Minutes of 4th Quarter IQAC meeting for the AY 2024-25

Date: 13.08.2025, Time: 11.30 AM - 12.30 PM, Venue: Online mode

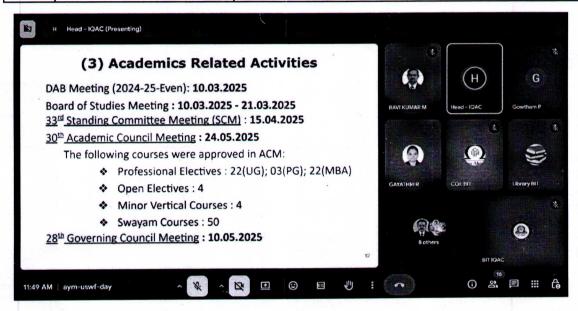
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Date: 13.08.2025

The fourth quarter meeting of the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) was held online on 13.08.2025 at 11:30 AM in the presence of the following members:

SI. No.	Name of IQAC Members	Designation
1	Dr C Palanisamy	Chairperson ;
2	Dr T Ramesh Kumar	Head-IQAC
3	Dr T Poongodi Vijayakumar	Nominee from the Management
4	Mr D Lingaeswar	Nominee from Local Society
5	Mr Sakthivel Rajasekar	Nominee: Employers / Industrialists / Stakeholders
6	Mr P Gowtham	Nominee from Alumni
7	Ms Shanmugapriya R	Nominee from Students
8	Dr K Sivakumar	Senior Administrative Officer
9	Dr K L Senthil Kumar	Senior Administrative Officer
10	Dr G Senthil Kumar	Senior Administrative Officer
11	Dr M Ravikumar	Senior Administrative Officer
12	Dr R Bharanikumar	Senior Administrative Officer
13	Dr D Deepa	Teacher: Head - TD and R&D
14	Mr D Ranjith	Teacher: Training and Placement Officer
15	Mr S Sundar	Teacher: Incharge - Special Laboratory
16	Dr S P Prakash	Teacher: HoD - Electronics & Communication Engineering
17	Dr V Chelladurai	Teacher: HoD - Agricultural Engineering
18	Dr K Vairavel	Teacher: HoD - Electronics & Instrumentation Engineering

SI. No.	Name of IQAC Members	Designation
19	Dr V Eswaramoorthy	Teacher: HoD - Computer Technology
20	Mr K Sarangan	Teacher: Librarian





The Principal initiated the 4th Quarterly IQAC Meeting by extending a warm welcome to the members, including the Management Nominee, Dr. T. Poongodi Vijayakumar, Professor and Head, Department of Food Science and Nutrition, Periyar University, Salem; the Employer

Nominee, Mr. Sakthivel Rajasekar, Director-HR, Cognizant; the Alumni Nominee, Mr. P. Gowtham; the Local Society Nominee, Mr. D. Lingaeswar, Sathyamangalam; and the Student Nominee, Ms. Shanmugapriya R (7376222AD201), Third Year, Artificial Intelligence and Data Science, BIT. He also welcomed all other members of the IQAC. Thereafter, the Principal handed over the proceedings to Dr. T. Ramesh Kumar, Head-IQAC, to continue further and take up the agenda for the meeting.

The Agenda items for discussion are as follows:

- A. Confirmation and Approval of Previous IQAC Meeting Minutes
- B. Action Taken Report of Previous Meeting
- C. Academics Related Activities during Mar'25 May'25
- D. R&D Related Activities during Mar'25 May'25
- E. Placement Achievements of Batch 2021-2025
- F. Quality Initiatives by IQAC
- G. Achievements through Quality Initiatives
- H. Alumni Engagement
- I. Forthcoming Activities of IQAC
- J. Discussion on other points with the permission of the chairperson

Agenda No.	IQAC / 04 / 2024-25 / 01
Agenda	Confirmation and approval of previous IQAC meeting minutes

Proceedings:

The meeting commenced with a welcome address by the Chairperson.

- Dr. T. Ramesh Kumar, Head-IQAC, presented the approved minutes of the previous quarter's IQAC meeting.
- He also highlighted the key aspects discussed in the previous meeting, including activities related to Academics and Research & Development, quality initiatives undertaken through IQAC, and the follow-up actions implemented.

Responsibility: Head-IQAC

Agenda No.	IQAC / 04 / 2024-25 / 02

Proceedings:

The Head-IQAC presented the action taken for the suggestion recommended in the previous meeting. The details are,

Queries / Suggestions	Actions Taken
Recommended conducting an in-depth analysis of the utilization of products developed by the Product Innovation Center at BIT, focusing on their adoption by industries and other relevant stakeholders.	20 products from the Product Innovation Center will be exhibited at INTEC 2026. Each special lab is tasked with developing at least one commercially viable product during AY 2025-26.
Suggested initiating the process of obtaining licenses for both patented and unpatented products / prototypes through recognized technology transfer models such as the District Industries Center (DIC).	Licensing for patented and unpatented products is being initiated. IPR cell training on patent search and TRIZ is in progress, with patent drafting and filing to follow.
Suggested exploring the integration of usage of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in the curriculum or as specializations to align with current technological trends.	Professional elective under 'Explainable AI' and an open elective as 'Foundations of Data Science' incorporated into the CSE department as well as a minor vertical in 'Business Data Analytics', all of which contribute to a structured approach to AI.
Recommended fostering collaboration with the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) by organizing panel discussions with industry representatives. This would facilitate feedback-based refinement of prototypes, promote societal outreach, and support commercialization strategies including pricing.	Special Labs will collaborate with industry for mentoring and innovation in 2025-26. Experts will guide SIH 2025 teams, and an internal expo will gather industry feedback to refine prototypes and boost commercialization.

Advised reviewing the effectiveness and outcomes of various training programs particularly quality certification programs conducted through institutional MoUs to assess their impact and benefits for the participants.

Noted and initiated in the AY 2025-26. In total, 140 certification programs are identified and circulated to all the faculty members.

Responsibility:

In-charges of Startup Cell, Special lab, IPR cell, Autonomy Incharge, Competency vertical

Agenda No.	IQAC / 04 / 2024-25 / 03
Agenda	Academics related activities during Mar'25 - May'25

Proceedings:

- The sample reports of DAB Meeting, Board of Studies Meeting, 33rd Standing Committee Meeting, 30th Academic Council Meeting, and 28th Governing Council Meeting were presented.
- It is informed that 22 Professional Electives (UG), 3 Professional Electives (PG), 22 Professional Electives (MBA), 4 Open Electives, 4 Minor Vertical Courses, and 50 Swayam Courses were approved in the 30th Academic Council Meeting.
- The statistics of the Discourse Forum with the number of lessons discussed, student and faculty participation, and the questions raised and answered on the platform were presented.
- The details of lesson plans, lecture materials, and video lectures developed by faculty members and uploaded to BIT-Wiki during the assessment period were also shared.

Responsibility:

The Head-Academics

Agenda No.	IQAC / 04 / 2024-25 / 04
Agenda	R&D related activities during Mar'25 - May'25

Proceedings:

- The Head-IQAC presented the Publication details, Ph.D details, Proposals details and the institution's updated Scopus citation count and h-index.
- During the assessment period, 8 proposals were submitted and 3 were granted, receiving a total of ₹22,500 from the TNSCST-Student Project Scheme 2024-2025.

Responsibility:

The Head - R&D

Agenda No.	IQAC / 04 / 2024-25 / 05
Agenda	Placement Achievements of Batch 2021-2025

Proceedings:

- It was reported that, out of the total number of students who had registered for placements, a significant number were successfully placed. The highest salary package offered was ₹21.00 LPA, while the average package stood at ₹5.16 LPA.
- It was also presented that 245 companies participated in the campus recruitment process.

Responsibility:

The Head - R&D

Agenda No.	IQAC / 03 / 2024-25 / 06	
Agenda	Quality Initiatives by IQAC	

Proceedings:

- IECC Activities:
 - Identified 880 companies and established 560 contacts.
 - 97 industry experts visited the institution and provided 75 suggestions, out of which 16 were incorporated.
- Competency Training for Teaching and Non-Teaching Staff:
 - Conducted two training programs benefiting 28 faculty members.
 - Conducted two training programs benefiting 29 non-teaching staff members.
- IRP Visit by Faculty:
 - Faculty members visited various industries, including SMC Corporation, Kawasaki Robotics, Roots Industries, and Zoho Corporation.
- Events Organized through T&P:
 - Organized five company-specific training programs for students, including sessions by Harita Techsery, TCS NQT, and Zoho.
- Events Organized through EDC:
- Organized seven events, including workshops on prototype design, business model canvas, and intellectual property rights.

• Student Grievances:

12 grievances were addressed in March 2025, and 7 were addressed in May 2025.

Extension and Outreach Activities:

Various extension and outreach activities were organized by clubs and societies.

• 25th Graduation Day:

On March 22, 2025, a total of 1,468 students graduated, including 6 Ph.D. students, 83 PG students, and 1,379 UG students.

Responsibility:

The Head-IQAC and respective Incharges.

Agenda No.	IQAC / 04 / 2024-25 / 07
Agenda	Achievements through Quality Initiatives

Proceedings:

- The Head-IQAC has provided the information on participation and accomplishments of students during the assessment period.
- Also the achievements of faculty members have been presented along with the categories of events organized was presented with the number of webinar / seminar organized, workshops conducted, guest lecture organized, etc.,

Responsibility:

Vertical in charge of SAc, FA&A and Events.

Agenda No.	IQAC / 04 / 2024-25 / 08
Agenda	Alumni Engagement

Proceedings:

- It is reported that several Alumni were engaged in various activities, including interactions with the Startup Cell, seminars, and visits to labs.
- Alumni interactions with the 2022 batch, 2016 batch and 2008 batch were organized.

Responsibility:

Alumni in-charge

Agenda No.	IQAC / 04 / 2024-25 / 09
Agenda	Forthcoming Activities of IQAC

Proceedings:

The following initiatives are planned for the next academic year:

- The IQAC will be submitting the Annual Quality Assurance Report(AQAR) for the academic year 2024-25.
- The Self-Assessment Report for three programs eligible for NBA will be submitted.
- Faculty recruitment is planned for the upcoming Academic Year.
- External Academic Audit is planned in the month of July.
- The Faculty Orientation Programme is planned to be organized in June.
- Students Induction Program for first-year students will be conducted in August.
- Alumni reunion to bring together alumni from the 1996-2000 batch will be held in July to celebrate their silver jubilee.
- HR Conclave is scheduled to be held in the month of July.

Responsibility:

HR, Autonomy Affairs, Vertical incharge of Academics.

Agenda No.	IQAC / 04 / 2024-25 / 10
Agenda	Discussion on other points with the permission of the chairperson

Proceedings:

- The chairperson opened the floor for discussion on any other points. All the members have expressed their appreciation and support for the activities and initiatives presented throughout the meeting.
- As no new matters were raised by the members, the agenda item was concluded by the Head-IQAC.

Responsibility:

The Head-IQAC

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks from the chairperson.

Head-IQAC

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