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INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL

ABOUT THE IQAC

IQAC is a part of any accredited Higher Educational Institutions (HEI) and works towards the realization of the goals of quality enhancement, bench marking and sustenance measures. The prime aim of the IQAC is to develop a system for conscious, consistent and catalytic actions to improve the academic and administrative performance of the institution and to promote measures for the institutional functioning towards enhancing quality of education on par with global standards. Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) has been made as an integral and independent part of this university.

A separate building was allotted for active functioning of the IQAC from 19.12.2014. The documentation of the various activities of the Madurai Kamaraj University has been performed by the IQAC for quality improvement. The IQAC has also acts as a Nodal Centre for the University for coordinating the Quality related activities including adoption and dissemination of good practices in academic and administrative matters. The IQAC has developed the data base for the Madurai Kamaraj University for the purpose of maintaining and enhancing the institutional quality.

IQAC Composition

On 22.11.2018 the IQAC Committee was reconstituted with members representing industry, student and alumni category. At present, the IQAC is functioning with 27 members including 2 members from industries and one student member. Dr. K. Balakrishnan, Professor & Head, Department of Immunology is the Director of the Cell (since 21.08.2017).

NIRF

In the NIRF Ranking – 2018, Madurai Kamaraj University has secured 54th rank in the 'University' and 81st in the 'Overall' categories. Since MKU has already participated in the NIRF-2017 and NIRF-2018, MKU was automatically pre-registered for NIRF-2019. We submitted the Institute Information for Registration in Data Capturing System (DCS) well before the last date (5th October, 2018). Dr. S. Murugesan, Professor, School of Chemistry has been nominated as Nodal Officer for NIRF Rankings-2019. The University's Institute ID is: IR-O-U-0463 (in OVERALL Category). Various data collection formats were finalized and sent to all Schools / Centres on 31.10.2018. Similarly, various formats for data collection in administrative departments/sections were sent on 02.11.2018. The data analysis work was completed and the final data files were submitted in NIRF Data Capturing, System (DCS) on 05.12.2018. All these data and supporting files were also uploaded in MKU website for scrutiny by the stakeholders. The entire work of NIRF data collection and submission was executed by a Core Working Committee constituted for this purpose.

AQAR

Further, IQAC has initiated in the month of October, 2018, the process for Academic Audits for the years 2013-14, 2014-15, 2015-16, 2016-17 & 2017-18 (5 years). The process was completed on 30.11.2018 by the respective Schools / Centres with invited external experts from other institutions. Subsequently, IQAC has compiled the Annual Quality Assurance Reports (AQAR) and was submitted to NAAC and UGC on 31.12.2018. The AQAR for the above mentioned 5 years were also displayed in the University website. A Core Working Committee (CWC) with 12 members was constituted look after the AQAR activities.

NHERC Data Submission

In the month of October, 2018, Academic and Administrative data files for the years 2013-14 to 2017-18 were compiled and submitted to National Higher Education Resource Centre (NHERC), New Delhi. Besides, the preparatory / preliminary work related to NAAC has already been initiated.

State Level Workshop

The IQAC is also working for organizing a State Level workshop on 'Global Ranking of Universities: Present Scenario" to be held on 22.03.2019. Resource persons are being invited from Anna University, Chennai, Bharathiar University, Coimbatore and Gandhigram Rural Institute. Dindigul to highlight various processes related to global ranking to the faculty members of our University and affiliated colleges.





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