



A Brief Report on 2nd 2-Day Workshop on Revised NAAC Framework

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Commissionerate of Collegiate Education, Govt. of Telangana has proposed for organizing 3 Workshops of 2 Day each on NAAC Revised Frame work on during Nov and Dec 2018 and consulted NAAC Bangalore for financial assistance. NAAC Bangalore has approved the proposal and also nominated NAAC officials to be the keynote speakers. The workshops are proposed to be organized on 29-30 Nov, 13-14 Dec and 17-18 Dec 2018.

After 1st Work shop well received by the participants from colleges due for reaccreditation, the 2nd work shop was organized on 13th & 14th December 2018. 23 Colleges were identified and 3 from each college including Principal and IQAC Coordinator are nominated to attend the workshop. Among these 4 colleges were due for reaccreditation and the rest are first timers. The workshops are organized at Dr.BR Ambedkar Open University, Jubilee Hills, Hyderabad.

The workshop was opened with the welcome note by Dr.J.Neeraja, Academic Officer in the inaugural session at 10.45 AM on 13th Dec 2018. Sri.Navin Mittal, IAS, Commissioner, Collegiate Education and State Project Director RUSA, Telangana was the Chief Guest and Dr. Vishnu Mahesh K R was the Special Invitee and Keynote Speaker. The Chief Guest mentioned that education system is slowly moving from a kind of regulatory sector to assessment & accreditation based sector. It is happening faster than expected. In 3-4 years there will be a big demarcation between the colleges accredited and not accredited and it will be the choice of the student to select the college/course based on the grade. RUSA is anyway insisting on funding the institutions with a valuable grade and at the launch of RUSA 2.0 it has taken a commitment from all the state governments that HEIs of the concerned states will get accredited by NAAC for allotment of RUSA funds under various components. Guest of Honour, Prof.R.Limbadi, Vice Chairman-I, Telangana State Council for Higher Education congratulated on organizing workshops which enables the institutions to prepare for the assessment keeping in view the Revised Framework of NAAC. He emphasized that in Telangana, first state to introduce online admissions into under graduate colleges, colleges with accreditation will fare better than the colleges without accreditation.

During 1st session after inauguration, Dr. Vishnu Mahesh KR, Assistant Adviser, NAAC Bangalore has opened his keynote address with the need for revising the framework of A&A process. He has given fair knowledge on how the head of the institution and IQAC team of a college should understand the quantitative and qualitative metrics of 7 criteria and collect the relevant data for submission online. He made it clear that data validation will be done by a third party and the institution will be penalized

Dr.Smitha Asthana, IQAC Coordinator of St. Ann's College for Women, Mehdiapatnam, Hyderabad accredited with A+ in 4th cycle and Smt.R.Komala and Smt.Nagalakshmi IQAC Coordinator and Member, St. Pious Degree College for Women, Nacharam, Hyderabad has thrown light on the process of the preparation of committees, cells, clubs and documents as per the new frame work.



