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IQAC Meeting: AY 2024-25

Date: 14 February 2025 (Friday)

Time: 9:30 AM – 10.15 AM

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Venue: MS Teams

Mode: ONLINE

The following members were present online during the meeting.

1. Prof. Ananya Mukherjee, *Vice Chancellor, and Chairperson, IQAC*
2. Dr. Rakesh Ganguly, *Deputy Director, OARAR and Coordinator/Director, IQAC*
3. Dr. Suneet Tuli, *Dean & Professor, School of Engineering (SoE); Dean, Research & Partnerships*
4. Dr. Rajat Kathuria, *Dean & Professor, School of Humanities and Social Sciences (SHSS)*
5. Dr. Prakash Kumar, *Associate Professor, Department of Design, SHSS*
6. Dr. Susanta Sinha Roy, *Professor & Head, Department of Physics, SNS*
7. Dr. Partha Sarathi Roy, *Associate Professor, SME*
8. Dr. Jitendra Prajapati, *Assistant Professor, Department of Electrical Engineering, SoE*
9. Col. G Raja Sekhar, *Executive Director*
10. Dr. Partha Chatterjee, *Dean of Academics; Professor, Department of Economics*
11. Dr. TRB Sarma, *Head Librarian*
12. Mr. Rajesh Dawar, *Head IT*
13. Mr. Sudhir Naudiyal, *Registrar*
14. Mr. Adhityanarayan Ramkumar, *Secretary of Senate, Student Council (On behalf of Mr. Aneesh Kandrakota (2110110103), President, Student Council)*
15. Mr. Nitish Bhardwaj, *Alumni Member, Treasurer Alumni Association*
16. Ms Shalvi Dutta, *Group Manager, Office of Research & Partnership & OARAR*
17. Ms. Chetna Mehra, *Manager, OARAR*
18. Ms. Shivani Bisht, *Senior Executive, OARAR*

The following members could not attend the meeting.

1. Dr. Sanjeev Galande, *Dean & Professor, School of Natural Sciences (SNS); Head, Department of Life Sciences* – informed IQAC of his int'l travel.
2. Brigadier Steve Ismail (Retd.), *(Dean of Students)* – faced technical challenges to log in to the meeting.
3. Mr. Anand Sharma, *Head Administration*
4. Mr. Robin Sarkar *(Project Director), Shiksha, Dadri Development Project*
5. Mr. Ajay Bansal, *IBM Technologies, External Guest*
6. Mr. Sanjai Ranganathan, *L&T Edutech*

Special Invitee

Mr. Ziaur Rehman, Deputy Controller of Examination

Item 1: Welcome address by the Chair

Prof. Ananya Mukherjee welcomed the members for the IQAC meeting. Prof Mukherjee then requested Dr. Rakesh Ganguly, Coordinator of the IQAC to take forward the discussion.

Dr. Rakesh Ganguly welcomed and thanked the members for their participation. He shared the presentation for the meeting agenda, important updates, and further planning on related matters.

Item 2: Ratification of the Minutes of the Meeting held on 20 December 2024

The minutes of the meeting held on 20 December 2024, as circulated to the members earlier, were approved.

Item 3: Important Information to all HEIs by NAAC

Dr Rakesh Ganguly informed the committee regarding the latest information by NAAC dated 10 February 2025 regarding the revised accreditation framework.

As per the circular, NAAC has proposed to launch the Basic (Binary) Accreditation in April-May 2025 followed by Maturity-Based Graded Levels (MBGL). The circular further states that the Executive Committee of NAAC has decided to adopt the following decisions for those institutions whose accreditation are pending as per the revised accreditation framework (RAF).

1. Allow the HEIs in Cycle 2 and above under RAF to retain the validity of their present grade until the Basic accreditation and MBGL are launched. They may then choose either of the two (Basic or MBGL) based on their preparedness. The fees paid will be adjusted as per the policy, based on the current stage of the assessment process.
2. HEIs in Cycle 1 under RAF are given the option to opt for Basic accreditation. The fees paid will be adjusted as per the policy, based on the current stage of the assessment process.
3. If any of the HEIs in the above categories of (1) and (2) still wish to proceed with assessment as per the existing RAF, the peer team assessment will be carried out through an “Online mode” for colleges and “Hybrid mode” (with online and physical) in case of universities. Detailed process and SoPs for Online and Hybrid visits will be shared shortly with the HEIs.

In view of the circular and new guidelines, Prof. Mukherjee, Chair and Vice Chancellor urged the relevant stakeholders to ensure streamlined documentation and data flow. Prof Mukherjee also directed Coordinator IQAC to keep tab on all the developments related to NAAC reaccreditation.

Item 4: Grade Analysis report of Monsoon 2024

Prof. Partha Chatterjee, Dean Academics, informed the committee regarding the preparation of grade analysis report by the Office of the Controller of Examination. He invited Mr Ziaur Rehman to present the report to the IQAC members.

Item 5: School of Engineering revised Curriculum of Undergraduate, Postgraduate and PhD programs, effective academic year 2025-26

Prof. Suneet Tuli, Dean SoE presented the revised curriculum of Undergraduate, Postgraduate, and PhD programs, effective from the academic year 2025-26:

1. No Change in Ph.D. Programs:
 - A common Research Methodology (RM) course with a credit structure of 3-0-0.
 - The course will cover topics common to all departments, constituting approximately two-thirds of the syllabus.
 - Departments will have the flexibility to design the remaining portion of the course.
 - The same RM course will also be available for M.Tech. and MS students.
2. B.Tech. Programs:

Introduction of 5 B.Tech. Program Majors with 15 Specializations and 5 Interdisciplinary Specializations.

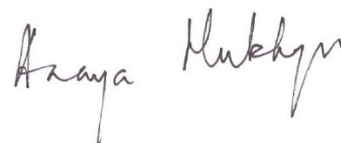
Undergraduate Programs: Minors, Specialisations and Interdisciplinary Specialisations				
S. No.	Departments	Total Credits	Specialisations	Minors
1	Chemical Engineering	161	- Modeling and Simulation - Bioenergy and Biomaterials	Minor in Chemical Engineering
2	Civil Engineering	163	- Sustainable Infrastructure Systems - Water, Environment and Climate - Urban Network Systems	Minor in Civil Engineering
3	Computer Science and Engineering	160	- Artificial Intelligence - Data Science - Cyber Security - Systems and Networks	Minor in Computer Science & Engineering
4	Electrical Engineering	163	- Modern Energy Systems - Wireless Systems Engineering - VLSI Design	- Minor in Electrical and Computer Engineering (Non-ECE/Non-Engg) - Minor in Electrical Engineering (For CSE)
5	Mechanical Engineering	160	- Computation Techniques - Energy Technology - Robotics and Industrial Automation	Minor in Mechanical Engineering

The Chair and the IQAC appreciated the efforts made by the Curriculum revision committee of the School of Engineering for quality improvement and making the students industry ready.

Item 5: Vote of thanks

Dr. Ganguly concluded the meeting by thanking the Chair and the members for their active participation.

Signature:



**Professor Ananya Mukherjee,
Vice Chancellor**