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Proceedings

A meeting of the IQAC committee was held in the Office of Worthy Vice Chancellor on **15th July 2020** at 11:00 am. 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. Manoj Kumar, Department of Chemistry
6. Prof. Sukhprit Singh, Department of Chemistry
7. Prof. Preet Mohinder Singh Bedi, Department of Pharmaceutical Science
8. Prof. Pratap Kumar Pati, Department of Biotechnology
9. Prof. Amandeep, Department of History
10. Prof. Sudha Jatinder, Syndicate Member
11. Prof. Kapil Goel, (Nominee) Principal DAV College, Amritsar
12. Dr. Tejwant Singh Kang, Assistant Director IQAC
13. Dr. Gagandeep Kaur Gahlay, Assistant Director IQAC
14. Dr. Rekha Handa, Assistant Director IQAC
15. Dr. Aditya Sunkaria, Assistant Director IQAC

At the outset, Member Secretary IQAC Committee, Prof. Ashwani Luthra welcomed esteemed Vice Chancellor Prof. Jaspal Singh Sandhu and all the members of the Committee. Member Secretary apprised about the following activities and achievements of the IQAC for the period January 1 to June 30 2020.

A. Data Filling for Various Portals:

Data was filled on the portals of the following agencies such as;

- 1) India Today 2020
- 2) QS-IGAUGE Rating 2020
- 3) All India Survey on Higher Education (AISHE)
- 4) The Week 2020
- 5) Study in India (SII) Portal: Scholarship, admission for session 2020-21

The results of the above are awaited.

B. Rankings/Ratings of the University:

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

1. The University secured 51st rank in University ranking and 88st rank in overall ranking of NIRF-India Ranking 2020
2. In the Education World 2020 Rankings, the University secured 26th rank among Government Institutes.
3. In the Centre for World University Ranking (CWUP), the University stands among top 10 State Public Universities.

4. In the Nature Index (1st May 2019- 30th April 2020), the University secured a position among the top 4 Institutes in Punjab and top 10 in North India.

C. Organisation of Seminar/Workshops:

The members were informed that IQAC in collaboration with QS-IGAUGE organised a workshop on "Rating/Accreditation as a Tool for Quality Improvement" on 24th February 2020, which was attended by several teachers from various colleges of Punjab.

D. Participation in Seminars/Workshops:

The members were informed that Dr. Renu Bharadwaj and Dr. Pratap Kumar Patti attended the "Study in India (SII) Partner Institute" workshop under Study in India (SII) program as delegates of the University organized in New Delhi on 10th February 2020.

E. Ongoing Activities:

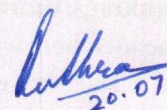
The members were also apprised of the following ongoing activities being undertaken by IQAC:

1. Compilation of the Annual Quality Assurance Report (AQAR) 2018-19.
2. Completion of Annual Report 2018.
3. Compilation of information for "Performance Audit on Outcome of Higher Education in Punjab".
4. Compilation of the CARE Journal list for which the meeting is scheduled on 16th July 2020.
5. Organisation of a webinar on "Awareness about NAAC Assessment and Accreditation Process" to be held on 30th July 2020.
6. Preparation of the IQAC website.
7. Preparation of a comprehensive questionnaire for future use.
8. 506 foreign students have shown interest for admission in the various programs in the University for the 2020-21 academic year under the Study in India Program.
9. Constitution of the members for the Self Study Report for NAAC accreditation which is due in December 2021.

F. The following Recommendations were made by the IQAC Committee:

1. It was proposed by the IQAC Committee 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
2. The Committee also recommended the appointment of IQAC Teacher-in-charge for each department to aid in the process of data collection in line with the requirement of IQAC office.
3. It was decided that the comprehensive questionnaire, which is currently being prepared by IQAC team, should be circulated among members for their feedback before finalizing using it for data collection through different portals of the University

The meeting concluded with vote of thanks.


20.07.2020

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