

Deccan Education Society's, Fergusson College (Autonomous), Pune
Internal Quality Assurance Cell
Meeting

Date: 11.01.2017

Venue: IQAC

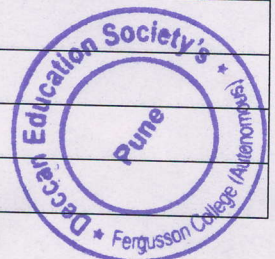
Time: 11.00am onwards

Agenda:

- a) Strengthening Industry-Institute Interaction Cell.
- b) Forthcoming Entrepreneurship Awareness Camp (EAC) for Students (PG)
- c) Probability of establishing "Consultancy, Research and Development Cell" (CRD) in the College.
- d) Strategies to be adopted for development of CRD Cell in the College.

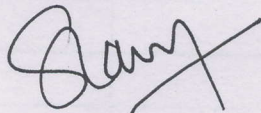
Members Present:

1	Dr. Ravindrasinh Pardeshi, Principal	
2	Amyali R. Naik	
3	Nilani A. Patil	
4	Vrushali Limaye	
5	Aparna Vaidyanathan	
6	Nandini S. Kothaekae	
7	Zambase M.S.	
8	Sonalika pawar	
9	Anil G. Masakondya	
10	Dr. samir v. onkar	
11	DR. ROHITKUMAR G. GORE	
12	Include Dr. Navayan Fiske in this cell.	
13	Dr. Saunni Tendalkar	



Minutes:

1. The Principal welcome all the Members who were shortlisted for establishment of "Consultancy, Research and Development Cell" (CRD Cell).
2. The Agenda of the Meeting was read by Dr. Samir Terdalkar. He also communicated briefly the idea behind establishing the CRD Cell.
3. There was discussion on following points:
 - (a) Areas of Consultancy- can they be listed out especially in Computer Science, Chemistry and Life Sciences.
 - (b) Previous Consultancy work especially in Computer Science.
 - (c) Status of high end instrument in the "Central Facility" of department of Chemistry.
 - (d) Training of Chemistry Teachers for usage of high end instruments.
 - (e) Limitations in areas of Consultancy- especially in Chemistry.
4. Smt. Aparna Vaidyanathan and Smt. Anjali Naik informed that consultancy work was earlier carried out with Yadava Tech, Quick Heal and Spring CT. They also informed that, they would be coordinating with these IT companies again and try to get some project / consultancy work from them. Such work can also be assigned to post graduate students as part of their project work.
5. Smt. Vrushali Limaye shared that, their Students and teachers are working on PMC Project called "Dry Leaf", which basically deals with designing and coding of software.
6. Smt. Nandini Kotharkar, Coordinator of Industry- Institute Interaction Cell informed that, Consultancy projects can be brought to our laboratories and some Life Science companies like "Start Up World", "Blue Planet Solutions", "Kala Biotech", "Oncocure", "Lupin Biopharmaceuticals" and "Genova Pharmaceuticals" are ready to engage in such activity. There was also discussion on probable MoUs with all these companies.
7. The Principal took a quick overview of content of MoUs and referred it to "Legal Department" of our parent organization and asked for immediate follow up, so that Consultancy work will be enhanced.
8. The Principal also conveyed that, Dr. Samir Onkar and Smt. Nandini Kotharkar will be coordinating all the Consultancy related activities of the College and will inform IQAC about it and Dr. Samir Terdalkar assured that, all kind of support and help would be extended for such activities.
9. It was also decided by the Principal that we put all Student support related activities like - Placement Assistance Cell, Industry-Institute Interaction Cell, Entrepreneurship Development Cell and Consultancy, Research and Development Cell under "Career Facilitation Centre".
10. The meeting ended with vote of thanks.



Dr. Samir Terdalkar
Co-ordinator, IQAC
and Secretary, Academic Council

