

MACFAST

INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL (IQAC)

“Quality is never an accident; it is always the result of intelligent effort” - John Ruskin

The IQAC of MACFAST was constituted in 4th August 2014 with a view to develop a system for continuous quality improvement in the performance of academic and administrative activities by contributing creative ideas and formulating appropriate strategies thereby ensuring an holistic development of the college. The IQAC monitors the quality parameters in the college and ensures that the standard of excellence reflected in the vision and mission of the college are duly met and sustained.

Quality Policy of MACFAST:

The acronym of Mar Athanasios College For Advanced Studies Tiruvalla - MACFAST is also interpreted as: **“Moulding Attitude with Commitment for Futuristic Action towards Sustainable Transformation”**

The quality policy of MACFAST emerging from the above has the following implications:

- Creation of value based education by providing competent faculties and state-of –the-art infrastructure
- Optimal progression of students through scientific temper and dedication towards excellence.
- Nurturing dynamic professionals with innovative mindset to address global challenges.
- Faculty empowerment through collaborative and participatory approach
- Fulfilling the aspirations of the stakeholders through the promotion of interdisciplinary research and consultancy
- Concern and commitment to society through community networking.
- Peaceful co-existence through environmental concern and sustainable green initiatives.

Objectives of MACFAST IQAC:

In order to accomplish the vision and mission of the college and to justify its immediate goals and objectives, the following specific objectives have been framed for the intervention of the IQAC in the quality enhancement initiatives of the college.

- To frame appropriate quality standards towards attainment of the vision and mission of

MACFAST.

- To formulate strategies to accomplish excellence in all the aspects viz. curricular, co-curricular and extra-curricular activities of the college.
- To ensure value based education by creating an atmosphere of equity and social inclusion.
- To facilitate optimal progression of students and to promote scientific temper and inter- disciplinary research.
- To establish effective institution- industry linkages
- To strengthen faculty empowerment through collaborative, interactive and participatory approach.
- To fully comply with the rules and regulations of the Government, affiliating University and other academic bodies.

Functions:

- Assessing the quality level of the institution and formulating strategies for quality improvements, if required.
- Fixing quality bench marks/ parameters in the academic performance of the college.
- Collecting feedbacks from the stakeholders of the college from time to time.
- Facilitating the conduct of seminars, workshops, conferences etc. for promotion of academic enrichment.
- Creating conducive atmosphere for inter-disciplinary research and dissemination of knowledge to the society at large.
- Developing Quality Circles and maintaining effective linkages with corporate world.
- Widening the learning resources of MACFAST with enhanced coverage by offering variety of courses for catering to the needs and requirements of the society.

Composition :

The IQAC of the college constituted as per the guidelines of NAAC consists of the following members:

Chairman: Rev.Fr. Pradeep Vazhatharamalayil (Principal)

Members:

Rev.Fr. Samuel Vilayil (Manager, Nominee of the Management)

Prof. Christy Bastin (Administrator)

Prof. Saneesh P. Varghese (Deputy Director)

Prof. Varghese Abraham (Dept. of Management Studies)

Prof. (Dr.) K.M. George (Dept. of Management Studies)

Prof. (Dr.) M.S. Samuel (Director, Dept. of Computer Application)

Prof. Tiji Thomas (Head, Dept. of Computer Applications)

Prof. Biju Dharmapalan (Head, School of Bio Sciences)

Prof. Lijo Koshy (Head, Dept. of Management Studies)

Prof. Ashokraj R. (Director, MACFAST Technologies)

Sr. Licy (Librarian)

Mr. Radhakrishnan Kuttoor (Nominee, Local society)

Mr. Melson Joseph, Finance Controller, Pushpagiri Group of Institution, Tiruvalla (Nominee, Alumni)

Mr. Hareesh, Asst. Manager, The Federal Bank Ltd., Branch: Chennithala. (Nominee, Alumni)

Mr. M. Salim. (Nominee, Employer/Industrialists/Stakeholders)

Mr. Chintu Viju Mathew (Nominee, Student)

Co-ordinator:

Prof. (Dr.) K.R. Sukumaran Nair