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Date: 12/06/2019

NOTICE FOR IQAC MEETING

It is hereby informed that, first meeting of Internal Quality Assurance Cell has been organized on **Saturday**, **25**th **June**, **2019 at 11:30 a.m. in the Committee Room.** The agenda for the meeting is listed as below –

- 1. Approval of the minutes of the previous meeting.
- 2. To review the action taken report of the previous meeting.
- 3. To discuss and prepare the Plan of action based on perspective plan for academic session 2019-20 duly approved by the CDC
- 4. To discuss and confirm on the academic calendar and tentative schedules of various committee meetings.
- 5. To review and discuss the findings of the gender audit 2018-19
- 6. To review the SWOC analysis of the various committees.
- 7. To decide on the central theme for academic session 2019-20
- 8. Any other matter with the permission of the chair.

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Date: 25/06/2019

MINUTES OF THE MEETING

The minutes of the meeting were recorded in writing by Mr. Mahesh Deshmukh,

IQAC co-ordinator on 25th June 2019.

Agenda 1: Approval of the minutes of the previous meeting.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved by the Chairman.

Agenda 2: To review the action taken report of the previous meeting.

The action taken report was read and presented along with the supporting

documents by Mr. Mahesh Deshmukh, the IQAC Coordinator, and forwarded to

CDC for reference.

Agenda 3: To discuss and prepare the Plan of action based on the perspective

plan for the academic session 2019-20 duly approved by the CDC.

The plan of action was drawn as follows –

1. Intense Trainings amongst faculties for use of technology and blended

learning.

2. Promotion of Research Culture among faculty and students.

3. Psychological counselling cell for all stakeholders

4. Establishing International Linkages and Collaborations.

5. Mapping of PO and CO

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Agenda 4: To discuss and confirm the academic calendar and tentative

schedules of various committee meetings.

The academic calendar was finalized and to be made available to the various

stakeholders for ready reference. The tentative schedules for the meetings were

discussed with their inclusion in the individual academic planner of the

department.

Agenda 5: To review and discuss the findings of the gender audit 2018-19

The findings of the gender audit were presented by the member secretary of the

CWDC committee and it agreed to draft gender policies separately to ensure

gender mainstreaming.

Agenda 6: To review the SWOC analysis of the various committees.

The member secretaries of the various committees presented the SWOC

analysis wherein the various remarks and recommendations were put forth by

the IQAC members. It was resolved the committees to work in close

collaboration with IQAC for a future course of action and IQAC would act as a

liaison between the Principal and committees.

Agenda 7: To decide on the central theme for academic session 2019-20.

After the collective decision of all the members, this year dual theme was

approved for steering college activities and magazine i.e "Gandhian Thought"

and "Equality for All"

With the permission of the chair and dignitaries, the meeting ended with a vote

of thanks by the member secretary of the IQAC, Mr. Mahesh Deshmukh.

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ACTION TAKEN REPORT

Sr. No	Particulars	Action Taken
1.	Approval of Academic	The Academic Calendar was approved by CDC
	Calendar	and shared with various stakeholders.
2.	Intense Trainings	Training Programs on Blended Learning,
	amongst faculties for	Video making, Use of ICT tools, Robotics,
	use of technology and	Game based learning, Yuva Bhushan, Fort
	blended learning.	Making were conducted and documented.
3.	Promotion of Research	Various Conferences at National and
	Culture among faculty	International levels were organized for
	and students.	teachers and students.
		• Workshops and Training on SPSS,
		preparation of research proposals, articles,
		research methodology, IPR were carried
		upon extensively by various departments.
		Research Policy was also revised to ensure
		seeding of research culture.
4.	Psychological	Me Gandhi a key initiative was taken by
	counselling cell for all	entire team focusing on mental health,
	stakeholders	yoga, values and ethics.
		• Intercollegiate Infograph Making
		Competition on '8 dimensions of wellness'
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5.	Establishing	Office bearers of Sonopant Dandekar
	International Linkages	Shikshan Mandali, principal and professors
	and Collaborations.	participated in Israel Educational Study Tour
		to learn about the nature of higher
		education in Israel was carried upon.
		• In association with International Board for
		Education Research and Development
		(IBERD) and the Department of Higher
		Education in Israel jointly organized
		International Conference on Imperial and
		Theoretical Research.
		 MOU was signed with various bodies.

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Date: 18/11/2019

NOTICE FOR IQAC MEETING

It is hereby informed that, second meeting of Internal Quality Assurance Cell has been organized on **Saturday**, **30**th **November**, **2019** at **12:30** p.m. in the

Committee Room. The agenda for the meeting is listed as below -

1. Approval of the minutes of the previous meeting.

2. To review and discuss the action taken report of the previous meeting

3. To review the half yearly presentations of various committees and departments.

4. To discuss and review the activities undertaken exclusively under MOU's.

5. To revisit the budget allocations for various co-curricular activities.

6. Any other matter with the permission of the chair.

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Date: 30/11/2019

MINUTES OF THE MEETING

The minutes of the meeting were recorded in writing by the Mr. Mahesh

Deshmukh, IQAC co-ordinator on 30th November 2019

Agenda 1: Approval of the minutes of the previous meeting.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved by the Chairman.

Agenda 2: To review and discuss the action taken report of the previous

meeting

The action taken report of the previous meeting was read and documented

along with the supporting documents.

Agenda 3: To review the half-yearly presentations of various committees and

departments.

The member secretaries of various departments and committees delivered half

yearly report including the challenges confronted to which IQAC gave its inputs.

The proposal for signing up the MOU with Edubridge was placed before IQAC for

consideration.

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Agenda 4: To discuss and review the activities undertaken exclusively under

MOU's.

The IQAC co-ordinator gave a brief overview of the activities conducted under

MOU's involving faculty exchanges, workshops on curriculum based, sharing of

library resources, enrolment of students under certificate courses and mentor-

mentee relationships amongst senior and junior faculties.

Agenda 5: To revisit the budget allocations for various co-curricular activities.

The budget allocations had exceeded considering the increase in the number of

events. Therefore after discussion proposal for an additional increase of 25%

was to be placed before CDC for final approval.

With the permission of the chair and dignitaries, the meeting ended with a vote

of thanks by the member secretary of the IQAC, Mr. Mahesh Deshmukh.

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ACTION TAKEN REPORT

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1.	MOU with Edubridge	The MOU was signed with Edubridge
		with primary objective of training and
		skilling students to face interviews.
		More than 100 students from T. Y.
		Commerce, BMS and BAF were trained
		by the professionals.
2.	Brief overview of the	The activities under MOU were
	activities conducted under	reviewed in detail. Training Programs,
	MOU's	Faculty Exchange programs etc were
		organized. Internships & Visits and Panel
		talk shows in Apollo Ingredients Pvt Ltd,
		Lupin, NGL Fine Chem etc. were carried
		upon extensively and remained key
		highlights of the year.
3.	Increased Budget	The Budget allocations were increased
	Allocations	under the umbrella of Research, Cultural
		and Innovative Teaching Pedagogy.

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Date: 14/05/2020

NOTICE FOR IQAC MEETING

It is hereby informed that, third meeting of Internal Quality Assurance Cell has

been organized on Saturday, 23rd May, 2020 at 11:30 a.m. to be conducted

Virtually on Zoom Platform. The link for the meeting shall be shared on

WhatsApp half an hour prior to the meeting.

The agenda for the meeting is listed as below –

1. Approval of the minutes of the previous meeting.

2. To review and discuss the action taken report of the previous meeting.

3. To plan and execute the precautionary steps in wake of COVID 19

4. To present the planning report submitted to the JDHE Panvel in wake of

COVID - 19

5. Annual Presentations of various committees and departments.

6. To review the progress of the institute in terms of execution of STEM

Education

7. To prepare a perspective plan for the next academic session.

8. Any other matter with the permission of the chair.

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Date: 23/05/2020

MINUTES OF THE MEETING

The minutes of the meeting were recorded in writing by the Mr. Mahesh

Deshmukh, IQAC co-ordinator on 23rd May, 2020.

Agenda 1: Approval of the minutes of the previous meeting.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved by the Chairman.

Agenda 2: To review and discuss the action taken report of the previous

meeting

The action taken report of the previous meeting was read and documented

along with the supporting documents.

Agenda 3: To plan and execute the precautionary steps in wake of COVID 19.

It was agreed unanimously to spread information across all the stakeholder with

regards to precautionary steps to be followed in wake of COVID19. It was further

suggested by the IQAC co-ordinator to also undertake extensive mental health

programs for students and parents. It was further thrusted upon the mentors to

take care of their mentees through counselling and keeping engage in various

activities to lower the anxiety levels. Micro dissemination of information was

focussed upon.

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Agenda 4: To present the planning report submitted to the JDHE Panvel in

wake of COVID - 19

JDHE Panvel had convened a meeting and institutional preparation on E-Content

report was submitted. The same report was discussed and reviewed to ensure

Education receives no setback and learning must go on.

Agenda 5: Annual Presentations of various committees and departments.

The member secretaries and departmental heads delivered their annual

presentations in the prescribed format as designed by the IQAC team with

supporting documents available for reference. The departments and

committees also prepared their perspective plan. The examination specifically

pointed the fact that students motivation is severely hampered and hence in

forthcoming session use of Bloom Taxonomy would play a pivotal role along with

formative and summative assessments.

Agenda 6: To review the progress of the institute in terms of execution of STEM

Education

The year 2018- 19 had laid the foundation for STEM education in the institute

while COVID 19 accelerated the pace of E-Content Development and Use. It was

further resolved that IQAC would conduct need based training programs to

ensure technology is well adopted and put to use. Similarly to arouse the

interest of students, various competitions are to be held.

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Agenda 7: To prepare a perspective plan for the next academic session.

The perspective plan was drafted after considering discussions and recommendations from the IQAC team in detail. The central theme was to keep students engaged and foster motivation. At the same time necessary changes in terms of COVID 19 were included. Faculties were also asked to use the time for engaging in FDP and Research Related Activities. Implementing structured E-content delivery mechanism formed the centre stage.

With the permission of the chair and dignitaries, the meeting ended with a vote of thanks by the member secretary of the IQAC, Mr. Mahesh Deshmukh.

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ACTION TAKEN REPORT

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1.	Precautionary steps in wake of COVID 19.	In wake of COVID -19, the institute upheld the responsibility of creating awareness about COVID protocols through dissemination of information to students, parents, local community in form of infographics in regional languages, distribution of food & masks, making of videos, reels etc.
2.	E-Content report	A complete report on E- Content Delivery mechanism in wake of COVID 19 was prepared by IQAC, approved by CDC and presented to JDHE Panvel during the online meet.
3.	Perspective plan	The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) conducted an internal SWOC analysis. With the proactive role of IQAC in the field of education, industries, and technology, the perspective plan had been drawn from the lens of stakeholders. The same was available for feedback from various stakeholders on college website.

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