

RAJAGIRI COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES (AUTONOMOUS)

INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL

QUALITY ENHANCEMENT INITIATIVES-2015-16

QUALITY ENRICHMENT INITIATIVE	DESCRIPTION	OUTCOME
<p>1. Institutional Academic Strategic Annual Planning Retreat-Bodhi' 2015</p>	<p>The Annual Academic Retreat, Bodhi 2015-16, for the faculty members was held from 20th to 22nd April 2015. The orientation for the retreat was held on 20th, April at Valley campus. The Input sessions given by</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. Babu Paul IAS (Retd.) • Dr. Krishna Swamy, Dean, Humanities & Social Science, Christ University • Dr. Mallika Krishna Swamy, Christ University 	<p>The 2nd and 3rd day's programmes were held at Tea County, Munnar.</p> <p>The Contents for the planning were:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Admission & Selection 2. Academic System 3. Faculty Excellence 4. Student Outcomes 5. Infrastructure
<p>2. Compilation of the Institutional Reports</p> <p>I. Annual Quality Assurance Reports (AQARs)</p> <p>ii. The College Annual report for the year 2015-16</p> <p>iii. IQAC Annual Report for the year 2014-2015</p> <p>iv. Rajagiri High Lights-</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AQAR for the year 2014-15 was submitted on 03/10/2015 and also posted on the College website • Compiled and submitted to the College Management. The report was presented at Graduation Ceremony • Prepared and presented at the IQAC meeting held in July, 2015 and posted on the Institutional Website. • The Quarterly News Bulletin was brought out in all the four quarters from July, 2015 to June, 2016. 	
<p>3. Preparation of Student Handbooks & Guidelines</p>	<p>i. Student Handbooks and Academic Calendar for the Calendar Year 2015-16 was printed and distributed to the students</p> <p>ii. Student Guidelines Hand book</p>	

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4.Faculty Quality Enrichment Initiatives		2 Faculty Development Programmes conducted
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5. Student Quality Promotional Initiatives	Social Entrepreneurial Capacity Building Initiative For College Students -Workshop Series	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kerala Chamber of Commerce & Industry organized an entrepreneurship enrichment session on 30th June 2016 • Dr. Mary Venus Joseph, US Fulbright Scholar 2012 was granted the 2015-16 The United States-India Educational Foundation (USIEF) Alumni Award Grant As part of the above grant, a series of workshops was held • The Centre for Incubation and Entrepreneurship '<i>Le Cocoon</i>' was formally inaugurated by Shri. E. P.Jayarajan, Minister of Industries & Sports, Govt. of Kerala on 14th June 2016
6.Best/Unique Practices of The College	<p><i>Samavartanam 2016 ,the Graduation ceremony</i> of MSW, MCA, MBA, MHRM, MLISC, BLISC, BSW and PGDCSW students <i>Deeksharambham- 2016</i> was organized on Monday, 13th June 2016.</p> <p><i>Rajagiri in Pursuit of Excellence Lecture 2016</i> was hosted at RBS auditorium on 29th June 2016</p> <p><i>two day INFLORE management fest</i> from October 15 – October 16, 2015.</p> <p>Rajagiri National Business Quiz held on October 17, 2015.</p>	The winners of the mega quizzing event were - Corporate: TCS; Student: Osmania Medical College. The media partner, 'Times Now', telecasted the programme on December 5 & 6

	<p>IT Euphoria 2k15 is a national level inter collegiate IT Fest conducted by CSTAR, Computer Students Association of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences</p> <p>SPLENDORE 2K 16 Grad Fest' on 15th and 16th January 2016 for plus two and graduate students in and around Kerala to showcase their talents with the theme 'Go Green And Be Clean.' The fest was inaugurated by cine artist Mr. Siddique..</p> <p>National Social Work Students' Meet titled 'CATALYSIS-'15, 'Triggering Social Change' was held on 26th and 27th November 2015 at RSCC</p>	<p>at 4.30 pm.</p> <p>63 colleges attended the fest and 444 students were a part of this mega event. It included technical and non technical events such as Coding, Paper Presentation, IT Quiz, Web Designing, Hacking, Best gang, Live Gaming, Photography, Videography and Dance</p> <p>The program was very interactive as the participants were putting up their questions and viewpoints on the issue. The session included a healthy discussion and the rally team members were able to clarify doubts and concerns of the Rajagirians on the issue.</p>
<p>7. Rajagiri Value Experiential Programme</p>	<p>The Junior students of MBA & MHRM participated in the <i>Vanavasam</i> programme in the month of February 2015. The venue was Sacred Heart College, Shembaganur, Kodikkanal.</p> <p><i>Dhwani 2015</i> – NSS Social Sensitisation camp was conducted at Arakulam Grama Panchyat, Idukki District from 13th to 19th August 2015 for MSW, MCA, MLISC, and BLISC students. 145 students participated in the camp.</p> <p><i>Kunjattakilikal</i> is kid's fest conducted by the BSW first year students for Anganwadi kids from various anganwadis in Kalamassery Municipality. The event was held on 19th February</p>	<p>Around 105 children from various Anganwadis of ICDS projects in Ernakulam District participated in the event 2016 in the Municipal hall, Kalamassery. There were about 200 students along with their teachers and parents from 49 anganwadis in Kalamassery.</p>

	<p>“Poothumbikal” Anganwadi Children’s Fest was organized by MLTC with the assistance of B.Com and BLISc students at Children’s park, Ernakulam.</p>	
<p>8.Celebration Of Significant Days</p>	<p>World environment day</p> <p>International Yoga Day</p> <p>World AIDS Day</p> <p>World Social Justice Day</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •The students of School of Social Work organized essay writing competition for the staff and students •Mrs Chetana, yoga practitioner handled a session on the role of Yoga in daily life. The BSW students demonstrated various yoga postures and explained the right way of doing asanas. •Observed on December 1st, 2015 by the students of National Service Scheme of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences. The programme was aimed at to create awareness on HIV/AIDS among the school students of Edathala Grama panchayat. •Observed on 20th February, 2016 at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences by National Service Scheme. A face painting competition was conducted on the topic “Social Justice and Eradication of Poverty”. celebrated on 21st June 2016 jointly by the Department of Library and Information Science and Fr. Moses Library.
<p>9.Conferences / Seminars/Workshops Organised</p>	<p>DYUTI 2016-National Conference on Corporate Social Responsibility and Children</p> <p>The Department of Computer Science conducted a two day International Conference on”</p>	<p>Thirty seven faculty members and social work practitioners from fifteen colleges offering MSW programme under MG University participated in the workshop. The revised syllabus was finalized and was submitted</p>

	<p>Knowledge Engineering-Theory and Practices”, on the 24th and 25th of July 2015.</p> <p>MSW Curriculum Revision 2016 Workshop was organized by the PG Board of Studies (Social Work) under M G University at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery</p>	to the University during June 2016
<p>10.Research Quality Promotional Initiatives</p>	<p>One day workshop on Research Methodology and Writing Research Proposals was organized on Saturday, 31st October 2015 .</p> <p>The Research Institute, in association with the Ministry of Women and Child Development, Govt. of India has been conducting a study on ‘Nutrition Management and Infant Feeding Practices among Tribal Women in Kerala’</p> <p>Bi-annual Meeting of Doctoral Scholars under Social Work was held on 28th January 2016</p> <p>A ten day ICSSR sponsored Research Methodology Course for PhD Scholars in Social Sciences, organized by the Research Institute from 25th February – 5th March 2016</p>	<p>Faculty members of Social Work Department of Rajagiri College, Research Scholars of Rajagiri Doctoral Centre, M.Phil and PGDCSW students were the participants of the workshop.</p> <p>Eminent resource persons from within and outside the state of Kerala, including the ICSSR panel of experts, led the sessions on the topics related to qualitative and quantitative research</p>
<p>11.Facilitating Publication Of Rajagiri Journals</p>	<p>The following issues of the two journals were published during 2015-16</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rajagiri Journal of Social Development (ISSN 0973-3086) - Vol 7 No 2 (2015), Vol 8 No 1 (2016), • Rajagiri Management Journal (ISSN 0972-9968)- Vol 9 No 2 (2015),VOL 10, No1(2016) 	
<p>12.Rajagiri Staff Welfare Initiatives</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Annual tour of Rajagiri Staff Welfare Association was organized from 16th to 19th October 2015 to Bangalore and Mysore. • A session on Cancer 	

	<p>Awareness was held on 8th December 2015</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Christmas and New Year Celebrations 2015 of Rajagiri Staff Welfare Association was held on 17th December 2015 • The Hair Donation Awareness programme was conducted jointly by Rajagiri Staff Welfare Association [RSWA] and Rajagiri Students Union on 25th January, 2016 • Celebrated Women's Day 8th March, 2016. All members of the RSWA actively participated in the food fest organized as a part of this celebration • A medical camp was jointly organized on 3rd May 2016 	
<p>13.Alumni Engagement</p>	<p>Mr. Praveen C.V, alumnus who is currently the Branch Manager, Punjab National Bank interacted with the MCA students on 12th January, 2016 at the RCSS Golden Aureole. He spoke about the current opportunities in the banking sector and about the various posts and allowances entitled to a bank employee.</p> <p>MSW Alumnae of 2006, Manu (transgender) who has now changed his identity to “Vijayarajamallika” interacted with the MSW and BSW students on 30th June 2016. The students got an opportunity to realize the different dimensions and problems in the life of a transgender</p>	