Minutes of IQAC Meeting

September 20, 2019

In Attendance

- 1. Dr. S. MahendraDev (Director and Chairman of IQAC)
- 2. Dr. A. Ganesh Kumar (Dean of Faculties and Coordinator of IQAC)
- 3. Dr. JayatiSarkar (Dean of Academic Affairs)
- 4. Dr. C. Veeramani (Professor, IGIDR)
- 5. Dr. G. Mythili (Professor, IGIDR)
- 6. Dr. Rajendra Vaidya (Professor, IGIDR)
- 7. Dr. Romar Correa (Professor (Retd.), University of Mumbai)
- 8. Mr. Jai Mohan Pandit (Registrar)
- 9. Dr. ShyamprasadPujar (Chief Librarian)

Agenda Discussed

- (i) Members approved the Minutes of the Meeting held on 08.03.2019.
- (ii) The Dean informed the committee members that the Academic Council has decided that there will be no revision of the existing student fee structure for M.Phil/Ph.D and M.Scprogrammes.
- (iii) The Director informed the committee members about the MoU received from RBI and the Academic Council decision pertaining to the same. The Academic Council members recommended that the Institute may further deliberate on the issues pertaining to the MoU and examine the impact of the terms of the MoU on the core activities of the Institute. The Council members were unanimous that the MoUshould highlight the list of core teaching academic activities at the Institute such as the M.Sc, M.PhII, and Ph.Dprogrammes as well as other research programmes initiated and executed by the faculty members of IGIDR.
- (iv) The Director informed the committee that the UGC Expert Committee visited the Institute between May 2-4, 2019 to review the Deemed to be University status of the Institute. The UGC committee shared the report with the Director dated June 28, 2019 whereby it recommended the continuation of the Deemed to be University status of the Institute. However, the committee made some suggestions to bring about quality improvements in the academic programme of the Institute. The suggestions include making pedagogy more interdisciplinary, and participating in NIRF rankings.

The meeting ended with Vote of Thanks to the chairperson and committee members.

S MahendraDev (Chairman)

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