

Minutes of Meeting for AAC Meeting held on 24-Sep-2020

Sr.	Discussion
01	Previous AAC meeting points and their actions were revisited.
02	<p>HoD IT has presented the new vision, mission statements of Institute. Institute level vision and mission statements are modified since Dec 2019.</p> <p>In-line with Institute vision and mission statements, it is proposed to modify the departmental vision, mission as well as PSO statements. HoD IT requested the members to give their suggestions to modify the vision, mission and PSO statements. She also informed about the feedback collected from other stakeholders related to modifications.</p>
03	<p>The changing face of engineering in post covid World</p> <p>Education in on-line mode</p> <p>Teaching learning in On-Line mode students as well as for faculty are facing challenges. Challenges faced by the students are like lack of concentration and interaction, faculty are facing problem to judge the understanding of students of topic. To adopt this, mindset of students and faculty need to be changed rapidly.</p> <p>Mr. Sameer Dalal pointed out that current covid situation is an opportunity. Mr. Gautam Rege also agreed on this point and also suggested that current covid situation need to consider as an opportunity more than crisis. This situation provide the opportunity to adapt with new methodologies of teaching learning.</p> <p>The AAC members suggested new assessment tools. It was suggested to conduct open book test with questions of higher cognitive level. Different assignments can be allocated to different students. Small projects, innovative assignments need to be assigned for some subjects. Mrs. Kavita Nirma pointed out there is more onus on the students rather than faculty in on-line mode of teaching learning. Active participations of students is required in teaching learning process. The student members also agreed that open book test is always better. Principal also agreed to assign projects to the students.</p> <p>Placement in COVID scenario:</p> <p>Mr. Ashish Singh pointed out that there will not be any slow-down in placements drives for IT sector. All other members also agreed for the same. Mrs. Kavita pointed out, that it is challenging job for companies/organization to select best person using online platform. Also it is challenging for students to impress HR/technical person (Interviewer). Students need to acquire the skills required to excel in online interview.</p>

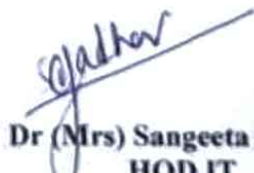


04	<p>Entrepreneurship Initiative:</p> <p>Prof Geeta Patil briefed to AAC committee about the activities carried out in E-cell which is a part of IIC. Under E-cell, 3-4 startups are in pre-incubation stage and some students are in a process of filling patents. Idea pitching and EDC activities are also conducted by E-cell.</p> <p>Mr. Gautam Rege and Mr. Ashish Singh themselves as entrepreneurs, they had shown wiliness to mentor students start-ups.</p> <p>Importance of IPR (Patents and copyright) was also discussed. It has been informed to committee members college is in the process of hiring professional consultant for the IPR related activities. Committee members appreciated this effort by college for IPR related activities. Mr. Gautam Rege pointed out that IPR activities are costly hence college should give support on merit of IPR. Principal informed that we are giving support on merit base.</p>
05	<p>Infrastructure Utilization and Consultancy</p> <p>We had discussed about utilization of HPC. Dr. Sudeep Thepade advised to give access to the students from other institutes. The committee members also discussed the security related issues of HPC in public domain. Mr. Sameer Dalal agreed to give support for HPC security and guidance to generate consultancy.</p>
06	<p>Involvement of Industry in Training and Project quality monitoring — Concern are raised most of the industry tie up with academic with their training module so it has been decided that industry experts can be included as a reviewer in final year projects to improve the quality of project. AAC members are ready to become member of project review committee for selected projects.</p>


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DETAILS OF ACADEMIC ADVISORY COMMITTEE (AAC) MEET

AAC meeting for IT department was conducted on 24-Sep-2020 on online platform Microsoft Teams from 2:30PM – 05:00PM

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 (Operations) and Head SEPG (Corporate Quality), UST Technologies International Pvt. Ltd.
4. **Mrs. Kavita Nirna** – Vice President, Application Development, BNY MELLON Technology.
5. **Mr. Gautam Rege** - Co Founder and Director at Josh Software
6. **Dr. Sudeep D. Thepade** - Professor, Department of Computer Engineering, PCCoE, Pune.
7. **Mr. Ashish Singh** - (AIT Alumni) Co-Founder & Director, Aviabird Technologies
8. **Mr. Jaswinder Singh** - (AIT Alumni), Automation Engineer, Barclays Technology Center
9. **Mrs. Geeta Patil** – Faculty Member, IT Department
10. **Dr. Rahul Desai** – Faculty Member, IT Department
11. Student Members – Mr. R Benjamin Franklin – BE IT
12. Student Members – Ms. Pritika Prasad – BE IT
13. Student Members – Mr. Akash Bhati – TE IT
14. Student Members – Ms. Deepshikha Tripathi – TE IT
15. Student Members – Mr. Ajay Kumar – SE IT
16. Student Members – Mr. Harish Kumar – SE IT
17. Student Members – Ms. Shivangi Chauhan – SE IT

