

**Minutes of 9<sup>th</sup> Meeting of Internal Quality Assurance Cell held on  
07-08-2021**

The 9<sup>th</sup> meeting of an Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Shree Somnath Sanskrit University, Veraval was held on 07-08-2021 at 11:00 am in "Sudharma Hall", 'Triveni' Administrative Building, University campus. Present,

1	Prof. Gopabandhu Mishra	<i>Chairperson</i>
2	Dr. Lalitkumar A. Patel	<i>Director/Coordinator</i>
3	Prin. Dr. Narendrakumar L. Pandya	<i>Member</i>
4	Prof. Vinod Kumar Jha	<i>Member</i>
5	Dr. Pankajkumar S. Rawal	<i>Member</i>
6	Dr. Mansinh Keshoda	<i>Member</i>
7	Dr. Dasharath Jadav	<i>Member Secretary</i>
8	Dr. Kartik Pandya	<i>Convener</i>

First of all, the Chairperson extended a warm welcome to the members of an Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Shree Somnath Sanskrit University, Veraval. Thereafter, the following matters were transacted.

1. **IQAC** took into consideration different academic works done by the P.G. Section, College, Research and Publication Section of the University from 11-12-2020 to 28-07-2021.
2. **Item No. 1:** Solemnly approved the recommendation of two (2) research journals viz. शोधज्योति: of Shree Somnath Sanskrit University, Veraval and स्वाध्याय of the Oriental Institute, The M.S. University of Baroda, Vadodara for their inclusion in the UGC CARE list of journals. Further, it was suggested to get शोधज्योति: of Shree Somnath Sanskrit University, Veraval recommended for its inclusion in the UGC CARE list of journals by other Universities like MSU, BHU, CSU etc.
3. **Item No. 2** Three applications of the University Teachers for their CAS promotions from stage-2 to stage-3 have been received by the IQAC. On the recommendation and evaluation of three (3) members committee, the IQAC perused the records by way of screening and evaluating the Publications / API / AS /RS Forms of the University Teachers for CAS promotions and found two applications in order. Two applications of Dr. Dayalal M. Mokaria and Dr. Pankajkumar S. Rawal were satisfactory and were found eligible for CAS promotion from stage-2 to stage-3. Consolidated reports of both the applications shall be submitted to the Registrar of this University for further step of necessary action in this matter. IQAC strongly recommends the CAS Promotions of these two University Teachers. The third application of Dr. Ramesh Chandra Shukla is neither in a given format nor in order. On the recommendation and evaluation of three (3) members committee, the IQAC recommends to return the CAS promotion application of Dr. Ramesh Chandra Shukla to him for its revision and re-submission within a month.

4. **Item No. 3:** Noted the celebration of the online **World Day of Yoga** on 21-06-2021. The entire University staff, laymen of the society of Veraval city and Gir Somnath district also joined this programme on a large scale.
5. **Item No. 4:** Recommended to establish the IQAC tab on the University website [www.sssu.ac.in](http://www.sssu.ac.in) and to upload all the necessary documents of the IQAC like IQAC Policy, Notifications of IQAC, Feedback Forms, CAS Promotion Rules, Regulations, Forms etc.
6. **Item No. 5:** Recommended to conduct the following programmes in the University in the future course of time.
  - I. Independence Day Celebration
  - II. Sanskrit Week Celebration
  - III. K.K. Shastri Vyakhyanamala
  - IV. Webinars on New Education Policy – 2020
  - V. Departmental Seminars/Workshop/s
  - VI. University Youth Festival
  - VII. Sanskrit Sambhashana Varga/Shibir/s
  - VIII. Faculty Development Programme/s
  - IX. Research Methodology Workshop/s
7. **Item No. 6:** **Prof. Gopabandhu Mishra Sir** recommended motivating the University Teachers to apply for the Research Projects in IKS, Ministry of Education, Government of India, New Delhi. Further, he recommended preparing and implementing the Research Project (Seed Grant) Policy of the University at the earliest. All the members solemnly approved both the recommendations of the *Chairman*.

The meeting concluded with a vote of thanks to all the members present by the Member Secretary.



  
(Dr. Dasharath Jadav)  
Registrar

Date: 07-08-2021  
Place: Veraval

**Minutes of 10<sup>th</sup> Meeting of Internal Quality Assurance Cell held  
on 10-02-2022**

The 10<sup>th</sup> meeting of an Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Shree Somnath Sanskrit University, Veraval was held through ONLINE WEBEX MODE on 10-02-2022 at 3:00 pm. Present,

1	Dr. Lalitkumar A. Patel	<i>Chairperson</i>
2	Dr. Lalitkumar A. Patel	Director/Coordinator
3	Dr. Satrughna Panigrahi	Member
4	Dr. Janakisharan Acharya	Member
5	Dr. Jayesh Vaghasia	Member
6	Dr. Smita Chhag	Member
7	Shri A. J. Rathwa	<i>Member Secretary</i>
8	Dr. Vinu P. Vaja	Member
9	Dr. Kartik Pandya	<i>Convener</i>

First of all, the Chairperson extended a warm welcome to the members of an Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Shree Somnath Sanskrit University, Veraval. Thereafter, the following matters were transacted.

1. **IQAC** took into consideration different academic works done by the P.G. Section, College, Academic-Affiliation Section, Research and Publication Section of the University from 08-08-2021 to 09-02-2022.
2. **Item No. 1:** Solemnly approved the works done by NEP-2020 Implementation Committee of Shree Somnath Sanskrit University, Veraval. Further, the Chairperson informed all about the decisions/discussions/suggestions made in the meetings of NEP-2020 Implementation Committee on 25-01-2022 and 02-02-2022 respectively. All the members solemnly approved both the Minutes of the Meetings of NEP-2020 Implementation Committee.
3. **Item No. 2** Solemnly approved the proposed P.G. Diploma in Temple Management of the University
4. **Item No. 3:** As per the suggestion of NAAC Peer Team, the University has sent the proposal of establishing શિવતત્ત્વાનુસન્ધાનપીઠ in the University campus to the Education Department, Government of Gujarat, Gandhinagar. All the members solemnly approved the agendas and works done in it.
5. **Item No. 4:** The University has sent the proposal of conducting Faculty-Wise Workshops in the University to the Education Department, Government of Gujarat, Gandhinagar. All the members solemnly approved the agendas and works done in it.
6. **Item No. 5:** All the members solemnly approved the agenda of conducting Short Term Courses/Webinars/Seminars (online) Department-Wise.
7. **Item No. 6 & 7:** The Education Department, Government of Gujarat, Gandhinagar has approved Ph.D. Facilitation Centre in this University. Under this approval, the Research Section of the University has conducted Two-Day Ph.D./Research Workshop to bring awareness about the UGC and the University

regulations amongst Ph.D. candidates during 9-10 December, 2021. All the members solemnly approved the agendas and works done in it.

8. **Suggestion by Dr. Smita Chhag:** As per the suggestion of the NAAC Peer Team, she suggested to start the campaign of making Somnath-Veraval cities संस्कृतनगरी. All the members solemnly approved the suggestion and recommended the *Prachar-Prasar Samiti* of the University to implement it.
9. **Suggestions by Dr. Satrughna Panigrahi:** Firstly, he suggested bringing the Grievance Redressal Mechanism of the University under IQAC. All the members solemnly approved the suggestion and recommended to implement it.

Secondly, he suggested establishing वेदम्बाध्यायपीठ in the University. All the members solemnly approved the suggestion and recommended the Veda-Vedang Faculty to implement it.

10. **Suggestion by Shri A. J. Rathwa:** He suggested starting the Sanskrit Study Centre at Statue of Unity, Ektanagar (Kevadia) as per the order/letter of the Education Department, Government of Gujarat, Gandhinagar. All the members solemnly approved the recommendation with the suggestion of getting all the physical infrastructure facilities like building, classrooms etc. from the Government of Gujarat. Whereas, Shree Somnath Sanskrit University, Veraval will provide the teaching facilities in the form of resource persons and teaching material only.
11. **Suggestion by Dr. Vinu Vaja:** He suggested collecting the photocopies / duplicate copies of various Manuscripts in Devanagari script/Sanskrit language from different sources of India like Bhandarkar Oriental Research Institute (Pune), Oriental Institute of the MSU (Vadodara), L.D. Institute of Indology (Ahmedabad) etc. to enrich our Manuscript Resource Centre of the University. All the members solemnly approved the suggestion and recommended the Library Section to implement it.
12. **Suggestions by Dr. Janakisharan Acharya:** Firstly, he suggested publishing the Annual Report of the University. All the members solemnly approved the suggestion and recommended the Administration Section to prepare the Annual Report of the University.

Secondly, he suggested bringing Statues/Regulations of the University to light followed by feedback. All the members solemnly approved the suggestion and recommended the Administration Section to implement it.

Thirdly, he suggested organizing a Workshop on Paper Setting for all the Paper Setters of the University. All the members solemnly approved the suggestion and recommended the Examination Section to implement it.

13. **Suggestions by Dr. Kartik Pandya:** Firstly, he informed the IQAC that the Research Section of the University has implemented the Research Project (seed Grant) Policy from its own corpus fund for all the academic staff of the

University. All the members solemnly approved the works done and appreciated the University for the same.

Secondly, he suggested organizing lectures to orient all the academic staff of the University about different Rules & Regulations (being updated time to time) of Ph.D. Programme, Publication and the Research Project (Seed Grant). All the members solemnly approved the suggestion and recommended the Research Section to implement it.


Thirdly, he suggested adding the subjects of proof-reading and blue print in a Workshop on Paper Setting (suggested by Dr. Janakisharan Acharya). All the members solemnly approved the suggestion and recommended the Examination Section to implement it.

14. **Suggestions by the Chairperson:** Firstly, he informed the IQAC that the University has implemented the Consultancy Policy in the University. All the members solemnly approved the works done and appreciated the University for the same.

Secondly, he suggested organizing a Workshop on Manuscriptology and Paleography. All the members solemnly approved the suggestion and recommended the Research Section to implement it.

Thirdly, he suggested popularizing the collection of Manuscripts, rare books and such materials from all the corners of the Society to enrich our Library. All the members solemnly approved the suggestion and recommended the Library Section to implement it.

The meeting concluded with a vote of thanks to all the members present by the Member Secretary.

  
(Shri A.J. Rathwa)  
Registrar (I/c.)

Date: 10-02-2022

Place: Veraval