



**COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL**

**ACTION TAKEN REPORT ON MINUTES OF MEETING OF IQAC
COMMITTEE HELD ON 18/02/2021**

| Item No. | Item | Action Taken |
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| I. | Report on Activities of IQAC | |
| 1. | Reconstitution of Virtual centres- Reporting of | No further action required |
| 2. | Submitted four interdisciplinary research proposals under PLEASE scheme of Govt. of Kerala. | Two proposals have been selected under the scheme |
| 3. | Conducted review of projects under the scheme “SEED Money for New Research Initiatives” | Research Output of these projects were assessed. |
| 4. | Suggestions for updating Chancellor’s award criteria was prepared and submitted to KSHEC | No further action required |
| 5. | Submitted a report on suggestions/measures to be adopted in higher education on the impact of Covid-19, as per directions of the Hon’ble chancellor and governor of Kerala | No further action required |
| 6. | Convened meeting of the committee for providing financial assistance to students for presenting papers abroad | Financial assistance was given to two students |
| 7. | Meeting of selection committee for Chancellor’s Chair held on 15/12/2020 | Dr.David Hunter, University of Adelaïd, Australia is invited to the University as Chancellor’s Chair Professor |
| 8. | Guidelines of Distinguished Young Faculty/Researcher Award were modified as per the suggestion of the selection committee | University order in this regard has been issued |
| 9. | Submitted application for Chancellor’s Award 2020 | Received Chancellor’s Award 2020 |
| 10. | Submitted reports on the performance of the University is submitted to the | No further action required |



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| | Honb'le Governor at the end of every quarter | |
| 11. | Academic Audit of SOE/CUCEK/KMSME which was not done along with other departments due to the outbreak of Covid-19, has been conducted in January 2021. | Academic Audit report was prepared |
| 12. | Proposals were submitted to Govt. of Kerala for infrastructure and academic development of the university, in connection with Budget 2021. | No further action required |
| 13. | Publishing of University Brochure | Entrusted to the Director, DPR &P |
| II. | Reviewed NAAC Accreditation activities | Steering committee meetings held on 15/10/2020, 19/11/2020, 15/12/2020, 01/01/2021, 11/01/2021 and 12/02/2021 also reviewed the progress of activities at the department level. |
| III. | Golden Jubilee celebrations of CUSAT-Preparation a broad plan for golden jubilee celebrations. | Prepared at University level |
| IV. | Commencement of new interdisciplinary academic programmes in the university departments | Steps to be initiated to start one year Advanced Masters Programme in particular domains. |
| V. | Possibility of sharing of research facilities with the establishment of a Central Instrumentation Facility. | Can be done with the work of which is progressing under KIIFB scheme |

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DIRECTOR
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