BASANTI DEVI COLLEGE, KOLKATA

Academic Administrative Audit Report

Year - 2015-2016

Date of Audit: 27.09.2016

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The overall observations of the Academic- Administrative Audit committee based on input collected from all departments are-

Criterion -1. Curricular Aspects

- > Number of existing Programmes: UG-17, PG -02, Diploma/Certificate-03 others (NSOU)-13. Self-financed Prog. -04(PG-02,Dip/Cer.-02).
- ➤ New Prog-Three (3) months Self Defence Prog. started under Kolkata Police "Sukanya Project". Duration of the Prog. is 3 hours per week(Initiative by IQAC)
- Courses are conducted as per the curricula of the University of Calcutta. CBCS not introduced by University of Calcutta in UG Programmes.
- Classes are conducted as per the Timetable & Academic Plan.
- > Flexibility of the Curriculum: Honours (Core)/General(Elective) options.
- > Pattern of Programmes: UG-Annual & PG-Semester.
- ➤ Feedback on Curriculum taken from stakeholders & after analysis planning to submitted to Under Graduate Council, University of Calcutta(Initiative by IQAC).

Criterion -II. Teaching, Learning & Evaluation

> Total no of Students(UG)-2015-2016

PHY. CH.	SC	ST	OBC	GEN	TOTAL
01	183	07	40	997	1228

> Total no of Students(PG)—2015-2016

M.A.	PHY.CH	SC	ST	OBC	GEN	TOTAL
English	NIL	07	02	06	53	68
Pol. Sc.	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	20	20

- > Total number of Permanent Faculty -54 (Asst.Prof-16, Assot. Prof-21, Prof.-01, Others-16)
- > Number of Permanent faculty with Ph.D-23
- Number of Permanent Administrative Staff-10
- > Total number of actual teaching days—180 days
- > Orientation programme was organized for B.A / B.Sc Part I Honours& General students(Initiative by IQAC).
- Classroom teaching is supplemented with Special Lecture by eminent academicians, group discussions, Paper presentation by Students, field Projects, Departmental Quiz, educational tours, Industrial visit.
- > Use of ICT in Teaching- Learning process(Initiative by IQAC).
- > Teacher-Ward Tutorial system to enable the high achievers to reach excellence and the slow learners to reach the minimum qualifying level.
- > Mentoring System for students to minimize dropouts through Personal Counselling (Initiative by IQAC).
- > Remedial Classes are taken for slow learners.
- > The institution holds continuous evaluation to analyze the academic progress of the students.
- > Internal evaluation is fair and transparent.
- > % of success in University of Calcutta UG Final Examinations,2016 BA (Honours)-99.37, B Sc. (Honours)-84.62.
- > Faculty Development Programmes /PDP attended by Teachers.
- > Parent Teacher meeting held three times in an academic year, and necessary steps are taken based on parent feedback.
- > Feedbacks on Teaching, Learning & Evaluation taken from students& after analysis necessary steps were taken for improvement(Initiative by IQAC).
- > Dropout rate is low.

Criterion - III. Research & Publications

- > Research Development Committee (RDC) has been formed in the college (Initiative by IQAC).
- > Emeritus Fellowship (UGC) awarded to the Former Principal of the college.
- > Two Major research Project of the Principal submitted in 2015.
- > One ongoing Major research Project(Funded by INCOIS).
- > Five Minor Research projects under UGC XII plan completed.
- > 63% of the faculty members published their papers in research Journals.

Criterion –IV. Infrastructure & Learning Resources

- > 2 crores sanctioned under RUSA Grant from M.H.R.D. for upgradation / Renovation & Creation of Infrastructure & Procurement of Equipment
- > First college in West Bengal & First college under University of Calcutta to receive INFLIBNET-NLIST connectivity for E-Library.
- > Total number of computers-58.
- > Wi-Fi Enabled Campus(Initiative by IQAC).
- > Implementation of Integrated Financial Management System (I.F.M.S) & computerisation of Accounts section with Tally.

Criterion -V. Student Support & Progression

- > 68% of outgoing BA/B.Sc. students selected for higher studies in different Universities.
- > Various gender sensitization programmes organised by the college.
- > About 160 students received Financial Support from different sources.
- Active Students Counselling Cell
- > Active N.C.C.&N.S.S. unit
- > SMS service subscribed for delivering urgent information to the students of the college

Criterion -VI. Governance, Leadership & Management

- Vision & Mission& Core Values of the institution stated clearly.
- > Online Admission of students is done completely on the basis of merit.
- > The college has an Alumni Association.
- > Parents are well informed about the performance & attendance of their ward.

Criterion -VII. Best Practices

- > Feedback on University Curriculum & Evaluation Process taken from stakeholders.
- > N.S.S and N.C.C organized "no plastic zone" movement and campus cleaning programme.
- > Paper presentation by Students.
- > Special Lecture by Eminent academicians.
- > Teacher-Ward Tutorial System.

Following are the recommendations of the Audit Team--

- Course on Human Rights may be introduced
- Spoken English course to be introduced for students
- At least one foreign language course for PG students to be introduced.
- Certificate Course on Psychological Counselling may be introduced
- Smart Class Room needed in the campus
- Library automation needed
- Registration of Alumni Association needed

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