

DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY  
DETAILS OF ACADEMIC ADVISORY COMMITTEE (AAC) MEET

AAC meeting for IT department was conducted on 5-May-2022 on online platform Microsoft Teams from 2:15PM – 04:00PM.

Following members were present for the meeting.

1. Col Manoj Kumar Prasad (Retd)- Jt. Director, AIT
2. Dr .(Mrs) Sangeeta Jadhav – HOD, IT Department.
3. Mr. Sameer Dalal - Director (Operations) and Head SEPG (Corporate Quality), US Technologies International Pvt. Ltd.
4. Mrs. Kavita Nirna – Vice President, Application Development, BNY MELLON Technology.
5. Mr. Gautam Rege - Co Founder and Director at Josh Software.
6. Dr. Sudeep D. Thepade - Professor, Department of Computer Engineering, PCCoE,Pune.
7. Mr Jaswinder Singh – Product Manager: Zbyte, Co-Founder Harmonics Guild.
8. Mr. Abhishek Panda –Senior Software Manager, HSBC Technology India.
9. Dr. Rahul Desai – Faculty Member, IT Department
10. Mrs. Geeta Patil – Faculty Member, IT Department
11. Ms. Deepshikha Tripathi – BE IT
12. Mr. Arun – BE IT
13. Mr. Harish Kumar – TE IT
14. Ms. Shivangi Chauhan – TE IT
15. Ms. Sushmita Singh – SE IT
16. Mr. Gaurav Kumar – SE IT
17. Mr. Dipankar Kumar Singh - SE IT



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Minutes of Meeting for AAC Meeting held on 5-May-2022

Sr.	Discussion
01	<p><b>HOD has presented</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The Progression of the department in terms of activities and infrastructure since the last AAC meet.</li><li>• Various actions carried out on Previous AAC discussion points.</li></ul>
02	<p><b>MoU with Industry</b></p> <p>Discussion started with how to collaborate with more number of organizations through MoUs.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Mr Gautam Rege has pointed out there should be win-win situation through MoU for the industry and College. For the benefit of partnering Industry Commitment from college side is also required.</li><li>• Jt. Director has explained the format of MoU and significance of formal MoU's to streamline the interaction with industry.</li><li>• Mr. Sameer Dalal suggested Proposal for MoU can include the Product development, IPR and revenue sharing in collaboration with Industry. He gave example of IBM company. He shared his experience of UST Global with University of Kerala.</li><li>• Dr. Sudeep Thepde suggested increasing the number of activities under current MoU's, so excising MoU's will be more active. Industries to be approached for MoU's based on the long term goal of the department.</li><li>• AAC members agreed to take steps to enhance the Industry Institute relationships.</li></ul>
03	<p><b>Entrepreneurship imitative in IT department</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Mr. Sameer Dalal advised to make students aware about the importance of entrepreneurship quality. He also mentioned that entrepreneurship is not limited to startup and business,</li></ul>



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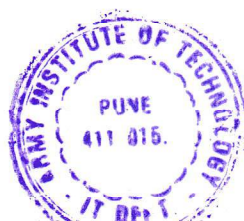
required when they are doing job at any level.

- Mr .Abhishek Panda suggested that students should have mindset of developing product out of project.
- Students members pointed that students have many ideas, they participate in many hackathons successfully. This ideas can be converted into product,pass on the project idea can be implemented at department level.
- Mr. Gautam Rege emphasized on building the leadership quality. Sessions can be conducted for students to improve leadership quality. Students need to be aware about the business and technical aspect bout the Idea. More Idea pitching sessions can be organized.
- Jt. Director has emphasized to boost risk taking appetite of the students, as success rate is less in start-ups.
- Dr. Sudeep Thepde advised efforts should be taken to sensitize student with entrepreneurship skill and then ecosystem can be provided.
- Mrs. Kavita Nirna suggested that students can develop Project as product. One of the faculty can take rolc of the product owner. Students should undergo Project management courses.
- Members have decided to make the calendar of such Programs/ Initiatives.

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#### **Internship as a Circular activity**

- Discussion started with effective implementation of Internship activity as as per the university guidelines Though it is difficult to get internship for three months from industry, some other activities can be carried out as par the university guidelines
- Dr. Sudeep Thepde suggested Internship can be done as Research associate or Social entrepreneurship.
- Mrs. Kavita Nirna has suggested social internship can be done like CSR model of company. Students can develop Web app/Mobile app for different NGO's and social organization. She also mentioned about the impotence of monitoring the Internships quality.





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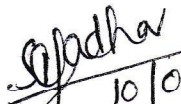
**Others points**

1. Arun, one of the BE student has pointed out action taken from the previous points of AAC like inclusion of internship in the circular and doing the project in collaboration with Veritas has helped them.
2. Mr. Abhishek Panda asked how labs are utilized effectively. HoD has informed
  - HPC made available through dashboard and public IP to students. Many PhD and BE students are remotely using HPC for implementation of project.
  - On ubiquitous lab training has started. It has been planned from second year students will be assigned the project based on ubiquitous computing

06 Finally, HoD extended the vote of thank and concluded the meeting.

  
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