



Bhavan's Vivekananda College of Science, Humanities & Commerce

Autonomous College - Affiliated to Osmania University
Accredited with 'A' grade by NAAC
Sainikpuri, Secunderabad - 500094



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Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan
Sainikpuri Kendra

BVB/131/2018

17 Apr 2018
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To

Principal, BSRKV (Through Hon Director)

Principal, BVC

Principal, BSAJC (Through Hon Director)

Cultural Training Programme For our Faculty

1. Further to this office letter No. BVB/131/2018 dated 01 Feb 2018.

2. On our request, Sri Bodamayanandaji Maharaj of RK Mutt, Hyderabad arranged a 3 day Cultural Training Course for the faculty members of our three institutions to be held in the Mutt, from 18 to 20 April 2018 between 8.30 a.m. to 4.30 p.m. on each day. 30 faculty members as shown in the list attached are detailed to attend the course.

2. Transport arrangements from the Kendra to RK Mutt for conveying these 30 faculty members to and fro are being made by the Principal, BSRKV. Arrangements for Breakfast, Lunch and Tea are being made by the RK Mutt, as per timings given below:

0830 - 0930	-	Breakfast
1330 - 1430	-	Lunch
1630 - 1700	-	Tea

3. The intention of this course is to impart essential knowledge to our faculty members about our culture, so that they can keep in touch with same by further self study, for the purpose of imparting the same to all our students. Since we are members of the Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan, which is wedded to cultural, moral and ethical values, it is the duty of all Bhavan's Educational Institutions to give a sound exposure to our students about the fundamental aspects of our culture and religion. We all know that the moral values are fading away and we have to revive and resuscitate these values as a movement, which is the goal of Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan.

Ms. Meena Rani K

Madam, pl. coordinate.

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4. Principal, BVC and Principal, BSRKV are requested to coordinate all activities connected with the course, and keep the faculty members concerned fully informed of the admin arrangements for this course.

5. Due to sudden slight indisposition of the Swamiji, we are now informed that the course duration is reduced to 2 days only and it will be held on 19 and 20 Apr 2018.

JLN Sastry

Air Commodore (Retd) JLN Sastry, VSM
Vice Chairman

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Copy to: (1) Administrative Officer, BVB SK
(2) i/c Security

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*Principal
BVC*

Two Day Faculty Development Programme
organized by
Vivekananda Institute of Human Excellence

Date- April 19- 20, 2018

Venue –VIHE, Ramakrishna Mutt, Domalguda, Hyderabad.

A Report

A Two day Faculty Development Program was organized by VIHE, Ramakrishna Mutt for the faculty of Bhartiya Vidya Bhavan, Sainikpuri Kendra. Thirty two teachers from Bhavan's Ramakrishna Vidyalaya , Bhavan's Aurobindo Junior College and Bhavan's Vivekananda degree & PG College participated in the program. Fourteen lecturers from Bhavan's Vivekananda Degree & PG College participated in the FDP Program.

(attended by – Mrs Meena Rani, Mrs M Anila , Dr Y Suresh, Mr TVLNH Prasad, Mrs S Vanita , Ms Ankita Nagra, Mrs RAanuradha , Mrs P Rajni , Mrs K Swathi , Mrs T Sai Santoshi , Ms Sakshi Yadav, Mrs Chandrika P, Dr Sushma Patkar and Mrs Abhignya Banerjee.)

The main objective of the FDP was to train teachers to impart value education to students based on Bhartiya Sanskriti

Day1

The program started with a yoga session conducted by **Mrs Zarna Mohan**, a direct disciple of the yoga exponent BKS Iyengar. She gave an introduction on the principles of yoga and its practice.

The teachers proceeded to temple visit, to spend time on meditation and prayer.

Swamy Bodhmayanandji addressed the participants. He spoke about the sacrifices made by women, and their great contribution to society .

A short film on **Sister Nivedita**, a disciple of Swami Vivekananda was played for the audience. Sister Nivedita, absorbed the Indian values and wrote many books to spread the message of Hinduism and Indian philosophy.

Mr Veera Bhadrudu , Additional Director, Tribal Welfare, Telangana Government stressed the 4Cs of education - critical thinking, communication, creativity and collaboration.

Swamy Tathvarthananda - a monk associated with Ramkrishna Mutt for the past 11 years, defined education in the words of Swami Vivekananda as that which ennobles one's character, strengthens the mind, expands one's intellect and empowers the student's to stand on their own feet. He also spoke about the importance of Samskaras and Vasanas in the process of education.

Shri L Ravi Chander, Senior Advocate, AP and Telangana High Court discussed the importance of teaching moral and cultural values to our students. He advised the teachers to bring the ancient wisdom and value system to students in a meaningful way by relating stories from our Puranas and rich folklore.

Post lunch

Mr Pramod Kumar, a student of IIT, Chennai, and faculty at Amrita Vidyalayam, Coimbatore, interacted with the teachers in a live skype session. He shared some of the best practices implemented in his institution in the form of compulsory course on Indian heritage and culture, elective courses on ethics of Ramayana and Mahabharata and also practical sessions on Yoga and Meditation. He also emphasised the need to celebrate our culture and festivals in educational institutions.

Day 2

The second day started with yoga session conducted by **Ms Zarna Mohan**. This was followed by temple visit.

Swami Tathvarthananda continued with his discourse on Samskara and Vasana and gave valuable tips on how to teach Sanskaras through trust, love and emotional balance through interesting examples..

Mrs Madhavi Lata, Chairperson, Virency Hospitals gave a thought provoking lecture on motherhood, and the changing role of women in modern society. She also discussed at length, the stress and challenges faced by women to balance their job and responsibilities at home.

Dr Shravan Kumar, Director and Principal, New Era Junior College shared his experience from his teaching career and discussed the various challenges faced by teachers in the classroom situations. He also emphasized that teachers and parents have a major role to play in the process of character building of students.

Concluding session

Swamy Bodhmayanandji invited the participants to express their impressions of the two day FDP program and also discussed the future course of action. The teachers suggested various interesting activities in the form of rhymes, story telling, skits and role play to teach moral and cultural values.

The suggestions forwarded by the faculty of BVC were

- 1) Can introduce elective courses on Indian culture and values, Yoga & meditation,
- 2) To plan activities during college fests and cultural festivals.

FACULTY WHO VISITED R.K. MUTT ON 18TH & 19TH APRIL 2018

The list of the faculty members who visited R.K. Mutt on 18th and 19th April is as follows:

BHAVANS SRI RAMAKRISHNA VIDYALAYA

PRIMARY

1. Piu Chakraborty
2. Shyamlata Pandey
3. M. Prashanthi
4. M. Manikumari
5. G. Vijaya
6. S. Krishna Deepika
7. G. Srivalli

SECONDARY

1. K. Sunita
2. I. Hima Bindu
3. Arpita Banerjee
4. Madhavi Latha .G
5. G. Kameshwari
6. M. Sowmya
7. Y. Madhuri

BHAVANS SRI AUROBINDO JUNIOR COLLEGE

1. K. Jyothi
2. K. Sessa Giri
3. Ramakrishna Ram
4. D. Shanti
5. Srividya
6. Anuradha

K. Meena Ram
PROGRAM CO-ORDINATOR

**Bhavan's Vivekananda College of
Science, Humanities and Commerce
Sainikpuri, Secunderabad 500 094.**

510/BVC/2018.

Date: 17 Apr'2018.

To

The Vice-Chairman
BVB Kendra
Sainikpuri

Sub: Faculty deputed for Faculty Development Programme -reg

Sir,

With reference to the Faculty Development Programme (Prerana) to be organized at Ramakrishna Matt. The following faculty members are deputed for the programme.

S.No.	Name of the Lecturer	Designation	
1. ✓	Mr.TVLNH Prasad	Lecturer in Physics	9849962962
2	Mrs.S.Vanitha	Lecturer in Biochemistry	9985549428
3	Ms.Ankita Nagra	Lecturer in Commerce ✓	9885523547
4	Mrs.R.Anuradha	Lecturer in Commerce ✓	950 2931 930
5	Mrs.K.Meena Rani	Lecturer in Sanskrit ✓	9491124705
6	Mrs.P.Rajini	Lecturer in Statistics ✓	9949021332
9866786917 ← 7	Dr.Y.Suresh	Lecturer in Sanskrit ✓	998537762
8	Mrs.K.Swathi	Lecturer in Commerce ✓	9849311881
9	Mrs.M.Anila	Lecturer in English ✓	9030668390
10 ✓	Mrs.T.Sai Santoshi	Lecturer in Physics	9441687513
11	Ms.Sakshi Yadav	Lecturer in Mass.Comm.	9985903020
12	Mrs.Chandrika P	Lecturer in Commerce ✓	9703417552
13	Dr.Sushma Patkar	Lecturer in Genetics	8790265800
83746386 ← 14	Mrs.Abhignya Banerjee	Lecturer in Commerce ✓	8333861805

Thanking you,

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Yours Sincerely,


(Prof. Y. ASLOK)
PRINCIPAL

Bhavan's Vivekananda College of Science
Humanities & Commerce
Sainikpuri, R.R. (Dist.)



Bhavan's Vivekananda College

Of Science, Humanities, and Commerce

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Cordially invites you to

Regional RBPT Workshop in Research-Based Pedagogical Tools

Organized by
IISER, Pune
Department of Microbiology

Inauguration
Wednesday, 17th January, 2018, at 9 am
Venue: MBA Seminar Hall

Chief Guest
Vice Chairman Air Commodore (Retd.) JLN Sastry (VSM)

Funded by
Department of Science and Technology
Ministry of Human Resource Development


Knowledge Partners
British Council

Newton Bhabha Fund
Program

- ❖ Lighting of lamp
- ❖ Prayer
- ❖ Welcome Address by Principal, Prof. Y. Ashok,
- ❖ Address by Vice Chairman Air Commodore (Retd.) JLN Sastry
(VSM)
- ❖ Message by Ms. Prachi Pasalkar, IISER, Pune
- ❖ Message by Dr. K. Anuradha, Local Organizer

Three Day - RBPT Workshop January 17-19 , 2018

A 3-day Regional RBPT (Research-Based Pedagogical Tools) workshop for UG and PG Science College Teachers of Telangana and surrounding areas was inaugurated on 17th January , 2018 at Bhavan's Vivekananda College, Sainikpuri. The workshop was co-hosted by COESME (Center of Excellence for Science and Mathematics Education) of Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (IISER) Pune and Bhavan's Vivekananda College. The workshop is funded by MHRD and DST (Department of Science and Technology), Government of India. The Newton Bhabha Fund of British Council is a knowledge partner of the workshop. Around 70 teachers of Chemistry, Life Sciences, Mathematics and Physics registered for the workshop. The chief guest, Air Commander (Retd). J L N Sastry, Vice-Chairman, BVB, and the Principal, Prof. Y. Ashok inaugurated the workshop. In their message to the participants, they advised the participants to use their skills to train and inspire the students to become resourceful scientists capable of solving practical problems. Ms. Prachi Pasalkar, representative of IISER, explained that this was the 12th Regional Workshop of this series. The workshop has five subject facilitators who have been trained by experts from the Sheffield Hallam University ,UK. They will conduct hands-on activities to impart skills of developing Research-Based lesson plans for teaching the students. This novel method of teaching will benefit our students by inculcating logical thinking and problem-solving.


Dr. K. Anuradha.

Head of the Department
Department of Microbiology
Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan's Vivekananda College
Sainikpuri, Secunderabad - 500 094.



1st Day Morning Session Attendance & Distribution of folder at Registration Desk

Registration List Number 1 (Staff of BVC)

1. Anju S	SD Anju
2. Lavanya	da
3. Mary Nygi Kurian	MD Mary
4. Mini G. S.	Mini
5. Prerana Loomba	Prerana
6. Rajeshwari Dandabattina	Rajeshwari
7. Santhi Priya G	Santhi Priya
8. Saraswathi Devi	Saraswathi
9. Shalini Devi	Shalini
10. Srinivas Kakarla Ras	Ras
11. Usha Maradana	Usha
12. Vanitha Surender	Vanitha
13. Ramana S. RAMANA	Ramana
14. Sai Santoshi Tangirala	Santoshi
15. Sushma Patkar Dr.	Sushma
16. Rajini	Rajini
17. Rachana	Rachana 16/11
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Registration List No. 2 (People at hotel): Add 5 more for trainers

1. Sreelatha Beemagani	<i>Sreelatha</i>
2. Srilekha Vennam	<i>Srilekha</i>
3. Rajeswari K.V.N	<i>Rajeswari</i>
4. Kalyani Gade	<i>Kalyani</i>
5. Sheeba Joice.C	<i>Sheeba Joice</i>
6. Srigitha S. Nath	<i>Srigitha S. Nath</i>
7. Selvi M	<i>Selvi M</i>
8. Swaroopa Rani Routh	<i>Swaroopa Rani Routh</i>
9. Neeraja Yarramala	<i>Neeraja Yarramala</i>
10. Akhila B D	<i>Akhila B D</i>
11. Pallavi Hegde	<i>Pallavi Hegde</i>
12. Suma S	<i>Suma S</i>
13. Anuradha B. S.	<i>Anuradha B. S.</i>
14. Balakishan Gorre	<i>Balakishan Gorre</i>
15. Basavaraj H. Nimbure	<i>Basavaraj H. Nimbure</i>
16. Mohamed Basith	<i>Mohamed Basith</i>
17. Shaik Majeeth	<i>for Shaik Majeeth</i>
18. Raju Rasuri	<i>Raju Rasuri</i>
19. Sathish Kumar Konidala	<i>Sathish Kumar Konidala</i>
20. Mahender Aileni	<i>Mahender Aileni</i>
21. Praveen Mamidala	<i>Praveen Mamidala</i>
22. Dhandapani Samiappan	<i>for Dhandapani Samiappan</i>
23. Prasana Kumar Mishra	<i>Prasana Kumar Mishra</i>
24.	

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Registration List Number 3 (From other colleges; men)

1. Hozail Shibli	H.S.B
2. Krishna Murthy Nakuluri	K. Murthy
3. Raghavender Reddy Peddakapu	P. Raghav
4. Rajesham Nani Rajesham A. A	Rajesham
5. Shekar Vanam	
6. Srinivas Bandari	
7. Srishylam Banka	S. Banka
8. Sunder Ram Mutnuri	S. Ram
9. Vikas Sharma	Vikas
10.	
11.	

Registration List Number 3 (From other colleges; women)

1. Baijayanti Behura	Baijayanti
2. Cherukuri Jyothi	Jyothi
3. Chetana Adoni	Chetana
4. Dhanya V(Krishnakumar) _x	Dhanya
5. Harini	
6. Hemangi Joshi	
7. Indira Devi Mekala	I. Devi
8. Jeevitha Thangaraj	J. Thangaraj
9. Jyothi Palakurthi	
10. Kalyani Sambaru	K. Sambaru
11. Kanaka Durga Bodepu	B.N. Kanakadurga
12. Lakshmi Sowjanya Kotaru	K.L. Sowjanya

13. Lavanya Kaleri	K. Lavanya
14. Lavanya Baradi	Lavanya
15. Madhuri Kurakala	K. Madhuri
16. Malathi Varma	M. Varma
17. Padmaja Maguluri	M. Padmaja
18. Pallavi Mopada	
19. Prathyusha Yamarthi	P. Prathyusha
20. Pritha Ghosh	
21. Radhika G. N	R. Radhika
22. Ragini Thimmasani	
23. Sakuntala Parimi	
24. Sarvari Malarouthu (will come late)	S. Sarvari
25. Sheetal. Rokandla	
26. Shireen Mahala	
27. Sirisha Boyini	
28. Sreedevi Sarsan	S. Sreedevi
29. Srilatha B	S. Srilatha
30. Srilekha Reddy	
31. Sruthi Kalva	
32. Sylaja A M	S. Sylaja
33. Taj Hussena	T. Hussena
34. Usha Rani Jalagari	U. Usha
35. Vanisree Chepuri	
36. Vasundhara Desai	V. Vasundhara

37. Y. SURYAVARDHANI

~~Y. Surya~~

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Bharatiya Vidya
Bhavan

(Founded in 1938 by Kulapati Dr. K.M. Munshi)

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SAINIKPURI, SECUNDERABAD - 500 094. Ph : 27111611, 27115878

Date 13.9.17

Dear Dr. Barve,

We would like to conduct a Regional RBPT Workshop at our college, Bhavan's Vivekananda College of Science, Humanities, and Commerce, in January 2018. We were established in 1993 and are affiliated to Osmania University, Hyderabad. We are an autonomous college accredited with 'A' grade by NAAC.

Over the past 24 years, the Department of Microbiology has organized ...2 national and 17 local seminars, 1... symposia, and ...6 workshops. Other departments in our college have organized ...8 in 2016 and 2017 (to date). Our college has good facilities for holding lectures, poster-sessions, and in hospitality for participants.

At present, our department has a strength 8 staff members and 2 technical assistants. We have personal contacts with the staff of several local and non-local colleges and universities. Some of our contacts are: Affiliated colleges of Osmania university, Kakatiya University, Palamuru university, Mahatma Gandhi university and JNTU Hyderabad.

We will contact these professors and lecturers via email and phone. We are confident that we can enroll 70 participants for our proposed workshop in January.

Looking forward to working with COSME to organize this workshop,

Sincerely,

(Dr. K. Anuradha).

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PRESS REPORT

A Workshop on Unicode

(December 20, 2017)

Time-10.00am-4.00pm

The Department of Languages of **Bhavan's Vivekananda College, Sainikpuri, Secunderabad**, had organised a workshop on **UNICODE** on Dec20,2017.

Prof Shubhada Vanjape, Head Dept of Hindi, Osmania University, graced the occasion as the chief guest. **Dr B, Balaji**, Assistant Manager, Midhani, Ministry of Defence, Govt. of India, Kanchan Bagh, Hyderabad was invited as the **resource person** for the one day workshop. He gave insight into the utility and working of Unicode, a modern computer coding system which enables people to use computer system in various scripts and languages. This workshop was designed mainly for the faculty and students to familiarise with Unicode that will enable them to work with all the features like MS-Word in the various Indian languages and scripts.

The program started with the Inaugural session. **Dr C. Kameswari**, Head, Dept of languages gave the welcome address. Many college teachers, writers and professionals associated with publication attended the workshop. There was an overwhelming response from students also at the workshop.

Dr B, Balaji addressed a lecture session on Unicode followed by a Technical session. **Mrs B Niraimathi Vice Principal**, Bhavan's Vivekananda College also graced the dias and spoke on the occasion.

There was a very good participation of around 179 faculty and students for the programme.

The program concluded with the Valedictory function and distribution of certificates. The workshop was a good learning experience for all.

Dr. C. Kameswari

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FACUTLY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME
JUNE 2ND 2017

TIME	PROGRAM	SPEAKER
10:00 – 10:30 a.m	Inaugural session	-
10:30 – 11:30 a.m	Quality in Higher Education – NAAC perspective	Prof. Pannala Ramaiah – Kakatiya University
11:30 – 11:45 a.m	Interactive session	-
11:45 – 12:00 a.m	T E A B R E A K	-
12:00 – 01:00 p.m	MOOCs	Prof. Ramabrahmam – Dept. of Political Science, University of Hyderabad
01:00 – 01:15 p.m	Interactive session	
01:15 – 02:00 p.m	L U N C H	
02:00 – 03:00 p.m	NAAC – Challenges & Issues in reaccreditation	Dr. Swaswati Choudhary, St. Francis college.
03:00 – 03:15 p.m	Interactive session	-
03:15 – 03:30 p.m	T E A B R E A K	
03:30 – 04:30 p.m	Teaching is learning – a perspective discussion	Prof. PSN Reddy
04.30 – 04. 45 p.m	Interactive session	-

FDP RE PORT OF 2017

Department of Languages organized Faculty Development Program(FDP) 2017. The program was scheduled for 2 days - **2/6/17 and 3/6/17** respectively. The venue for Day 1, was the Seminar Hall in the MBA block. The program started at 10:00am with the Bhavan's prayer after which the principal Prof. Y. Ashok welcomed the faculty and the speakers for the day. There were four speakers invited for four sessions on different topics.

The speaker for the first session was Prof. Pannala Ramaiah (K.U) who spoke on 'Quality in higher education perspective – NAAC. He explained in detail on enhancing the quality of higher education through the perspective of NAAC. The speaker for the second session was Prof. Ramabramham (HCU). He spoke on MOOCs. He gave a detailed explanation about MOOCs, its availability of the online course and its utility in the students' fraternity. After both the sessions there was a break for lunch. After lunch, we had the third session. The speaker was Dr. Saswathi Choudhary (St.Francis Degree College For Women). She spoke on NAAC – Challenges and issues in Reaccreditation. She elaborated on the 'Need for varied combinations of the courses offered in India to optionally equip the students for international placements.' The fourth and final session was taken by Prof. P.S.N Reddy (Retd. Professor OU). He spoke on the 'Role of a good teacher.' He elaborated on how teaching can be made more effective and interesting. He spoke on the role of a teacher as a mediator to convey the knowledge to the students. He explained the process by the stating the Howard's Multiple Intelligence theory. It was a very interesting and interactive session. The day ended on a very encouraging, insightful and motivating note.

The Faculty development Program on the 3rd of June 2017 was a one day program at Rama Krishna Math. The faculty was to report by 9:30 a.m at Rama Krishna Math. It started with the breakfast at 10:00 a.m after which we had a session led by Swami Bhodmayanandji. He spoke about the 'Need for the spiritual consciousness through meditation, to have a control over our minds which will enhance the teaching – learning process.' After that we had the second session, where the faculty was divided into two groups and there were two sessions held

simultaneously in two different rooms. The speakers were Dr. Vivek Modi and Mr. Srinivas respectively. Dr. Vivek Modi spoke on 'How to improve our teaching skills by using simple traditional methods.' Mr. Srinivas spoke on 'How teachers employ innovative methods to motivate the slow learners and even the demotivated ones.' The groups were switched after both the sessions. Then we broke for lunch. After that we had a session by Mr. Praveen on the 'Psychology of students.' The final session was a skype call with Mr. Srinivasan from Mumbai. He spoke regarding 'The advancements in teaching methodology.' It was an interesting interactive session. The day was closed with the views and feedbacks shared by the faculty members.

It was indeed an enriching and motivating program.

A report on FDP 2nd June 2017

Speakers:

Dr. Pannala Ramaiah

Prof Rama Brahman

Dr. Swaswathi Choudhry

Sri P.S.N. Reddy

Dr.Y. Aparna faculty member from the Department of Microbiology compered the programme. With the blessings of the almighty the program started.

Prof Y Ashok – Principal, BVC welcomed the gathering. He congratulated both the faculty and the students for the results. He discussed in brief on the status of the autonomy of the college. He motivated all the faculty to be vigilant and ready to face the challenges. He gave an insight into the teacher–student relationship.

Dr. Y. Aparna welcomed the eminent speaker Dr. Pannala Ramaiah with an inspiring sloka.

Dr. Pannala Ramaiah - spoke on the topic - **`Quality in Higher Education – perspective – NAAC.**

He opined that knowledge can be acquired in three ways : one should be a voracious reader, should be a good observer, be a good traveler. He recollected that in 1993, a three member committee for NAAC was appointed and he was one of the nominees. NAAC was established in the year 1994. He differentiated between the terms assessment and accreditation.

In depth he spoke about the different Stages of Assessment : Sustainable Stage, Competitive Stage, Innovative Stage, Quality Stage (Premiere Stage)

He also categorized the Premiere Institutions as - Institutions of National Importance and Institutions of International Institutions. Quantity (Increased Access), Quality (Relevance and Excellence) are the reasons for accreditation.

He also said that there are seven steps in quality :

Q – Quest for excellence

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U – Understanding

A – Action-oriented

L – Learner Centric

I – Innovation

T – Training

Y - Yearly Progression

A good teacher engages in Teaching, Research and Extension. The best practice of an institution is to internalize and institutionalize.

He also gave a detailed insight of the Seven Criteria of Assessment and Accreditation : Curricular aspect, Curriculum design and development, Curriculum planning and assessment, Feedback system, Student profile, Evaluation process, Research consultation and publication. He said that the institution should have facilities which are - Innovational, Institutional, Identification, Internalize, Designates and also should have definite question which pose the strengths and weaknesses of the institution.

Prof Y Ashok in his presentation gave a small report on the milestones of the last five years, list of awards by faculty members, new initiatives taken in the last five years. He also insisted that the **IQAC** of the college was taking measures to enhance the Quality sustenance for the last five years, suggestions and role of the institution, was of high priority. The number of meetings held in the last five years were also discussed and he also said that the minutes of the meetings were maintained. He proudly said that there were visible changes in teaching and learning system.

Prof. Rama Brahman : gave an insight of MOOCs (Massive Open Online Courses)

He discussed in depth on - ideal teaching and Flip teaching.

He tried to put MOOCs in a Nut-Shell and gave his opinion on - existing teaching and learning methods, we need to think - What is new ?, the philosophy of MOOCs, where it all began?, its relevance in India. He also spoke about SWAYAM (Indian version), advantages and challenges of MOOCs. Speaking on the **Philosophy of MOOCs, he said that it is – Anytime, Anywhere, Anyone**

The Target Audience are the teachers, students, employees and others.

He said that MOOCs is very relevant in India because of the Urban rural disparity, unavailability of teachers, its demographic limitations.

SWAYAM is the Indian version of MOOCs. It is an EPG patashala, where 75 subjects have been identified.

SWAYAM

S – Study

W – webs of

A – Active learning/for

Y – Young

A – Aspiring

M – Minds

350 online courses are available in DTH channels.

Content Generation

E text

Video lecture

References/ web resources

Self -assessment

Challenges

Medium of instruction

Advocacy

Training and dedication

Recognition from responsible councils (Ex: AICTE)

Dr. Saswathi Chowdhary : spoke on the topic : `NAAC – challenges and issues in reaccreditation'. Her main focus was on education, assessment, community development and outreach programmes. She shared her views on MOUs which will facilitate online and offline programs. She also gave the idea on outbound program. According to her, it is a combination of all skills for final year students. This includes - Physical activities and discussions.

Prof. P. S. N. Reddy took the audience to a panorama of student's life and role of a successful teacher and the modern educational system.

His focus was on the,

Philosophy of FDP

Faculty member is the driving force behind the institution. Therefore, assisting the person, hoping the person to be as productive as possible, will make the entire institution more productive.

Facets of a Faculty Member

Teacher

Person

Scholar & professional

Job of a Real Teacher

Knowledge

Teacher

Student

How will the students learn?

1/4th from the teachers

1/4th from the peer group

1/4th from experience

1/4th from himself

Qualities of a Teacher

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Purity

Memory

Brightness

Eloquence

Humility

Enthusiastic

Learner

Writer

Perfectionist

Howard's Multiple Intelligence

Verbal (Linguistics)

Logical (Mathematical)

Visual (Spatial)

Musical (Rhythmic)

Bodily (Kinesthetic)

Naturalistic

Intrapersonal

Interpersonal

Existential

A good teacher must be a

Benevolent dictator.

Coach

Cheer leader

The discussion closed with Bloom's Taxonomy.

DAY 2 – June 3rd 2017

The second day session was organized in Rama Krishna Math on 3rd June 2017. The forenoon session started with delicious breakfast. The first session was on meditation, which was led by Swami Bodhmayanandji. Swamiji addressed the faculty members and motivated them with his valuable words.

The faculty was then divided into two groups : Dr. Vivek Modi addressed a group and shared his views on the methods of teaching and how to create interest in the class room teaching. On the other hand Mr. Murthy made a power point presentation on the teacher-student relationship.

Afternoon session was conducted by Mr. Praveen who was a psychologist. He discussed on the various patterns of behavior of the students. Later the faculty had an interaction with Mr. Srinivasan from Mumbai through skype. He introduced the Contributors' Course for the faculty members. His views were very clear and impressive.

The faculty had an enriching experience.