

LOVELY PROFESSIONAL UNIVERSITY

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Minutes of the 7th meeting of the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)

The 7th meeting of the IQAC of the Lovely Professional University was held on 15th April, 2015 at 10:30 AM in the Board Room of Block 29 at the LPU Campus, Phagwara. List of the members who were present in the meeting is attached as Annexure-A.

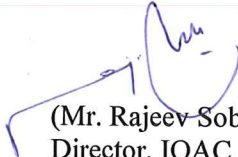
At the outset Chairperson IQAC welcomed all the members of the IQAC committee and thereafter, the agenda was taken up.

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1	Confirmation of the minutes of the 6 th meeting of IQAC held on 12 th January 2015.	Minutes of the meeting of IQAC held on 12 th January 2015 were unanimously confirmed after a careful consideration.
2	Action Taken Report (ATR) of the last 6 th meeting of the IQAC held on 12 th January 2015.	The members were apprised on ATR of the last meeting along with the progress of the decisions taken in the last meeting with a note of satisfaction.
3	Review of Research and development systems	<p>Head, DRD presented an overview of the systems adopted for the promotion of research activities in the University. After a thorough review and deliberation, following measures were suggested.</p> <p>3.1 Discussion was made to automate the pre-submission process of Ph.D. Suggestion was given by IQAC members that a module should be created online for PhD pre-submission evaluation by panel members.</p> <p>3.2 Opinion was given to facilitate faculty for attending conferences to showcase their research at various platforms and to update their knowledge in the upcoming research areas and to explore collaboration opportunities. Suggestion was given by IQAC to motivate research-oriented faculty by providing travel grant to attend national and international conferences</p>

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4	Review of the systems of Placements for students	<p>Head, Division of Career Services informed about the system being followed in LPU for the placements of the students. IQAC members appreciated the systems adopted by the LPU. After detailed discussions following measures were suggested.</p> <p>4.1 Analyses of performance is very important for further improvements. Therefore, it was proposed that analyses of placement data should be conducted to measure the performance of students in the drives conducted by the University.</p> <p>4.2 Idea was given to reward the placed students by the University. It will not only motivate and inspire the upcoming batches but will also strengthen the alumni connect. It was suggested that “Annual Placement Day” should be celebrated where the placed students should be felicitated.</p>
5	To organize blood donation camps	Vice Chancellor informed that extension activities are very important for the overall development of the students. It was discussed that more activities of social welfare must be initiated by the University for the welfare of the society and to inculcate the qualities of good citizens among the students. Therefore, it was proposed that blood donation camps should be organized by the University and motivate the youth to donate blood for welfare of the society. IQAC members welcomed the proposal and resolved that such activities should be regularly conducted.
6	Review of IT Infrastructure facilities in the University	Head, Division of Infotech presented the status of IT infrastructure in the Campus. Discussion was made to further enhance e-connectivity in the University so that students can explore more from the e-resources and boost their knowledge. It was suggested that more number of wi-fi zones should be set up in the University.
7	Review of Admission systems in the University	Head, Division of Admissions informed about the admission processes and procedures. IQAC members appreciated the processes being

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		followed to admit and attract quality students. It was suggested by IQAC members that fee waiver should be offered to the board toppers for their outstanding performances in the academics. This will help in quality induction of the students.
8	Strategic Planning	The strategic plan received from Strategic planning committee was tabled in the meeting.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks by the Chairperson.


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