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## **Internal Quality Assurance Cell-IQAC**

**About IQAC:** In pursuance of IQAC action plan for the performance evaluation, assessment & accreditation, quality up-gradation of institutions higher education, NAAC proposes every accredited institution should establish an Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) as a post-accreditation quality sustenance measure. Since, the quality enhancement is a continuous process, the IQAC will become a part of the institution's system & work towards realization of the goals of quality enhancement & sustenance. The prime task of the IQAC is to develop a system for conscious, consistent and catalytic improvement in the overall performance of the institution. For this, during the post-accreditation period, it channelizes all efforts and measures of the institution towards promoting its holistic academic excellence.

## **Quality Policy**

To establish and implement a robust quality system at Kingston Engineering College, encircling teaching, learning, research, self-reliance, focusing on core and support functions to ensure accountability to stakeholders through continuous improvement and sustenance towards promoting holistic academic excellence.

### **Objectives**

- To facilitate the creation of a learner centric environment conducive to quality education imparted in an institution.
- To provide a sound basis for decision making imbibing all the dimensions of service quality to improve institutional functioning and towards quality enhancement through the best practices.

### **Strategies**

- Ensuring timely, efficient and progressive performance of academic, administrative and financial tasks.
- Equitable access to and affordability of academic programmes for various sections of society
- Optimization and integration of modern methods of teaching and learning
- Ensuring the adequacy, maintenance and functioning of the support structure and services
- Sharing of Research and networking with other institutions in India and abroad

#### **Functions**

- Development and application of quality benchmarks/parameters for various academic and administrative activities of the institution
- ❖ Facilitating the creation of a learner-centric environment conducive to quality education and faculty maturation to adopt the required knowledge and technology for participatory teaching and learning process
- Analysis for feedback response from students, parents and other stakeholders on quality-related institutional processes
- Organization of inter and intra institutional workshops, seminars on quality related themes and promotion of quality circles
- Documentation of the various programmes /activities leading to quality improvement
- Acting as a nodal agency of the Institution for coordinating quality-related activities, including adoption and dissemination of best practices
- Preparation of the Annual Quality Assurance Report (AQAR) as per guidelines and parameters of NAAC, to be submitted to NAAC.

# **IQAC COMPOSITION (2023-2024)**

Composition Criteria Specified by NAAC	Members	Designation
Chairperson – Head of the Institution	Dr.U.V. Arivazhagu	Principal
	Mr.S.Mahendiran Mrs.M.Menaka	HOD/MECH HOD/IT
Senior Administrative Officers	Mrs.M.Rathika Dr.N.Shankar Ganesh	HOD/ECE Professor/MECH
Member from Management	Dr.S.Deepa Mrs.Sangeetha Kathir Anand	Professor/EEE Chairwoman, Kingston Group of Institutions
Teachers	Mrs.S.Sarah Mrs.B.Thulasi Brindha	AP/IT AP/EEE
	Mrs. N. Vanitha Mr.S.Balaji	AP/ECE HOD/CSBS
	Dr.S.Priya Dr.N.Kannammal Dr.E.Veronica	HOD/AI&DS Professor/ AI&DS HOD/MBA
Nominee from local society	Mr.D.Jagadeeswaran	Tahsildar, Katpadi.
Nominees from Student	D.Naveen Moses B.Ebonica Saleth	III Year /ECE III YEAR/CSE
Nominee from Alumni	Mr.V.P.Rajaprakash	Design Engineer, Caterpillar Pvt Ltd, Chennai. [2012-2016 Batch]
Nominee from Employer	M.Padmashanker	Senior HR Executive, Intellect Design Arena Ltd Chennai
Nominee from Industrialists	Mr.Stephen Sudhakar	Senior Vice President Hyundai Motors
Nominee from Stakeholders	Mr.R. Dhanasekaran (Parent)	F/O D. Gokila Priya IV YEAR/ECE Bank Manager Central Co-operative Bank Vellore
Coordinator of IQAC	Dr.E.Kumaresan	HOD/S&H