

REPORT ON WEBINAR

NAAC CRITERION III – RESEARCH, INNOVATIONS AND EXTENSION

3rd MAY 2020

On 3rd May, 2020, the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Sri Guru Nanak Dev Khalsa College organised a webinar on the topic “**NAAC RAF CRITERION-III Research, Innovations And Extension**”, in collaboration with the IQACs of Anand Institute of Social Work, Anand, and Bhopal School of Social Sciences, Bhopal. The webinar was well attended by representatives of colleges from across the country, as the topic is one of great interest to those institutions who are awaiting their NAAC inspections.

The speakers were Dr. K. Sajjath, Associate Professor, Govt. Science Autonomous College, Bengaluru, and Dr. Ninad Jhala, Principal, Anand Institute of Social Work.

The programme began with the welcome address by Dr. Sheeba Joseph, the IQAC coordinator of Bhopal School of Social Sciences. Professor K. Sajjath and Dr. Ninad Jhala gave well-articulated presentations on the details to be attentive to while looking at NAAC RAF Criterion III.

They discussed all topics within this criterion with special emphasis on all the details which would ensure a better grade and reputation for the college. They explained how Awards for Innovation won by Institution/Teachers/Research scholars/Students during the year are important in determining the academic standing of the college. Incubation centres created, start-ups incubated on campus and Research Publications in the Journals notified on UGC website during the Research and Publications and Awards all go a long way in defining the worth of the educational institution.

Extension activities and Awards and recognition received for the same from Government and other recognized bodies during the year are also important. The speakers also stressed on the number of Collaborative activities for research, faculty exchange, and student exchange. Linkages with institutions/industries for internship, on-the-job training, project work, sharing of research facilities etc. during the year is also an important marker for the institution. This includes MoUs signed with institutions of national, international importance, and other universities and industries.

The program concluded with an interactive session where the participants presented their queries and the resource persons answered.

Dr. Deepak Sharma, the IQAC coordinator of the college, gave the vote of thanks.