# SRI KRISHNA ARTS AND SCIENCE COLLEGE

Report of IQAC



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[An Autonomous Institution] Coimbatore – 641 008



# INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL

#### 2019-20

Sri Krishna Arts and Science College with a vision of "Fitness for Purpose" established in the year 1997 is an autonomous Institution imparting Quality Education imbibing scientific and artistic knowledge to the needs of the current generation. A College offering 32 Undergraduate Programmes 12 Post Graduate Programmes 8 Research Programmes and one Integrated Programme is re-accredited with 'A' Grade by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) and is a. From a student strength of 623 in the academic year 2004-2005 the college had grown extensively in infrastructure, technical developments and quality Faculty strength to incorporate 8000 in the year 2019-2020.

#### Vision

The vision of the College is "FITNESS FOR PURPOSE" by

- Preparing students for placements both during and outside the course work
- Strengthening research activities in various departments
- Encouraging consultancy and extended services involving students and faculty
- Creating a brand equity and brand image by carrying out activities underlying with the motto "KNOWLEDGE, LOVE AND SERVICE."

### Mission

The mission of the college is to prepare students for the growing demands of tomorrow keeping in mind the need to mould a generation of young men and women with knowledge, character, truth, genuinely cultivated spirit of service and far-reaching imagination.

## **Quality Policy**

We at Sri Krishna Arts and Science College are committed to the satisfaction of our customers through academic excellence with:

- Upgradation of facilities
- Placement opportunities
- Industry institution interaction and
- Continual improvement

#### Establishment

Sri Krishna Arts and Science College was established by the Trust in 1997 and it is an ISO certified co-educational institution catering to the need of the day.

#### **Quality Management System**

- After assessing the quality of education and infrastructure the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) has awarded 'A' grade in 2009 and re-accredited with 'A' in 2015.
- All activities and processes of college are standardized and systemized as per ISO 9001:2008 Standards and certified by TUV SUD who conducts the external audit once a year for continual improvement of quality systems in the college.

#### **IQAC Cell - Preamble**

IQAC plays a vital role in maintaining quality standards in teaching, learning, evaluation, research, extension and consultancy opportunities. IQAC initiate, plan and supervise various activities that are necessary to increase the quality of the education imparted in the institution.

The IQAC plans activities to strengthen the teaching and research skills in the contemporary and emerging areas. To enhance the teaching and other skills of the faculty and to make them aware about modern teaching tools and methodologies.

It provides an opportunity to acquire knowledge about current technological developments in relevant fields. It will not only promote the professional practices relevant to technical education but also motivates the faculty to achieve competitive teaching and learning environment.

#### **Significant Contributions**

Sri Krishna Arts and Science College (SKASC) is one of the premier leading Colleges in Tamil Nadu and is a part of the elite Sri Krishna Institutions, Coimbatore. It caters to the educational needs of both girls and boys with its excellent academic record and world class infrastructure. It has been ranked **29**<sup>th</sup> in the **NIRF** rankings 2020 by MHRD, three consecutive years ranked under 100 in NIRF ranking and re-accredited with 'A' grade by NAACwith the score of **3.26**. The College has been ranked **4**<sup>th</sup> in **Swachta rankings** 2018 in the College category and also awarded as 'Best Institution' in the **12th National Level Yogasana Festival and Championship-2018**.

India Today has ranked the College 6<sup>th</sup> in Science and 9<sup>th</sup> in Commerce Category among the top 100 emerging Colleges of the century, in its All India Survey.Week Magazine has ranked SKASCin 5<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>position respectively under Science and Commerce category in Tamil Nadu and 1<sup>st</sup> among Coimbatore Colleges in 2019. The College has also been ranked 1<sup>st</sup> among top 5 Colleges in best male and female ratio by India Today.

The curriculum of the College has been designed at par with UGC standards of Choice Based Credit System with Cafeteria Approach. The college has adopted Knowledge Centric Learning and Capstone Evaluation Model linked with the Outcome-Based Education which enable the students to be job-ready when they graduate. SKASC has opted e-learning and m-learning facilities for the students which includes web-based learning, virtual classroom and digital collaboration. The industry ready curriculum helped the College to achieve enviable placement recordby placing the students in top companies all over the world.

Recently the College has been identified by UGC as a mentor institution under Paramarsh scheme to guide five non NAAC accredited colleges and encourage them to get NAAC accreditation. The scheme intends to promote well performing accredited institutions to mentor the NAAC accreditation aspiring institutions to upgrade their academic performance and get accredited. A well designed scheme of Mentor-Mentee relationship will not only benefit both the institutions but also lead to quality education to the 3.6 crore students who are enrolling to Indian Higher Education system at present.

Sri Krishna Arts and Science College is very much privileged to join hands with UGC under Paramarsh scheme, as a mentor institution to fulfill the aspiration of UGC to promote Quality Assurance in Higher Education and enable the non-accredited institutions to get accredited by 2022.

#### **Mentee Institution**

As per the UGC guidelines, SKASC has entered in to an agreement with the following 5 mentee institutions in its vicinity, which are non NAAC accredited.

- Sri Krishna Adithya College of Arts and Science
- Sri Ramalinga Sowdambigai College of Science & Commerce
- Kathir College of Arts And Science
- Michael Job College of Arts & Science for Women

• Kamban College of Arts and Science

The above Colleges have consented to collaborate with SKASC as mentee institution to upgrade their academic performance and get accredited.

One of the greatest challenges to India's growth trajectory for the next century is thequality of education imparted to the next generation by our Higher Education Institutions.University Grants Commission has dedicated itself to the pursuit of excellence with a specificfocus on quality as enshrined in the UGC "Quality Mandate". SKASC takes pride in implementing Parmarsh Scheme to achieve UGC's quality mandate and participate in pursuit to transforming Indian higher education at par with Global Standards.

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1.	30.09.2019	Orientation Programme
2.	12.10.2019	Ground Assessment – Sri Ramalinga Sowdambigai College
3.	14.10.2019	Ground Assessment – Michael Job College
4.	18.10.2019	Ground Assessment – Kathir College
5.	25.10.2019	Ground Assessment – Sri Krishna Adithya College
6.	30.10.2019	Ground Assessment – Kamban College of Arts and Science
7.	04.11.2019	Workshop on Documentation – Forms & Procedures
8.	16.11.2019	Guest Lecture on Quality Assurance in Higher Education Institutions

The following are the activities carried out during the year.

9.09.12.2019Guest Lecture on Role of IQAC in Higher Education Institutions10.25.01.2020Mentor – Mentee Meetings - Kamban College of Arts and Science11.03.02.2020Mentor – Mentee Meetings - Sri Ramalinga Sowdambigai College12.13.02.2020Mentor – Mentee Meetings - Sri Krishna Adithya College13.15.02.2020Mentor – Mentee Meetings - Sri Krishna Adithya College14.22.02.2020Mentor – Mentee Meetings - Kathir College15.05.03.2020Mentor – Mentee Meetings - Michael Job College16.14.03.2020One Day Workshop on "Academic Services at INFLIBNET Centre for Faculties and Research Scholars"16.14.03.2020Guest Lecture on Teaching-learning & Evaluation - Modern Teaching Methodologies17.25.04.2020 to 30.04.20205 Days Online FDP on "NAAC: Revised Accreditation Framework – Issues and Challenges"			
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# **IQAC** Committee

The IQAC committee members monitor the following activities during the academic year:

 Supervising the development activities of the college, establishing of new courses and review of learning objectives and outcomes of different courses in different programmes.

- The IQAC is constantly evaluating the teaching learning process through constant feedbacks. Ensuring the course coverage and the execution of the evaluation processes.
- To manage and analyse the feedback received from external and internal stakeholders like Parents, Alumni, Students, Faculty members, non-teaching staff, about the Academics, Research, Infrastructure, facilities and other activities of SKASC.
- To manage the quality of professional activities by Special courses, Workshops, Conferences, Industrial Interactions and Social Activities.
- The IQAC monitors the student's extension and extracurricular, placement related activities: progression of the student, student's counselling and career guidance, Campus and off campus placement, Student's participation in sports, games and other events and Social initiatives undertaken by the students.

S.No	NAME	DESIGNATION
1.	Dr. P. Baby Shakila	Chairman/ Principal
2.	Dr. K. Sundararaman	Member from Management
3.	Mr. G. Vijaya Raghavan	Nominees from Local Society, Students
4.	Mr. C. Buvanesh	and Alumni
5.	Mr. T. Ambalavanan	
6.	Mr. K. Hariharan	Nominees from Employers/
7.	Mr. S. Ajith Kumar	Industrialists/ Stakeholders
8.	Ms. M. Mehar Thaj	

#### **IQAC Members**

9.	Mr. S. Manikandan	Administrative Officers
10.	Prof. C. Julian Gnana Dhas	Coordinator IQAC
11.	Dr. K. Sambath	Teacher Representative
12.	Dr. C. Sunitha	Teacher Representative
13.	Dr. M. Manikandan	Teacher Representative
14.	Prof. B. Meena Preethi	Teacher Representative
15.	Dr. N. A. Sheela Selvakumari	Teacher Representative

# Plan of Action by IQAC/Outcome

The plan of action chalked out by the IQAC in the beginning of the year towards quality The plan of action chalked out by the IQAC in the beginning of the year towards quality Enhancement and the outcome achieved by the end of the year \*

Plan of Action	Achievements/Outcomes
Introduction of New Courses	The following new programmes were introduced, B.SC (Cognitive Science) B.COM (Corporate Secretary ship) and BBA (Logistics)
UGC Paramarsh Scheme	IQAC has sanctioned with UGC Paramarsh Scheme with the grant of Rs. 30,00,000
To initiate series of activities under UGC Paramarsh Scheme	Activities such as Ground Assessment, Orientation Programme, Workshops, Guest Lectures and Mentor – Mentee Meetings were organized under IQAC for the adopted 5 Non- Accredited institutions
To initiate major Research Projects	DBT-STAR scheme have been applied from the Dept. of Bioscience for Govt. funding agencies for the laboratory and instrumental up gradation.

To promote Research Publications in the Institute Submission of Institutional data in NIRF, MHRD to achieve higher ranks	Faculty: No of papers published in Scopus - 125 Nos; Web of Science - 27 Nos; No of papers published in ISSN - 130 Nos. No of books published with ISBN - 12 Nos. Students: No of papers published - 305 Nos. NIRF RANK 2020 - ALL INDIA 29 <sup>th</sup> RANK
Submission of data in India Today Ranking 2019	India today Ranking - Ranked First among Top 3 City wise colleges. Top 10 Emerging Colleges of the Century – 9 <sup>th</sup> in Commerce, 59 <sup>th</sup> in Science. Top 5 Colleges in best male and female ratio.
Participated in Swachchta Ranking to elevate from 4th rank	College Ranked 1 <sup>st</sup> In Swachta Ranking 2019 Among College Category for its Green and Clean Campus.
Motivating the students and faculty members to do SWAYAM-NPTEL online courses	During Jan-Apr'2019 semester 381 candidates have cleared NPTEL certification exam with 7 Toppers, 11 Gold Medals, 44 Silver Medals and 93 Elites. Based on the performance on the NPTEL online courses our Local Chapter has been rated as one of the Best New Local Chapters in India. We are at 121th position among 2677 Local Chapters.
Feedback response from students, parents and other stakeholders	The feedback questionnaire is administered online to all the students, parents and other stakeholders at the end of each semester. The feedback analysis is done by IQAC and the rating for each criteria, along with its graphical representation, is evaluated. It is also monitored by the Head of the Institution.
Mapping of Syllabus to Professional Standards and Industry Needs	Professional Tie-Ups - ICAI, IIBF, ATDC (CDF), NIPM (Social Work)

	More than 5000 students and 300 faculty members have
To be a best Local Chapter	enrolled for NPTEL online courses. As recognition
in SWAYAM-NPTEL	SKASC has been awarded as Best Local Chapter outside
MOOCs	top 100 by SWAYAM-NPTEL in terms of enrolment and
	percentage of passes.
To increase Placement	89 organizations visited (both On campus and Off
Offers	campus); 1747 students were placed.
	36 Courses in ODD Semester and 57 Courses in EVEN
Additional credit, Add-on	semster.The additional credit courses provides an
	opportunity to learn about the different fields of study that
and Drive through courses	are available and will surely help you to get a more
	rewarding

# IQAC Events for the year 2019-20

- World No Tobacco Day -Mr. K. Muralikrishnan, Social Worker, DTCC, Coimbatore addressed the students on the occasion of Anti Tobacco Day. 03.06.2019
- Reorientation Programme 03.06.2019 The Principal of SKASC addressed all the II, III UG and II PG students along with the Principal in Sri Krishna Hall at the start of the New Academic Year 2019-2020
- Anti Ragging Pledge 03.06.2019
- Reorientation Programme II, III UG and II PG students for the New Academic Year 2019-20 03.06.2019
- Foriegn Delegates Visit 04.06.2019
- World Environment Day 04.06.2019
- 10th Academic Council Meeting held at 08.06.2019
- Idea and Proof of Concept (PoC) Competitions 11.06.2019
- DBT Star College Scheme Inaugural & First Advisory Board Meeting 12.06.2019
- One week induction programme for first year 2019 batch students 14.06.2019 to 22.06.2019

- SKASC organized Fresher's Day 14.06.2019
- CONCORDIA SUMMER PROGRAMME 01.07.2019
- SKASC organized PG INAUGURATION 03.07.2019
- Anti Ragging Meeting 09.07.2019
- The Hindu -News Presentation Contest 01.07.2019
- A session on How to Stay Motivated 05.07.2019
- CCP | Anti Ragging Meet 08.07.2019
- Website Committee Meeting 10.07.2019
- COE | Training on Evaluation Reforms 18.07.2019
- CONSULTANCY | Mentoring on OBE 24.07.2019
- IQAC Interactive Session on NIRF- Pinnacle of Success 26.07.2019
- SKASC|IIC Mentoring Session 29.07.2019
- SKASC |Placement Coordinators Meeting 1.08.2019
- SKASC | Meeting for the Transport Staff 1.08.2019
- Class Committee Meeting 14.08.2019 to 22.08.2019
- Academic Review Meeting Computer Science Stream 17.08.2019
- UGC Paramarsh Scheme MoU Signing Ceremony 21.08.2019
- IIC | India First Leadership Talk Series 22.08.2019
- SKASC | Attendance Committee Meet 27.08.2019
- CONSULTANCY | Examination Reforms COE 29.08.2019
- SKASC Delegates & Professors @ Atlanta USA, Foreign Universities Visit 09.09.2019 to 19.09.2019
- Academic Review Meeting Commerce Stream 14.09.2019
- SKASC |Foreign Delegates' Visit 18.09.2019