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Minutes of meeting

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A meeting was initiated by Dean Quality Control, Prof. Divya Mehrotra, held under the Chairmanship of Honorable Vice Chancellor, King George's Medical University, Lucknow on 24th June 2020 at Board room, Administrative block, KGMU, Lko., with Pro Vice Chancellor, Prof G P Singh, Dean Medicine, Prof. Vinita Das, Dean Dental- Prof. Anil Chandra, Dean Nursing- Prof. Apjit Kaur, Dean Paramedical- Prof. Vinod Jain, Dr. Anita Rani, Vice Dean QP and Dr. Richa Khanna-Vice Dean QP to discuss about quality control of University in terms of NIRF ranking and discuss future activities

Following suggestions were given in the meeting to improve ranking in NIRF or other ranking frameworks:

Academic reputation can be improved by quality of publications of faculty in reputed databases only like Web of Science, Pubmed and Scopus.

- It was recommended by Honorable Vice Chancellor to change policy in terms of thesis publication of postgraduate thesis publication. It was suggested to get approval of a policy that directs postgraduate students to publish only in reputed databases like Web of Science, Pubmed and Scopus.

Peer Perception can be improved by

- Dean Quality Control page to be publicized on Facebook, Twitter, Linked In for increased peer perception (Task to be undertaken by Dr Rhythm and Dr Diksha Singh)
- Broadcasting would contribute to improved peer perception in NIRF ranking
- Quarterly/six monthly newsletter. The task designated to Prof. Vimla Venkatesh, to co-ordinate with International alumni and involve them as co-editors
- International Faculty to be involved in collaborative research/thesis of departments
- 'Scientific Chair' designation to be emphasized and invite proposed names for the same.

- Intramural research grants can be extended to other levels of faculty beyond Assistant Professors

Academy Industry linkage

- Industry partnership can be encouraged by inviting them to set up labs in KGMU.
- Skill courses for medical and dental faculty

Patents

- Patents should be supported from University
- For patents, there should be collaborations with private companies under their 'corporate social responsibility'

PhD

- Under 'Corporate Social Responsibility' PhDs can also be funded by private companies
- PhD has to be encouraged and motivated amongst faculty with relaxed regulations for application.
- Funds should be prioritized without any conflicts

Consultancy Policy for KGMU, lko was discussed and following points were decided:

- Consultancy to be defined as per our University
- Sharing of Consultancy profit : After meeting out the expenses, the profit should be shared as 20% to University, 10% to the department responsible for execution and remaining 70% to the consultant responsible for that consultancy job. However, it is mandatory for all to utilize this fund only for future research work with prior approval from Office of Vice Chancellor and the Research Cell, KGMU.
- Any Consultancy service should be approved in advance before execution

Satisfaction Survey

- There was a suggestion to have Satisfaction survey not only from students but also from Faculty regarding T-L process

Digitalised Administration

- Data collection system at the level of Registrar office and Finance office to be sought

Hostels:

- All hostels should have facilities for Physically challenged students in washrooms, entrance etc.
- A pilot survey of hostel feedback was discussed that showed poor to average response from students. It was suggested to have a hostel wise survey, and a meeting to be held with the wardens.

AIIMS Status

- AIIMS status can be requested to Government. This will give autonomy of some extent.

Actions planned:

- To collect publication data of Faculty for year 2019 and assess for Web of Science, Scopus, Pubmed . Circulate to all departments to involve International faculty in research
- Email to all faculty requesting not to tarnish University image.
- Meeting with Wardens/Asst wardens to discuss hostel feedback and facilities for physically challenged students
- Alumni Newsletter
- Individual Hostel Feedback to be elicited

- Student satisfaction survey to be initiated
- Dean Quality Control page on Facebook, Twitter, Linked In
- Digitalisation of data collection
- Change in policy for applying PhD by faculty in the University
- Invite Scientific Chair' eligible names
- Industry partnerships invite



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