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APPEAL ON 3.2.2

Number of workshops/seminars/conferences including programs conducted on Research Methodology, Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) and entrepreneurship during the last five years.

Upon reviewing the evaluation criteria and the activities undertaken by our college, we believe that there may have been a misunderstanding and oversight that led to the low mark. We would like to request a reconsideration of this assessment since our college has conducted a series of seminars and workshops including Research Methodology, Intellectual Property Rights and Entrepreneurship which amounted to a total of 140 and which, we believe, according to NAAC's benchmark qualifies for 4 marks.

[Click here to open the Detailed report of activities during the last 5 years](#)

As per the evaluation, our college was awarded only **1** mark out of 4, which we believe, does not accurately reflect our extensive efforts and accomplishments in organizing these events. The number of workshops/seminars/conferences including programs conducted on Research Methodology, Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) and entrepreneurship during the last five years is **140** while the recommended input of DVV is only **14** as shown in the tables below respectively.

Sl No	Year	No of activities
1	2022-2023	47
2	2021-2022	32
3	2020- 2021	25
4	2019- 2020	25
5	2018- 2019	11
	Total	140

Recommended Input of DVV:

2022-23	2021-22	2020-21	2019-20	2018-19
4	3	1	3	3

And, if specifically asked to demonstrate the programs conducted on Research Methodology, Intellectual Property Rights and Entrepreneurship undertaken by our college, I would like to bring to your kind notice that out of the 140 programs conducted during the last five years, a total of 46 were programs related to Research Methodology, Intellectual Property Rights and Entrepreneurship.

The table below provides a breakdown of workshops/seminars conducted relating to Research Methodology, Intellectual Property Rights and Entrepreneurship

2022-2023 Total No of programs conducted on Research Methodology, Intellectual Property Rights and Entrepreneurship: 20

Workshops/Seminars conducted on Research Methodology- 6			
Sl No	Date	Name of Programme	Link to Detailed Report
1	29 th July	One Day Workshop on Using E-Resources for Teaching and Research	click
2	11 th August	Awareness on Cyber Security&Emerging Technologies	click
3	27 th September	Pursuing Masters/PhD in the United States	click
4	27 th October	Legal Awareness on Cyber Crime and Laws	click
5	3 rd February	One Day Seminar on Cyber Security & Emerging Technologies	click
6	21 st to 28 th June	International Seminar on Research Methodology	click
Workshops/Seminars conducted on Intellectual Property Rights- 2			
Sl No	Date	Name of Programme	Link to Detailed Report
1	2 nd August	Webinar on Intellectual Property Rights Awareness	click
2	25 th June	Seminar on Intellectual Property Rights	click
Workshops/Seminars conducted on Entrepreneurship- 12			

Sl No	Date	Name of Program	Link to Detailed Report
1	31 st August	Seminar on Sensitization of Job Opportunities for Students	click
2	13 th September	Seminar on Financial and Digital Literacy	click
3	27 th September	Workshop on Career Awareness: Learn, Connect and Achieve your Goals	click
4	29 th September	Freedom Fest on Entrepreneurial Opportunities for Mizo Youth	click
5	20 th September	Skill Development and Entrepreneurship	click
6	6 th October	Lecture on Entrepreneurship	click
7	11 th November	Seminar on Entrepreneurial Job Drive	click
8	30 th November	Seminar on Career Guidance cum Financial Literacy	click
9	24 th February	Seminar on Career Guidance	click
10	16 th March	Seminar on Wellness and Career Counselling	click
11	13 th April	PDP on Interview Skills	click
12	4 th May	Commerce Conclave & Alumni Meet	click

2021-2022 Total No of programs conducted on Research Methodology, Intellectual Property Rights and Entrepreneurship: 13

Workshops/Seminars conducted on Research Methodology- 4			
Sl No	Date	Name of Programme	Link to Detailed Report
1	20-21 September	Two-Day International Webinar on Inter-Disciplinary Covid-19 Pandemic Research	click
2	28 th September	Workshop on Research Proposals and Project Mobilisation	click
3	5 th April	Awareness campaign on Cyber Crime	click
4	28-29 April	Two-day Workshop on Quality Education Initiatives	click

Workshops/Seminars conducted on Intellectual Property Rights- 0			
Workshops/Seminars conducted on Entrepreneurship- 9			
Sl No	Date	Name of Program	Link to Detailed Report
1	14 th October	Softskills for Entrepreneurship	click
2	29 th October	Webinar on Career Awareness	click
3	22 nd March	Interview and Communication Skills	click
4	6 th April	Seminar on Financial Management	click
5	7 th April	Seminar on Payment System on Import and Export	click
6	12 th April	Webinar on Positioning Oneself for Career Success	click
7	19 th April	Commerce Conclave	click
8	20 th April	Career Opportunities	click
9	22 nd April	Workshop on Banking Career Awareness	click

2020-2021 Total No of programs conducted on Research Methodology, Intellectual Property Rights and Entrepreneurship: 4

Workshops/Seminars conducted on Research Methodology- 0			
Workshops/Seminars conducted on Intellectual Property Rights- 1			
Sl No	Date	Name of Programme	Link to Detailed Report
1	25 th June	Intellectual Property Rights	click
Workshops/Seminars conducted on Entrepreneurship- 3			
Sl No	Date	Name of Program	Link to Detailed Report
1	11 th November	National Webinar on Technology and its Impact on Accounting	click
2	26-28 November	Workshop on Competence and Capacity Building	click

3	1-3 December	Webinar on Personality Development	click
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2019-2020 Total No of programs conducted on Research Methodology, Intellectual Property Rights and Entrepreneurship: 6

Workshops/Seminars conducted on Research Methodology- 0			
Workshops/Seminars conducted on Intellectual Property Rights- 0			
Workshops/Seminars conducted on Entrepreneurship- 6			
Sl No	Date	Name of Program	Link to Detailed Report
1	22 nd October	Laying Foundation for Successful Life Career	click
2	23 rd October	Flower Arrangement and Marketing	click
3	28 th October	Workshop on Career Advancement: Start Early and Explore	click
4	28 th October	Seminar on A Way to Success	click
5	30 th October	Meet the Entrepreneurs	click
6	7 th February	Awareness on Accountancy	click

2018-2019 Total No of programs conducted on Research Methodology, Intellectual Property Rights and Entrepreneurship: 3

Workshops/Seminars conducted on Research Methodology- 0			
Workshops/Seminars conducted on Intellectual Property Rights- 0			
Workshops/Seminars conducted on Entrepreneurship- 3			
Sl No	Date	Name of Program	Detailed Report

1	7 th February	Workshop on Financial Freedom in Networking Industry	click
2	11 th February	Personal Development Programme on Management Skills	click
3	14 th February	Why Entrepreneurship	click

Thus, the total number of workshops/seminars conducted on Research Methodology, Intellectual Property Rights and Entrepreneurship during the last five years is summarized as below:

2022-23	2021-22	2020-21	2019-20	2018-19
20	13	4	6	3

Sl No	Area	No of programs conducted
1	Research Methodology	10
2	Intellectual Property Rights	3
3	Entrepreneurship	33
Total		46

However, as stated before, the recommended input of DVV is as below:

Recommended Input :

2022-23	2021-22	2020-21	2019-20	2018-19
4	3	1	3	3

NAAC has a benchmark of 4 marks for institutions conducting more than 40 workshops//seminars/conferences including programs conducted on Research Methodology, Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) and Entrepreneurship during the last five years, a criterion that our college has exceeded by a considerable margin. However, the recommended input by NAAC in the DVV is a total of only 14 seminars and workshops, whereas our institution has far surpassed this figure with 140 events organized. Thus, despite a substantial record over the last five years, the assessment awarded only 1 mark, which we feel does not align with the benchmark set by the NAAC or the actual contributions made by our college.

Also, if only seminars and workshops conducted in the specific areas of Research Methodology, Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) and Entrepreneurship are to be taken into account, we would like to point out that our college has a total number of 46 programs relating to such areas which were conducted during the last five years.

We firmly believe that our substantial efforts and contributions to the field of academic development and knowledge dissemination should be duly recognized and reflected in the assessment.

We therefore humbly appeal for your kind attention and reconsideration of the marks awarded for the criteria.