

Minutes of the Meeting of the Quality Advisory Council held on 26-11-2016 under the Chairmanship of the Vice-Chancellor in the Committee Room adjacent to the Vice-Chancellor Office, Maharshi Dayanand University, Rohtak

The members of the Quality Advisory Council (QAC) deliberated on the agenda at length and resolved/suggested the following:

1. Confirmation of the Minutes of the Meeting of the QAC held on 30-08-2016

Confirmed the minutes of the meeting of the QAC held on 30-08-2016.

2. Follow-up Action taken Report

Noted the follow up action on the resolutions by the QAC in its meeting held on 30-08-2016 (Annexure I)

3. Academic Audit Analysis for the Session 2014-15

The Academic Audit Reports of the University Teaching Departments were put before the Quality Advisory Council for the session 2014-15 by the Office of IQAC. On the basis of the Academic Audit Reports, the Council suggested the following:

- There is a short of regular faculty in various departments and thus it is suggested that the sanctioned posts of faculty members be filled up on urgent basis.
- The faculty members need to focus on publishing their research in Indexed Journals of repute and also to have more research projects from UGC, DST or other agencies.
- The Council observed that there is lot of space in the University for departments. However, for some departments there is need to provide/construct more class rooms/lecture theatres.
- Library at departmental level was recommended by some of the Academic Audit Committees, the QAC is of the view that as the Central Library is in the vicinity of all the departments and has a rich collection of books, journals, etc. pertaining to all the streams is sufficient, besides some of the off suite libraries. However, attention should be more on strengthening the e-resources of the Central Library so that the same may be accessed from anywhere anytime by the students and teachers.
- Laboratories need further strengthening.

4. To Enter into More MoUs with Industries and Other Universities/Organisations and to Enhance Collaborative Research

Presently the University has MoUs with some national and international universities/institutes/Industries. There is need to increase the number of functional MoUs to enhance the academic and research standards of the University. The existing collaboration also needs to be strengthened. Though various faculty members of the university have joint research publications with foreign faculties, yet the networking needs to be increased by submitting research proposals in collaboration with the foreign faculty in different areas of science and technology and social sciences.

Meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the chair.

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Action Taken Report on the Resolutions Passed by the Quality Advisory Council (QAC) of the Maharshi Dayanand University in Its meeting Held on 30-08-2016

1. Confirmation of the Minutes of the Meeting of the QAC held on 29-06-2016

The minutes were confirmed.

2. Follow-up Action Taken Report

The Council noted it.

3. Proper and Smooth Implementation of CBCS

CBCS has been properly implemented for all the 2-Year and 3-Year PG programmes running in the University. The office of IQAC sincerely addressed/resolved/clarified the queries/problems of teaching/non-teaching staff and students as and when required. Formal/informal meetings with the faculty members and non-teaching staff were conducted to sensitize them for smooth and proper implementation of CBCS. The students welcomed the practice and appreciated the foundation and open electives offered by various departments of the University. Students now can opt the courses of their interest which they could not study otherwise in the traditional system. This is evident from their response to the scheme where no resistance/complaints of the students have been noticed by the University.

4. Sensitizing/Promoting Research

The teachers and research scholars now focus on publishing their research work in the Web of Science/Scopus/ICI Indexed and UGC approved Journals.

5. Strengthening of CIL

Proposal for appointing a separate Director for Central Instrumentation Laboratory has been placed before the Executive Council. Process of purchasing CIL equipment has been initiated.

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