

External Peer Team Report

Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)

Year: 2022-23

Name of the College: Nagindas Khandwala College of Commerce, Arts & Management Studies and Shantaben Nagindas Khandwala College of Science, Autonomous.

Bhadran Nagar, Bhavishya Bharat Campus, S.V. Road,
Malad(West), Mumbai – 400064.

Visit Date: 27th March 2024

List of Programmes:

Sr. No	Program Code	Program Name
UNDER GRADUATE PROGRAMME		
1	UBCOM	Bachelor of Commerce
2	UBA	Bachelor of Arts
3	UCBMS	Bachelor of Management Studies
4	USIT	Bachelor of Science (Information Technology)
5	UCBAF	Bachelor of Commerce (Accounting & Finance)
6	UCBBI	Bachelor of Commerce (Banking & Insurance)
7	UABMMC	Bachelor of Arts (Multimedia and Mass Communication)
8	USCS	Bachelor of Science (Computer Science)
9	UCBFM	Bachelor of Commerce (Financial Markets)
10	UHBASM	B.B.A. (Honours) in Sports Management
11	UAHADC	Bachelor of Arts (Honours) Apparel Design and Construction
12	UHCAS	B.Com. (Honours) in Actuarial Studies
13	UHCIA	B.Com. (Honors) in International Accounting
14	UHSIND	B.Sc.(Honours) in Integrative Nutrition and Dietetics
15	UHSID	B.Sc. (Honours) in Interior Design
16	UHBATTM	B.B.A. (Honours) in Tourism and Travel Management
17	UMSECO	Bachelor of Management Studies (E-Commerce Operations)
18	UHBADM	B.B.A. (Honours) in Business Administration

19	UHBAMM	B.B.A. (Honours) in Marketing Management
20	UHSAIML	B.Sc. (Honours) Computer Science- (Specialization in Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning)
21	UHSCTIS	B.Sc. (Honours) Computer Science- (Specialization in Cloud Technology and Information Security(CTIS)
22	UHPAFM	B.B.A. (Honours) in Professional Accountancy and Financial Management
23	UHBAE	B.B.A. (Honours) in Entrepreneurship
24	UHBAEM	B.B.A. (Honours) in Education Management
POST GRADUATE PROGRAMME		
1	PMCOM-A	Master of Commerce - Accountancy
2	PMCOM-M	Master of Commerce - Management
3	PMSCIT	Master of Science - Information Technology
4	PMAGEO	Master of Arts - Geography
5	PMAECO	Master of Arts - Economics
6	PMCSM	Master of Sports Management
7	PMAPSY - I	Master of Arts - Industrial Psychology
8	PMAPSY- C	Master of Arts - Child Psychology
9	PMSGI	Master of Science - Geoinformatics
10	PMSCS	M.Sc. Computer Science (M.Sc.-CS)
11	PMCSCY	M.Sc. Computer Science - Specialization in Cybersecurity
12	PMCSAI	M.Sc. Computer Science - Specialization in Artificial Intelligence
13	PMSID	M.Sc. in Interior Design (MID)
14	PMTTM	Master of Tourism and Travel Management (MTTM)
15	PMSIND	M.Sc. in Integrative Nutrition and Dietetics
16	PMLFBM	M.A. in Luxury and Fashion Brand Management
PH.D. PROGRAMME		
1	---	Ph.D in Commerce – Banking and Finance
2	---	Ph.D in Commerce – Business Management
3	---	Ph.D in Arts – Geography

Number of Programmes:

Under Graduate:	24
Post Graduate:	16
Ph. D.	03
Total	43

Number of Teachers:

	Aided	Unaided	PG	Total
Principal	1	-	-	1
Associate Professor	8	1	-	9
Assistant Professor	8	26	-	34
Clock Hour Basis(CHB)	6	-	-	6
Contractual Basis	8	-	-	8
Librarian (on contract)	1	-	-	1
Visiting Faculty	2	20	21	43
Total	34	47	21	102

Number of Students:

Section	Male	Female	Total
Aided	1029	1335	2364
Unaided	1133	896	2029
PG	55	120	175
PhD	5	10	15
Autonomous UG	765	601	1366
Autonomous PG	118	106	224
Total	3105	3068	6173

Number of Non-Teaching Staff:

Category	Sanctioned Strength	Filled Post		
		Male	Female	Total
Aided	48	27	12	39
Unaided	24	15	09	24
Total	72	42	21	63

PEER TEAM REPORT		
Sr. No.	Observation on Key Aspects:	
1.	Curriculum – Design and Implementation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Academic Calendar is in place. Classroom teaching is monitored well and all courses are completed in time. Industry based Contemporary Curriculum. Skill based Education is introduced. Curriculum is designed and developed with relevance to local, national, regional and global development. 100% courses are following Choice Based Credit System. Student's participation in Board of Studies.
2.	Teaching & Learning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Committed Faculty. Process to identify slow and advanced learners is in place. Remedial lectures are conducted
3.	Research & Extension	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> In AY 2022-23, research publication of faculty was: 11 in peer reviewed, 09 in UGC Care, 55 chapters in Book. College received 3 patents from Govt. of India, 1 from Govt. of Australia. One utility patent and One journal patent has been filled with Govt. of India. Emphasis on participation in conferences / seminars / workshops. Total 9 faculties received seed money project grant amounting to Rs. 2.55 Lakhs. Adoption of Karembeliwadi Village.
4.	Infrastructure and Learning Resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Good infrastructure is maintained. Use of ICT Tools e.g. Google Classroom, Moodle. Use of Teach Us Application for Attendance purpose. E-Content needs to be developed.

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Excellent library facilities such as recommend a book, ask librarian.
5.	Student Support & Progression	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rs. 1.80 crore were given to the learners for supporting their higher education under Student Aid Fund Scheme. • About 105 vibrant and engaging events organized in AY 2022-23. • Various capacity development and skill enhancement activities were organized and 6000plus students were benefited. • Effective career counselling and training for competitive exams sessions were conducted and 385 were trained.
6.	Governance, Leadership & Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Four Cycles of NAAC Accreditation with consistent Grade. • Recertification of ISO 9001:2015 • Sound and Value based Management. • Regular conduct of Training Programmes for stakeholders. • Effective in resource mobilization, planning and development strategies. • Management and Principal provides excellent leadership to the Institution. • Decentralized transparent administration with participative management. • Various committees for monitoring academic and administrative activities is in place. • Good governance and leadership will help the college to become university.
7.	Institutional Values and Best Practices	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High Degree of Community Intervention. • Train the trainer practice is adopted. • College Social Responsibility is in place and executed in excellent manner. • Environment related is conducted and documentation is in place.

Working of IQAC

The IQAC at Nagindas Khandwala College is a driving force behind the institution's commitment to excellence. Their core belief in enhancing quality permeates every aspect of the college's functioning, making quality improvement a shared goal among all stakeholders. The IQAC's approach is holistic and inclusive, recognizing that quality enhancement requires the active involvement of everyone.

One of the remarkable initiatives of the IQAC was the commitment to conduct 40 activities during the College's 40th anniversary year. They successfully organized 39 activities for teaching staff, 3 for non-teaching staff, and 18 for students. These activities were aimed at enriching the teaching-learning process, fostering staff development, and enhancing student engagement. Some of the notable activities organized by IQAC are:

Sr. No.	Name of the Event	Date(s)
1	12 days' Workshop on Research Methodology sponsored by ICSSR	27 th June 2022 to 9 th July 2022
2	Training Programme on E-Waste Recycling and Management	22nd July 2022
3	Faculty Training Workshop on Curriculum Framework organized by IQAC, Examination Department and Academic Enrichment Committee	6 th September 2022
4	Endeavour 2022 – Empowering Educators	10 th September, 2022
5	FDP by BMS,IQAC in collaboration with ICSI	16 th September, 2022
6	National Conference - Leading Organizational Transformations for VUCA World 2022 - organized by IQAC, Departments of Management Studies, Banking & Finance and Computer & Information Science	16 th December 2022
7	Internal Quality Assurance Cell, MA Geography and MSc Geoinformatics in association with Bombay Geographical Association organizes a Workshop on Teaching Geography Effectively with the help of Teaching Aids for Junior and Degree College Teachers	21 st and 22 nd December 2022
8	A lecture on Implementation of NEP 2020 organized by IQAC. Resource Person: Dr. Ravindra Kulkarni, Former Pro Vice Chancellor, University of Mumbai	22 nd December 2022


9	The Department of Economics organizes a Conference on "Atmanirbhar Bharat – Issue and Challenges".	21 st January 2023
10	Department of Accountancy organizes a National Conference on "Recent Development & Technology Trends in Accountancy and Finance"	25 th January 2023
11	Utsaha 2023 organized by IQAC in collaboration with Youth with Vision	1 st February 2023
12	Faculty development Programme on Enhancing Research Visibility Through Academic Social Networks by IQAC in association with Library and Information Centre	17 th February 2023
13	NCPA – Vistaar Dance Performance on "Chitrangada"	19 th April, 2023
14	IQAC organizes 5 - Days workshop on Training in MS-Excel for Non-Teaching Staff	1,2, 7,9,10 th November, 2022
15	Open Minds - Discussion Forum for Young Leaders	25 th July 2022
16	Orientation Programme for First Year Aided and Self Finance Students	17 th , 18 th , 23 rd and 24 th August, 2022
17	Grandparents Day Celebration - IQAC in association with Youth with Vision	16 th November 2022

The IQAC's role as a change agent is evident in its efforts to strengthen all dimensions of education. By integrating best practices and promoting a quality culture, the IQAC has contributed significantly to the College's academic advancement.


Sr. No.	Recommendations
1	Value added courses for holistic development of students should be increased.
2	CO-PO-PSO attainment should be improvised.
3	Learners should be encouraged for Placements and Competitive Exams.
4	More collaborations and industrial linkages are to be established.
5	Consulting Projects should be increased
6	Alumni Feedback
7	More participants should be encouraged in intercollegiate competitions at University, National and International level.
8	More contributions in terms non-monetary exchanges and endowments by Alumni.

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