
AGENDA

4th Meeting of Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), IUM

Date: 8th April, 2025

Time: 11 am

Venue: Conference Hall, ICFAI University Mizoram

1. Confirmation of the Last Meeting Minutes

Confirmation of Minutes of 3rd Meeting of Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), ICFAI University Mizoram held on the 13th December, 2024 at the Conference Hall, ICFAI University Mizoram through hybrid mode. (Refer to Annexure-1)

2. Special Invitee

2.1 Prof. (Dr.) Latha Pillai, Senior Advisor, ICFAI Group and Former Director, NAAC, has graciously accepted our invitation to attend the 4th Meeting of the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), ICFAI University Mizoram, in response to our special request.

2.2 Dr. Damodar Reddy, Officer on Special Duty (OSD), ICFAI University Mizoram, and Chairman of the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), has been invited to attend the present meeting.

2.2 Representatives of the 10 NAAC attribute-wise teams were also invited to the present meeting to deliver brief presentations on their respective attributes.

3. Reporting Items

3.1 Submission of data for AISHE 2023-24

All necessary data for the All India Survey on Higher Education (AISHE) 2023-2024 has been successfully submitted on 28th February, 2025 (Refer to Annexure-2).

3.2 Reconstitution of teams for preparation of NAAC (10 attributes)

The NAAC attribute-wise team has been reconstituted to facilitate the smooth and effective preparation for the upcoming accreditation process. A series of team-specific meetings were conducted last month to deliberate on key aspects such as preparedness, documentation, and reporting. (Refer to Annexure-3)

4. Action Taken Report from Last IQAC meeting

4.1 Opening of Health Centre

To cater to the health and wellness needs of students, a dedicated health center named “ALORA Centre for Well-being” was inaugurated on 25th March 2025 at ICFAI University Mizoram. In this regard, a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) was formally signed between ALORA and ICFAI University Mizoram on 4th April 2025, marking a collaborative step towards promoting holistic student well-being.

4.2 Commencement of PhD Programs

The proposal to initiate Ph.D. programs in the ongoing academic session has been duly discussed in the recent meetings of the Academic Council, Board of Management, and Board of Governors. In this regard, the Ph.D. Program Guidelines (2024) have already been approved. Four departments—Political Science, Management, Education, and English—are prepared to offer Ph.D. programs under the approved framework.

4.3 Infrastructure

CCTV cameras have been installed in and around the campus to strengthen overall security and surveillance. At present, a total of 22 cameras are actively operational.

4.4 Collaborations and MOUs

As mentioned in point 4.1, one MoU has already been executed, and opportunities for further collaborations are actively being explored. Some of the proposed initiatives include:

- Collaborating with the Durtlang Local Council for the cleanliness and beautification of adjacent roads and surrounding localities.
- Launching skill-oriented short-term courses and internships in partnership with Zoram Mega Food Park to enhance employability.
- Participating in river cleaning drives in collaboration with the Public Health Engineering (PHE) Department as part of environmental sustainability efforts.

4.5 Attribute wise Presentations by NAAC teams

The reconstituted NAAC attribute-wise teams have been assigned the responsibility to prepare, collect, document, and report the current status of their respective attributes. Representatives from each team will deliver brief presentations highlighting their progress and key findings. (For a detailed report, please refer to Annexure-4.)

5. Items for Consideration

5.1 Tentative date for next IQAC meeting

5.2 Suggestions from members for preparation of NAAC Binary Accreditation and Maturity Based Graded Levels.

5.3 Any other items as deemed important by the members.