

Mahatma Education Society's Pillai College of Arts, Commerce & Science (Autonomous) Affiliated to University of Mumbai NAAC Accredited 'A' grade (3 cycles) Best College Award by University of Mumbai ISO 9001:2015 Certified

PCACS/IIC/MOM/2020-21/T1/3

Minute of the Meeting Held on 7th November 2020

Agenda

- 1. Discussion and Resolution on annual Calender.
- 2. Follow up of quarter 1 activities.
- 3. Planning for quarter II and Quarter II Calendar Presentation by all the cells.
- 4. Planning of Idea/ PoC pitching & validation and Institute level PoC competition.
- 5. Discussions and Resolution for finalizing self driven Activities to boost Innovation and Entrepreneurship.
- 6. Any other matter with permission of the Chair.

Minute of the Meeting

- 1. The President, Mrs. Nithya Vargese, welcomed the members and presented the annual calender to all the members. She informed that all the activities for the quarter I has been conducted. She requested all the internal and external members to give suggestions for the planned events.
- 2. Mrs. Sujata Shabhade, Co-ordinator, Innovation Cell presented the activities conducted in quarter I. She informed the member about the planning for 7 days Workshop on Design Thinking, Critical thinking and Innovation Design by Innovation cell.
- 3. Mrs. Archana Deepak, Co-ordinator, IEDP Cell, presented the activities of the IEDP cell in the quarter I and presented the calendar for the quarter II.
- 4. Mrs. Meenakshi Johri, Incubation cell Coordinator presented the planned activities for the quarter II for the incubation cell. She informed the member that the incubation cell is planning workshops for the students.
- 5. Dr. Navami Dayal, IP Cell Co-ordinator, also presented the activities conducted in the quarter I and presented the plan for the quarter II.
- 6. Mrs. Nithya Vargese informed the members that IIC is planning an Institute level PoC competition for Idea/ PoC pitching & validation.
- 7. Dr. Priam Pillai insisted that industry specific activities should be planned to give the students better exposure. Various hackathons or multiple competitions on different themes should be organized.
- 8. Mr. Nischal Kapadia suggested to select the best 5 ideas and to develop the same into possible startups and it is better to develop a specific area.
- 9. Mr. Tito Aby Idicula informed that most of the start ups shut down due to managerial issues so it is very much necessary to counsel the founders and develop skills like persuasiveness and social engineering. They should be made to identify their goals (personal or social). So he suggested to organise team building exercises.
- 10. Mr. Sagar Chandni represented that after every 2 or 3 sessions, it is very necessary to analyse if the students are able to gain anything or not.

- 11. Mrs. Deepika Sharma suggested that the workshops should not consume a lot of time of the students so it is very necessary to choose good mentors and some criteria should be set for the resource person to make the events and workshops worthy and meaningful.
- 12. Mr. Sagar Chandni suggested that we can also tell the students to participate in Start up India Programs organized by Upgrad.
- 13. Saher, a student representative was of the opinion that instead of organizing YouTube events, more of interactive session should be conducted where it would be possible for the students to interact with each other as well as the mentors. She also suggested that the students should be given some incentives so that they are more attracted towards these initiatives.
- 14. Mrs Deepika Sharma opined that in the policy for the IIC, two extra non-academic credits could be awarded to the students extremely well in the innovation and entrepreneurship areas.
- 15. Mrs. Nithya Vargese concluded the meeting saying that all the suggestion have been noted and it will be tried to implement all of them in the upcoming events and plan for the activities accordingly.

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The Following Members attended the meeting on 7th November 2020.

Sr. No.		Member Type (Teaching/ Non- teaching / External Expert)	Key Role/ Position assigned in IIC	Signature
1.	Dr.Gajanan P Wade	Principal PCACS	Head of Institution	1104
2.	Mrs. Nithya Varghese	Teaching	President	Note.
3.	Mrs.Jennie Prajith	Teaching	Vice President	707Salthi
4.	Mrs. Suparna Deepak	Teaching	Convener	mparina
5.	Mrs. Sujata Shahbade	Teaching	Innovation cell coordinator	Orijata
6.	Mrs. Meenakshi Johri	Teaching	Incubation cell Coordinator	Hanakashi
6.	Mrs. Archana Deepak	Teaching	Start up Activity & EDP Cell in-charge	Beckere
7.	Mrs. Padmaja Ganti	Teaching	Internship coordinator	Jalmed.
8.	Dr. Navami Dayal	Teaching	IPR coordinator	Ballar

9.	Dr. Kavita Kathare	Teaching	Skill Development Cell Coordinator	Kyrathove
10.	Mrs. Deepika Sharma	Teaching	Social media coordinator	Nom
11.	Dr. Aarti Sukheja	Teaching	ARIIA coordinator	A. A. Sukley
12.	Ms. Bhavana Parab	Teaching	NIRF coordinator	Blarch
13.	Mrs. Bindu Rajaguru	Teaching	Innovation cell secretary	Bunch
14.	Mr. Omkar S	Teaching	Incubation Cell Secretary	
15.	Ms. Poonam Gupta	Teaching	IP cell Secretary	
16.	Mrs. Prajakta Bapat	Teaching	Internship cell Secretary	
17.	Akshata Narkar	Teaching	Members	
18.	Agnas Vidya	Teaching	Members	
19.	Dr. Priam Pillai	COO, Mahatma Education Society	IP Expert and Angel Investor	Prise
20.	Tito Aby Idicula	External Expert	Start Up Alumni entrepreneur	Priscol
21.	Nischal Kapadia	External Expert	Industry Expert	Kon.
22.	Sagar Chandni	External Expert	Incubation Centre In-charge	Dreadersi
23.	Ms. Saher Binware	Student Representative		
24.	Mr. Nikhil Nawale	Student Representative		