

Sri Sivasubramaniya Nadar College of Engineering,
(An Autonomous Institution)
Kalavakkam – 603 110

MINUTES OF THE EST IQAC MEETING (2024)			
Date	30/09/2024 – 11:00 am	Venue	Online, SSNCE
Minutes prepared by:		Dr. N. Venkateswaran, Coordinator, IQAC	

The following members were present:

- Dr. V.E. Annamalai (VEA), Principal, SSNCE
- Dr. S. Radha (SR), Vice principal, SSNCE
- Mr. V. Kumara Subramanian (VKS), Sr. Manager (Retd), TI-IIIC (Murugappa Group), Director (Technical), Zygote India
- Mr. N. Sivasankaran (NS), Director – Innovation, Technical, Viruksa Manufacturing Solutions Pvt Ltd.,
- Dr. T. Thiruvenkadam (TT), Asso. Prof / MBA
- Dr. Nalinkanth V Ghone (NVG), Asso. Prof / Chemical
- Dr. R. Sundareswaran (RSN), Asso. Prof / Maths
- Dr. S. Karthika (SK), Assistant Prof / IT
- Dr. N. Venkateswaran (NV), Professor / BME, Coordinator -IQAC

Agenda

- ✓ Welcome address by the Principal, SSNCE and Chairman, IQAC
- ✓ Approval of Minutes of the previous meeting - Coordinator, IQAC
- ✓ Update on NAAC Visit - Chairman, IQAC
- ✓ NAAC Visit – Suggestions from Industry and other Members
- ✓ Any other points are open for discussion.

Minutes

The meeting started at 10.30AM. The IQAC Coordinator welcomed all the members to the meeting. Thereafter the following subjects were discussed and deliberated.

Item No.1. Welcome address by the Principal, SSNCE and Chairman, IQAC

Dr. VEA, Chairman – IQAC welcomed all the members for the meeting.

Item No.2. Approval of Minutes of the previous meeting and action taken - Coordinator, IQAC

The IQAC coordinator presented a brief about the previous meeting and said the same may be adopted.

Item No 3. NAAC Visit - IQAC Chairman

Dr.SR, VP informed that the Peer team visit was held on 26-09-2024 and 27-09-2024. The Committee was very impressed with our infrastructure and faculty/staff involvement and said that SSNCE have all good signs for growth.

Dr.VEA, Chair, IQAC Said that the positive feedback on our growth potential is encouraging. Their general suggestion for further improvement was

1. to strengthen our ties with industry,
2. to attempt bringing in revenue through consultancy and
3. to generate revenue through technology transfer of granted patents

Item No 5. NAAC Peer team suggestions – Views from Industry and other Members

- Taking inputs from the NAAC Peer team suggestions Mr. Siva Sankaran, Industry Expert presented his views. Mr. V. Kumara Subramanian (VKS), another Industry Expert, also had similar views and it is detailed below:

With respect to Strengthen Industry Ties

1. Increasing MoU's with Key Industry by partnership agreements.
2. Industry-Academia Conferences to attract sponsorships and speakers.
3. Industry-Sponsored Innovation Centre by co-developing the innovation Centre.
4. Regular Industry Expert Workshops through guest lecturers.
5. Strengthening of Alumni-Industry Network for networking, collaboration, and mentorship opportunities through a structured calendar.

With reference to Revenue from Granted Patents through Technology Transfer

1. Patent Licensing and Patent Showcases through Industry Fairs
2. Collaborative Product Development Using Patents with industries
3. Startup Incubation for Commercialization by setting up a Technology Transfer Office (TTO).

With reference to Consultancy Revenue Generation

- Improving Faculty-Led Consultancy Services
- Offering Technical Audits and Process Optimization
- Continuous Learning Programs for Industry Professionals
- R&D Collaborations for Solving Industry Problems
- **Item No. 6: Any other points are open for discussion.**

In his concluding remarks the Chairman thanked all the members for their contribution and since there were no further items for discussion, the meeting came to an end at 11.30 am.



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