INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY FOR ADVANCED STUDIES & RESEARCH (ISTAR) VALLABH VIDYANAGAR – 388 120

NOTICE

A meeting of IQAC with all HoDs is arranged on Monday, 17th November, 2014 at 11:30 a.m. in Room No.403. All are requested to attend the same.

AGENDA

- Discussion on BOM preparation
- Action Plan for Admission 2015-16
- Seminars / Conferences planned
- Status of Syllabus updation
- Action Plan for Campus Placement

(Merlin Thomas)
IQAC Coordinator

cc.to.:

All HoDs

Date: 14th November, 2014

(P.M. Udani) Principal

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5. Participation of in house faculty in seminar/workshops organized by ISTAR

It is advised not to organize seminar/conference with 100% dependency on external faculty .Internal faculty must contribute as speaker so that the public in large come to know about the technical knowledge of the in-house faculty which will in turn boost the admission prospects.

6. Research and Consultancy

Regular meeting must be conducted by the research committee for the follow up of research and consultancy work and planning of new proposals. More networking should be done to stimulate this.

7. Inclusion of in-house projects in IQAC rating of departments

The percentage of students doing In-house projects to be considered in IQAC rating of departments in addition to the already existing points. The departments should be graded as GOOD/Satisfactory. This audit is to be done in the first week of June. Dr. Merlin Thomas, IQAC Coordinator is given the ity.

8. Functioning of MOODLE

As Dr.Priyanka Sharma and Dr.Kamlesh Vaishnav who were looking after the functioning of MOODLE have resigned, Mr. Pritesh Patel & Mr. Nirbhay Choubey are to be requested to look after the functioning of MOODLE.

9. Admission Counseling

Admission canvassing must be started from December 2014 itself. Saurashtra, Mehsana, South Gujarat and Ahmedabad regions to be covered in profound by all departments, if possible with other sister entity of CVM for admission.

10. New co-ordinators for Women Cell & Research Committee

place of Dr. Priyanka Sharma who resigned on 14th November, 2014, new co-ordinators are appointed for Women cell & Research Committee. Dr. Nirmal Kumar is given the duty for Research committee and Mrs. Suchita Patel for Women cell.

11. Mr. Vijaybhai Patel of EST department is to help the office staff in process of admission and filling of forms for SPU on line examination .

Meeting ended with a vote of thanks.

(Dr. Merlin Thomas) IQAC Coordinator

Date: 18th November, 2014

(Dr. P.M. Udani) Director, ISTAR