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KALABURAGI

**Report of the Academic and
Administrative Audit Committee**

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GULBARGA UNIVERSITY, KALABURAGI

REPORT OF THE ACADEMIC AND ADMINISTRATIVE AUDIT COMMITTEE

INTRODUCTION

Gulbarga University was established in September, 1980 at the P.G. Centre of Karnataka University in a large area of 860 acres. It has expanded over the years by starting many useful academic programmes. There are at present 37 Departments (the Science and Technology faculty has 16 departments, Arts faculty has 8 departments, education has 2 departments, social sciences faculty has 9 departments, Commerce and Management for offer three courses and Law faculty has 2 courses). It has shown some good growth in certain areas of different branches of Science & Technology and few Social Science Departments. Some of the Departments have brought in many research projects from many funding agencies like, UGC, DBT, DST, BRNS and others. A few Departments have collaboration with national and international agencies. Any educational institution that is growing and developing need to introspect to identify the strength and grey areas in teaching, research and extension, and administration. After identifying grey areas, corrective measures have to be initiated to achieve excellence.

Keeping this in mind, the Gulbarga University decided to get the Academic and Administrative Audit done by a group of Academicians including some external experts.

Accordingly, the Academic and Administrative Audit Committee was Constituted vide notification No.GUG/IQAC/2014-15/119 dated 24.02.2015 The Committee consists of following members;

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15	Prof. T Sankarappa Professor Physics, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi	Member
16	Prof. K. Lingappa Professor of Microbiology, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi	Member
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19	Prof. Jagannath Shinde Professor, Sociology, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi	Member
20	Dr. R.B. Gadaggimath Librarian, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi	Member
21	Sri. Jaiprakash Karajgi Resident Engineer, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi	Member
22	Sri. S.N. Diddi Assistant Registrar, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi	Member
23	Prof. B. R. Kerur Director, Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi	Member
24	Prof. S. M. Gaddad Director, Planning, Monitoring and Evaluation Board (PMEB), Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi	Convener

The University prepared two proforma formats, one containing the profile of each Department and another observation format. These two formats were provided to all the Departments and relevant information was collected from each Department. The informations were provided to the AAA Committee.

The Committee after going through the information decided to visit the Departments and look into the innovative teaching-learning and extension programmes developed and adopted in each department, research output in terms of research publications in the national and international journals, paper presentation, research projects, research collaboration and consultancy services, the number of Ph.D's awarded, number of research scholars working, awards and recognitions received by the faculty and community linkages initiated by the Departments.

Before visiting the Departments, the members of the committee had a formal meeting with the Vice-Chancellor, Prof. S.R. Niranjana. Later on, the committee visited various facilities / Departments / sections of the University during 25-27, June, 2015 and interacted with the faculty, students (both PG and Research). Registrar, Registrar (Evaluation), Finance Officer, Director, Students Welfare, Director / Heads of various Central facilities and Directors of study Centers. The Special Officers of the two P.G.Center at Bidar and Raichur came to the main campus at Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi and presented the profiles of the two centers. The observations / commendations / recommendations of the committee are given below.

FACULTY OF ARTS

DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

OBSERVATIONS

The Department was established in the year 1970. It offers three programmes namely., M.A. in English, M.Phil. and Ph.D. The intake of students is 50. The number of students admitted is 52 and 47 respectively in first and second year. The Department has two faculty members of which one is Doctoral Degree holder. The number of temporary teachers is three. There are two vacant teaching posts. The number of administrative staff is two. The number of research scholars is 4. Department does not have any project. Number of Research articles and books published are four and two respectively.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Research activities and publications are to be improved.
- Vacant teaching and non-teaching posts are to be filled up.
- Teachers need to take up projects.
- ICT has to be used for teaching and learning purposes.
- Special lectures may be arranged.
- Teachers should attend and organize conferences and seminars.
- Department need to have collaborations with other institutions.
- Alumni associations need to be established.

DEPARTMENT OF HINDI

OBSERVATIONS

The Department was established in the year 1975. There is only one permanent faculty member and four guest lecturers. The faculty members have published 09 research papers and 05 books in the last three years. Two students have been awarded Ph.D between 2011-12 and eight Ph.D. students are working at present in the Department under the guidance of the Chairperson. Another 14 Research candidates are working under the guidance of affiliated college teachers. The Department has good student strength. The number of vacant teaching posts is 4. The Department has organized one workshop and conference at National level during the period under consideration.

COMMENDATIONS

- The Department has conducted one National level workshop and one National Conference.
- Visiting Professors are invited to give better exposure to students
- The Department has organized special lectures
- It has also received 2 lakh under upgradation of Department of Hindi in Non-Hindi speaking area.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Vacant teaching and non-teaching posts are to be filled up.
- Projects need to be undertaken.

INSTITUTE OF KANNADA STUDIES

OBSERVATIONS

The Department was established in the year 1970. Courses offered are M.A. in Kannada, M.A. in Kannada & Folklore, M.A.Kannada (Sharana Sahitya), M.Phil. and Ph.D. The Department also offers 02 diploma courses in Vachana Sahitya and Nataka Sahitya. There are 07 permanent faculty members and 01 temporary faculty member. The number of administrative staff is 04. There are 74 research scholars pursuing their Ph.D. The Department has a collection of 6000 manuscripts and 328 Palm leaves manuscripts. The Department has eleven projects funded by UGC and Govt. of Karnataka.

COMMENDATIONS

- All teachers have good number of research publications and books.
- All teachers have projects.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Recently published relevant books are to be added to be Central Library.
- The Department should conduct seminars / conferences and seminars.

DEPARTMENT OF MARATHI

OBSERVATIONS

The Department was established in the year 1983. It offers M.A. in Marati, M.Phil. and Ph.D. Programmes. Students' strength is four and two respectively in second and first year. There is only one permanent faculty member and three guest lecturers. There are 07 Research scholars in the department. Eleven Research papers have been published in the last three years.

COMMENDATIONS

- The faculty member is actively engaged in translation activity from Kannada to Marathi.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Sincere efforts are to be made to improve students' strength.
- Department should conduct special lectures, conferences and seminars.
- Research work in the Department needs to be strengthened.
- Vacant teaching and non-teaching posts are to be filled up.
- Projects need to be undertaken.

DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

OBSERVATIONS

The Department was established in the year 2014 and the Chairperson of the Department of Sanskrit is the Co-ordinator. It offers M.A in Music course. There are four students for P.G. course at present. There are two guest lecturers in the department and one research scholar.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- There is a need for undertaking projects.
- There is a necessity to prepare a separate Statute to make it a separate Department.
- Teaching and non-teaching posts are to be created and filled.

DEPARTMENT OF SANSKRIT

OBSERVATIONS

The Department was established in the year 1983. The courses offered are M.A., M.Phil, and Ph.D. There is only one permanent faculty member at present. Four research papers have been published. The faculty member has attended seminars and conferences on a regular basis. One student has been awarded Ph.D degree and two students have submitted their thesis. As there are no feeding colleges offering Sanskrit at B.A. level in the university, student strength has gone down.

COMMENDATIONS

- The faculty member has made an attempt to reach out to people by giving public lectures based on Sanskrit literature and Philosophy.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Projects need to be undertaken.
- Research publications have to be improved.
- Sincere efforts are to be made to improve admissions.
- Vacant teaching and non-teaching posts need to be filled up.

DEPARTMENT OF URDU AND PERSIAN

OBSERVATIONS

The Department was established in the year 1978. It offers M.A., M.Phil and Ph.D. Programmes. There are two permanent staff members and 04 guest lecturers. Three teaching posts are vacant. There are 06 Research Scholars in the Department. The teachers have published 20 Research papers. One book has been published. Majority of the students joining the Department are girls. The Department has conducted National seminar during the period under consideration.

COMMENDATION

- Four National Level Seminars have been conducted.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- ICT enabled teaching and learning be promoted.
- Dakkani & Sufi projects should be undertaken.
- Efforts are to be made to improve admissions.
- Vacant teaching and non-teaching posts are to be filled up.
- Efforts are to be made to conduct special lectures, conferences, and seminars.

DEPARTMENT OF VISUAL ART

OBSERVATIONS

The of Visual Arts was started in the year 2011-12. As it is not yet an independent department, the Chairperson of Department of Hindi is the Co-ordinator of the Department. It offers MVA in Painting and MVA in Sculpture courses. There are 07 Guest Lecturers (Full-time) for MVA in Sculpture. The teachers are very talented and done projects and have research publications to their credit. A state level mural camp in collaboration with Karnataka Shilpa Kala Academy was organized recently. National Level Women Artists camp in collaboration with Karnataka Lalita Kala Academy, Bengaluru was held in Gulbarga University Campus. The Department has received Rs 5 Lakh from MP fund.

COMMENDATIONS

- The teachers are enthusiastic and are doing extremely well.
- The Department has been conducting National level Painting and Sculpture camps.
- The students have won prizes in painting competitions consistently in Youth Festivals.
- The Department has been collaborating with Karnataka Lalitkala Academy and Karnataka Shilpakala Academy.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- The Department should be allowed to grow as an independent department.
- Permanent faculty members may be appointed on priority basis.

**FACULTY OF
COMMERCE & MANGEMENT**

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

OBSERVATIONS

The Department was established in the year 1975. The Department offers two P.G. (M.Com., & M.F.C.), M.Phil, and Ph.D. Programmes. The intake is 73 for M.Com, 30 for MFC. There is good demand for the Courses. The admissions were 100 percent during the period under consideration. There are 7 Professors specialised in various areas of commerce. The number of temporary teachers is 5. The number of non-teaching staff is 2. The number of Ph.D scholars is 55 and 3 students are pursuing their M.Phil degree. The Department has 97 Research Publications out of which 59 or national and 38 are international. There are 2 Books published. The Department has 4 projects during the period under consideration. One project is complete and three are ongoing. The Department has conducted one national conference during 2013 sponsored by ICSSR to tune of five lakhs. Two workshops have been conducted during the 2013 which are funded by ICSSR to the tune of Rs.14.80 lakh.

COMMENDATIONS

- The Department is active in terms of Research Projects and Publications.
- Some of the Teachers have worked in Administration as Co-ordinator of IQAC and Finance Officers.
- The infrastructure is sufficient.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- A separate Computer Lab has to be established.
- The Department has to have collaborations with other Educational Institutions and Industry.
- Consultation work may be taken up.
- There is scope for the Department to go for SAP as the number of teachers in the Department is 7.
- The Department should conduct seminars and conferences.
- Teachers who do not have Projects can take up projects.
- There is a need to activate Alumni Association.
- Vacant teaching and non-teaching posts need to be filled up.

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT

OBSERVATIONS

The Department was established in the year 2001. This has been an extension of Commerce Department. Two programmes are offered namely MBA and Ph.D. There is only one permanent faculty and seven Guest faculty. The number of non teaching staff is 3. Department has a separate Library with good number of Books, Journals and CDs. The intake is 60 and there is good demand for the course. The Department has 40 publications out of which 30 are in the national and 10 in the international journals. There is a separate Computer Lab with 22 Systems. ICT based teaching is practiced. 32 Research Scholars are pursuing their Doctoral Degree. Faculty from Commerce Department are also recognized as research guides.

COMMENDATION

- Department has very good Library.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Teaching vacancies are to be created and filled on priority basis.
- The Department should conduct seminars and conferences.
- The Department can take up consultancy work.
- Placement Cell has to be made proactive.
- The Department can go for collaborations with other institutions and industries.
- Alumni Association should be made active.

FACULTY OF EDUCATION

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

OBSERVATIONS

The Department was established in the year 1998. It offers three programmes viz., M.Ed., M.Phil. and Ph.D. There are four permanent faculty and four guest faculty. The intake is 35. The number of administrative staff is 3 out of which one is permanent. The number of publications is 23 out of which 16 are national and 07 are international. The number of books published by the faculty is 02. There are 10 computers, 03 printers and 01 printer and scanner. The number of Ph.D. students is 41. The results are good. The Department is recognized as Institute of Advanced Study in Education (IASE). Rs. 5.00 Crore has been sanctioned by the Government.

COMMENDATION

- Recognized as Institute of Advanced Study in Education (IASE).

RECOMMENDATIONS

- The research and publications has to be improved.
- The Department should conduct seminars and conferences.
- The teachers should take up projects.
- Vacant teaching and non-teaching posts need to be filled up.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION

OBSERVATIONS

The Department was established in the year 1998. It offers B.P.Ed., M.P.Ed., P.G. Diploma in Yoga, M.Phil. and Ph.D. Programmes. The intake of students for B.P.Ed.is 50, for M.P.Ed. 40 and for P.G.Diploma in Yoga 30. There are nine faculty who are specialized in different sports. The number of guest faculty is 07. The number of vacant teaching posts is 07. The number of administrative staff is 07. The number of National and International publications are 8 and 9 respectively. Dr.N.G.Kannur and Dr.M.S.Pasodi have 05 and 04 awards to their credit. The college has conducted a national seminar on 'Emergence of Excellence in

Indigenous Sports: The need of the day', between March 30th & 31st 2010. Another national seminar on 'Emergence of Excellence in Indigenous Sports at Grass Root Level' was conducted between 29th & 30th January 2011. Between 26th & 27th March 2012 another national seminar was conducted on the topic 'Physical Fitness and Nutrition among Sports persons vis-à-vis indigenous sports'.

COMMENDATIONS

- The Department has a well equipped Gymnasium, and Sports facilities.
- The College has conducted three National Seminars organized under UGC-SAP Programme.
- Dr. N.G. Kannur and Dr. M.S. Pasodi have won many Awards.
- Many students have won prizes at inter-collegiate and inter-university competitions.
- The College has Alumni Association.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Vacant teaching and non-teaching posts are to be filled up.
- The number of publications has to be improved.
- The department should conduct seminars and conferences.
- Maintenance of the building has to be taken care of.

FACULTY OF LAW

DEPARTMENT OF LAW

OBSERVATIONS

The Department was established in the year 1988. The courses offered are L.L.M., M.Phil. and Ph.D. There are two specializations and the intake is 20 for each specialization. However, the number of students admitted is 01 in first year 01 in second year. The number of M.Phil. students is 03. The Department has 06 computers, 03 laptops, 05 printers, 04 LCD and 02 OHP. There are three permanent faculty members. The number of non teaching staff is 02. The number research scholars is 23. The Department has conducted one day workshop during 2011 on 'Legal awareness of Human Rights' sponsored by Karnataka State human rights commission. A workshop on 'Patenting and invention' was held on November 08, 2013. The Department has 13 Research papers to its credit.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- There is a need to activate research and take up research projects.
- The Department should conduct seminars and conferences.
- Department has to make sincere efforts to improve the admissions.
- The Department should take up consultancy.
- Vacant teaching and non-teaching posts need to be filled up.

**FACULTY OF
SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY**

DEPARTMENT OF APPLIED ELECTRONICS

OBSERVATIONS

The Applied Electronics Department was established in the year 1976. The Department offer M.Sc., M.Phil and Ph.D program. The Department is managed by five teachers and 5 administrative staff. The student strength is 17 in II semesters and 23 in IV semesters. A total of 16 PhD were completed in last 5 year. There are 4 full time Ph.D and 19 part time PhD students .The faculty members have published 16 research papers in international journals and 16 in the national journal in the last 5 years. The faculty also have presented 27 papers in the International Conferences and 106 in the National Conferences in the last 5 years. The faculty have collaborations with USIC and PSDES. There are 2 class rooms, 2 labs for M.Sc students, 5 labs for Ph.D. and one lab for instrumentation.

COMMONDATIONS

- 100 % Placements of graduates of the department.
- All the staff members have actively engaged in research.
- Laboratory is recognized by DRDO as research center.

RECOMMONDATIONS

- The faculty in the Department need to get more research projects.
- The faculty should have collaboration with well established research Institutes.
- Vacant teaching and non-teaching posts need to be filled up.
- Need to introduced latest updated electronic instruments for M.Sc and research labs.
- Need to develop consultancy services.

DEPARTMENT OF BIOCHEMISTRY

OBSERVATIONS

The Biochemistry Department was established in the year 1988. The sanctioned faculty strength in the department is eight (8) and presently only 5 teachers are engaged in teaching and research supported by five non teaching staff .The student strength is 19 at present. There are 31 PhD's have been awarded in the last five years. There are 14 Ph.D students working present in the Department. The

faculty members have published 75 papers in international journals and 19 in national journals. There are collaborative research work with ICRISTAT and CFTRI. There are 5 research projects with a grant of Rs 9.7 lakhs. Department have been completed SAP- I(45 lakhs) and at present has SAP –II (95 lakh) projects ongoing. There are 2 class rooms and 2, M.Sc labs, 5 research labs and one lab for Instrumentation, 01 cold room and one incubator room, one patent has been filed. They have organized four seminars. The department has library with 216 books and 160 journals.

COMMONDATIONS

- Collaborations with leading research Institutions in India.
- The graduate students are either employed in teaching or research in India/abroad.
- SAP phase -II program is ongoing.
- 5 research projects have been completed.

RECOMMONDATIONS

- The department need to upgrade the existing facilities for M.Sc labs and research labs.
- Vacant teaching and non teaching posts have to be filled up.
- Need to develop consultancy services.
- Need to set up computer labs with atleast ten computers.

DEPARTMENT OF BIOTECHNOLOGY

OBSERVATIONS

Biotechnology Department was established in the year 1991. Department offers M.Sc., Ph.D, M.Phil and P.G.Diploma courses. The Department is managed by 04 teachers and 04 administrative staff members and 01 post is vacant. The student strength is 45 for M.Sc and 12 for P.G.Diploma. There are 23 full time Ph.D students and 9 Part time students. Most of the Ph.D students have National, RGNS & UGO fellowships. The faculty members have published 77 research papers in National journals and 77 in International journals. The faculty members have 8 research projects from funding agencies like DBT, UGC, KSDB with a grant of more than a crore of rupees in the last five years. The Department has a library with 215 books and journals. Faculty have produced 5 Ph.D's and 2 have submitted their thesis. There are M.Sc Lab and computer labs and research labs.

COMMENDATIONS

- The department has carried out significant research work in emerging areas like Biofuel and biotechnology.
- Most of the research scholars have fellowships from faculty projects.
- Reasonably well equipped M.Sc and research labs.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Need to take up consultation work.
- Upgrade existing M.Sc and Research lab.
- Computer lab for M.Sc students need to be established.
- Vacant teaching and non teaching posts have to be filled up.

DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY

OBSERVATIONS

Botany Department was established in the year 1981. Department offers M.Sc., Ph.D, M.Phil courses. The sanctioned faculty strength is 07. At present only four (4) are working in the Department. The Department has 04 supporting staff. The student strength in the II semester is 29 and 28 in IV semester. The faculty members have published 47 papers in International Journals and 13 in the National journals in the last 5 years. One faculty member has won International awards another member was awarded Common Wealth fellowship. The faculty members have also brought research projects worth Rs 23 lakhs. The Department has collaborated with National Institutes and research centers. The Department has been recognized as National Herbarium center. There is green house facility, Botanical garden, Herbal garden and Botanical Museum. The Department has 4 M.Sc labs, 4 research labs and 2 class rooms.

COMMENDATIONS

- The Department has non SAP program.
- Maintenance of Medicinal/Herbal plants garden.
- The department has several plants identified in the campus and framing the plants in the form of photo frames.
- Carried out research work in wide ranging areas of Botany and have research projects.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Vacant teaching and non-teaching posts need to be filled up.
- A computer lab need to be established.
- Consultancy/Plant clinic should be established.

DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY

OBSERVATIONS

The Chemistry Department was established in the year 1971. The Department offers M.Sc., M.Phil., Ph.D. Programme. The sanctioned faculty strength in the department is 18. At present only 07 teaching faculty are engaged in teaching and research activities in the Department. Eleven teaching posts are vacant. The Department has 2 supporting staff. The student strength in the first year is 76 and in the second year it is 80. There are 15 full time Ph.D students and 07 part time Ph.D students. The faculty members have published 29 research papers in International journals and 92 in National journals in the last 5 years. The faculty have also presented 54 research papers in the Conference/Symposia/Seminar in the last 5 years. The faculty members have brought 4 research projects worth 49 lakhs. There are 5 class rooms and 7 labs . The department has UGC SAP programme. The department has produced 23 Ph.D's for the last 5 years.

COMMENDATIONS

- The Department has carried out significant research in wide areas of Chemistry.
- Department has UGC, SAP program.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Need to get research projects.
- Need to establish Central Instrumentation facility.
- Need to establish computer lab.
- Need to establish consulting service.
- Vacant teaching and non teaching posts have to be filled up.

DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE

OBSERVATIONS

The Department of Computer Science was established in the year 2001. The Department offers M.Sc, MCA, M.Phil and Ph.D programs. There are only 2 teachers working in the Department. Six teaching posts are vacant. There are 43 students in M.Sc, 36 in MCA, 2 in M.Phil and 19 Ph.D students at present. Faculty have published 143 research papers in international journals and 19 research papers in national journals in last five years. Department had 3 UGC major projects with 26.6 lakhs .There is one lab for MCA, one for M.Sc, and one for research and 06 classrooms.

COMMONDATIONS

- Department had UGC Major Projects.
- Department is running three courses.
- Good research publications.

RECOMMONDATIONS

- Vacant Teaching and non teaching posts should be filled up.
- Need to develop consultancy services.
- Need to upgrade computer lab facility.
- Need to require MATLAB software.

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

OBSERVATIONS

Environmental Science Department was established in the year 2009-10. Department offer M.Sc. and Ph.D. programme. The sanctioned teaching strength is 4 and only one teacher is working in the department. Three teaching posts are vacant. There are 9 students in II Semester and 6 students in the Department. Faculty in the department has published 3 research papers in National journal and 9 papers in International journal. They have attended 8 conferences. Faculty has 1

research project worth 3 lakhs. There are 2 M.Sc. class rooms, one student lab and one computer lab with 10 computers.

COMMENDATIONS

- Research project from UGC
- Good research publication

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Staff should take more interest in getting research projects
- Need to have consultancy
- Need to upgrade computer lab
- Vacant teaching and non-teaching posts to be filled up.

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

OBSERVATIONS

The Mathematics Department was established in the year 1970. The Department offers M.Sc., M.Phil. and Ph.D. programme. The sanctioned faculty strength in the department is 12 and at present only 05 are working. Seven teaching posts are vacant. The student strength in II semester is 110 and 110 in IV semester. Till now 130 Ph.D's have been produced and 550 research papers have been published. Department has SAP DRS-I 30 lakhs completed SAP DRS-II 20 lakhs has also been completed. SAP DRS III (20 lakhs) is in progress. Twenty Ph.D students have got research fellowships. Department has 4 research projects worth 78lakhs completed and has 2 research projects worth 20 lakhs on going. At present, there are 38 Ph.D. students. The Department has published 302 papers in the last five years. Department has collaborative research work with DRDO, NIIT, CUK, Kuwait, Taiwan, Korea, USA and UK and South Africa. Some members have been awarded National and International awards. There are 2 class rooms, 1 lab and 2 research labs. There is a Departmental library with 635 books. They have organized 4 National conference and 1 International conferences.

COMMENDATIONS

- The Department has SAP/DRS-III programs.
- The faculty have major research projects.
- The Department has collaborations.
- Awards to two teachers with National and International prizes.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Vacant teaching and non teaching posts need to be filled up.
- Need to provide consultancy services.
- Need to upgrade computer lab.
- Need to provide Matlab and Mathematica and other related software's.

DEPARTMENT OF MICROBIOLOGY

OBSERVATIONS

The Department of Microbiology was established in the year 1976. The Department offers M.Sc., M.Phil. and Ph.D. programmes. The sanctioned faculty strength in the Department is 09. At present, only 5 are working. There are 04 vacant posts. The Department has supporting staff. The student strength is 64 for M.Sc.Programme. There are 28 full time Ph.D. students and 12 part time Ph.D. students working in the Department. The faculty members have 08 research projects worth 65 lakhs. For the last five years, 15 students have received their Ph.D. degree. The faculty members have published 105 research papers in National Journal and 21 research papers in International Journals. There are two class rooms, 03 students' labs and 5 research labs. There is one computer lab with 12 PC's. There is one central Instrumentation room with many research equipments. They have collaboration with research institutes.

COMMENDATIONS

- Faculty members are actively engaged in research.
- Department has reasonably good research facility.
- Collaboration with research institutions.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Attempt should be made to get more research projects.
- Need to develop collaboration with other Departments and other Institutions.
- Need to provide consultancy.
- Vacant teaching and non-teaching posts need to be filled up.
- The Computer laboratory needs to be upgraded.

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS

OBSERVATIONS

The Physics Department was established in the year 1981. The sanctioned faculty strength in the Department is 11 and at present only 8 teachers are engaged in teaching and research. 3 teaching posts are vacant. Department has four non teaching staff and 2 technical staff. The student strength in II semester is 70 and in IV semester is 70. There are 14 M.Phil students and 54 Ph.D's students enrolled in the department. The faculty members have published 40 research papers in international journals and 36 in national journals. They have 68 papers in conferences. Apart from this, they have organized 7 conferences / seminars. The Department produced 46 Ph D's. The faculty members have completed 7 research projects worth rupees 2.4 crores . The faculty members have got fellowship from various organizations to work abroad. Department has Collaboration with BARC, IISc, and IOP. There are 3 class rooms and 5, M.Sc labs, 6 research labs and one lab for central facility. The Department has library with 727 books and there is a computer lab with 10 computers and 2 printers. The Department has completed SAP-DRS-I and II successfully.

COMMONDATATIONS

- SAP –I is successfully competed with 70. 25 lakh and SAP –II program with 130. 50 lakh.
- There is also a Non-SAP Grant, Rupees 20 lakh.
- The faculty have received best paper award and they have collaboration with research institutions.

RECOMMONDATIONS

- Vacant teaching and non teaching posts need to be filled up.
- A good computer lab with more computers and internet service to be provided.
- The Department need to collaborate with other Departments to undertake research on several new thrust areas.
- Need to develop consultancy services.
- Need to upgrade lab facility.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS

OBSERVATIONS

The Statistics Department was established in the year 1991. The Department offers M.Sc., Ph.D, M.Phil programme . The sanctioned faculty strength in the department is 05 and at present only 03 are working. Two teaching posts are vacant. There are 7 students in II semester and 11 in IV semester. In the last five years, only 3 Ph.D.s have been produced .The faculty have published 8 papers in National journals and 16 in International journals. They have attended 13 conferences. They have completed two projects worth 28 lakhs. Department has 2 M.Sc class rooms, 1- student lab and 1 research lab.

COMMENDATION

- Department has completed two research projects.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Attempts have to be made to attract students for M.Sc. course.
- Need to enhance research activities by applying for more projects.
- Vacant teaching and non-teaching posts need to be filled up.
- Need to have consultancy services.
- More collaboration with research Institutes and Universities need to be established.

DEPARTMENT OF ZOOLOGY

OBSERVATIONS

The Department of Zoology was established in the year 1981. The Department offers M.Sc, M.Phil and Ph,D programmes .The sanctioned strength of teaching is 9 and at present there are only 2 teachers working in this Department. 7 teaching posts are vacant . There are 35 students in II semesters and 36 in M.Sc IV semesters, There are 12 full time Ph.D students and 12 part time Ph.D students. There are three M.Sc labs and 02 classrooms, 2 research labs . The Department has library with 120 books. In the last five years, 17 Ph.D's have been awarded. There is a computer lab with 14 PC's. Faculties have published 12 research papers in international journals. Department also has completed DST-FIST Program. Department has grant from NON- SAP 2015 Program.

COMMONDATIONS

- Good research facilities
- DST-FIST program
- Good lab facilities

RECOMMONDATIONS

- Vacant teaching and non-teaching posts need to be filled up.
- Need to be more active in research and get more research projects.
- Need to develop consultancy services.
- Need to establish collaboration with other Institutes / Universities.

**FACULTY OF
SOCIAL SCIENCES**

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

OBSERVATIONS

The Department of Economics was established in the year 1975. Department offers M.A., M.Phil. and Ph.D. courses. Sanctioned faculty strength in the Department is six. There are three permanent teachers, five part-time teachers. A total of 10 Ph.D's awarded in the last five years. Total strength of M.A. is 136, out of which 36 percent belongs to SC/ST and 30 percent are females, Number of Ph.D students registered are 74. Major Research projects are undertaken with funding agencies such as UNDP, Planning Department, Government of Karnataka, UGC etc.

There is collaboration with Zilla Panchayat, Chamber of Commerce and Industries, Hyderabad Karnataka Area Development Board. Collaboration with HKDAB to establishment of *Center for Regional Studies and Development* which has three sub-centers namely, 1. e-Library, 2. Center for Competitive Excellence and 3. Print and Media Center. There is a linkage with outside institutions in the field research, consultancy and extension services. Faculties have published 22 Research papers, one book and teachers got two Research Awards each.

COMMENDATIONS

- The Major contribution of the faculty is in consultancy and extension activities, who helped Planning Department, Government of Karnataka in preparing Human Development Index of Bidar, Gulbarga, Yadgir and Raichur Districts.
- Extension activity of arranging an Awareness programme about the special status of this region under Article 371(J).
- Results are good and collaboration is excellent with HKDAB.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- The University needs to fill up all the vacant teaching and non-teaching positions in the Department.
- There should be a computer lab with at least 10 computers with Internet facility in the Department.
- Some autonomy is needed for Principal investigator/Chairman in spending money specially in collaborative work.
- Teaching is to be strengthened by arranging special lectures and visiting faculty from outside the University.

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

OBSERVATIONS

The Department of History was established in the year 1980. Department offers M.A., M.Phil and Ph.D Courses. Sanctioned faculty strength in the Department is nine. There is one permanent teacher, eight part-time teachers. Total student strength of M.A. is 136, Number of Ph.D students registered are 54. Faculties have published 10 Research papers in National and 10 in International Journals. The Department has an independent Museum.

COMMENDATIONS

- Department has an independent Museum and preserved rare collection of Arts, Archeology and Culture.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- The University needs to fill up all the vacant teaching and non-teaching positions in the Department.
- There should be a computer lab with at least 10 computers with Internet facility in the Department.
- Students have to be enlightened about Research on heritage centers with Department of Tourism, Government of Karnataka.

DEPARTMENT OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE

OBSERVATIONS

The Department of Library and Information Science was established in the year 1979 as a part of Karnataka University PG Centre, Gulbarga. It offers three courses namely MLISc, M.Phil and Ph.D programs. The alumni of the Department have occupied important positions in reputed organizations. At present, 39 PhD students are working. Two students have been awarded Ph.D degree and two students have submitted their Ph.D thesis during the academic year 2014-15. There are five permanent faculty members in the department. Number of application for admission to MLISc declined during the year 2014-15.

COMMENDATIONS

- Placement of students is 76 percent.
- The Department has a proposal of revising the syllabus.
- There is computer laboratory with 8 PCs.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Computer laboratory needs to be strengthened by providing more PCs.
- The Department has to make efforts to get funds from Hyderabad Karnataka Regional Development Board for strengthening infrastructure.
- The students need to be encouraged to make use of the programs like soft skill development program and spoken English program.
- Classrooms to be renovated and new furniture are to be provided.
- Vacant teaching and non-teaching posts need to be filled up.

DEPARTMENT OF JOURNALISM AND MASS COMMUNICATION

OBSERVATIONS

This Department was established in the year 2010. It offers four courses namely Master of Journalism and Mass Communication (MJMC), PGDTVS, PGDJMC and Ph.D. At present, 15 Ph.D. students are working. Recently the Department has been shifted to new building. There are six guest faculty and four non-teaching staff including technical staff. A professor from the department of Library and Information Science is coordinator / Chairperson of this department. Special lectures are arranged by inviting journalist from print and electronic media. The students undergo internship during their courses.

COMMENDATIONS

- Practical training component is emphasized in this course.
- Special lectures are arranged by inviting journalist from print and electronic media.
- There is internship program in the department.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Permanent faculty to be appointed on priority basis.
- Water facility be given to the department.
- IT Laboratory needs to be strengthened with the latest configuration and various software useful for students of Journalism.
- Adequate furniture for classrooms and staff room of the guest faculty be provided.
- One LCD and One printer- A3 be provided.

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

OBSERVATIONS

The Department of Political Science was established in the year 1973. Department offers M.A., M.Phil and Ph.D Course in Political Science. Sanctioned faculty strength in the Department is six. There are five permanent teachers, four part-time teachers. Total strength of M.A. is 136 out of which 36 percent belongs to SC/ST and 30 percent are females. Number of Ph.D. students registered are 74. There are two Major Research projects sponsored by UGC and ICSSR. Faculties have published 50 Research papers in National and 50 in International Journals.

COMMENDATION

- Research projects undertaken by the teachers.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- The University needs to fill up all the vacant teaching and non-teaching positions in the Department.
- There should be a computer lab with at least 10 computers with Internet facility in the Department.
- Department has to revise M.A syllabus.
- Some amount of flexibility is needed for Principal investigator/Chairman in spending money specially in Self Supporting Scheme.
- Separate room for M.Phil / Ph.D students is to be provided.

DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY

OBSERVATIONS

The Department of Psychology was established in the year 1987-88. It offers M.A, M.Phil and Ph.D. programs. The placement of student is 45 percent. There are two permanent faculty members and one guest faculty. The Department faculty visits Bhanamati affected villages for counseling. The Department organizes personality development program for students of other Departments.

COMMENDATION

- The Department organizes personality development program for students of other Departments.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Adequate number of reference books needs to be added to the university library.
- Computer with internet facility be made available for research students.
- Syllabus is to be revised
- Adequate number of specializations be introduced considering the requirements of employability.
- Vacant teaching and non-teaching positions need to be filled up.

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK

OBSERVATIONS

The Master of Social Work course was introduced in the year 1984 in the Department of Sociology. The Department of Social Work became independent in 1988. Social work course is an applied social science with field based activities at grass root level development. The teachers and students visit various welfare agencies, industries and correctional institutions working in and around Gulbarga city. Many students of the Department are working in important NGOs in India and abroad. There is only one permanent faculty. Presently 7 PhD students are working and two students have been awarded Ph.D. in the academic year 2014-15. Placement of students is 95 percent. The department has collaboration with national Institutions. Extension activities are satisfactory.

COMMENDATIONS

- The performance of the department is very good, despite inadequate permanent faculty.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Vacant teaching and non-teaching posts need to be filled up on priority basis.
- Research projects to be undertaken from the UGC, ICSSR and other funding agencies.
- Collaboration with NGOs is to be further strengthened.

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY

OBSERVATIONS

The Department of Sociology was established in the year 1975. Department offers M.A., M.Phil and Ph.D Course in Sociology. Sanctioned faculty strength in the Department is eight. There are four permanent teachers, eight part-time teachers. Total strength of M.A. is 122. Number of Ph.D students registered are 87. Faculties have published 10 Research papers in National and 10 in International Journals.

COMMENDATION

- The faculties have wide experience and visited abroad for academic purpose.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- The vacant teaching and non-teaching positions in the Department need to be filled up.
- There should be a computer lab with at least 10 computers with Internet facility in the Department.
- Research projects have to be undertaken by the faculty.

DEPARTMENT OF WOMEN'S STUDIES

OBSERVATIONS

The Department of Women's Studies was established in the year 1997. Social science faculty members are associated with teaching as well as research programs. The Department offers M.A and Ph.D programs. At present, 29 Ph D students are working and two students have submitted their Ph D thesis. One PhD degree has been awarded during the academic year 2014-15. There are two sanctioned posts of Assistant Professor and one Associate Professor. The department has two non-teaching staff. There is no permanent faculty in this department.

COMMENDATION

- The Department has collaboration with NGOs and department of Women and Child Development.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Vacant teaching and non-teaching positions need to be filled up.
- Computer facility be given to Ph.D students in the department.

P.G. CENTRES

POST-GRADUATE CENTRE, BIDAR

OBSERVATIONS

This P.G. centre at Bidar was established in the year 1996. The centre has 322 acres of land at Halhalli village 20 km from Bidar and 110 km from Gulbarga. Centre is offering 12 courses namely M.A in Urdu and Persian, English, Political Science, MSW, M.Sc in Sugar Technology, Mathematics, Kannada, Sociology, Economics, Organic Chemistry and M.Com courses. There are only two teaching faculty at the centre. There is one Senior Technical Assistant one SDA.

There is an administrative building with 44 rooms (Lecture halls, staff room, library and laboratories) There is one hostel for boys and one for girls, The library has 5210 books and 10 journals. There is one computer lab with 15 computers, there are 2 LCD projectors.

COMMENDATIONS

- Centre is offering several courses to a large number of students coming from rural areas.
- Number of courses offered at the centre has increased over the years.
- Students' strength has also increased over the years.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Vacant teaching and non-teaching posts to be filled up on top priority basis. New teaching and non-teaching posts have to be created keeping in mind the number and diversity of courses offered.
- Need to have more research projects.
- Need to have Computer lab with more PC's.
- Need to have more books in the library.

POST GRADUATE CENTRE, RAICHUR.

OBSERVATIONS

Post-Graduate Centre at Raichur was established in the year 1992. The Post-graduate centre is located near Yeragera village at a distance of 15 km from Raichur. The centre offer M.A.(Kannada), M.Sc (Instrumentation Technology), PGDCA, M.Sc (Computer Science), M.Ed (Education), , MA (English), M.Com (Commerce), M.S.W (Social work), MWS (Womens Studies) courses. Campus has area of 250 acres. The sanctioned faculty strength is 06. At present, only 03 teachers are working in the centre. 03 teaching posts are vacant. There are nearly 13 administrative staff in the centre. At present students strength is 314. There are 2 Research students. There is an administrative block in which class rooms and laboratories located. There is also a library with 17981 books for students/research scholars/teachers. The centre has play ground facilities both for out door and indoor games. Six students have obtained their Ph.D's. There is collaboration with industries at this centre. Faculty at the centre have 3 projects worth Rs 37 lakhs from funding agencies like, UGC. There are 6 hostels for boys and girls, staff quarters and a Guest house. There is a new library building..

COMMENDATIONS

- Centre is offering several courses to a large number of students coming from rural areas.
- Faculty have research projects and are actively engaged in research.
- Student strength at the centre has gradually increased over the years.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- New teaching and non-teaching posts have to be created keeping in mind the diversity of courses offered and need to be filled up on top priority.
- Need for getting more research projects.
- Need to have a computer lab with more number of computers.
- Need to have consultancy services.

CENTRAL FACILITIES

COMMON COMPUTER CENTRE

The Computer Centre is catering to the entire campus and fulfilling the computer based requirements. It is engaged in developing the necessary software for the examination section. They also provide assistance to the library and Finance Sections.

COMMENDATIONS

- Center provided Software Development required by the Examination Section.
- Computer Training to all Students.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Centre should be proactive in IQAC section.
- Vacant teaching and non teaching posts have to be filled up

DIRECTOR OF STUDENTS WELFARE

Students Welfare Office is incharge of activities connected with the general welfare of the students since the establishment of the University. It mainly caters to the need of Post-graduate students on the main campus and PG center at Bidar and Raichur. There is a student consumer co-operative society which was established during 1984 is successfully operating. The South-Zone, Inter University, National Youth Festival are organized several times in the University by this office. The students were also deputed to Inter-University competition on a regular basis. Debate competition, sports and cultural activities are regularly conducted for the students of university. During the year 2012-13, students have become champion in Music, Dance, Literary activities, theater and Fine Arts conducted by various universities in South India.

COMMENDATION

- Training in literary, sports and cultural activities are regularly conducted.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- More funds are to be allocated to enable more number of students to participate in more competition.
- More programs need to be conducted.
- Students should be encouraged to participate in the state and National level competition.

HEALTH CENTER

University has a Health Center within the campus. It has an independent building .One lady Doctor is appointed on contract basis. There are five staff members including Pharmacist and a Nurse. The Health Center has four beds, one X-ray machine, ECG and other equipments.

Every day 40 to 50 patients are consulting the Doctor and getting the available medicine to their ailments. There are 4 rooms in the building and few more are adding at the first floor. It is working during the day from 10 am to 5 pm.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- There is a need to change the timings of the Health Center from 9 am to 1 pm, and evening 4 pm to 8 pm, for the convenience of hostellers and staff members staying in the quarters.
- There is a need to appoint a regular Doctor to the center.

HOSTEL FACILITIES ON THE CAMPUS

There are six hostels in the University out of which two are meant for boys and two for girls and one each for men and women research scholars. There are two hostels at each P.G. Center One for boys and one for girls at Bidar and Raichur. The selection of students for admission to hostels is done on the basis of merit and reservation. The total accommodative capacity is 730 and 571 for boys and girls respectively. Girls are happy with the quality of food supply to them. However, boys complained about the basic facilities and the quality of food served to them.

COMMENDATION

- Hostel building infrastructure is good.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- The hostel buildings need immediate repairs and white wash.
- Pure drinking water facility should be made available.
- Continuous supply of electricity need to be ensured.
- Security should be provided to all the hostels.
- Beds, chairs and tables should be provided to all the inmates of the hostel.
- Quality of food provided should be improved.

LANGUAGE LABORATORY

OBSERVATIONS

Digital Language laboratory has been started to provide additional learning opportunity and effective instructions to the students coming from the rural areas and who are weak in English language. The lab has educational product like, self learning packages, study kits, interactive lecture, films, E-learning, teaching material and skill development modules. There are 40 computers in the laboratory ready to be used by the students.

COMMENDATION

- The laboratory has helped large number of students in improving their English and to develop their personalities.

RECOMMENDATION

- The number of computers should be increased by atleast another 50

MULTI MEDIA CENTER

OBSERVATIONS

Multi Media Production Center was established in the University during 2010. The objective of the center was to disseminate information about the activities of the University to the society. The center has modern production facilities such as Studio, Post Production Unit, Software and final cut for post production editing. The center also has image editing software, news paper editing software and adobe's photo shop. Center has recorded and archived all the official programs and functions of the university. It also serves as laboratory for the students of Journalism and Mass Communication. The center has developed Audio Visual programmes to create awareness among rural community regarding safe drinking water, use of computer and English language.

COMMENDATIONS

- People in the center are active and are doing a good job.
- The equipments and facilities are adequate.

RECOMMENDATION

- Studio need to be modernize by adding latest high end equipments.

PRASARANGA

Prasaranga is publishing the quality academic work and also holding together the multiple interests of the society. With its work and academic journey in to the society at large, the Prasaranga has created a space of its own. It has created a healthy interaction of university as well as the public.

The publications by the prasaranga varies from small booklets to big volumes of books and references, etc.

REMEDIAL COACHING CENTRE

OBSERVATIONS

The Academic Activities of the Remedial Coaching Centre were initiated during the year 2015. The centre has an advisory committee with the Vice-Chancellor as the Chairman.

The Academic Activities of the Remedial Coaching Centre was inaugurated on 12th January 2015. The Centre started remedial coaching for the first batch of 86 students admitted to the English language skill development programme from 12.01.2014 to 13.03.2014. The Centre has commenced the second batch with 186 students applying for the remedial coaching class. The centre is imparting coaching classes in English Language skill for these students from 23.03.2015 to 30.06.2015. This coaching is substantially helping the students of rural background.

RECOMMENDATION

- The University has to continue the activities of the centre and it contribute to enhance the quality of learning.

SPORTS FACILITIES

The sports facilities on the campus are looked after by the Department of Physical Education which supervise the sports and games activities of the under graduate and post graduate students. There is a huge indoor stadium and also an outdoor stadium where tournaments are conducted regularly. The Outdoor stadium has 400 mts. track and the Indoor Stadium is a multipurpose stadium. The University campus has the credit of having Lawn Tennis Court, Basketball Court, Volleyball court, Handball court, Gymnastic Hall, Wrestling arena, Kho-Kho court, Kabaddi Court, Hockey Field and Foot ball Field. There is facility for indoor games like Table-Tennis, Chess and Carrom. The fitness centre caters to the sports enthusiasts.

Inter-Collegiate Zonal and Inter-Zonal and Single Zone tournaments are organized on the campus. Athletic Meets are conducted regularly. Students of the University have won silver medals, bronze medals in All India Inter-University Athletic Meet for Wrestling and Long Jump respectively. The University students have also represented Karnataka in Ranji Trophy cricket tournament.

COMMENDATION

- Sports facilities available are reasonably good.

RECOMMENDATION

- More number of students are to be encouraged to make use of the sports facilities.

UNIVERSITY LIBRARY

Gulbarga University Library is managed by a committed Librarian and supporting staff. The library has excelled in providing the facilities to its users in a big way. It has a reasonable space as well as competitive staff to cater the needs of the students. The Librarian is assisted by Deputy Librarian, Asst. Librarian, Library Assistant and with supporting staff. Its engagements with online and other computer leased facilities are extended to its readers is encouraging as well as creative. Also some of the facilities available are as follows.

- Virtual Learning Resource Center and Digital Library.
- Sharana Sahitya Library and Resource Center at Basava Kalyan District Bidar.
- INFLIBNET
- Library Automation and Cloud Computing.
- Library Website
- Fed gate –Discovery Services.
- Sibscro[topm Z1.Scholar
- Shodhaganga
- Institutional Reporting and Scientific Productivity.
- Question Point Service from OCLA,USA
- Remote Access Facility
- Training Programme and User Sensitization

COMMENDATIONS

- Library is made accessible for ready users.
- Library has compiled the citation index of publications of the faculty year wise.
- Remote access.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Implementation of anti-plagiarism software for verifying the Ph.D. thesis by the Gulbarga Library.
- Vacant posts have to be filled up.

UNIVERSITY SCIENCE INSTRUMENTATION CENTRE (USIC)

The USIC was established in 1993 with reasonably adequate staff. Many of the instruments are procured long back and they are still in working condition. The staffs have carried out repair service of several equipments belonging to the different Departments over the last few years. They also have a Diploma course in Embedded Systems and Applications for the students. The staff members are engaged in research and they do have research projects. One of the staff members have guided Ph.D. students.

COMMENDATIONS

- Staff members are sincerely offering their services to all the departments in the university. They have generated some funds and rendered free service worth of Rs. 7.8 Lakhs.
- They have undertaken research project from UGC to the tune of Rs. 9.00 Lakhs.
- They have maintained all the equipment in working condition
- They have fabricated designed and developed software for the control of the equipment.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Upgrade all the equipments with the state of the art facilities like SEM, FTNMR, FTIR and LEITZ Microscope.
- Vacant teaching and non-teaching posts have to be filled up.

STUDY CENTRES/ ENDOWING/CHAIRS

BASAVADI SHARAN SAHITYA KENDRA

OBSERVATIONS

Shree Galangappa Patil donated rupees twenty lakhs for the establishment of Basavadi Sharan Sahitya Kendra in 2012. This Kendra arranges a series of lectures every year by inviting renowned scholars in Basavadi Sharana literature.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Lectures arranged in this Kendra are to be published in the form of Booklets.
- Director of Kendra may take possible initiative for mobilizing funds for the activities of the Kendra.

SHRI MAHARSHI VALMIKI TRIBAL STUDY AND RESEARCH CENTRE

OBSERVATIONS

The present research centre is focusing on Valmiki and Tribal development studies. With this objective the centre has been established in March 2015 and the Government of Karnataka has sanctioned rupees one crore.

RECOMMENDATION

- Certificate/P.G. Diploma course be introduced on tribal studies.

DR. B.R. AMBEDKAR STUDY CENTER

OBSERVATIONS

Center was established in the year 1992-1993. It offers course on P.G. Diploma in Ambedkar Studies, M.Phil and Ph.D in Ambedkar Studies. There is only one teacher from the Department of Library and Information Science with an additional charge. Teachers are coming from various Social Science Departments to teach above said courses. It is now housed in an old building and likely to be shifted to the spacious new building.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- The new building called ‘Ambedkar Bhavan’ will have to be used for this center.
- Research projects have to be initiated by Post Doctoral Students and teachers jointly.
- There is a need for merger of this center along with the Center for Pali and Buddhist Studies.

PALI AND BUDDHIST STUDIES CENTER

OBSERVATIONS

Center was established in the year 2013. It offers course on P.G. Diploma in Pali and Buddhist Studies. There is only one teacher from the department of Library and Information Science with an additional charge. One Post Doctoral Research Scholar is teaching as fulltime faculty in above said courses. It is now housed in an old building and likely to be shifted to the specious new building.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- The new building called Ambedkar Bhavan will have to be used for this center.
- Research projects have to be initiated by Post Doctoral Students and teachers jointly.
- There is a need for merger of the center for Pali and Buddhist Studies with the Center for Ambedkar Studies.

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR

Registrar's Office is responsible for the overall administration in the University. It also looks after academic administration of the affiliated colleges. Registrar is the whole time officer of the university and is the ex-officio member of Academic Council and Syndicate. Registrar is assisted by Deputy Registrars, Assistant Registrars and Superintendents and other staff members. He looks after Academic, Administration, Development, Syndicate, Store, SC/ST Cell and Engineering Section. All Sections are managed by Superintendents, Senior Assistants, FDA's SDA's and Stenos. Each section has well defined responsibilities in administration.

The Academic section looks after academic matters like framing of syllabi/ statutes / regulations / ordinances / concerning all courses of studies, fixation of fee structure, approval of admission to all affiliated colleges, eligibility/ migration of students.

The Administrative section looks after general administration like processing of bills (TA, DA, Telephone, Remuneration bills etc.), Purchase of stationary, furniture, equipments, maintenance, computation and printing of annual report, days and calendar. The Administrative section also looks after the matters relating to employees of the University like KCSR rules, creation and filling up of the posts, service matters of the employees.

The Development section looks after the sanction of purchases, approval and estimates for construction/maintenance of buildings, maintenance of land records, and allocation of grants to various departments, funding programs from various organizations and sanction of guest faculty.

Store section deals with compilation of statutes, printing of forms/stationary, purchase of all items relating to the stationeries to the Departments.

The Syndicate section looks after the constituent bodies like Academic Council and Syndicate, convening the meetings of the above authorities and maintaining the proceedings.

SC/ST Cell deals with the matters relating to SC/ST students like scholarship, hostel facilities, SC/ST research fellowships and other functions and utilization of SC/ST grants.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Need to make all the administrative staff computer savvy
- Adequate freedom to be provided to the Chairpersons of the Departments in sectioning leave/OOD.
- Autonomy need to be provided to the principal investigator of the research projects with proper accountability
- University need to adopt e-governance as early as possible.
- Need to simplify procedures through decentralization/de-bureaucration
- Vacant positions need to be filled up.

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR (EVALUATION)

This office mainly looks after all aspects of conduct of examinations of the offered courses (certificate/diploma/degree/PG/MPhil/PhD), declaration of results , issue of marks sheets and degree/ diploma certificates, maintenance of all examination related documents / records / ledgers. This office is headed by Registrar (Evaluation). He is the whole time officer and assisted by one Deputy Registrar, one Assistant Registrar, and other staff of the section. Apart from all these officers there are Programme Assistant, Office Superintendent etc.,

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Academic Calendar of events should be strictly adhered to.
- Need to make all the employees computer savvy.
- Results should be announced within 10 days after evaluation.
- Marks cards, degree certificates and other documents should be issued at the earliest without inconvenience to the students.
- CC TV should be setup for the security purposes.
- Vacant positions need to be filled up.

OFFICE OF THE FINANCE OFFICER

The Finance Officer is the whole time officer of the University and he is of the cadre of Joint Controller of State Accounts Department. The Finance Officer is assisted by Deputy Finance Officer, Assistant Finance Officer and other staff. The Finance Officer and staff prepare budget estimates, re-conciliation of accounts, prepare annual accounts for the finance committee. Finance Officer is also responsible for pay fixation of employees, pension of employees, and payment of sanctioned bills.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Need to introduce tally and double entry system for accounting.
- Need to make all the staff computer savvy.
- Vacant positions need to be filled up.

ENGINEERING DIVISION

The work undertaken by the Engineering division adds to the structural Development of the University. Developmental Programme planned by the University is supported and executed by this division. It looks after construction and maintenance of the buildings and campus. The Executive Engineer is assisted by Assistant Executive Engineer, Assistant Engineer and other staff member.

GENERAL RECOMMENDATIONS



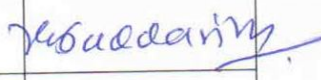
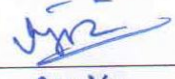


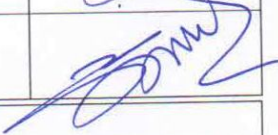

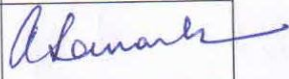

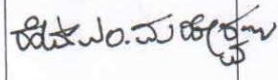
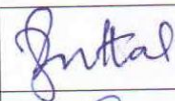

1. The Committee recommends to restructure the Departments into the viable / strong schools of studies and research. Schools such as school of physical sciences, school of natural sciences, school of social sciences, school of languages, school of law, school of education. This encourages sharing of physical, financial and human resources and offer programmes jointly. The Dean can head each school. It gives the academic / functional autonomy which can improve the efficiency in curriculum development and teaching / research.
2. Student feedback on teachers, programmes and curriculum need to be made mandatory.
3. Lecture Programmes need to be organised by the faculty to project the intellectual creativity of the Departments and make it known to the public.
4. Chairs / endowment / study centers need to be more active.
5. Research activities of some of the Department need to be enhanced in terms of publication, projects, patents etc.
6. More collaboration / linkages have to be established and consultancy services need to be developed.
7. Each department needs to have a Computer Lab with a minimum of 10 computers with internet for the use of students.
8. The two P.G. Centers at Bidar and Raichur need a substantial upgradation in terms of teachers, research facilities and other infrastructure.
9. The Hostel facilities for boys and girls need to be improved.
10. All the teaching and non-teaching vacant posts need to be filled up on a priority basis.
11. Annual Self Appraisal of teachers should be made mandatory.
12. An alumni association has to be established / strengthened.


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