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Internal Quality Assurance Cell

Action Taken Report for Perspective plan

2018 to 2023

The Perspective Plan for the period 2018 to 2023 was designed in order to attain compliance of the recommendations of NAAC Peer team for the third cycle. The following is a very brief report of the activities done during these 5 years to realise the perspective plan.

Curricular Aspects	
	1. The Autonomous curricula were implemented since June 2018 and till June 2023, three batches of graduates have passed out successfully. In July 2023, we have been granted Empowered Autonomous Status by UGC.
	2. Using the Autonomy to structure our own syllabi and curricula, we have introduced new UG and PG level programmes and value added courses focusing employability skills and industry demands.
	3. POs, PSOs and COs are defined according to graduate attributes and are frequently updated and displayed on college website. A well-defined mechanism for CO-PO attainment/mapping is framed which incorporates stakeholders' feedbacks.
	4. During the last 5 years, more than 300 extension activities through NCC, NSS and all departments are organised. Internships and field work projects are mostly community oriented. As a result, our NSS and NCC students contributed during the Floods of 2020 and Covid -19 pandemic. They won awards for their duties. The local Kirnotsav of Ambabai temple is made successful due to our extensive work. We adopted nearby villages, conducted cleanliness campaigns at Panchganga ghat during Ganeshotsav and received accolades

	from government, society and media.
Teaching, Learning And Evaluation	1. Previously Mastersoft Technologies and now, Biyani Softwares have provided us with the ERP system which is used in administration, teaching-learning and evaluation.
	2. Since 2018, we conducted workshops and FDPs on creation of MOOCs and MOODLEs. During the pandemic, teachers produced video lectures and uploaded the content on You tube channels. We have developed 3 smart classrooms with interactive smart boards and other infrastructure for ICT based pedagogy. Using these facilities, our teachers have prepared e-content and launched MOOCs (e.g. Modi Script course, Instrumentation in Life Science) on our own LMS platform.
	3. We have a policy on feedback and accordingly a mechanism is set to collect structured feedback from all stakeholders in both online and offline manner. Their valuable feedbacks are incorporated in decision making, revision and up gradation of curricula, introduction of new courses etc.
	4. Since Autonomy, we conduct our own exams according to annual exam calendar. Declaration of dates, applications, hall tickets, results etc. are carried out through ERP system. During pandemic online exams were conducted with the help of Proctoring system. Online paper checking, question paper setting are being tried. In future, more reforms in exam procedures will be introduced according to the changing needs.
Research Consultancy And Extension	1. Research Development Promotion cell is established in 2018 (previously Research Development Committee). It defines the policies to promote quality research, organises workshop/seminars/conferences on IPR and Research methodology annually. Seed money is provided to select project proposals of the teachers (upto 1,00,000/-). so far, 18 projects have been funded.(total 26,29,000/-)
	2. Library is fully automated with SLIM 21 software and provides free access to online resources through subscriptions of N-List, INFLIBNET, DELNET etc.
	3. Vivekanand Innovation and Incubation Center (VIIC) was established in 2020-21. so far, 3 international research patents have been granted to our teachers of Computer Science, and Botany.

	<p>4. We have 3 recognised research labs. In 2021-22 and 2022-23, Physics lab was newly constructed and Chemistry and Animation labs were renovated. All science and computer labs are upgraded according to the latest technology. We have 70 Ph.D. teachers and 25 research guides with 357 papers published in UGC CARE listed journals. 30 students won INSPIRE scholarship, 11 students participated in AVISHKAR competition.</p>
	<p>5. 3 international conferences, were organized. Every year FDPs on IPR and multidisciplinary research are organized.</p>
	<p>Apart from 15 national and 37 local level active MoUS, we have 5 international MoUs and collaborations with China, South Korea, Qatar for research and consultancy practices.</p>
<p>Infrastructure And Learning Resources</p>	<p>1. 3 smart classrooms, all other ICT enabled classrooms, 3 research labs and 1 language lab, 1 Animation lab are developed which are renovated and upgraded as per need.</p>
	<p>2. We have been using softwares like SPSS, HTP Sevarth, ERP by Biyani Software (From admission till result), SSVSSK (Paarent institute's finance section), SLIM 21 (Library) for effective e-governance in all avenues of academics and administration.</p>
	<p>3. After the third cycle, number of washrooms were increased by 6, play grounds for basketball, kabaddi, volleyball and a gymnasium are developed, drinking water facilities on each floor of the main building, Wi-Fi services with 50mbps speed on the premises, two -storeyed parking with electric bikes charging points etc.</p>
	<p>4. The infrastructure needed for e-content development like LCS and LMS is provided.</p>
<p>Student Support And Progression</p>	<p>1. A mechanism for all inclusive student support and active mentoring system keeping in mind various students' needs like career guidance, scholarships and professional grooming is developed.</p>
	<p>2. On campus placement drives, job fairs were organised through placement cell. Professional skills trainings in collaboration with NAANDI foundation, MSFDA were increased during 2022-23, especially for girls students.</p>
<p>Governance, Leadership</p>	<p>1. Regular audits are conducted by external Peer Team for Autonomy and University team for Academic and</p>

And Managements	<p>Administrative audits. Also, other quality audits are conducted by external agencies. The recommendations of all audits and NAAC peer team are being complied in due course of time.</p> <p>2. Our college had India Ranking 2017 (NIRF) 50th and CPE status. It has ISO rating as well. However, we are trying our best to enter NIRF and College with excellence status again.</p> <p>3. Teachers are motivated to attend FDPs on current pedagogical trends. They are provided with financial support to attend FDPs, conferences and research publications in CARE listed journals. During last 5 years, 64 teachers were supported financially (approx.1,49,000/-) and 187 were deputed to complete various FDPs.</p> <p>4. We have received funds from RUSA (2 Cr.), UGC (Autonomy funds 15 lacs), ICSSR, ICHR and philanthropists.</p> <p>5. Alumni and students representatives along with teachers are given membership of various Statutory and college committees. Feedback from all stakeholders is considered in decision making. Institutional policy handbook/compendium is framed and displayed on the website.</p>
Institutional Values And Practices	<p>1. during last 5 years more than 108 activities by NSS and more than 50 by NCC were organised including tree plantation, environment awareness, blood donation, visiting NGOs, Panchganga Cleanliness campaign, helping the poor with food and clothes, rescue mission during The Floods in 2020, mask and sanitizer distribution during Covid-19 and lots of other. as a result of imbibing awareness for cross-cutting issues as well as problem solving attitude, our student Priya Patil (Corona warrior) and members of Dream Team won awards for their social work. Our teachers and NSS students are national award winners.</p> <p>2. Apart from the college committees like ICC, Sachetana mandal, Anti-ragging committee, we established Shrimati Sushiladevi Salunkhe Women's Studies Centre in 2020-21. These have various policies and procedures to ensure an all-inclusive, gender neutral, environment-friendly atmosphere on the campus. We organised number of workshops, webinars and guest lectures for students and staff on cross-cutting issues including gender equality, LGBTQ issues, awareness about environment-disasters etc. we started Plastic free campus</p>

	<p>campaign in 2018-19, distributed cloth-bags, have an MoU to dispose plastic waste. We are the first college to incorporate LGBTQ members as our stakeholders.</p>
	<p>3. Alumni has contributed financially and otherwise to the development of the college through donations, gifting computers, books, projectors etc., building roads within the campus, giving guest lectures on career guidance to students.</p>



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