A Report

Awareness Programme on Revised Accreditation Framework (RAF)

Venue: Conference Hall, NAAC
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Awareness Programme on Revised Accreditation Framework has been organised jointly by University Grants Commission (UGC) and National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) on 21st July, 2018 at NAAC office in Bengaluru. 83 Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) (82 Colleges and 1 University) with 121 participants participated in the programme. Since NAAC got a good deal of response from the participants from various HEIs, online video projection was arranged in the board room.

The programme has begun with the warm welcome from Dr. M. S. Shyamasundar, Adviser, NAAC followed by opening remarks from Prof. S. C. Sharma, Director, NAAC and self introduction by participants.
After the tea break, a NAAC video documentary had been projected to all the participants which was very much appreciated by them big round of applause. There after all the participants have been requested to be seated calmly in their respective seats to receive Hon’ble Governor of Karnataka, Shri Vajubhai Vala. In the inaugural function all the dignitaries on the dias participated in “lighting the lamp” programme. Prof. S. C. Sharma, Director, NAAC has given a welcome address and felicitated the Hon’ble Governor of Karnataka. Dr. M. S. Shyamasundar, Adviser, NAAC introduced the programme to the participants. Dr. Vishnukant S Chatpalli, Adviser, NAAC has shared the vision of NAAC. Finally Hon’ble Governor of Karnataka, Shri Vajubhai Vala has given an inaugural address very eloquently. Dr. G. Srinivas, Joint Secretary, UGC gave vote of thanks. Hon’ble Governor planted a sapling at NAAC before his departure.

In the technical sessions Dr. Latha Pillai, Adviser, NAAC spoke on Relevance of Assessment and Accreditation; Dr. Jagantah Patil, Adviser, NAAC spoke on Revised Accreditation Framework (RAF) – Overview; Dr. K. Rama, Adviser, NAAC spoke on Institutional Preparation – Before, during and after the process of Assessment and Accreditation. After the completion of technical session, core committee members participated in the open discussion. Prof. S. C. Sharma, Director, NAAC gave closing remarks and vote of thanks. The programme ended with High Tea.
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