

INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL

Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar – 143 005 (India) (Established by the State Legislature Act No. 21 of 1969) Accredited at 'A++' grade (highest level as per modified criteria) by NAAC and Conferred

University with Potential for Excellence' status by UGC

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# **Proceedings**

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A meeting of the IQAC committee was held online on 3rd December 2020 at 11:00 am on online Following members were present:

- 1. Prof. Jaspal Singh Sandhu, Vice Chancellor-Chairperson
- 2. Prof. Sarabjot Singh Behl, Dean Academic Affairs
- 3. Prof. Hardeep Singh, Dean Students' Welfare
- 4. Prof. Ashwani Luthra, Director IQAC-Member Secretary
- 5. Prof. Sandeep Sharma, Department of Computer Engineering & Technology
- 6. Prof. Manoj Kumar, Department of Chemistry
- 7. Prof. Sukhprit Singh, Department of Chemistry
- 8. Prof. Preet Mohinder Singh Bedi, Department of Pharmaceutical Science
- 9. Prof. Pratap Kumar Pati, Department of Biotechnology
- 10. Prof. Amandeep, Department of History
- 11. Prof. Sudha Jatinder, Syndicate Member
- 12. Prof. Kapil Goel (Nominee) Principal DAV College, Amritsar
- 13. Dr. Tejwant Singh Kang, Assistant Director, IQAC
- 14. Dr. Gagandeep Kaur Gahlay, Assistant Director, IQAC
- 15. Dr. Aditya Sunkaria, Assistant Director, IQAC

### Item I: Action Taken

Action taken was reported. It was reported the following actions were taken on the reports and data to be submitted on various portals.

- a) Performance Audit on Outcome of Higher Education in Punjab.
- b) 49<sup>th</sup> Annual Report 2018.
- c) List of Journal recommended to be included in UGC CARE list.
- d) Data for Higher Education desired by Director, Education Department (Colleges) Punjab.
- e) Data pertaining to girls students for the year 2018-2019 at the University campus desired by Director of Public Instructions (Colleges) Punjab.
- Data regarding NCBC: Proforma for State Review for Economic Social Development etc (OBC Student Data) desired by Director of Public Instructions (Colleges) Punjab.
- g) The Syndicate approved in its meeting held on 21.09.2020 that the reporting time for the Annual Report of the University may be modified from calendar year (January - December) to academic year (July to June) to bring consistency with the Annual Quality Assurance Report (AQAR) of the University.
- h) Appointment of IQAC Teacher-in-charge for each department to help in the process of data collection in line with the requirements of IQAC office is completed.
- i) IQAC website is developed and is made operational through the website of the University.
- j) The comprehensive questionnaire, prepared by IQAC team is circulated among the members of IQAC Committee for their feedback.

#### Item II: Rankings/Ratings of the University

The members were informed about the rankings/rating of the University in the following.

- The WEEK-HANSA Research-Best University Survey 2020-the University scored 16th rank in Multi-Disciplinary Universities- All India, 7th rank in Multi-Disciplinary Universities- State, 8th rank in Multi-Disciplinary Universities- North Zone.
- b) INDIA TODAY- MDRA Best Universities Ranking 2020-the University scored 20th rank under India's Best General Government Universities.

c) Outlook Magazine Survey 2020-the University scored 17<sup>th</sup> rank under Public State Universities in India.

## Item III: Organisation of Webinars:

IQAC organised two national and one international webinar as listed below.

- a) The webinar on the topic: Awareness about NAAC Assessment and Accreditation Process organize on 30th July, 2020.
- b) The International Webinar on the topic: Changing Higher Education Scenario in the Post-COVID Times organize on 19th November, 2020.
- c) The webinar on the topic: Cancer Prevention and Adopting Healthy Lifestyle in collaboration with Sanjeevani LBC on 26<sup>th</sup> November, 2020.

### Item IV: Participation in Webinars:

- a) Attended the launch virtual event of 'QS IGAUGE Methodology 2.0 & Subject Ratings' on Wednesday, 29<sup>th</sup> July, 2020.
- b) Attended the Webinar organised by NAAC on 'Assessment Accreditation Process for Women College' on 5th August, 2020.
- c) Attended the Webinar organised by FICCI-RBS on 'Shift to Hybrid Learning Model: The New Normal for Education', 6<sup>th</sup> August, 2020.
- d) Attended the Webinar organised by FICCI on 'National Education Policy 2020', scheduled on 17th August, 2020.
- e) Attended the Webinar organised by NAAC on 'National Education Policy 2020: A Way to Aatmanirbhar Bharat' scheduled on 24<sup>th</sup> August, 2020.
- f) Attended the online address by Hon'ble Minister of Education, Govt. of India, Dr. Ramesh Pokhriyal Nishank Ji on 11<sup>th</sup> September, 2020 on the theme 'Aacharya Devobhava' through NAAC portal.
- g) Attended webinar organised by Ministry of Education and UGC on NEP 2020 titled 'Faculty Development for Quality Education' on 15th September, 2020.
- h) Attended the Webinar organised by Centre for Science and Environment on 'Power to the Norms' on 21st October, 2020.
- i) Attended the virtual ceremony of 'QS IGAUGE Awards Ceremony' for QS IGAUGE Ratings and QS IGAUGE E-Lead Certification on 21st October, 2020.
- j) Attended the 'UNDP Punjab-Academic Institutions Consultation' on 28th October 2020.
- k) Attended the Entry Conference on the Performance Audit titled 'Outcomes Audit of Higher Education in Punjab' on 10<sup>th</sup> November 2020.
- l) Attended the QS APPLE 2020 Virtual Conference and Exhibition on 'New Global Partnership for Resilience and Climate Action' 25<sup>th</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> November, 2020.

#### Item V: Ongoing Activities:

The members were also apprised of the following ongoing activities being undertaken by IQAC:

- a) Finalizing Annual Quality Assurance Report (AQAR) 2018-19 for the approval of Guru Nanak Dev University Senate.
- b) Procurement of Data for Annual Quality Assurance Report (AQAR) 2019-20.
- c) Preparation of 50th the University Annual Report 2019-20.
- d) Compilation of the CARE Journal list November 2020.
- e) QS World University Rankings: Asia.

Item VI: Completed Activities as per recommendations in last meeting:

The information regarding the activities completed by IQAC was reported.

The meeting concluded with vote of thanks.

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