DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

DETAILS OF ACADEMIC ADVISORY COMMITTEE (AAC) MEET

AAC meeting for IT department was conducted on 10-Feb-2018 in conference room from 2:00PM to 04:30PM.

Following members were present for the meeting.

- 1. Dr. B P Patil Principal, AIT
- 2. Dr (Mrs) Sangeeta Jadhav, HOD, IT Department
- 3. Mr. Sameer Dalal, Director & Head SEPG, Corporate Quality
- Mrs. Kavita Nirna Vice President, Application development, Inautix a BNY Mellon company
- 5. Dr. Sudeep D. Thepade Professor, Department of Computer Engineering, PCCoE,Pune
- 6. Mr. Himanshu Mishra- Big Data Developer Hashmap Tech. India (AIT Alumni)
- 7. Mr. Rupinder Singh Application Developer Thoughtworks Technology Pvt. Ltd (AIT Alumni)
- 8. Dr. Rahul Desai Faculty Member
- 9. Mrs. Geeta Patil Faculty Member
- 10. Mr. Aksheep BE IT
- 11. Mr. Jaswinder Singh BE IT
- 12. Ms Kirti Shukla TE IT
- 13. Mr. Varad TE IT
- 14. Mr. Satvajit Singh SE IT
- 15. Ms. Kritika Suman SE IT

Sr.	Discussion
01	Previous AAC meeting points and their actions were revisited.
02	Internships –
	 a. Discussion started on topic of internship, student members emphasized the importance of internships and how internships are helpful for them in placement and getting good knowledge. b. Dr. Sudeep D. Thepade point out that internship is mandatory as per new guidelines provided by AICTE. c. Mrs. Kaita Nirna point out that central internship cell may be formed for giving guidance on internships for students which will also work in coordination with placement cell. d. Previous year database of internships (i.e. company/Institute name, external mentor name and their contact details etc) should be maintained centrally and communicated to the students from time to time. e. Mr. Sameer Dalal suggested about 3 domains for internships namely technical, business analytics and quality assurance f. He also suggested student's selection for the internship should be based on their interest domain and may not be mandatory.
	g. AAC members also agreed that awareness must be carried out about companies by
	inviting them as judges for various project competitions or exhibits.
03	h. Alumni can work as a mentor for the students.Project
	 a. At presently final year project works starts at TE SEM – II. For improving the quality of projects and more awareness, Project work may be started at TE-SEM I. b. 4 to 5 students may be assigned to the faculty which are pursuing/completed their PhD based on their PhD topic. c. Alumni can work as mentor for the students. d. Project based learning should be motivated.
04	MOOC Courses
	 a. Student members suggested about the involvements of FE students in various departmental activities. b. More departmental (branch specific) subject may be included in autonomy at FE level. c. FE Orientation programme may be carried out by BE students frequently. d. BE Mentors may be allocated to FE students for further guidance. MOOC courses from NPTEL, IIT, FOSS, Coursera etc. is made mandatory. If students clears the certification exams with top ranking, he/she may be rewarded.

Minutes of Meeting and Action Plan for AAC Meeting held on 10-Feb-2018

05	Research Publication and Consultancy
	a. More awareness may be carried out on research publication at SE/TE level which will be helpful for them for research publication in reputed journals/conferences in final year.
	 At SE Level – Awareness about how to download appropriate paper, how to read it etc. At TE Level – Writing a literature review paper under the guidance of
	faculty member.
	b. Faculty must be motivated by college to do research or consultancy in various organizations.
	c. Infrastructure of college can be rented to startups, which will help in getting
	consultancy.