



MANGALORE UNIVERSITY

INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL

Proceedings of the meeting of National Institutional Ranking Frame Work (NIRF) held on 07.07.2020 at 11.00 a.m. in the Syndicate Hall, Mangalagangothri to analyse the University Performance in NIRF 2018-20 results.

The meeting was held to analyse the performance of Mangalore University in NIRF Ranking 2019. The Hon'ble Vice Chancellor chaired the session and welcomed the members present. The Director, IQAC, made an analytical presentation of the scores awarded to the University from 2018 to 2020. The parameters involved were:

- a) Teaching, Learning and Resources.
- b) Research and Professional Practice.
- c) Graduation Outcome.
- d) Outreach and Inclusivity
- e) Perception.

While the University had scored the 87th place in 2019, it has moved back to the band 101-150 (which it had occupied earlier in 2018) once again in 2020. The Director pointed out that the University had scored significantly lower in Expenditure for Infrastructure and for the number of permanent faculty, besides lack of patent sanctions and fall in sponsored research. Other factors that may have influenced the lower ranking would be availability of student placement details, conduct of Executive Development Programs, need to participate in Peer Perception feedback and utilization of financial resources such as salaries, capital assets, conduct of seminars, conferences and workshops. It was also noted that there were 16 new entrants in the top 100 and this too may have been responsible for the fall in the ranking, though the score was also marginally affected.

Other points noted include the following:

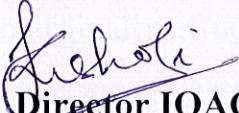
Points to be taken into consideration for improving NIRF rankings in 2020-21:

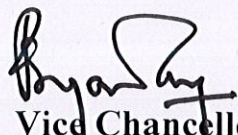
1. Strengthening of Teaching/Research in PG departments through the invitation of experts for consultation/teaching.
2. Fund Generation through organisation of more programs by the IBM Incubation Centre.
3. Industry University interaction.
4. Running the Executive Management Development programme – MBA IB every year.
5. Inclusion of permanent faculty members and adhoc/full time/Guest Faculty.
6. Upgradation of Website.
7. Stepping up activities of the Placement Cell.

Other suggestions that came forth:

1. Exclusion of extra seats outside the quota while calculating intake.
2. Inclusion of UG Programmes (Constituent College) when participating in upcoming ranking.
3. Need to maintain similar data definition and data format while collecting data from department and various sections.
4. Need to develop data management system to easier data collection for the participation of rankings and Accreditation (NAAC, NIRF, AQAR, AISHE, and Annual Reports).
5. Need to improve the Ph.D graduation outcome.
6. Need to improve Faculty-Student ratio through recruitment of permanent Faculty.

The meeting ended with the Director thanking everybody present for their active interest and support in finetuning quality accreditation of ranking parameters.


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