

**ISLAMIAH COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS)
VANIYAMBADI**



INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL (IQAC)

EXTERNAL AUDIT REPORT – 2015-2016

EXTERNAL ACADEMIC AUDITORS

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The External Academic Auditors namely Dr. K.P. Kandasami, Former Registrar, Bharathiar University and Dr. Major Syed Shahabuddeen, Principal, Islamiah Women's College, Vaniyambadi visited Islamiah College (Autonomous) on 09th & 10th April 2016. They visited every department of the College, verified the records maintained by the departments and interacted with the faculty with a view to assess the academic performance of every department criterion wise for the year 2015-2016. The External Academic Auditors are very much pleased to make the following observations:

- Controller of Examinations section is performing very well under the dynamic leadership of Dr. U. Rizwan, HOD of Mathematics who has been appointed as Controller of Examinations. His new initiatives such as Direct Entry of Internal Assessment Marks in the computers through intranet facility, which resulted in saving stationery up to 86%; OMR based examinations for Environmental Studies and Value Education Courses; Conduct of End Semester Valuation simultaneously during the End Semester Examinations from April 2016 onwards, which enabled the COE to publish the results in a very short span of time – are remarkable and highly commendable.
- The support services of the College particularly NCC, NSS, YRC, Enviro Club and Sports have been functioning very well. Under Youth Red Cross, NSS, RRC and Retract Club, blood donation camps have been organized regularly with a view to help needy poor people. The polio drop program organized at Govt. High School, New Town by NSS and its special camp for seven days at Thimampet Village are really very useful to the community. The participation of NCC cadets in All India Trekking Expeditions at Shillong and again in the National Integration Camp at Bhubaneswar, Orissa reflects the quality of NCC in the college. RRC has organized rallies on AIDS and DENGUE awareness at Thimampet Village which is commendable.

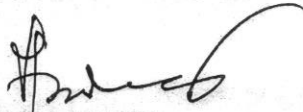
- The Career Guidance and Placement Cell organized campus interviews by leading companies like HCL India Ltd., Eureka Forbes, Accenture and Malladi Pharmaceuticals and many students got placement. An Arts & Science College organizing campus interviews and helping students to get placement is indeed appreciable. The Entrepreneurship Development Cell of the college organized workshop on Entrepreneurship Skill Development & Training which helped interested students to become successful entrepreneurs.
- As regards library, the best practices are faculty publications, book exhibition, preservation of rare books, digitalization, subscription of e-journals, provision of DELNET, INFLIBNET, NPTEL e-learning, wi-fi, reprographic services, question bank etc. The librarian Mr. Abdul Latheef takes new initiatives in organizing seminars and workshops for librarians across the states and in developing network, which deserves appreciation.
- As regards the innovative programmes in curriculum designing, some departments like Commerce, Biochemistry, Biotechnology etc. have done very well. Subjects like 'Business computer Application, a full fledged practical paper and Tally Accounting have been introduced at the under graduate level and Corporate Laws and e-commerce at the post graduate level by the department of commerce. Recruitment procedure of UPSC, TNPSC, RRB and training methods of leading companies like TCS, WIPRO, PEPSI are the innovative subjects of B.Com Computer Application. Training of students in the fields of financial services, accounting and auditing was the main focus of B.Com (F&A). Advertisement and salesmanship, Tally and Export Management are the new subjects of BBA. The department of mathematics modified the curriculum and included Hands on training with computer and software techniques for the undergraduate program. Human Anatomy and Physiology and Bioinformatics are the new subjects of B.Sc. Biochemistry course. Pharmacology and Toxicology and Ecology and Evolution

have been introduced at the post - graduate level. In Biotechnology, the papers like 'Environmental Biotechnology', 'Endocrine Technology' and 'Immunology' have been introduced. In M.Sc. Biotechnology, the optional subjects such as 'Advanced Biochemistry' and 'Molecular Genetics' have been introduced. In Tamil, 'Science and Computer Tamil' has been introduced as a non major subject. 'An introduction to American culture' is the paper newly introduced by the department of English. An objective type book for Value Education has also been published. The department of Hindi has introduced 'Basic Hindi' for non Hindi students in the III and IV semesters.

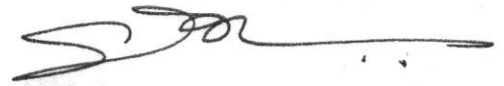
- All departments of the college except BBA have good publications in both national and international journals. The department Commerce, Chemistry, Biotechnology, Hindi and Tamil have published books. The Internationally renowned book house 'Springer' has published a Book entitled "Ascidians in Coastal Water" authored by Dr.H.AbdulJafar, Assistant Professor of Biochemistry.
- It is very much appreciated that the Department of Commerce has been conducting a certificate course under career oriented programme of UGC called 'e-Commerce and Footwear Technology'. Similarly the Department of Commerce (F & A) conducts coaching classes for ICWA. Other departments may follow their example.
- It is found that in response to the point raised last year nine^{ten}₂ members of the staff have applied for minor research projects which are under consideration by UGC. This is a good trend towards research.
- It is appreciated that sixteen Ph.D.s and eighty seven M.Phils have been awarded during the year 2015-2016. We congratulate the awardees for their achievements.

- MoUs signed by the Department of Commerce, Chemistry and English are appreciated.
- Community service activities have to be strengthened further.
- Parents and alumni meetings held periodically are to be strengthened further.
- Student evaluation of teachers is to be further strengthened.

Finally the External Academic Auditors thank the Management and the Principal of the College for giving them the opportunity to assess the academic performance of the College. Similarly they are grateful to all the members of the staff both teaching and non-teaching for their kind cooperation.



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