. Sharing of Structured Curriculum Framework and material developed by MGNCRE
7. Identifying and finalising the University Departments that would align themselves to incorporating Rural Community Engagement into their curriculum in a structured way with support from MGNCRE
8. Working out the way forward – Curriculum Development Workshop Dates and Approval Process by the Board of Studies.
9. Vote of Thanks

### Action Points that Emerged from the Roundtable

- Vice Chancellor agreed to implement the curriculum
- He assured that the Curriculum for PG will implement in coming academic year and UG curriculum will implement in the next academic year
- He requested Dr. Sunder Dhuri to coordinate with Political Science department to modify the PG Curriculum and forward to Interdisciplinary BOS
- VC also requested Dr. Shaila Desouza to develop and design UG course.
- The table unanimously suggested, the course should be offered to all department students, as the university is running one social work colleges