

SVKM's

Narsee Monjee Institute of Management Studies

Agenda for Twenty Fifth IQAC meeting held on 17 August 2018

1. To confirm the minutes of the IQAC meeting held on 16th February 2018
2. International Accreditation AACSB
3. NMIMS declared Category I University by UGC
4. To review the Revised Research Policy
5. Unification of PGDM programs
6. Any other matter with the permission of the Chair

Minutes of the Twenty Fifth IQAC meeting held on 17 August 2018

Following members were present:

1. Dr. Rajan Saxena – Chairman
2. Dr. Jayant Gandhi
3. Dr. M. N. Welling
4. Dr. Sharad Mhaikar - Invitee
5. Dr. Aparna Khanna
6. Dr. Meena Chintamaneni
7. Dr. Bala Prabhakar
8. Ms. Shobha Pai
9. Ms. Karuna Bhaya
10. Ms. Vandana Kushte
11. Ms. Anjali Barmukh
12. Dr. Himanshu Raje – Invitee
13. Shri. Ashish Apte - Invitee
14. Mr. Pankaj Mandpe – Industry Expert
15. Mr. Bhavik Muni – Industry Expert
16. Mr. Ajit Gupte – Alumni Invitee
17. The President, Student Council

The Chairman welcomed the members for the IQAC meeting.

1. To confirm the minutes of the IQAC meeting held on 16th February 2018:

The minutes of the last meeting were circulated. Since no comments were received, the minutes were confirmed.

- 2. International Accreditation AACSB:** The NMIMS School of Business Management, Mumbai was accredited by AACSB International in May 2018. This required a significant shift in the school's orientation and culture as intellectual contribution of the faculty and an outcome based learning process. With this NMIMS Business School joined world's 5%

Business Schools with AACSB Accreditation. Likewise, NMIMS Bangalore and Hyderabad were reaccredited by AMBA. With these two international accreditations, NMIMS is the only Management School in India with these twin global accreditations and hence a benchmark in quality in management education.

3. **NMIMS declared Category I University by UGC:** NMIMS was reaccredited for the 3rd time in 2017 by NAAC with the highest A+ grade and hence was placed in Category I under the UGC Graded Autonomy Regulations 2018. With this status, NMIMS was in the league of 22 universities in India and hence a benchmark in university education
4. **To review the Revised Research Policy:** NMIMS in its endeavor to become a global university has promoted faculty scholarship at the global level and hence faculty research and publications have assumed a high degree of significance. The Research Committee of the University is tirelessly promoting research across all Schools and faculty groups. A new revised Research Policy has been finalized and will be effective from academic year 2018-19. This has been done with the objective of improving the research profile of the university and developing a research culture. With increase in the research incentives declared in the revised Research Policy, a considerable rise in the number of research publications in journals with high impact factors across Schools is expected.
5. **Unification of PGDM programs:** Unification of PGDM programs across campuses has been adopted from the academic year 2018-19.
6. **Any other matter with the permission of the Chair:**

Since there was no other matter to be discussed, the meeting ended with the vote of thanks to the Chair.



Chairman

