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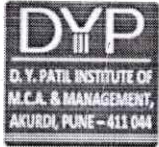
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AGENDA FOR IQAC MEETING (JULY 2024)

Sr.No	Particulars
1	Welcome to the Committee Members
2	Confirmation of Previous IQAC Meeting
3	<b>Review of Curricular Aspects</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Academic Calendar</li><li>• SPPU Syllabus- 2024 pattern</li></ul>
4	<b>Review of Teaching Learning and Evaluation</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Project Exhibition Contest on Sustainability</li><li>• Business Plan- “ Get your ROI on Sustainable Business Contest ( Return on Investment)</li></ul>
5	<b>Review of Research , Innovation and Extension</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Copyright Registered</li><li>• Patent Granted and Filed</li><li>• ASPIRE- Research Project Grant</li><li>• Online Five Days Faculty Development Programme ( FDP) on Intellectual Property Rights ( IPR)</li></ul>
6.	<b>Review of Student Support and Progression</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Trainings Activity for MCA and MBA Students</li><li>• Placement Statistics</li><li>• MOU's and Collaborations</li></ul>
7	<b>Review of Best Practices and Institutional Distinctiveness.</b>
8	<b>Any other points which the Committee deems for further discussion</b>

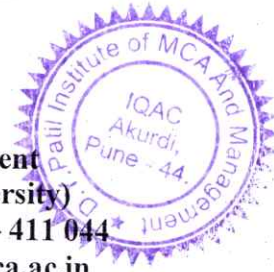


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## Minutes of IQAC Meeting held on 31 July 2024 at Board Room

A meeting of the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) was held on 31<sup>st</sup> July 2024 at 11:30 AM in Board Room, DYPIMCAM. The Chairperson of IQAC, Dr. K. Nirmala welcomed all the members for the IQAC meeting and then requested Dr. Kavita Suryawanshi, IQAC Coordinator to start with the Presentation. The meeting began with the confirmation of the minutes from the previous IQAC meeting held on April 25, 2024. Upon agreement by all members, the meeting progressed with the presentation by IQAC Coordinator on the following points.

### Agenda 1- Review of Curricular Aspects:

Dr. Kavita Suryawanshi, IQAC Coordinator informed members on two key topics. First, she discussed the Institute Academic Calendar- 2024, outlining important dates and events for the upcoming Academic Year for both MCA and MBA department. This Institute Academic Calendar will help in planning and organizing various academic activities. Secondly, Dr. Kavita Suryawanshi stated the New SPPU Syllabus -2024 pattern for both MCA and MBA course highlighting the changes and improvements made in the curriculum. These improvements aim to enhance the learning experience and keep the courses relevant to current industry standards. She emphasized that for the first time, SPPU has introduced an IKS course for students adhering to the National Education Policy 2020 (NEP).

### Agenda 2- Review of Teaching Learning and Evaluation

Dr. Kavita Suryawanshi- IQAC Coordinator further elaborated on various Student-Centric Teaching methodologies, including Problem-Solving, Experiential Learning, Participative Learning, and Project-Based Learning. She also introduced upcoming initiatives such as a Project Exhibition Contest for SYMCA students which will focus on the theme- Sustainability. It will help to encourage students to showcase innovative solutions. Additionally, she discussed a Business Plan Competition for SYMBA titled "Get Your ROI on Sustainable Business," where MBA students participants will be challenged to develop and present business models that emphasize both profitability and sustainability.

### Agenda. 3- Review of Research, Innovation and Extension

The IQAC Coordinator- Dr. Kavita Suryawanshi provided an overview of the Institution's recent advancements in Research, Innovation, And Extension activities carried out by IPR Cell. She reported that 11 copyrights have been successfully registered, marking a significant achievement in intellectual property.



Additionally, 3 patents have been granted and filed, further showcasing the institution's commitment to innovation. She briefed the achievement of Institute on receiving Funded Research Project Grant of Rs 3, 15, 000/-by the afflicting University SPPU under Aspire Mentoring Scheme. She highlighted Aspire Projects details prepared by the Principal Investigator namely: Dr Kavita Suryawanshi and Ms Girija Paranjpe.To further enhance faculty research knowledge, she announced an upcoming Online Five-Days Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) for MCA and MBA faculty.

#### **Agenda. 4- Review of Student Support and Progression**

IQAC Coordinator highlighted significant strides in student support and progression over the past six months. She mentioned that six Memorandums of Understanding (MOUs) have been signed, enhancing collaboration and opportunities for students. Approximately 100 recruitment drives were conducted, providing ample career opportunities for the students. Additionally, nine specialized training sessions were organized to equip students with essential skills. Notably, an MOU with SHL Company was also signed, further expanding the scope of student development and employability initiatives.

#### **Agenda. 5- Review of Best Practices and Institutional Distinctiveness**

IQAC Coordinator highlighted key aspects of Best Practices and Institutional Distinctiveness, emphasizing the significance of various certifications within the MCA and MBA programs. A notable example of this is the "Curriculum++" initiative, which serves as a Best Practice by enhancing the curriculum through value-added courses and certifications. Additionally, the SD Forum played a pivotal role by organizing a Two-day National Conference on "Sustainable Development Goals (SDG): Technology and Management," in collaboration with the Indian Society for Technical Education held in the month of February 2024. This event underscored the institution's commitment to integrating sustainability into its academic and co-curricular endeavors

#### **Agenda. 6- Suggestions from IQACCommittee Members:**

Below are the various Suggestions proposed by the IQAC Committee members which are as follows:

- 1) **Dr Yerramilli Rama** mam proposed several forward-looking initiatives to enhance the institution's academic offerings and operational efficiency. One key suggestion was to implement project-based activities with a strong emphasis on future data analytics, ensuring that students gain practical, hands-on experience in this critical area. The Institute should focus on Digitization initiatives to significantly contribute in teaching – learning process.



- 2) **Mr. Neminath Hawale** Sir proposed several impactful initiatives aimed at enhancing both alumni engagement and student development. He suggested the establishment of a Startup Chamber providing students with a dedicated space to explore entrepreneurial opportunities. For MCA students, Mr. Hawale emphasized the need for a stronger focus on DevOps to align their skills with industry demands. He also advocated for sessions on Corporate Cultures skills tailored for MBA students, ensuring they are well-equipped for multinational companies clients interactions skills.
- 3) **RAdm Amit Vikram, the Campus Director**, put forward several strategic suggestions aimed at driving the institution's progress and enhancing academic rigor. He emphasized that the new ERP system, Juno, will play a crucial role in achieving digital transformation across the campus, streamlining processes, and improving overall efficiency. He also highlighted the importance of adopting an industry-oriented curriculum to better prepare students for real-world challenges. To maintain high standards, he recommended pursuing ISO certification for the institute for next Academic year. He also stressed that all student project submissions should undergo plagiarism checks to ensure originality and academic integrity. Moreover, he suggested strengthening the Industry Connect program by involving Teacher Guardians more actively, fostering closer relationships between industry professionals and the academic community. Finally, he recommended organizing regular alumni meets to enhance engagement and build a stronger network of former students.

Meeting ended with the Vote of Thanks proposed by Dr Kavita Suryawanshi, IQAC Coordinator for valuable time and quality suggestions by IQAC Committee members.



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