



## One Day Workshop

(Sponsored by NAAC, New Delhi)

for

**Affiliated Colleges of Maharshi Dayanand University**

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**Internal Quality Assurance Cell**

**Maharshi Dayanand University, Rohtak**

(A State University established under Haryana Act No. 25 of 1975)

**NAAC Accredited 'A' Grade**

## CORE VALUES

**Academic Excellence :** University strives for the uncompromising quality and highest standard of excellence in teaching, learning, research and scholarship across various disciplines.

**Pursuit of Excellence in Research and Innovations :** University is driven by research and innovation and ensures continuous engagement in the scholarly activities in the pursuit of innovation, creativity and excellence.

**Morality and Ethics :** University upholds the highest ethical values, integrity and professionalism and an unwavering commitment to academic freedom, transparency and accountability.

**Social Commitment and Inclusiveness :** University commits to nurture and preserve an environment of safety, trust, mutual respect, equality and diversity in its all endeavors to ensure fairness and inclusiveness.

**Environmental Sustainability :** University is aware of its environmental responsibilities and embraces principle of sustainable development to ensure that any adverse environmental impact of its activities is minimized.

**Service :** University seeks to serve the diverse, personal and professional development needs of its constituents and encourage habit of engagement, caring, and civic responsibility by emphasizing a connect between service, excellence, and career growth.

## VISION

The University aspires to be a leading 'transformative learning community' recognized world-wide for excellence in teaching, research and service and as a catalyst for intellectual, social, cultural and economic development.

## MISSION

The University is committed to transform lives and serve the society through pursuit of excellence in teaching, innovation, lifelong learning, cultural enrichment and outreach services.

**To achieve its Vision and Mission, the University will endeavour:**

1. To provide intellectually inspiring, academically challenging and supportive environment conducive to positive personal growth.
2. To provide a comprehensive education, benchmarked against the highest global standards.
3. To engage in innovative, high-impact and leading-edge research within and across disciplines.
4. To produce graduates of distinction committed to academic/professional excellence and lifelong learning.
5. To provide a safe, healthy and sustainable workplace.
6. To act in partnership with the community over the generation, dissemination and application of knowledge.
7. To act as a gateway and forum for scholarship with rest of the world.

## ONE DAY NAAC SPONSORED WORKSHOP

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Maharshi Dayanand University, Rohtak (Haryana) organised a One-Day NAAC Sponsored Workshop on 30<sup>th</sup> November 2018 at IHTM Hall of the University. The focus of the Workshop was on promoting quality assurance in higher education and on mandatory accreditation of the Higher Education Institutions for improving the quality of HEIs. 164 participants other than Heads of the University Teaching Departments and guests participated in the Workshop from more than 90 Colleges affiliated to Maharshi Dayanand University spreaded across eight districts of Haryana i.e. Rohtak, Palwal, Mewat, Sonapat, Bhiwani, Jhajjar, Gurgaon and Faridabad.



The Coordinator of the Workshop was Prof. Gulshan Lal Taneja, Director, IQAC, MDU, Rohtak. Prof. Randeep Rana was the Convener of the Workshop. Prof. Yudhvir Singh, Dean College Development Council was the Co-convener of the Workshop. Dr B.S. Madhukar, Former Adviser NAAC delivered a talk on relevance of assessment and accreditation in the Inaugural Session. He was of the view that students are the most important part of the Higher Education and entire assessment and accreditation needs to be and has been designed to be student centric. The Universities and other Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) need to maintain proper MIS to have uninterrupted quality assurance system.



The Inaugural Session was followed by the second session during which Dr Pratibha Singh, Deputy Adviser, NAAC, New Delhi delivered a very relevant talk on Revised Accreditation Framework (RAF): Workflows. She made the learned audience (Principals and faculty members) aware about the revisions in accreditation framework.



The second session was followed by lunch and then by the third session. Dr. Mohit Tiwari, Assistant Adviser, NAAC, New Delhi addressed the audience and delivered a talk on Institutional preparation before, during and after the process of assessment and accreditation. He made very relevant remarks on how Institutions need to prepare for the assessment and accreditation.



All the three Speakers made comprehensive remarks on promoting quality assurance in Higher Education. The speakers promoted an open discussion with the audience after the session. The open session was quite interactive and participative. All the queries of the participants were well addressed by the Speakers. Prof. Gulshan Lal Taneja, Director, IQAC, Coordinator of the Workshop and Registrar, MDU, welcomed the guests and expressed his views on how the University and the affiliated Colleges and Institutions are involved in the student centric approach.



Prof. Bijender K. Punia, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, MDU, Rohtak in his Presidential address not only thanked the guests and dignitaries but also expressed his views regarding skill development in the students, particularly in Higher Education. He, as a leader, motivated the participants as well as Organisers to join hands for successful assessment and accreditation efforts. He also assured that the University stands first not only in being clean and green, but will also be among the leading University in educational excellence.



Quality in Education is the need of the hour, which should be merged in the vision and mission of the University. The participants were awarded Certificates of Participation. The closing remarks were made by Prof. Randeep Rana, the Convener of the Workshop. Prof. Rana also extended vote of thanks to all those who participated in the Workshop, the organising team, the media fraternity, the non-teaching members and the students.





The Workshop came to a successful end with high-tea.



