

Action taken report on the Academic and Administrative Audit , Department of Chemistry

The academic and Administrative Audit (AAA) report submitted by the external expert has been discussed in the Department Council held on 17 – 01 -2022. The Council decided to take the following action based on the suggestions on the audit report.

1. Programmes Offered:

The department has already started Integrated BSc- MSc program in Chemistry from Jan 2022 onwards. Action has been taken to increase the interdisciplinary courses for all programs offered by the department and decided to incorporate those changes in the next syllabi revision so as to implement it by the next academic year.

Decided to start new add on course and to strengthen the tutorial system.

Decided to publicise the activities and achievements of the department using social media.

Faculty

DC unanimously decided to take initiatives to request to university authorities for appointing Emeritus professors.

Decided to focus more on quality research by enhancing national and international collaboration leading to more recognition. Also decided to advise the faculty members to actively participate in more national and international conferences and workshops. Target of one event per year has been set for the teachers for the same.

Research

Decided to take initiatives to increase research collaboration with national and international institutions.

The department decided to take initiatives to filing more patents and to start consultancy services.

Decided to encourage bringing more external funding for the faculty members and target (one external funding within a period of 2 to 3 years) has been given to faculty members for the same.

Students

Decided to encourage the students for their active participation in national and international events.

Decided to take initiatives to encourage and provide more support to students for NET/GATE preparation during regular and remedial classes.

DC noted that the department is actively involved in the conduct of seminars/workshops/invited lectures/Frontier Lectures and also decided to continue conducting workshops on instrumental methods of analysis once in every year for internal and external students.

Head, Dept of Chemistry.