

Maharshi Karve Stree Shikshan Samstha's  
**CUMMINS COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING FOR WOMEN**  
(AN AUTONOMOUS INSTITUTE AFFILIATED TO SAVITRIBAI PHULE PUNE UNIVERSITY)  
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A meeting of Academic Council was held on 18<sup>th</sup> May, 2019, at 10.00 a.m. in the Conference Hall of Mechanical Building of Cummins College of Engineering for Women. Following members were present for the meeting.4

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| (01) Dr. Madhuri Khambete     | (02) Dr. Varsha Patil        | (03) Dr. B.S. Karkare      |
| (04) Dr. Kalyani Joshi        | (05) Dr. Datta Kuvalekar     | (06) Dr. Sachin Lodha      |
| (07) Prof. A.N. Muchrikar     | (08) Dr. Sunita Jahirabadkar | (09) Dr. Vikram Athalye    |
| (10) Dr. Prachi Mukherji      | (11) Dr. Supriya Kelkar      | (12) Dr. Anagha Panditrao  |
| (13) Dr. Anagha Kulkarni      | (14) Dr. Ajit Bhosale        | (15) Dr. Madhuri Purandare |
| (16) Dr. Anita Patil          | (17) Dr. Ravindra B. Ingle   | (18) Dr. Anand Bewoor      |
| (19) Dr. C. Amarnath, Invitee |                              |                            |

Dr. Vikaram Gadre & Dr. Anuradda Ganesh communicated their inability to attend the meeting.

Following points were discussed and decisions were taken in the meeting:

Point No. 1] To confirm the minutes of previous academic council meeting held on 05/01/2019.

Decision : Minutes of previous academic council meeting held on 05/01/2019 were confirmed.

Point No. 2] To decide total number of credits of B.Tech. Programme & year-wise distribution of credits for the structure to be revised w.e.f. AY: 2020-2021.

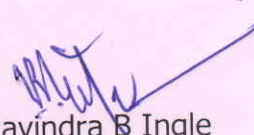
Discussion :

- Prof. Ingale, Dean Academics presented proposed B.Tech structure of total credits 161.
- In this structure one semester internship or project is proposed. (7<sup>th</sup> semester).
- Dr. Varsha Patil suggested to increase number of credits upto 165 to accommodate more core courses. Madam also suggested to offer more options under elective courses.
- Dr. Varsha Patil suggested to keep option of 3 months internship and 3 months project at 7<sup>th</sup> semester.
- Dr. Sachin Lodha suggested to frame guidelines for internship on following points.
  - Projects/ technical work expected during internships
  - Monitoring frequency and procedure
  - Evaluation rubrics
- Dr. sachin Lodha also suggested to consider internship at eighth semester instead of seventh.

- Prof. Mucharikar expressed that as most of the companies visit for placement in seventh semester, seventh semester internship will be more beneficial for placement than eighth semester internship.
  - Dr. Datta Kuvalekar suggested that, internship companies may be requested to give 10 days leave to students to participate in campus placement activity .
- Decision : • It is decided to allot maximum 165 credits for four years for B.Tech. course w.e.f. A.Y. 2020-21. It is also decided to allow flexibility of total credits to departments in the range of 163 to 165.
- It is decided to incorporate six months internship or six months project or 3 months internship and 3 months project at seventh semester, in B.Tech. program.
- Point No. 3] To review the status of T.Y. B.Tech students' Summer Internships for AY: 2018-19.
- Discussion : • Prof Ingale presented statistics of T.Y. B.Tech, Summer Internships. 92% students are selected by industries for internships. 88 students are getting stipend during internship. Few students have got opportunity of Internships at abroad
- Dr. Datta Kuvalekar suggested to evaluate internship periodically and also at the end.
- Dr. Sachin Lodha said that through student internships, faculty can build good relationship with industry which may result into institute-industry collaborations.
- Decision : All members appreciated the efforts taken by placement office and faculty members for providing internships to more than 90% students.
- Point No. 4] To review the results of S.Y. and T.Y. B.Tech. (All Programmes) AY: 2018-19.
- Discussion : Dr. Varsha Patil suggested to analyse diploma students results separately.
- Decision : Results of S.Y. and T.Y. B.Tech. (All Programmes) for AY: 2018-19 was found satisfactory.
- Point No. 5] To discuss the students' satisfaction survey as per NAAC questionnaire for AY 2018-19.
- Discussion : • Dr. C. Amarnath insisted to take more efforts to improve feedback of Q.No. 13, 14 & 17 .
- Dr. Varsha Patil suggested to analyse the feedback semester wise, year wise and then summarise the results college wise.
- Dr. Sachin Lodha suggested that questionnaire should be discussed in the class prior to collecting feedback from students, which may give them more clarity while answering.
- Dr. Varsha Patil suggested that mentors can play a good role in explaining philosophy behind taking students survey.
- Decision : It is decided to analyse survey classwise , branch wise for the year 2019-20.

- Point No. 6] To review the Re-accreditation report of Mechanical Engineering Department.  
Decision: Re-accreditation report of Mechanical Engineering Department was reviewed.
- Point No. 7] To review the grants received by the college in AY: 2018-19.  
Decision : Information about various grants received by Cummins College was presented to Committee members.  
Total grants received by the College from DST, ISRO, SPPU & AICTE are Rs.82.89 lakhs.
- Point No. 8] To review the scholarships received by the students in AY: 2018-19.  
Decision : 103 students have received scholarships from Industries such as Mercedes Benz, Goldman Sachs, Tata Technologies and other.  
03 students received scholarships from Avery Dennison Foundation for their innovative projects.
- Point No. 9] To discuss the NIRF ranking of the Cummins College for AY: 2018-2019.  
Decision :
  - College is ranked at 188<sup>th</sup> Position in NIRF for Academic Year 2018-19. Details were presented.
  - Committee appreciated that college is ranked among top 200 college.
  - Prof. Amarnath said that efforts should be taken to improve ranking further.
- Point No. 10] Report on student's participation in National and International competition.  
Decision : Report on student's participation in National and International competitions such as BAJA, Robocon, NCAT, National and international sports tournaments was presented.  
Committee members appreciated the achievements.

The meeting concluded with vote of thanks.

  
Dr. Ravindra B Ingle  
Dean Academics  
Member Secretary, Academic Council

  
Dr. Madhuri Khambete  
Principal  
Chairman, Academic Council