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16th IQAC Meeting

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A meeting of the IQAC is convened on 17th January, 2019 at IQAC Room , at 12.00 Noon to transact on the following agenda.

Agenda:

1. Outcome of International Conference held on January 11 to 13, 2019.
2. To consider applications of faculties for attending Ph.D. course work.
3. To expedite the implementation of rain water harvesting system
4. Miscellaneous.

Resolutions:

1. The three day long International Interdisciplinary Conference on “Environment, Peace and Morality East and West” was organized by Surya Sen Mahavidyalaya in collaboration with the institute of cross culture studies and academic exchange, Burlington, USA.

The conference focused on the better understanding of the link between Environmental change and human well-being which is vital for effective conflict prevention, ensuring peace and security. Various nuances of these issues from different perspectives were discussed in these three days .Participants who presented papers, tried to explain the cause of environmental degradation as well as offered solutions. Papers presented by Dr. Mayukh Sarkar, Dr. Sherpa hutia, Dr. Lovely Sarkar and by many others were highly appreciated as well as papers presented by Prof. Zsujsa Anna Ferenjcy from Brussels, Prof. Mark D. Wood of Kirginya Common wealth university and Prof. Lynn Sebastian Purcell of state university of New York. All the papers reflected almost the same the world has faced such a challenge and far this we need to shift our focus from reformist environmental policies to a deep eco-activism, which will offer normative critique of human activity and institutions to ensure a fundamental change in the dominant worldview and social structure of modernity.

Prof. Kisor Chakraborty, President, ICCSAE, in his keynote address expresses how our ancient thinkers already had dealt with this issue long before the modern thinkers talked about relatedness and relationality and stressed this issue in their tests. If we can appropriate and contextualize it, then perhaps we have a way out similarly, Dr. Hussain Qutabuddin of Academy of Advanced Studies in South-asian Islam and Arabic (AASSIA) Mumbai, Prof. Jonathan Kramer, North Carolina State University. Raleigh have clearly shown how our indigenous cultural practices can be an active agent for ensuring interrelatedness.

The members thank Dr. Suphal Biswas (Convener), Dr. Arnab Baul (Joint Organizing Secretary) and Dr. Bablee Mandal (Organising Secretary) for successfully conducting the conference.

2. Applications of the following faculties were considered and they were permitted to attend their Ph.D course work:-
 - a. Prof. Reema Doma Sherma - Dept. Of Commerce
 - b. Prof. Sarmistha Biswas - Dept. Of Sociology
 - c. Prof. Manik Maitra - Dept. Of Bengali

- d. Prof. Lisa Sarkar - Dept. Of Economics
- e. Prof. Sudeshna Mandal - Dept. Of Geography
- f. Prof. Ishita Saha - Dept. Of Geography

3. Members discussed about the possibility of implementing rainwater harvesting system in the college. Although the procedure of implementation is already in consideration, IQAC urges that it should be expedited and completed very soon at least before the coming rainy season.

4. Miscellaneous:-

- a. Reported that seminar libraries have been set up in Dept. Of Physics and Chemistry and are already in functioning mode.
- b. Also reported to IQAC that collection and documentation of Teachers' and Students' feedback reports are complete.
- c. It is reported that Prof. Tamali Mustafi, Dept. Of History(from Dec 04 to Dec 24, 2018) Prof. Aniruddha Palit, Dept. Of Mathematics (From Dec 07 to Dec 27, 2018) were released to attend refresher course.
- d. It is reported to IQAC that construction of language lab is almost going to be over. All the other formalities regarding language lab is complete. The lab is now about to be functional as soon as the construction work is complete.

With thanks to the chair the meeting ends.

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