



# **St. Anne's Degree College for Women**

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## **INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL (IQAC)**

### **Report for the Academic Year 2015-2016**

IQAC was formed afresh in the beginning of the Academic year 2015 with the Principal Prof. Nisha Joseph as the Chairperson and core cell members as follows:

**Ms. Mary Shaila. F – Co-ordinator**

**Ms. Vasudha A.R. - Member**

**Mr. Jaya Mahadeva Swamy – Member**

**Dr. Ramesh Naik - Member**

**Ms. Hemalatha - Member.**

The Cell took a great initiative to organize several events and hence conducted many meetings with the core members, Management, Teaching staff, Non-Teaching staff, Student Council, All the Coordinators of Cells and Clubs, Alumnae and also with the External members.

The IQAC core members constantly suggested several quality based programs to be organized by the departments, Cells, clubs and committees. It also monitored by supporting them whenever necessary to implement it effectively as per the suggestions.

The NAAC visit gave the institution a positive outlook. The core team praised the efforts of the Staff, Principal and Management. To enhance the quality further they suggested the staff to pursue PhD and to add few more Add on Programmes.

The IQAC has a huge task ahead in assisting the departments to accomplish the suggestions and implement the same effectively.

### **Suggestions by IQAC**

- To organize a National conference by the Department of Management.
- To conduct Alumnae-meet periodically
- To conduct reach out program by faculty.
- Proposal to carry out various activities by Eco club within the campus.
- Reader Leader Club was asked to encourage the students to develop reading skills.
- Documentation and filing for NAAC visit.
- Implemented
- The department organized a National Conference on 2nd September 2015 on “Emerging Issues in global Economy, commerce and management: challenges and strategies for international competitiveness”.
- Alumni meet was organized on 19th Sept 2015
- Faculty members carried out the reach out program through the creative classroom teaching in the academic year 2015.
- Eco Club has taken the proposal to the heart and they have continued with the Garbage segregation, planted more saplings, visit to Botanical Gardens.
- Activities like Book Review, Concept in a poem, article writing, critical evaluation of book are some to name.
- Under the guidance of a Head each Criterion Documents were Filed and submitted to IQAC.

### **IQAC has scheduled the following programs for academic year 2016-2017**

1. IQAC is planning to conduct workshops for the faculty to enhance the quality of teaching, evaluation and assessment.
2. Enormous number of students should be encouraged to participate in intercollegiate activities.

3. IQAC is planning to assist the students to mould themselves with the fundamentals in computers and as many of our students lack fundamental knowledge in computers.
4. Apart from these the committee is also planning to focus on increasing the number of Add on programmes related to their curriculum to equip them to be competent enough in the job market.
5. The faculty publications should increase; hence the committee is planning to conduct an exclusive seminar for the teachers.
6. Reading has taken a back seat among the students. To motivate them to read, IQAC is planning to conduct a workshop.
7. To encourage the staff to involve themselves in research and the methods to be followed for presenting papers, IQAC is planning to invite scholars from different universities and guide them.
8. To encourage the students to involve in Good Social Causes so that they empathize with the common man by enrolling themselves as volunteers in clubs such as Social Leadership Club, AICUF, Red Cross, NSS, Eco Club...
9. The Committee is also keen on developing the interview skills of the students. Hence the IQAC is insisting all Departments to conduct mock interviews.
10. The Teachers are asked to encourage the students to go on internships to various organizations so that they get the hands on experience and many of them would be placed even before they leave the campus.