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Minutes of the Meeting of "Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)", Chaitanya Bharathi Institute of Technology, Hyderabad, held on 13.05.2026 from 11:00 AM onwards in a hybrid mode, offline in the conference hall of CBIT and online through Microsoft Teams platform.

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Members Present:

1. Prof. C. Venkata Narasimhulu , Principal
2. Prof. B. S. Rajanikanth, IISc., Bangalore. (Attended on Microsoft Teams)
3. Sri Chakravarthy Y. S. S. K. K, . (Attended on Microsoft Teams)
4. Sri C.G.V. Prasad, Director-E&Y, . (Attended on Microsoft Teams)
5. Sri P. Sai Kumar, Scientist-G, DRDL, Hyderabad
6. Prof. P. V. R. Ravindra Reddy, Vice Principal (Admin)
7. Prof. K. Krishna Veni, Vice Principal (Academics)
8. Prof. Suresh Pabboju, Director-AEC&CoE
9. Prof. D.Krishna Reddy, Director-R&D
10. Prof. P. Prabhakar Reddy , Director-Academics
11. Prof. B. Linga Reddy , Director-SA&P
12. Prof. Umakanta Choudhury, Advisor-I&I
13. Dr. N. L. N. Reddy, Advisor-CDC
14. Prof. T.V. Devi Prasad, Director-DC
15. Dr. V. Barla, Advisor-IIC
16. Dr. T. Sudhakar Babu, Associate Director-R&D
17. Dr C. Nagendranatha Reddy, Assistant Director-SA&P
18. Dr. C. Srikanth Reddy, Librarian
19. Prof. Y. Ramadevi, Head, AI&ML
20. Prof. G. Laxmaiah, Head, Mech. Engg., & Nodal Officer-NIRF
21. Dr T Sridevi, Associate Prof., CSE
22. Dr. Mallaiah Mekala, Associate Prof., Chemical Engg.
23. Dr. G. Vijaya Laxmi, Associate Prof., Biotechnology
24. Dr. K. Vinay Kumar Reddy, Associate Prof., Physics
25. Dr. T. Pratima, Asst. Prof., IT and Co-ordinator-CDC
26. Dr. K. Sowmya, Asst. Prof., SMS
27. Dr. Shirisha Deshpande, Asst. Prof., English
28. Sri. J. Bala Subramanyam, I/c Head-HR
29. Ms Vangala Bhavya Sri, Student Topper, . (Attended on Microsoft Teams)
30. Dr. T. Murali Krishna, Associate Director-IQAC
31. Dr. K. Ramana, Associate Director - QAC
32. Prof. N. V. Koteswara Rao, Director-IQAC

Leave of absence:

1. Sri B. Jaipal Reddy, Managing Director, Apollo Computing, Hyderabad
2. Dr Ramesh Datla, Chairman, Elico Ltd
3. Sri Ch.V. Krishna Rao, Principal, SGM Government Polytechnic
4. Dr. T. Chaitanya Krishna, Assistant Professor, Civil Engineering Department

IQAC Meeting Agenda and Minutes

Prof. N. V. Koteswara Rao, Director-IQAC has welcomed the members and requested Prof. C. V. Narasimhulu, Principal to give his opening remarks i.e Sl. No.1 of the agenda.

Sl. No.1 Opening Remarks

The Principal welcomed all the members of the IQAC and distinguished invitees to the Annual IQAC Meeting. He stated that the meeting provided an opportunity to review the institution's progress, achievements and future strategies for strengthening academic excellence, research, innovation, governance and overall institutional quality.

He informed the committee that the institution had made significant progress during the academic year across various domains. He reported that UG admissions increased from 99.3% to 99.9%, while PG admissions improved from 89.1% to 92.13%. He further highlighted the improvement in admission quality, with the first-rank admitted in CSE improving from 524 (2023-24) to 427 (2025-26).

The committee was informed that the Biotechnology programme had recently received NBA accreditation, increasing the percentage of accredited eligible programmes to 81.25%, the highest since the institution first received NBA accreditation in 1998. At present, 8 UG and 5 PG programmes are accredited, while the MBA programme is under consideration.

The Principal reported that the faculty strength increased from 359 to 379, including 249 faculty members possessing Ph.D. qualifications. He emphasized the institution's continued focus on faculty development, research participation and professional excellence.

With respect to research and consultancy, it was noted that four sponsored projects worth ₹84.20 lakhs and five consultancy projects worth ₹64.37 lakhs were sanctioned during the year. In addition, 17 ongoing sponsored projects valued at ₹777.03 lakhs and 7 consultancy projects worth ₹123.45 lakhs were progressing satisfactorily. The number of in-house projects increased from 71 to 74.

The committee noted substantial growth in research output. Scopus publications increased from 693 to 794 and Web of Science publications from 251 to 282. Scopus citations increased from 5,674 to 8,204, while Web of Science citations increased from 2,918 to 3,611. The institutional h-index improved from 49 to 62 in Scopus and from 36 to 47 in Web of Science. The Principal also informed the committee that Dr. T. Sudhakar Babu, Dr. P. Vijay Babu and Dr. P. Kiran were recognized among the World's Top 2% Scientists for 2025 by Stanford University and Elsevier.

It was reported that the institution successfully organized the 7th Research Day and five international conferences. The upcoming International Conference on Sustainable AI for Social Impact and Global Development (SASIGD 2026), technically co-sponsored by IEEE Society on Social Implications of Technology, is scheduled for 13-14 August 2026.

The Principal highlighted major achievements in industry-academia collaboration. He informed the committee that Lloyds Technology Centre India had signed an MoU with the institution to establish an Artificial Intelligence Research Lab with financial support of ₹30 lakhs, in addition to the existing Hexagon-sponsored Capability Centre and Research Lab.

The committee was informed that the number of published IPRs increased from 153 to 180, while granted IPRs increased from 23 to 28. Incubated ideas and start-ups increased from 20 to 28. The institution continued to receive a 4-star rating from the Ministry of Education Innovation Cell for the fourth consecutive year.

A notable achievement highlighted during the meeting was the development of a Semiconductor Chip by CBIT in collaboration with Osmania University, which was released by the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India during SEMICON India 2025.

Regarding student achievements, the Principal reported that 764 placements were secured during the academic year despite challenging market conditions. The highest package increased from ₹51 LPA to ₹54 LPA. Core sector companies contributed 190 offers, while 571 students secured internships.

The committee noted that the institution was placed in the 151-200 band in NIRF Rankings 2025. Based on improvements across various ranking parameters, the expected NIRF score increased from 40.001 to 40.88 and the institution is aspiring to secure a position in the 101-150 band.

The Principal also presented several major academic, administrative, leadership and innovation initiatives organized during the year, including the National Conclave on Curriculum Transformation, Innovation Ideathon 4.0, National Leadership Summit, SPARK outreach programme, workshops for non-teaching staff and invited talks by eminent personalities. The institution also organized various Ideathons, Hackathons and COSMOCON, thereby enhancing its visibility and outreach.

He shared that CBIT received the Best ISF Award in the South Zone from the Institution of Electronics and Telecommunication Engineers (IETE) for the year 2025. Additionally, two student teams, Caffeine Coders and Hacksagon, secured the second and third prizes respectively in Deloitte Hacksplosion 2026.

In conclusion, the principal expressed gratitude to the Management, faculty, staff, students, alumni, industry partners and stakeholders for their continued support and contributions. He stated that the achievements reflected the institution's commitment to excellence, innovation, quality enhancement and sustained growth. He further expressed confidence that, with the continued support of all stakeholders, the institution would be able to attain Deemed-to-be-University status in the forthcoming academic year.

As there is no further discussion on this point, Prof. N. V. Koteswara Rao, Director-IQAC has presented Agenda Sl. No. 2

Sl. No. 2 To approve Minutes of IQAC meeting held on 22-05-2025

Minutes: Prof, N. V. Koteswara Rao, Director-IQAC has shared that the Minutes of the Meeting which were circulated via email on 24.07.2025 with a request to provide comments, if any, within a week; no comments on this item were noticed. Further, he has presented the action taken report on the remarks/suggestions of IQAC meeting held on 22.05.2025.

Agenda - 3 Hon'ble Prof. Rajanikanth enquired about the intake strength based on gender and requested that the details be presented in the next meeting.

Action taken report:

AY - 2025-2026	BOYS	GIRLS	Total
UG	3979	2462	6441
PG	308	297	605
TOTAL	4287	2759	7046

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Prof. Rajanikanth enquired about the number of companies which are invited for placements and the number of companies responded. Assistant Director- CDC mentioned that they have all the required data and would be presented during the next IQAC meeting.

Action taken report:

In response, Advisor – CDC, Dr. N.L.N. Reddy informed that placement invitations were sent to nearly 600 companies across various disciplines, including Biotechnology, Civil, Mechanical, Electrical, Electronics, IT, and other branch-specific sectors. Out of the companies contacted, nearly 200 companies responded and around 150 companies have already visited the campus during the current academic year.

Prof. B. S. Rajanikanth advised the concerned team to prepare the discipline-wise placement details and present them later during the meeting, while continuing with the remaining agenda items in the meantime.

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Prof. Rajanikanth enquired about the number of publications originated from consultancy and sponsored projects, projects leading to revenue, publications/patents and the same to be presented in the next IQAC meeting.

Action taken report:

In response, Director-R&D, Dr. D. Krishna Reddy informed that a total of 65 publications (31- Journals, Conferences: 22, Book Chapters: 06, Book: 01 and Patents: 05) have been resulted from the externally Funded projects.

As there is no further discussion on this point, the Director-IQAC requested the Director-AEC & CoE to present Agenda Sl. No. 3

Sl. No. 3 Review of Academic Results since the last meeting. Introduction of new programs, withdrawing of programs and increased intake for the academic year 2025-2026.

Minutes: Prof. Suresh Pabboju, Director-AEC & CoE has presented that for the academic year 2025-26, 99.94% of UG seats were filled, with the best EAPCET rank secured being 325, while several admissions were below 1000 rank and he also shared the following information in detail:

- B.E. /B.Tech. Intake and Admissions in the Last 3 Years and he mentioned that except for one seat in Chemical Engineering all the UG seats were filled in 2025-26.

- Regarding Proposed UG Courses and Increase in Intake from the academic year 2026-27, he shared that the institution has received approval from AICTE for an intake of 360 seats in CSE and 180 seats in CSE (AI & ML) from the Academic Year 2024-25. However, the Government of Telangana has accorded sanction for only 300 seats in CSE and 120 seats in CSE (AI & ML) from the Academic Year 2024-25 onwards. Consequently, the institution has been operating with these sanctioned intakes. In view of the growing demand for these programs, he mentioned that the institution proposed to apply for an enhancement of intake to 360 seats in CSE and 180 seats in CSE (AI & ML) from the Academic Year 2026-27.
- Regarding results, he shared that the pass percentage of the outgoing batches for the academic year 2024-25 of B.E./B.Tech, M.E. / M.Tech, MCA and MBA are 95.15%, 76.32%, 94.44% and 97.50% respectively. He also presented that the results are consistent when compared to the previous years.
- He also shared the semester wise results all the programs for the three past academic years.

Professor B. S. Rajanikanth enquired about branch-wise breakup details of M.Tech admissions, the Director-AEC&CoE has responded and shared the required details in the meeting. Prof. Rajanikanth expressed concern over the progressive decline in pass percentages observed over the last three years in certain core engineering programmes, particularly Biotechnology, EEE, and Mechanical Engineering, which have shown a consistent downward trend from 2023 to 2026. Director-AEC&CoE attributed this to variable subject difficulties and changing input quality.

Principal highlighted that, he is actively directing faculty to analyze student outputs using letter grades rather than simple pass percentages. He also pointed that while several courses show a better pass %, very few students actually earn 'A' or 'S' grades. He also shared that he has directed the departments to analyse the same and propose remedial measures for earning 'A' and above grades. Sri C.G.V. Prasad has strongly endorsed this initiative, noting that grade-distribution maps will allow mentors to design hyper-targeted student interventions

The Director-IQAC has shared that the department wise meetings with the HoDs are in place towards the remedial measures.

Prof. Rajanikanth, the institute advised that to share only the overall results of the outgoing students, semester wise results can be shared on requirements by the accredited and other regulatory bodies.

As there is no further discussion on this point, the Director-IQAC requested the Director Academics to present Agenda Sl. No. 4.

Sl. No. 4 Proposed changes in the curriculum/regulations for R-26.

Minutes: Changes brought in the curriculum R-26 for the Academic Year 2026-2027 is presented by Prof. P. Prabhakar Reddy, Director-Academics.

The Institute had planned to implement R26 Curriculum for the batch of students admitted from the academic year 2026-27 onwards based on the Stake Holder feedback on R-22A

curriculum. Accordingly, the academic regulations applicable for the academic year 2026-27 are as follows:

- R26 – I & II semesters
- R22A – III&IV as well as V&VI semesters
- R22 – VII & VIII semester

For the proposed R26 curriculum, the Institute had initiated the revision process in September 2025 by conducting a series of Common Board of Studies (BoS) meetings. Thereafter, all BoS Chairpersons revised their schemes of UG and PG programs across all semesters and prepared the syllabi for the I and II semesters. (The MCA program is exempted from this revision, as the R25 curriculum revision for MCA was already implemented during 2025–26.)

Further, in accordance with the latest NBA guidelines and the resolutions made during the 61st College Administrative Committee (CAC) Meeting, all Department Chairpersons were instructed to revise the course structures and append the updated CO-PO articulation matrices aligned with the modified 11 Program Outcomes (POs). Subsequently, each department conducted its respective BoS meeting as per the approved schedule.

The notable features introduced in the proposed R26 curriculum revision include:

- Enhanced focus on experiential learning.
- Mandatory inclusion of AI related courses.
- Increased emphasis on laboratory-oriented courses.
- Introduction of industry-demand-driven courses.
- Partial teaching involvement by industry experts.
- Greater flexibility in the total credit structure.
- Provision for Open Electives through NPTEL courses.
- Mandatory industry visits for practical exposure for all core branches.

The minutes of the respective Department BoS meetings pertaining to the proposed R26 UG and PG programs are provided in the following link:

https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1epRx7HDz7FrhrvFmUzBYkGVSa_yJyIr?usp=drive_link

Prof. B. S. Rajanikanth suggested providing greater flexibility in the curriculum structure with respect to internships and project work. It was observed that students should be allowed to undertake internships or projects in different semesters, such as the 7th or 8th semester, based on available opportunities, provided they complete the required credits before graduation. It was further suggested that internships may be industry-supported, academic, online, or offline in nature, thereby enabling students to avail academic flexibility to undertake internships in any suitable semester.

The Vice-Principal (Academics), Prof. K. Krishnaveni, informed that, multiple categories of internships have been incorporated into the curriculum, including academic internships, rural internships, research internships and industry internships. Students are provided the flexibility to choose any suitable internship option based on their interests and opportunities. Further, students are not restricted to undertaking only industry internships, in line with the suggestions provided by the committee.

Sri P. Sai Kumar, DRDL, enquired about the mechanism adopted by the institution to identify industry-demanded courses and obtain feedback from industry stakeholders. The

Vice-Principal (Academics), Prof. K. Krishnaveni shared that, feedback from employers, industry experts, alumni, parents, faculty and other stakeholders is regularly collected through BoS, DAB, and PQAIC for curriculum design and revision. Based on both top-down and bottom-up approaches, emerging industry- oriented courses such as Robotics & Drones and mandatory introductory Artificial Intelligence courses for first-year students have been incorporated into the curriculum."

As there is no further discussion on this point, the Director-IQAC requested the Advisor-CDC to present Agenda Sl. No. 5

Sl. No. 5 Activities conducted by CDC for the academic year 2025-26. Placement Statistics till date.

Placement record for the Academic year 2025-2026

Academic Year	UG	PG			Total	Links to access the information
	BE/B.Tech	ME/M.Tech	MCA	MBA		
2025-26 (in Progress)	657	28	24	60	769	https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1zHP6WM7-S6oa1M0CZerZwH2MhnDudKwA?usp=drive_link

Industry Internships for the AY 2025-26

Academic Year	BE/B.Tech	ME/M.Tech	MCA	MBA	Total	Links to access the information
2025-26	486	12	4	69	571	https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1jbOCtBixtg-vzU_vrKAVkvkeXLiiExCp?usp=drive_link

CDC activities:

The activities listed below guided the students to channel their efforts towards preparation and securing good placements.

Invitation to Core Companies -2025-26

Type of Activity	2025-26
Industry Interactions	75
Faculty Placement Coordinators Interactions	11
Student Interaction	27
Total	113
Link to access the information about CDC activities	https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1oVebTwGYE7bpfRbfWY4eRhi3EjPYO9NM?usp=drive_link

Invitation to Core Companies -2025-26

S. No.	Branch	No. of Companies	Proof Link
1	ECE	106	https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/101nGdqEw3ltEnNZgbaviwUcHVtxDt-HL?usp=drive_link
2	EEE	108	
3	Mechanical	149	
4	Civil	107	
5	Chemical	120	
6	Biotech	69	

Top Placements

Name of the Organization	CTC (Rs. in Lakhs)	No. of students selected
2025-26		
Super Money	54.0	2
Electronics Arts (EA)	30.0	4
DE Shaw	26.0	1
Oracle	22.0	10
MakeMytrip	22.0	1
F5 Networks	20.0	5
JP Morgan Chase & CFG	19.8	22
Future First	17.0	1
DarwinBox	16.3	1
Pegasystems	16.0	6
Oracle	15.2	2
Barclays	13.5	15
Red Hat	12.0	1
Techolution	12.0	1
Accelerize360	12.0	10
Chai Shots Pvt Ltd	12.0	1
Blackbaud	12.0	11
Asian Paints	11.6	1
Zenoti	11.5	2
Providence	11.5	6
S&P Global	11.5	4
Medtronic Engg & Innovation Centre	11.4	2
IBM India Systems	11.0	6
Infosys	11.0	3
Total		118

Advisor-CDC informed that, efforts are being made to improve Biotechnology placements by engaging with leading biotech and pharma companies. Industry interactions revealed a preference for M.Sc. Biotechnology graduates over B.Tech. Biotechnology graduates. Faculty participation in BioAsia and industry consultations highlighted the need for curriculum refinement and better alignment with industry expectations. Students are giving more consent at the higher education rather than placement.

Prof. B. S. Rajanikanth replied that, more efforts must be put to visit the biotech industries and interact with them and invite them for placements. He also suggested to conduct a meeting on this and give a report.

As there is no further discussion on this point, the Director-IQAC requested the Director SA&P to present Agenda Sl. No. 6.

Sl. No. 6 Summary of the student co-curricular and extracurricular activities for the year 2025-2026.

Summary of the student Co-Curricular and Extracurricular activities for the academic year 2025-2026 is presented by Prof. B. Linga Reddy, Director-SA&P, till date a total number of 192 Co-Curricular and 129 Extracurricular events are conducted by various clubs/departments. In addition he also narrated the other activities of SA&P

Statutory Body and other Committee Meetings

- Grievance Redressal Committee for Students- 02
- Co-Curricular and Extracurricular Committee-02
- Student Welfare Committee-02
- Professional Society Committee-02
- Minority Cell-01
- OBC Cell-01
- Ant ragging Committee-01
- Disciplinary Committee-01

Institute Day Activities 2025-26

- Technical Fest (Sudhee - 2026) : 01
- Cultural Fest (Shruthi - 2026) : 01

Co-Curricular total number of activities 192

S. No	Club/Department	No of Events
1)	Civil Engineering	9
2)	EEE	17
3)	CSE	11
4)	AI & ML	1(IT) + 5
5)	CDC & AI ML - Neural Nexus,	4
6)	CET	8
7)	IT	18
8)	AI&DS	5
9)	Chemical Engineering	15
10)	MCA	12
11)	SMS	5
12)	Civil Engineering Association (CEA) / Civil	6
13)	Robotics & Innovation	2
14)	American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) / Mechanical	4
15)	Makers of India / ECE	6
16)	CBIT Open Source Community (COSC)	1
17)	CDSC	1
18)	Digital Defence Club	4
19)	Biotechnology and Bioengineering Club of CBIT (BBCC) / Biotechnology	6
20)	Ramanujan Maths Club / Maths	8
21)	Neural Nexus CBIT	3

22)	ACIC - CBIT	2
23)	HAM Radio Club of CBIT	2
24)	NexIOT	1
25)	VMedha Club	6
26)	Agent Forece	1
27)	Indian Green Building Council (IGBC) / CED	3
28)	Society of Automotive Engineers - SAE / MED	4
29)	The Institution of Electronics and Telecommunication Engineers (IETE) / ECE	1
30)	Association for Computing Machinery (ACM)-CBIT / AIML	1
31)	IICHE	2
32)	Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE)	3
33)	ECE / IEEE-Power and Energy System (PES)	2
34)	ECE / IEEE-Signal Processing Society (SPS)	1
35)	ECE / IEEE-Edsoc CBIT	1
36)	ECE / IEEE-Women in Engineering Society (WES)	6
37)	ECE / IEEE- Society on Social implications of Technology (SSIT)	2
38)	CSE / IEEE-Computer Society	3
39)	ECE / IEEE - (AESS)	01

Extra-Curricular (Clubs) Total number of clubs 129

S. No	Club/Department	No of Events
1)	IACC	6
2)	Chaitanya Chaaya	1
3)	Communicando	1
4)	Toastmasters CBIT	4
5)	CBIT-MUN	2
6)	Writers and Poets Club (WPC)	2
7)	CBIT NSS	13
8)	Chaitanya Spandana	12
9)	EWB - CBIT	6
10)	Chaitanya Parivrita -The Environment Club	2
11)	Chaitanya Svaasthya	4
12)	Chaitanya Sattva: A UHV	6
13)	Chaitanya Kreedha	7
14)	CBIT Esports	4
15)	CPC	59

Attendance Monitoring

Once in every two weeks during the semester classwork

Mentoring Audit

2 Semesters (2 Times for Every Semester)

The Director of Student Affairs provided data indicating a substantial expansion in campus activities. Total events scaled up from 271 in the previous year to 321 in the 2025-26 cycle (comprising 129 extra-curricular and 192 co-curricular events).

Robust proactive profiling continues via the specialized Student Counseling Cell to support emotionally distressed individuals or slow learners, involving parents through structured mentoring dialogues wherever required.

As there is no further discussion on this point, the Director-IQAC requested the Director-R&D to present Agenda Sl. No. 7.

Sl. No. 7 Research and Development Activities for the year 2025-2026, Summary of the Publications, R&D and consultancy projects (ongoing and completed) till date.

Research and Development activities for the academic year 2025-2026 is presented by Prof. D. Krishna Reddy, Director-R&D. The vision, mission and advanced labs for research, information regarding funding projects since inception of the institution, sanctioned, sponsored and consultancy projects, statistics regarding number of projects/amount sanctioned data for the academic year 2025-2026 is presented.

Research and Development Activities for the year 2025-2026

a) Projects Sanctioned in A Y 2025-26

- Four sponsored projects worth of Rs. 84.2 Lakhs
- Five consultancy project worth of Rs. 64.37 Lakhs

b) Training Programme Sanctioned

- One Regional Conference in Emerging Technologies in Engineering (RCETE) under AICTE VAANI 2.0 Scheme worth of Rs. 2,00,000/-

Events Conducted

7th Research Day and 5 International Conferences (12-13 December 2025)

- R&D encouraged the departments to organize various interdisciplinary international conferences as part of the 7th Research Day.
- As a result, five international conferences are jointly hosted by various departments on this occasion.
- Received an overwhelming response from researchers.

Table 1: Details of Papers presented in Five International Conferences

S. No.	Conference	Received Papers	Accepted Papers	Registered Papers	Presented Papers
1.	ICETE 2025	201	120	45	45
2.	ICPEST-2025	85	25	25	24
3.	ICDSMIME-2025	78	39	35	35
4.	ICAIATI 2025	130	24	29	29
5.	ICICT 2025	139	72	33	33
6	7 th Research Day	41 products and 121 posters were exhibited / presented by investigators of external research projects and in-house seed grant projects			

Research Promotional Initiatives

- ❖ Inaugurated the **Positioning, Navigation and Timing (PNT) Laboratory**, established with the support of IIT Tirupati Navavishkar i-Hub Foundation, during the decennial celebrations of the Navigation and Communication Research Centre (NCRC) on 20th September 2025.

- ❖ PNT Lab is offering internship to students in the area of GNSS.
- ❖ The Lloyds Technology Lab is being established with the support of the Lloyds Technology Centre, Hyderabad, to offer internships to students and consultancy projects to faculty.
- ❖ Series of R&D expert talks (14) are organized to encourage and motivate faculty towards improving the research activities.
- ❖ The institution also offers reimbursement of registration fee up to a maximum of Rs. 12,000/- (2026 onwards increased Rs. 10,000/ to 12,000/-) for publishing and participating in Reputed Conference (Scopus and WoS) resulting in improving number of publications and citations
 - Recommended conference registration fee worth of Rs. 4.05 Lakhs to 46 faculty members
 - Recommended conference registration fee an amount of Rs. 9,28,784/- to 110 students.

Summary of the Publications

Table 1.Scopus / WoS Publications

Calendar Year	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026 (Up to 15 April)
Scopus	170	345	503	693	794	166
WoS	98	187	183	251	282	81
Total	268	532	686	944	1076	247
Total Scopus Publications: 3,462, h-index: 61 Total WoS Publications: 1522, h-index: 47						

Table 2 Scopus / WoS Citations

Calendar Year	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026 (Up to April 15)
Scopus	861	1738	3002	5674	8204	2219
WoS	569	1110	1635	2918	3611	635
Total	1430	2848	4637	8592	11815	2854
Total Scopus Citations: 24,075 Total WoS Citations: 12,318						

Three of our faculty are figured among the top 2% researchers list, as identified by comprehensive global ranking study conducted by Stanford University, USA and published by Elsevier for the year 2025.

R&D and consultancy projects (ongoing and completed) till date

Sponsored Projects (ongoing and completed) till date						
S. No	Category		Completed Projects	Ongoing Projects	Total	Sanctioned Projects A Y 2025-26
1	Sponsored Projects		57	16	73	4
2	Sponsored Projects to the Institute (Sharing)	ACIC	--	01	1	0
		SPICES	01	0	1	0
		IDEA Lab	01	0	1	0
3	Consultancy Projects		37	07	44	5
Total			96	24	120	9

- 59 Completed Sponsored projects worth of Rs. 677.7 Lakhs
- 37 Completed Consultancy projects worth of Rs. 146.23 Lakhs
- 17 Ongoing Sponsored projects worth of Rs. 777.03 Lakhs
- 07 Ongoing Consultancy projects worth of Rs. 123.45 Lakhs

Projects Sanctioned A Y 2025-26

- Four sponsored projects worth of Rs. 84.2 Lakhs
- Five consultancy project worth of Rs. 64.37 Lakhs

The Semi-Conductor Chips designed and fabricated by CBIT team was part of the Collage of Indigenous Chips presented to Honourable Prime Minister Sri. Narendra Modi by the Honorable Minister of Electronics and IT, Sri. Ashwini Vaishnav, during SEMICON INDIA 2025, held at New Delhi on 02nd September 2025. CBIT's name was announced by Honourable PM in his appreciation of the institutes for developing first fully Indigenous Chips, designed and developed in India under Chip- to Startup (C2S) scheme under MeitY.

Prof. B. S. Rajanikanth, asked about no Ph.D. supervisor in Biotechnology department. Dr. V. Barla, Advisor-IIC, shared that, due to the absence of a postgraduate program in Biotechnology, faculty members faced difficulty in obtaining research scholars and hence had limited opportunities to serve as research guides. To address this, the institution has initiated collaboration with National Institute of Technology Warangal for joint research guideship opportunities. Faculty applications have been submitted and are under active consideration, and it is expected that more faculty members will be recognized as research guides in the coming academic year.

Status - In-House Seed Grant Sanctioned projects in 2024

- ❖ Total sanctioned projects: 74 (Major: 32, Minor:14 and Students:28)
- ❖ Total Projects dropped without utilizing sanctioned funds: 03 (Major: 00, Minor: 01 and Students: 02)
- ❖ Total projects, which utilized the sanctioned funds: 71(Major: 32, Minor: 13 and Students: 26)

Status of projects as on 01 May 2026

S.no	Type of project	Projects			Sanctioned Amount	Achieve Outcomes/Projected outcomes				
		Sanctioned	To be Completed	Completed		Journal	Conf.	Patent	Product	Proposals Submitted
1	Major Projects	32	20	12	55,40,759	21/31	10/0	4/1	5/0	34/32
2	Minor Projects	13	7	6	8,18,574	9/13	7/0	4/12	2/0	4/0
3	Student Projects	26	11	15	5,62,361	15/25	22/22	11/6	3/0	3/1
Total		71	38	33	69,21,694	45/69	39/22	19/19	10/0	41/33

In uncompleted 33 projects, technical work is completed and outcomes are communicated to journal papers and waiting for acceptance of the same for closer of the projects.

Outcome of these seed grant projects resulted in securing six sponsored research projects from AICTE, ISRO and UGC-DAE to the total amount of Rs. 76.25 Lakhs.

Prof. B S Rajanikanth appreciated the efforts of the R&D team and the investigators for securing sponsored projects through the In-House Seed Grant Projects.

As there is no further discussion on this point, the Director-IQAC requested the Advisor - I&I to present Agenda Sl. No. 8.

Sl. No. 8. Innovation Ecosystem, MSME Collaborations, IIC, IPRs, AICTE IDEA Lab, EDC, and ACIC Activities for the year 2025-2026 and Summary of IPRs till date.

As advised by Prof. B. S. Rajanikanth in the previous meetings, an initiative has been undertaken to improve quality intake by reaching out to PM SHRI Schools, Central Government schools, and Hyderabad Public School (HPS). Interactions were conducted with 11th and 12th standard students to showcase the CBIT ecosystem, including projects, startups, innovation activities, and opportunities for transforming ideas into prototypes, with the objective of motivating meritorious students to choose CBIT. The initiative will be expanded further after the reopening of schools.

Regarding hackathons and ideathons, around 4-5 events were conducted during the year, including the national-level Innovation Ideathon 4.0 on "Building a Better World," in which 50 teams reached the finals. A Women's Special Ideathon was also organized with participation from over 70 teams and 280 participants. In addition, NASSCOM conducted a session on Applied AI on 2nd April, attracting more than 100 external participants.

CBIT achieved a major milestone in Smart India Hackathon (SIH) 2025 by securing four National First Prizes simultaneously, each carrying a cash award of ₹1.5 lakhs. In addition, students won the Clear Sky Challenge with a ₹2 lakhs cash prize, while the Astra Space Club secured multiple awards in various space competitions.

The total number of patents filed and published reached 180, with an additional 10-12 patents ready for filing. During the last year alone, 38 patents were added, and the institution aims to cross 200 patents by June and file 60 patents annually thereafter.

The total number of patents granted increased to 28, including 11 grants received during January-March 2026. Efforts are being intensified to secure more grants through timely responses to examination reports. The institution also organized World IPR Day celebrations and awareness sessions with senior patent attorneys, while recognizing faculty members whose patents were published or granted.

The AICTE IDEA Lab has emerged as a key center for experiential learning by offering AI-based skill development programs for core engineering branches to enhance placement opportunities. Through the Idea Internship initiative, students are trained in project development, business modeling, and converting innovative ideas into working products.

Our targets for the academic year 2025-2026 are:

1. To conduct **100+ innovation and entrepreneurship activities** through all the departments.
2. To organize **Hack India 2026** in July/August focusing on AI and Web 3.0.
3. To organize at least 4 prototype exhibitions and business plan competitions.
4. To secure at least **10 international/national patent grants**.
5. To maintain the filing of minimum 60 patents per year to keep our score high in NIRF and NAAC.

Innovation Ecosystem

- The Innovation and Incubation Cell (IIC) and Idea Lab drive CBIT's activities in innovation, incubation, entrepreneurship, startups, and IPR.
- These initiatives promote ideation, problem-solving, design thinking, proof-of-concept development, and IPR awareness among students.
- Strategic MoUs strengthen industry collaboration, research, internships, consultancy, employability, and CBIT's reputation in technical education and innovation.

Strategic Collaborations MoUs and MSME

- 12 Nos. New MoUs signed during last year and a total of 42 Active MoU's. (MoU's [Hyper Link](#)) These MoUs significantly enhance CBIT's academic excellence, industry relevance, Internship, consultancy projects, research output, and student employability, positioning it as a leader in technical education and innovation.
- CBIT has formed partnerships with TSIC, OTBI, Osmania University, and various corporations to enhance students' entrepreneurial skills. The MoU's were helpful for students internships, training, projects with industry partners, enhancing their problem-solving abilities and employability.

Planned MoU's 2026:

- At least 20 new institutional/industry partnerships focusing on innovation and incubation.
- Renew, expand scope with existing partners like MSME, Incubators, and MoUs with VCs and local start up ecosystems.

IIC (Institution's Innovation Council): (Report -[Hyper Link](#))

Current Status: CBIT's consistent Four-Star rating for four consecutive years reflects its sustained excellence in fostering innovation and entrepreneurship through IIC and allied initiatives. CBIT's Innovation Ecosystem and IIC work has been taken as a model by the Ministry of Education Innovation Cell.

IIC Activities Count (A.Y) Verified	2025-26 (6 months)	2024-25	2023-24
Calendar Activity as per MIC Declaration (Threshold Approx. 28)	17	32	29
Self -Driven Activity (Threshold-24)	21	40	42
MIC Activity (As per MIC Declaration)	2	10	7
Celebration Activity Threshold Approx. 10	6	15	13
Total	41	97	91

- 95+ activities conducted during the IIC Calendar Year 2024-25 till 31st Aug 2025.
- 9000+ students benefited.
- Participation in national-level competitions (Smart India HackIndia 2025).

- Conducted four quarterly events: Ideathon, Poster/Product Displays, Business Plan Competitions.
- Women Ideathon 1.0 Grand Finale Conducted at CBIT on 6th March, Grand Finale.
- National Level Ideathon Competition on 30th-31st Jan 2026.
- Nasscom AI Code Marathon Hosted by CBIT on 2nd April, 2026.
- IPR Day Celebrations Conducted on 22nd April, 2026. Two guests lectures by top class attorney Mr. Afzal Hasan, and Mrs. Vatsala Singh Hasan, from M/s Hasan and Singh Attorney Company, Hyderabad.
- As per MIC guidelines, Mentored four Academic Institutions for their IIC activities.
- SIH -25: Two first prizes Rs. 1.5 Lakhs Each, 3rd One Joint First Prize Rs. 75,000/- 4th One Protsahan Award of Rs 25000/- (Total of 4 Awards for Smart India Hackathon - 2025).
- CBIT Students Clinch First Prize at National Level Clear Skies Challenge 2025, Rs. 2 Lakhs.
- CBIT Team ASTRA secures Gold Prize at National NIDAR Drone competition 2025-26 the Gold Award for Outstanding Business Strategy Rs 60,000/- cash prize and Rs. 1.5 Lakhs Worth Vouchers. (View Linked Docs)

Planned Activities (2025-26):

- 100+ innovation-related events scheduled until August 2026.
- Hosting and participation in HackIndia 2026 (National Hackathon at CBIT).
- Four quarterly events: Ideathon, Poster/Product Displays, Business Plan Competitions.
- Collaboration with industry experts for student skill development.
- Participation in Smart India Hackathon (SIH) 2025.

Target: CBIT's consistent Four-Star rating for the last four consecutive years has to be maintained. Planned and Expecting 4 Star rating this year.

IPRs (Intellectual Property Rights)

Summary till Date: (IPRs Hyper Link)

- Total Patents Filed: [180] Last One year: 38
- Total Patents Granted: [28] Last One year: 4

Target for IPR filing, Year 2026 as per NIRF Requirements:

- Filing and publishing of at least 60 new patents. Efforts for 10 IPR Grants.
- IPR workshops for all departments. Assistance to students for writing IPRs.
- Collaborate with external IP attorneys for facilitation. (Mr. Afzal Hassan & Vatsala Singh Hassan (IP Attorney). Mr. Tapan Brahma (IP Attorney) and Others for IPR Awareness program..

AICTE IDEA Lab Activities (2024-25)

- CBIT hosts the AICTE IDEA Lab, which serves as a center for idea incubation, rapid prototyping, and student skill development.
- The Drone & Robotics Lab and Digital Manufacturing Lab support hands-on learning and prototype development.
- More than 1,400 students are trained annually in design thinking, product design, and prototype fabrication through these facilities.

Other Key Activities at IDEA Lab as per guidelines.

S. No.	Name of the activity	Dates	No of Students or Faculties benefitted	View Report
1	Rural Entrepreneurship/ Internship programme for 2nd year to 3rd Year Students.	Jun 2025- Aug 2025	320	View
2	Govt School Students Visited Open day school programme for Kanapur	Sep 2025	70+	View
3	The Slate School Visited AICTE IDEA LAB Innovation	Non 2025	80+	View

AICTE IDEA Lab Internship and Rural Entrepreneurship Addressing SDGs

- In 2025, a total of 320+ students (moving from 2nd to 3rd year) successfully completed a 90-hour rural summer internship at the AICTE IDEA Lab Rural Entrepreneurship/ Internship.
- The program focused on promoting entrepreneurship aligned with the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).
- Through real-world exposure to rural challenges, students developed innovative, socially impactful solutions while enhancing their entrepreneurial mindset and industry-relevant skills.

Start-Ups

- Together, these initiatives contribute to building a generation of socially conscious, industry-ready entrepreneurs.
- Quick Print Student Startup Registered by T. Sharath Kumar IT 3rd Year.
- Kernel Eco Systems Startup seeds startup registered by V. Sharath Chemical Engg. 4th Year.
- Dhanyagunah(C/o Pruthviratna Eco Pvt. Ltd.) by Neela Siddhartha ECE 2025 passed out student Registered as CBIT Startup and he also received funds from various aspects about Rs. 27 Lakhs from STPI and Aleap-We-Hub, CBIT has provided Rs. 38000/- Seed fund.

EDC (Entrepreneurship Development Cell) Activities

- **Key Programs:**

S.No	Name of the activity	Dates	No of Students benefited	Attachment of Report
1	E Summit Hyderabad Regionals "BECon 2025"	19-01-2025	250	https://drive.google.com/file/d/1uHBZn-sqPcM7vvv-xQgoIZLgxB7Ksknr/view?usp=sharing
2	FDP/MDP/Skill Development Programme on Management of Technology Business Incubators	17th - 21st Dec 2024	49	https://drive.google.com/file/d/1AizXp4pL7QsCalyMG91gflboB7do1BrB/view?usp=sharing
3	Speaker session on "How to Initiate the Startup Journey During Early College Days"	07-08-2024	153	https://drive.google.com/file/d/1pOtOV21kHoN3ucmqNg42dDt6s0d1zEID/view?usp=sharing
4	Faculty Development program / Management Development program on 5S, Kaizen, Lean and TQM	19-23th February , 2024	25	https://drive.google.com/file/d/1M7zq-vpai-04G7BFdu-0BHZC8ZsAb-Hd/view?usp=sharing

ACIC CBIT – Achievements & Activities

Achievements:

- Award of Excellence in Community Service – HMKEWS (Hyderabad Mathur Kayastha Education and Welfare Society)
- Best Digital Transformation in Healthcare – Kode Blue, CIF CBIT
- 25 Startups Incubated (cumulative) – acic-cbit.in/startups
- Community Innovation Projects: Automated Sprinkler System, Smart CC Cameras, Soil Testing Device, Pulse Peeling Machine

Activities 2025-26

Incubation & Innovation Programs		
Date	Activity	Proof
30-31 Jan 2026	Innovation Ideathon 4.0	 View
18 Feb 2026 and 14th June 25	GRIP Cohort III, Completion GRIP Cohort II, Graduation Day	 View
30 Aug 2025	GRIP 3.0 Orientation Day	 View
10 Jan-19 Feb 2026	Student Innovator Program (SIP) 2026	 View
28 Apr 2025 and 31 May 2025	Thinkathon Finance for Startups	 View  View
24 May 2025	CIF – Innovator Talk Series	 View
Technology & Skill Workshops		
Date	Activity	Proof
9-10 Feb 2026	Drone Workshop @ MGIT – 113 participants	 View
13-14 Nov 28 Jul-1 Aug 2025	Drone Workshops and Bootcamp	 View  View
19-21 May 2025	Capacity Building Program (3 Days)	 View
19 Apr 2025	Prototype Development & Refinement Session	 View

Community & Outreach		
Date	Activity	Proof
21 Feb 2026	Community Outreach – Gopularam Village	 View
12 Jan 2026	Tribal & Farmer Outreach – Dornal Village	 View
25-26 Dec 2025	Potter Community Outreach – Nandiwanaparthi	 View
24 Oct 2025	GRIP-III Outreach – Nanajipur Village	 View
08 Mar 2025	Grassroot Gold – Unearthing Innovation from Village	 View
15 Jul 2025	CIF Outreach – ITI Sanathnagar	 View
Institutional and other Events		
Date	Activity	Proof
13 Feb 2026	HITEX Start-Up Roadshow	 View

13 Oct 2025	Viksit Bharat Buildathon @ ACIC CBIT	 View
17 Jun 2025	Wadhwani Liftoff Program Cohort	 View
17 Dec 2025	Slate School Students Visit to ACIC	 View
11 Apr 2025	GRIP II Industrial Visit – T-Works	 View

Plan 2025-26:

- Scale and Institutionalize Grassroots Innovation Programs – launch Grassroots Innovation Fellowship for rural youth
- Expand Rural Innovation Challenges to Regional Level – organize Regional Innovation Summits
- Strengthen Startup Pipeline Integration – unified Startup Tracking Dashboard
- Capacity Building for Local Ecosystem Enablers – training for panchayat members, teachers, NGO workers
- IPR and Market Linkages for Rural Innovators – Rural demo days, IPR for Rural innovators

As there is no further discussion on this point, the Director-IQAC requested the i/c Head-HR to present Agenda Sl. No. 9.

Sl. No. 9. Summary of Faculty and staff Details (as on date) and the Recruitments carried out during the year 2025-26.

Summary of faculty and staff details (as on date) and the recruitments carried out during the academic year 2025-2026 is presented by Sri. J. Bala Subramanyam, I/C, Head-HR.

The In-charge Head-HR presented the faculty statistics, noting that the total institutional faculty strength stands at 379, out of which a highly qualified pool of 249 faculty members possess PhD qualifications. The cell noted the continuous strategic emphasis on faculty recruitment drives executed throughout the academic session to maintain required academic benchmarks. Resolution:

Faculty Information - Department wise :

Sl. No	Department	Professor	Adjunct Professor	Associate Professor	Assistant Professor	Grand Total	With Ph.D.	Pursuing Ph.D.
1	Mechanical	4	1	3	28	36	28	8
2	Cse	5	1	8	38	52	21	31
3	Ce &T	1	-	-	08	09	2	7
4	Ai & MI	2	1	2	18	23	8	15
5	Eee	4	1	4	19	28	17	11
6	Civil	3	1	3	20	27	15	12
7	Ece	6	1	8	30	45	36	9
8	It	3	1	8	20	32	20	12
9	Ai & Ds	2	1	4	15	22	10	12
10	Chemical	1	1	3	5	10	9	1
11	Biotechnology	1	1	3	11	16	13	3

12	Chemistry	1	-	2	8	11	11	-
13	Physics	2	-	1	10	13	13	-
14	Mca	-	-	1	5	06	3	3
15	Sms	3	1	4	12	20	18	2
16	Mathematics	1	-	1	15	17	15	2
17	English	-	-	-	9	09	7	2
18	Library & Information	-	-	1	-	01	1	-
19	Physical Education	-	-	-	2	02	2	-
Grand Total		39	11	56	273	379	249	130

A total of 37 faculty members were recruited during 2025-26, with 4 holding Ph.D. degrees.

Comparsion of Ph.D. faculty on Rolls :

The faculty count based on Ph.D. qualification is summarized below:

Total Faculty	: 379	No. of. Ph.D holders	: 249
No.of Male Faculty	: 227	Male Faculty with Ph.D	: 160
No.of Female Faculty	: 152	Female Faculty with Ph.D	: 89

The Director-IQAC requested the Nodal Officer-NIRF to present Agenda Sl. No. 10.

Sl.No.10: A note on institutional data uploaded for NIRF-2026.

The NIRF Nodal Officer, Sri Laxmaiah, presented a detailed data matrix and performance analysis of the institution in the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF). He briefed the committee regarding the individual scores obtained across the core NIRF parameters, including Teaching, Learning & Resources (TLR), Research and Professional Practice (RPC), Graduation Outcomes (GO), Outreach and Inclusivity (OI), and Perception (PR). The presentation highlighted specific areas requiring targeted improvements to elevate the overall institutional ranking.

The compiled data was successfully uploaded to the NIRF portal on 26.02.2026. The Institute participated in the Overall, Engineering, and Innovation ranking categories

The committee has estimated an expected total score of 40.881 in the NIRF 2026 Engineering Category, showing an improvement over the NIRF2025 score of 40.001. Based on these scores, the Institute is projected to maintain its position within the 151-200 rank band.

All criterion-wise scores, along with a comparison to the previous year's scores, are presented in the table below.

NIRF YEAR	TLR (100)	RPP (100)	GO (100)	OI (100)	Perception (100)	Total Marks(100)	Rank
2026(E)	60.54	18.37	58.16	52.53	3.0	40.881	151-200(E)
2025	59.78	16.48	58.01	52.76	2.45	40.001	151-200
2024	59.79	11.68	58.88	52.32	7.86	39.235	151-200

2023	58.37	8.19	58.15	53.1	5.92	37.5	151-200
2022	57.49	3.07	56.9	51.94	10.95	35.837	166
2021	60.36	2.21	56.74	51.57	10.45	36.321	133
2020	57.82	2.01	57.52	50.22	8.5	35.325	124
2019	61.07	2.16	56.8	51.01	4.33	35.863	100

For the data submitted to NIRF 2026, the expected scores for each criterion are as follows

As there is no further discussion on this point, the Director-IQAC presented Agenda

Sl. No. 11.

Sl. No.11 Programs, Accredited by NBA (as on date) and a note on applying to NBA for the other eligible programs.

The Director - IQAC presented the status report on the academic programs accredited by the National Board of Accreditation (NBA) as on date, detailing the validity periods of the currently accredited undergraduate and postgraduate programs. A comprehensive roadmap and timeline note were also submitted regarding the preparation of Pre-Qualifiers and Self-Assessment Reports (SAR) for the remaining eligible programs across various departments to ensure timely submission to the NBA.

UG and PG Programs- accreditation status

Sl. No	Name of the Program	Remarks
1.	B.E- Civil Engineering	The NBA accreditation for these 12 programs is valid until 30 June 2027. For reaccreditation, the Self-Assessment Report (SAR) shall be submitted to the NBA by 30 November 2026 and the NBA Expert Visit shall be planned during January / February / March 2027.
2.	B.E- Computer Science and Engineering	
3.	B.E- Electrical & Electronics Engineering	
4.	B.E- Electronics & Communication Engineering	
5.	B.E- Mechanical Engineering	
6.	B.E- Information Technology	
7.	B.Tech- Chemical Engineering	
8.	M.E - Structural Engineering	
9.	M.E - CAD / CAM	
10.	M.E - Communication Engineering	
11.	M.E- Power Systems & Power Electronics	
12.	M.E-Embedded System and VLSI Design	
13.	B.Tech- Bio Technology	Valid until 31 st December 2028

14.	MBA (Masters in Business Administration)	NBA Visit is completed during 23 rd -25 th Jan 2026. (Result awaited)
15.	B.E- Artificial Intelligence and Data Science	The programs become eligible from the academic year 2026-27. The Self-Assessment Report (SAR) for the respective programs shall be submitted to the NBA in October 2026. To obtain accreditation status from the academic year 2026-27 (CAY), the NBA visit shall be completed on or before 31-12-2026.
16.	B.E- Computer Science and Engineering (Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning)	
17.	B.E- Computer Science and Engineering (Internet of Things and Cyber Security Including Block Chain Technology)	
18.	M.Tech - Artificial Intelligence and Data Science	The respective UG program must be Accredited by NBA and will apply for NBA accreditation in the academic year 2027-28.
19.	M.Tech - CSE	To be decided by the respective departments for applying for NBA accreditation.
20.	MCA (Masters in Computer Applications)	
21.	B.E. - Electronics Engineering (VLSI Design And Technology)	The program(s) commenced in the academic year 2024-25. A minimum of three graduating batches is required for eligibility for NBA accreditation.
22.	M.Tech. - Information Technology (Artificial Intelligence and Robotics)	

Proposed timelines for application to NBA accreditation:

Phase-1	Phase-2	Phase-3	Phase-4
To plan NBA visit: January 2027	To plan NBA visit: February 2027	To plan NBA visit: March 2027	To plan NBA visit: April 2027
B.E (Civil)	B.E(Mech.)	M.E(PS&PE)	M.Tech(CSE)
B.E(ECE)	B.E(EEE)	M.E(CE)	M.C.A
B.E(CSE)	B.E(IT)	M.E(CAD/CAM)	B.E(CSE-IoT & CS, BCT)
B.Tech (Chemical)	M.E(EMBD&VLSI)	M.E (Stru. Engg.)	
B.E(AI&DS)	B.E (CSE-AI&ML)	M.Tech(AI&DS)	

Sl. No.12 Any other item with the permission of chair.

Ms. Vangala Bhavya Sri, VI Semester ECE, the student nominee, expressed her satisfaction regarding the courses, faculty, teaching learning process, infrastructure and the facilities provided by the institution.

During the discussion on NIRF rankings, the Principal informed that the need to critically analyze the reasons for the Institute not securing a better NIRF rank. He observed that the

Institute secured only 2.45 points out of 100 in the perception parameter during the previous year. He opined that greater proactive involvement of the staff in effectively projecting and showcasing the Institute's achievements and initiatives is essential for improving institutional perception and visibility. In this regard, he mandated all departments to organize national-level events by inviting reputed academicians, distinguished personalities to enhance national visibility and institutional perception.

In response to the concerns raised by the President's nominee regarding comparatively low placements in the Biotechnology Department, the Principal proposed constituting a committee to identify the challenges and recommend suitable strategies for improvement. He further opined that the CDC and the Biotechnology Department should work jointly to identify core companies in the sector and actively approach them to improve placement opportunities for students.

The Principal further suggested the need for coordinated efforts to strengthen placements following the appointment of a Director-Career Development Centre (CDC) and two Placement Officers. He emphasized the importance of enhancing industry interaction, training activities and employability initiatives to improve placement opportunities for students.

After detailed deliberations, the Principal and Chairman-IQAC, informed that the IQAC team has been conducting various audits and surveys periodically to assess institutional performance and quality initiatives. He appreciated the activities undertaken so far and suggested the Convener, IQAC, to include the following points as agenda items for discussion in the next IQAC meeting to further strengthen institutional quality, academic excellence, research culture, and student progression initiatives.

To present the Academic Audit Reports of all departments along with the corresponding Action Taken Reports to review the effectiveness of corrective measures initiated based on audit observations and recommendations.

A comprehensive analysis of feedback collected from students, faculty, alumni, employers, industries and parents on various academic and administrative parameters shall be presented along with the action taken for continuous quality improvement.

To present the best practices initiated and effectively implemented at both departmental and institutional levels, highlighting their outcomes, impact on student learning, research, governance, community engagement and overall institutional development.

The need to strengthen industry collaborations, MoUs and partnerships to improve student placements, internships, industry-oriented training, skill development programmes and collaborative activities with reputed organizations.

The IQAC shall deliberate on establishing measurable benchmarks and targets for student support systems and progression activities relating to entrepreneurship development, semester-wise academic performance, higher studies, placements, competitive examinations, innovation, skill enhancement programmes, and improvement in the quality of top-rank students admitted into UG and PG programmes.

The Chairman, IQAC, expressed concern that despite having 249 faculty members with Ph.D. qualifications, only four sponsored research projects were sanctioned during the current year. The Director-IQAC was advised to review the existing research ecosystem and formulate strategies to improve sponsored research projects, consultancy activities, patents, publications, innovation practices, and externally funded proposals. IQAC must fix benchmarks and targets in this regard to meet the requirements of NBA, NAAC & NIRF.

The Principal emphasized the importance of continuous monitoring, effective implementation of the suggestions and timely submission of compliance reports. The Director-IQAC was advised to place the NBA and NAAC compliance reports before the next IQAC meeting for review.

The meeting ended with the closing remarks by the Principal. The principal thanked Prof. Rajanikanth and other members for their suggestions and sparing their valuable time. The principal thanked the Director-IQAC, Associate Director(s)-IQAC for successfully conducting the meeting and also thanked all the members of IQAC for their active participation.


Prof. N. V. Koteswara Rao
Director - IQAC




Prof. C. V. Narasimhulu
Principal and Chairman-IQAC

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