

Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous)

"College With Potential For Excellence" (Affiliated to Mahatma Gandhi University) NAAC Accreditation

Year 2000 at Five Star Level Year 2007 at A* Level Year 2013 - at A Grade with CGPA of 3.70 on 4 point scale Year 2021-at A++ Grade with CGPA of 3.83 on 4 point scale

INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL (IQAC)

ACTION TAK.EN REPORT Date: 30th June 2023 || Time: 02:30pm – 04:00pm || Venue : GLC (Hill Campus) (Based on the decisions taken at the IQAC meeting held on 30th January 2023 from 2.30 pm to 4.00 pm at Carmel Hall, Kalamassery)

1. Teaching Learning

A. Bodhi 2023 - Pursuit of Excellence

- Pre Bodhi 2023, the curtain raiser Program was held on 10th February. Prof. Bhushan Patwardhan, the Chairman of the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) was the Keynote Speaker.
- The second Pre-Bodhi 2023 was organized on February 27th. Prof. (Dr). Sabu Thomas, Vice-Chancellor, Mahatma Gandhi University was the Chief Guest.
- The third Pre Bodhi session was held on March 18th and Shri.Anurag Thakur, the Honourable Union Minister for Sports, Youth Affairs and Information and Broadcasting was the Chief Guest.
- The fourth Pre-Bodhi session was hosted online on April 1st. Dr. N. Gopukumar, Joint Secretary, UGC led the session.
- Bodhi 2023 was held on April 17th to 20th at Valley Campus and Mountain Club Resort, Munnar
- B. Faculty Induction Programme 2023
 - Internal Faculty Induction Programme for the newly joined faculty members was organised on June 1st and 2nd by the Human Resource Development Centre, under the aegis of IQAC.

C. GROW – FDP Series

IQAC was organized faculty development programme series GROW (Get Ready for Opportunities at Work) from June 1st to 6th.



D. Workshop on CESIM Simulations

CESIM Simulations Workshop was organised on April 13th for the faculty members of Hill Campus. Mr. Varun Patil, Country Head – CESIM India and Mr. Prijin Philip, Lead –Customer Success were the resource persons for the workshop.

2. Research Promotional Initiatives

A. Rajagiri Research Day 2023

Rajagiri Research Day 2023 was organised on February 25th 2023 at the Carmel Hall, RCSS. The Chief Guest was Prof. Alison Baker, University of Leeds, UK. Awards to the research scholars were presented for their research publications during the period of 2022-23.

B. Research Award Ceremony

The Research Award Ceremony was organised on February 27th. Prof. (Dr). Sabu Thomas, Vice-Chancellor, Mahatma Gandhi University was the Chief Guest. Awards were distributed to the faculty members for their Scopus and Web of Science-indexed research publications for the period of 2022-23.

3. Quality Enhancement Initiatives

A. Process Manual Workshop

- IQAC organized Process Maual Workshop on February 27th,28th and March 1st. Dr. Suresh Mony, Former Professor Emeritus - Narsee Monjee Institute of Management Studies(NMIMS) was the Resource Person. All academic and administrative departments underwent the training. Department Level drafts are submitted. Formation of Institution Level Process and procedures are under process.
- B. Academic and Administrative Audit
- IQAC facilitated the Internal Academic and Administrative Audit (AAA) on 21st to 23rd March.
- C. Department Evaluation 2022-23
- > Facilitated with Departments and collected the data



D. RTFT- Non teaching Staff training programme

 IQAC was organised Staff Development Training Programme RTFT (Transformation for Transition) in two groups on 11th and 15th May.

E. SPAC (Strategic Pillar Advisory Council)

- > SPAC pillar heads meeting conducted on on 7th June.
- finalize the action plan and develop strategies for future follow-up and action (Under Process)

F. Committee Meetings held during the period

- Code of Conduct Committee 18th January 2023
- Swachh Campus Committee 3rd March 2023
- > Research & Publication Committee 4th April 2023

4. Consultancy under Centre for Excellence in Higher Education

IQAC Team Members and Criterion Champions provided consultancy on "NAAC, NIRF and other Assessment Processes for KPB College Maharashtra on 23rd February

5. Quality Promotional Activities

- > AQAR, AISHE Collection, Consolidation & Submission
- Rajagiri News on Youtube
- > Designing and circulating Rajagiri Highlights
- > Initiatives for Research Promotion Activities (Brown Bag)
- > Distribution of research incentives for quality publications
- Compiling and submitting the data for 'Paristhithi Mithra Award '2023 constituted by St.Stephen's College, Uzhavoor and Green Nature Award" constituted by Christ College, Irinjalakuda



6. Unique Practices

Excellentia' 23

Rajagiri College hosted Excellentia' 23, the symposium on NAAC accreditation organized by the Department of Higher Education, Govt. of Kerala on February 10th 2023. Various colleges in Kerala that have been accredited by the NAAC with A++ or A+ grades were specially invited to receive "The Higher Education Minister's Excellence Award" which was distributed during the inaugural session of the symposium.

Golden Boot Award Ceremony

The Golden Boot Award Ceremony was held on March 18th 2023. Shri.Anurag Thakur, the Honourable Union Minister for Sports, Youth Affairs and Information and Broadcasting was the Chief Guest of the ceremony.

> Academic Proficiency Award Ceremony

The Academic Proficiency Award Ceremony for the academic year 2021-22 for Semester toppers and Subject toppers for each batch was conducted on 9th March.

> Rajagiri Basket Ball League (RBL) 2023

The Fifth edition of the Rajagiri Basket Ball League (RBL) 2023, was conducted from February 20th to 23rd at the Basket Ball Court of the Hill Campus. A total of nine teams have participated in the League. Sree KeralaVarma College Thrissur won the championship against S B College, Changanacherry.

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