IQAC Annual Report 2013 to 2018

Report 2013-14

The academic year 2013-14 was an eventful year for the IQAC in the context of the initiation of the preparations for the 3rd cycle of accreditation. IQAC with its intended function of directing and setting the academic activities of the college convened a meeting at the beginning of the academic year to propose and finalize the plan of action of the year. The college follows the curricular, co -curricular and extracurricular program proposals decided by the IQAC and ratified by the college council. IQAC played a major role in finalizing the various committees of the academic year. It organized induction and orientation program for the first year UG students and gave guidance regarding the CBCSS Scheme and regulations to the students well as parents. IQAC took initiative to conduct seminars, workshops, Industrial and Educational Visits and other related academic and training programs beneficial to the staff and the students alike. IQAC was vigilant enough to make maximum use of government aided programs like ASAP for the welfare of the student community. IQAC has been a constant source of inspiration for the members of the faculty. The year witnessed around one hundred and twenty five paper presentations by the faculty in various national and international seminars and conferences. Faculty also took part in refresher and orientation courses to enhance their academic skills which would further benefit the teaching learning process. The unique year plan of IQAC for the academic year 2013-14 was the decision to begin department magazine and news letters. IQAC closely monitored the conduct of internal examinations and the transparent methods of continuous evaluation. The committee also conducted result analysis and feedback from various stakeholders and remedial measures were taken accordingly. The yearlong consistent efforts of the IOAC culminated in a unique way by organizing a merit day, the first of its kind, to appreciate and encourage students as well as faculty for their achievements.

<u>Report 2014-15</u>

The academic year witnessed the regular mode of action of IQAC from the very beginning of the academic year. Apart from the usual concerns and plan of action, the committee took special care to enhance the student centric teaching learning process. The students were also encouraged to initiate and organize various activities in and around the campus. The unique outcome of this sense of responsibility granted to the students was that no ragging cases were reported in the current year. The campus, as usual, experienced the vibes of curricular and related activities during the year. Participation in and the conduct of seminars, workshops and courses by the faculty were monitored and guided by the IQAC. Special IT workshops were conducted for the students. IQAC also initiated steps to make the community aware of the environmental concerns and organized the program, "Keep our Campus Clean" focusing on plastic-free campus. To make the campus more eco friendly, more trees were planted in the campus under the initiatives of Bhoomithrasena club, Nature club, NCC and NSS. Merit Day was observed in the month of March 2015

Report 2015-16

IQAC with its priority of excellent and effective learning focuses on different strategies to be adopted each academic year. The IQAC during the current year focused on strengthening the infrastructural and related facilities to enhance the learning experience of the students. The ICT enabled teaching learning process which was already the culture of the campus was further prioritized by converting certain classrooms of all the concerned departments to smart class rooms equipped with LCD/LED Projector and audio systems. The use of wifi and inflibnet was further enhanced. IQAC took various steps to bring in a wide assortment and methodologies of teaching learning process. Peer teaching, power point presentations and student seminars were organized under the initiative of IQAC to benefit the students. The students of the department of English rendered their services to the nearby schools by engaging classes for the 10th and plus two classes. Peer group learning activities were encouraged by organizing programs like *Each one Teach One* organized by the department of psychology. The IQAC followed all the regular activities as per its action plan for the year giving special attention to the holistic development of the student community.

<u>Report 2016-17</u>

In its action plan for the year 2016-17 IQAC proposed unique ideas of higher learning, research and extension activities. The year while following the regular patterns of knowledge sharing designed new programs in collaboration with the research cell of the college. The Annual Interdisciplinary Research Conference organized by the college during the academic year was

the first of its kind to be conducted in the institutes if higher learning in and around the city. IQAC also took special efforts to strengthen the committees regarding ragging and discipline within the campus. The year also witnessed the special efforts of the IQAC to chart out new pathways of learning through co-curricular activities thus enabling the students to become more socially aware and sensitive citizens. IQAC also took sufficient care and concern to guide the faculty to engage in career advancement schemes like seminars, and various refresher/orientation/short term courses. The usual pattern of teaching/learning and student centered activities were carried out with utmost vigil and commitment.

Report 2017-18

The year 2017-18 was of utmost importance for IQAC. The plan of action for the year was initiated with a wide range of academic and related activities. Along with its regular formation and perusal of academic calendar and student centered teaching, learning, research, extension, and evaluation activities, IQAC took special interest to conduct separate programs initiated by the students and teachers of each department. All the teaching departments of the college conducted seminars and fests under the encouragement and initiation of IQAC. It gave open ended possibilities of learning for the students. This unique activity of IQAC helped the students to bridge the gap between theoretical knowledge and practical wisdom. The committee also gave due importance and attention to the teacher inputs in programs and courses conducted under career advancement scheme. The annual interdisciplinary research conference was conducted in the current year with much more participation and academic excellence. IQAC plans to release the department newsletters and manuscript magazines in the forthcoming Merit Day celebration in March 2018.