

## OP Jindal University, Punjipathra, Raigarh Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)

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### Minutes of the Meeting

The IQAC meeting for academic session 2021-22 was held on **10<sup>th</sup> January 2022** at **4 pm** in the virtual mode. The following members attended the meeting:

Sr. No.	Name of Person	Designation
1	Dr. R. D. Patidar, Hon. Vice Chancellor, OPJU	Chairman
2	Dr. Ashok Bhansali, Professor and HoD, CSE	Director IQAC
3	Mr. Anurag Vijaywargiya, Registrar	Senior Members of Administration
4	Dr. B. K. Sthapak, Member of Governing Body & Founder Chancellor, OPJU	Member Nominated by the Governing Body
5	Ms. Deepak Pandey, MBA 1 <sup>st</sup> Year (SoM)	Representative of Students
6	Mr. Gagan Wasan, President, Alumni Association, OPJU	Representative of Alumni
7	Mr. R. P. Pandey, DGM (HR) JPL, Tamnar	
8	Mr. Rajesh Singh, VP (HR and IR), TRL Krosaki, Belpahar	Representative of Industry
9	Mr. Nilesh Shah, JSPL	Representative of Employer
10	Dr. Yugal Kishor Chandra	Representative of Parents
11	Mr. P. N. Patel	
12	Dr. Girish Mishra, Prof and Asst. Dean, SoS Dr. S. Jeswani, Asso. Prof. and HoD, SoM Dr. Ashok Shrivastava, Prof. and HoD, Metallurgical Engg. Dept. Prof. R. N. Shukla, Sr. Asst. Professor, Computer Science and Engg. Dept. Dr. S. Chakrabarti, Prof. and HoD, Mechanical Engg. Dept.	Representatives of Teachers



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	Dr. Srikant Prasad, Prof. and HoD, Electrical Engg. Dept.	Representatives of Teachers
	Dr. Mahasakti Mahamaya, Asst. Professor, Civil Engg. Dept.	
	Dr. Mukesh Desai, Asst. Professor, Civil Engg. Dept.	
13	Dr. Manish Sharma	Librarian
14	Dr. Amit Paras	Assistant Director Sports
15	Dr. Surendra Dwivedi	Hostel Warden
16	Dr. Ajit Kumar Singh	Asst. Professor, Dept. of Mechanical Engg.
17	Dr. Deepak Singh	Associate Professor, Dept. of Electrical Engg.
18	Dr. Mahendra Shrivastava	Asst. Professor, Dept. of Mechanical Engg.
19	Dr. J. P. Rath	Asst. Professor, School of Management
20	Dr. M. Kalyan Phani	Associate Professor, Dept. of Metallurgical Engg.

**The Agenda of the Meeting was:**

1. Ranking and recognition initiatives (NAAC, NIRF, AICTE CII Survey etc.)
2. Online teaching learning assessment - initiatives and challenges
3. Extra and Co-curricular activities
4. Recruitment and retention
5. Introduction of new courses from session 2022-23
6. R&D, MoUs and Collaborations
7. Placement activities
8. Long term internships
9. NEP implementation
10. Any other point with the permission of the chair

The meeting started with a welcome address by Chairman **Dr. R. D. Patidar** followed by a presentation about IQAC, its existence and functions at OPJU. The Chairman also shared the activity snapshots conducted in the academic year 2020-21 along with proposed plan for the academic year 2022 with special emphasize on obtaining the NAAC A+ grade.

**The following points were discussed in the meeting.**


1. Mr. Nilesh Shah (Representative of Employer), suggested to host industry related seminars by inviting the industries across the country and to start some student innovation clubs in the University. He also emphasized on upgrading the student's creativity, communication and behavioral skills and suggested the addition of Mechatronics' and Environmental Engineering courses in the curriculum in future. He suggested to make collaboration with companies like WIPRO, KOOKA etc to get some more industry exposure.



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2. Mr. Rajesh Singh, (Representative of Industry) suggested to improve the Communication and Leadership skills of students to remove the level of hesitation and fear while facing the job interview. He suggested to add robotics and AI based courses in the curriculum along with training of students in latest software which are in demand. He emphasized on formalizing the feedback collection of students placed and for those who are at Internships from the employer to fulfil the latest requirement of the industry.
3. Dr. B. K. Sthapak, (Member Nominated by the Governing Body) was concern about NAAC SSR status. He emphasized on improvement of teaching learning process and maximum student's participation for institutional building to get NAAC A+.
4. Gagan Wasan (Representative of Alumni) highlighted that the quality of education can only be measured by a measuring the quality of pass out students. So to inculcate this quality he added that local problem should be kept in mind while introducing new courses like environmental engineering, transportation engineering etc. Alumni interaction should be increased to motivate the students. A positive environment should also be created among students to achieve the excellence in their endeavor.
5. Mr. R. P. Pandey suggested to incorporate the courses like renewable engineering, energy audit, solar energy, waste management.
6. Dr. S. S. Chakrabarti (HoD Mechanical Engineering) confirms that department of mechanical engineering has already introduced the mechatronics in 5<sup>th</sup> semester curriculum. He also added that we are in the process of revising our curriculum to give emphasis on automation and digital manufacturing.
7. Dr. Shrikant Prasad (HoD Electrical Engineering) assured that from next year onwards we are going to start the courses on the area of renewable energy and energy management.
8. Dr. A. K. Shrivastava (HoD Metallurgy Engineering) appreciated the feedback of industry partners and added that we are in the process of improving our teaching learning and research innovation area to meet the industry needs and support NAAC preparation.

The meeting ended with formal vote of thanks by Director-IQAC, **Dr. Ashok Bhansali** and assured the IQAC committee that the university will put best effort to incorporate those suggestions.

  
**(Dr. Ashok Bhansali)**  
Director, IQAC-OPJU

