

Minutes of 22nd Meeting of Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)
Shoolini University of Biotechnology and Management Sciences
held on October 21st, 2021, 4:30 PM

Venue:

Conference Room

The meeting was conducted under the Chairmanship of Vice Chancellor and following members were present:

Chairperson Prof. Atul Khosla Member Prof. Dinesh Kumar Member Prof. Y.S. Negi Member Prof. Narinder Verma Member Dr. Kamalkant Vashisth Member Dr. Nandan Sharma Member Prof. Rohit Goyal Member Prof. Saurabh Kulshrestha Member Prof. Ram Parkash Dwivedi Member Prof. Kuldeep Rojhe Member Prof. Anuradha Sourirajan Member Prof. Pardeep Singh Member Dr. Pankaj Vaidya Member Secretary Prof. Sunil Puri

Mr. Munish Sharda, Future Generali CEO and Mr. Vivek Atray (Ex-IAS) as external could not attend the meeting and were granted leave of absence.

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Chairman took charge and after ascertaining that the requisite quorum was present, welcomed the members to the meeting.

The committee members further discussed the action taken on the earlier decisions of Internal Quality Assurance Cell and reviewed their implementation

Agenda item 1: MoU with Vestige for Direct Selling Course.

Mr. Shubham Verma

Ms. Varsha Patil

Dr. Kamal Kant Vashisth, Director-Centre of Excellence for Direct Selling in Academics informed the committee about Vestige and Shoolini tie-up. He explained, that the association is for a pilot project to offer a formal course on direct selling, which is aimed at empowering young minds with the knowledge of the fast-growing direct selling industry. He further appraised the members that formalizing of direct selling course will create opportunities for learning and self-employment for the youth, while introducing them to this industry.

The Committee appreciated Dr. Kamal's efforts for bringing Vestige collaboration with Shoolini.

Agenda item 2: Partnership with international coaching Federation Foundation

Mr. Shubham Verma informed the committee about the collaborations between Shoolini university and International Coaching Federation Foundation Ignite.

He further explained that the collaboration will help in smooth transition of students from college to the outside world, connect more deeply with themselves and the people around and will also encourage them to excel in both personal and professional life.

Members applauded the efforts of the coaching team and agreed that this initiative with ICFF IGNITE will help Shoolini in its societal goals

Agenda item 3: Launch of Q?riosity event

Dr. Ashoo Khosla shared the successful launch of Q?riosity 2021! Dr. Ashoo Khosla shared that the no. of schools which were 200 last year with 500 student participation increased to 10000+ students participating across 400+ schools . She further added that around 3000+ students were shortlisted for 1st round.

All present appreciated and applauded the efforts of the team and took on record the efforts of of student Mihir who prepared all the question and Dr. Nitin faculty in charge of Q?riosity.

Agenda item 4: Two days north zone conference on SDGs

Dr. Kesari informed the board that university is planning a two days north zone conference on the United Nations of Sustainability Goals in November, wherein over 200 Vice Chancellors will be invited all across India. In order to increase participation it was further decided that the conference will be held in hybrid mode. After due discussions and deliberations Vice Chancellor's office was assigned the core responsibility for conducting the event smoothly along with Director operations. All other details on the roles, responsibilities and logistics were also discussed and decided upon.

Agenda item 5: Second TEDx Shoolini University Event

TEDx Shoolini University will be hosting its second virtual "countdown event" on December 30th, 2021, focusing on the important domains of climate change and sustainability under the theme "Offbeats and Outliers". This independently organized event, licensed by TED, will feature inspiring speakers and TED Talk films to present idea-focused lectures on a diverse range of topics, stimulate learning, inspire and generate discussions on significant issues.

The first day of the event will feature Dr. Ruksheda Syeda, a renowned Psychiatrist and mental health champion, who will speak on the theme of "Decoding Happiness". Other speakers, such as Piyush Mishra, Vamini Sethi, Dr. Ravindra Kolhe, Siddharth and Rajit Kapur, will also share their ideas and perspectives. The opening session will be moderated by Dr. Ashoo Khosla. Join us for this power-packed event to celebrate and spread ideas worth sharing!

Agenda item 6: MoU Signed between Princeton Hive US and Shoolini University.

Prof. Ashish Khosla informed to the board, about the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) signed between Princeton Hive US, as Artificial Intelligence (AI) based platform, this MOU will primarily help Shoolini to make the campus ready for 21st century skills specially pertaining to the transformational methods of teaching. This MOU will further help in content creation and collaborate with other foreign universities. IQAC members appreciated the efforts of Prof. Ashish Khosla.

As there was no other matter to transact the meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Member Secretary

Confirmed

Vice Chancellor