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Dr. Krishnamurthy G N, Principal & Chairman of IQAC formally welcomed all the IQAC members to the meeting and requested Dr. Bindu S, Prof. Dept. of ECE & Coordinator, IQAC to present the details to the committee.

#### **Agenda 01: Academic activities during lockdown period**

- Dr. Bindu S, presented a detailed report of online classes conducted during lockdown period with the sample copies of timetable. Pre-recorded videos of laboratory experiments were also displayed to the committee.
- Apart from academics' major importance was given to student and faculty counselling, a detailed report of faculty interaction with Dean, Prof. Eishwar N. Maanay during lockdown to find out the health status of faculties and their families were presented before the committee.
- During lockdown several distinguished webinar series under different professional bodies and FDP's in engineering departments were conducted. Industry experts and eminent personalities were invited as speakers for these programs. Our faculty have also been invited as speakers to others institutions. A detailed report of such activities was presented before the committee.
- Committee was appraised about online certification courses successfully completed by many faculty and students in NPTEL and Coursera platforms.
- The AICTE activity points carried out by students towards societal concern before and after lockdown were presented to the committee.

#### **Agenda 02: Examination activities (Internal).during lockdown period**

- The members were given input about the online internal assessments conducted during lockdown period, where internal assessments were conducted for all the students through HireMee online platform with AI proctoring facility.

### **Agenda 03: Conduction of Offline VTU exams**

- The members were appraised about successful conduction of VTU offline exams with video documentary. Special care was taken by the institution to conduct examinations for students with symptoms of COVID-19.

### **Agenda 04: Preparedness for beginning of odd semester 2020-2021**

- The committee members were informed about video recording of theory courses before the start of the odd semester 2020-2021. Three studios were setup in college, where all the faculty members have started recording their courses as per time table. A sample of pre-recorded videos for the theory courses was shown in the meeting along with the details of ongoing online classes from 3 September, 2020.

### **Agenda 05: Staff Appraisal 2019-20**

- Revised staff appraisal for the academic year 2019-20 was presented before the committee. Staff appraisal system was strengthened with components like innovative teaching methods, funded projects, consultancy, publications and patents for promoting research based learning.

### **Agenda 06: NBA Renewal**

- The committee members were informed about the validity of NBA certification until June, 2021 and preparedness for applying for renewal in the month of October.

### **Agenda 07: Awards and Recognition**

- The committee members were appraised about several awards and recognition bagged by BNMIT to its credit along with the ranking details as mentioned below.
  - BNMIT is ranked in 186<sup>th</sup> position by National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF).
  - BNMIT has got ATAL Ranking, in the band of 26-50, in the category of private and self-financed institutions.

- BNMIT has got E-Lead I Gauge certification for achieving excellence in online education.
- BNMIT has been ranked in 33<sup>rd</sup> in top 150 Engineering Institutions in India by Times survey.
- BNMIT has also been ranked in 30<sup>th</sup> position in top 50 Engineering colleges across the country by Academic insight.
- BNMIT has been ranked in 40th place by Outlook Survey.
- BNMIT Virtual Open day was conducted from 3<sup>rd</sup> to 7<sup>th</sup> August 2020, where students and parents could interact with BNMIT ambassadors to make informed choices about education.

#### **Agenda 08: Placement Activities**

- Dr. Saritha Chakrasali, Head, Training & Placement, briefed about the placement activities before and during the lockdown period with company details and salary package to the committee members. Members were appraised about the best practices implemented to nurture students in the campus along with the plan of action for recruitments in 2021.
- Dr. Krishnamurthy G N, Principal & Chairman of IQAC announced that, BNMIT has been given 12B and 2F status from UGC for applying for autonomous status and will become an autonomous institution by next year. He also mentioned that Artificial Intelligence course has been started in BNMIT from the academic 2019-20. He appreciated all the staff of BNMIT for their efforts put in during lockdown period. He thanked the Management of BNMIT for helping staff and student families during the pandemic situation.

#### **Agenda 08: Suggestions if any.**

The following suggestions were given by IQAC members

- Sri. Srinivasa Ramanujam, industry expert congratulated BNMIT for the new initiatives and mentioned that he would help in bridging the gap between academic

and industry as BoS member. He mentioned that BNMIT was one of the very few institutions which is working very hard towards achieving the goal.

- Dr. S Y Kulkarni, Additional Director, BNMIT informed that, in coming years BNMIT would be the synonym for quality and will work towards achieving it.
- Prof. T J Rama Murthy, Director, BNMIT thanked all the HoDs, teaching and non-teaching staff members for the efforts put in. He thanked Dr. S Y Kulkarni, for getting recognition for BNMIT through several awards. He also thanked the management for all the support extended.
- Akshara, an alumni of BNMIT said that he is privileged to be a part of IQAC and he is feeling happy to see that college is going towards autonomy status.
- Divyashree, 7<sup>th</sup> semester student, EEE, informed that she got all the moral support from staff and management during the pandemic situation.
- Sri Hayavadan V Panchamuki, industry representative said that the focus of BNMIT is commendable. He suggested measuring the effectiveness of online teaching and making it more interactive as online teaching has become a new challenge. He mentioned that after autonomy, institution will have more control in the academic activities. He highlighted that research progress at BNMIT is appreciable and praised management for all the support extended to the staff. He said that, he would be helping in framing the new curriculum by orienting it towards industry specific.
- Prof. Eishwar N. Maanay, Dean, said that the focus of BNMIT is always on the quality. He informed to the committee that BNMIT will maintain best standards in teaching learning as per the requirement of the industry needs where recruiters will be happy to take BNMIT students. He assured to the members that all the activities in BNMIT will be planned for the overall development of the society.

*The meeting was concluded with vote of thanks by Dr. Krishnamurthy G N, Principal, BNMIT and  
Chairman, IQAC*

### Members who attended IQAC meeting on 27.09.2019

Sl. No.	Name	Designation	Role
1	Dr. Krishnamurthy G.N.	Principal	Chairman
2	Prof. T.J. Rama Murthy	Director	Member- <i>Management Representative</i>
3	Dr. S Y Kulkarni	Additional Director	Member- <i>Management Representative</i>
4	Prof. Eishwar N. Maanay	Dean	Member- <i>Dean, Administration</i>
5	Dr. Bindu S	Professor, ECE	Member & IQAC/NAAC <i>Coordinator</i>
6	Dr. Sahana D. Gowda	Professor and Head, CSE	Member
7	Dr. P.A. Vijaya	Professor and Head, ECE	Member
8	Dr. R.V. Parimala	Professor and Head, EEE	Member
9	Dr. Shashikala	Professor and Head, ISE	Member
10	Dr. B. S. Anil Kumar	Professor and Head, ME	Member
11	Dr. N Mukund Sharma	Professor and Head, MBA	Member
12	Dr. Saritha Chakrasali	Head, Training & Placement	Member
13	Dr. Vijayashree L.	Head, IEDC	Member
14	Dr. R.M. Puttaswamy	Chief Librarian	Member
15	Dr. S. Manjunath	Professor and Head, Mathematics	Member- <i>NIRF Coordinator</i>
16	Dr. Jayanna B.K.	Professor and Head, Chemistry	Member- <i>Student Welfare Representative</i>
17	Dr. Venkatesha K.	Professor, EEE	Member- <i>NBA Coordinator</i>
18	Mr. Srinivasa Ramanujam	Academic Relationship Manager, Tata Consultancy Services, Bengaluru.	Member- Industry Representative
19	Mr. Hayavadan V. Panchamukhi	Co-Founder, Technow Labs Consulting, Bengaluru.	Member- Industry Representative
20	Smt. Chaitra N.	Assistant Professor, ECE	Member- EEL, T5, TW5 & WP5 Representative

Sl. No.	Name	Designation	Role
21	Mr. Akshara K.P.	Business Technology Analyst, Deloitte Consultancy India Pvt. Ltd., Bengaluru.	Member- Alumni Representative
22	Mr. Sachith D'souza	Design Engineer Trainee, Centum Electronics Ltd., Bengaluru.	Member- Alumni Representative
23	Ms. Divyashree	4 <sup>th</sup> Year student, EEE	Member- Student Representative
24	Mr. Sagar Kulkarni	3rd Year student, ME	Member- Student Representative

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