

May 23, 2022

To,
The Principal/ Director,
Affiliated colleges,
Savitribai Phule Pune University,
Ahmednagar/Nashik /Dadra Nagar Haveli/Pune.

Sub: Savitribai Phule Pune University Mentor-Mentee "PARAMARSH" Scheme of UGC.

Dear Madam/Sir,

Under the PARAMARSH scheme for mentoring NAAC accreditation aspirant colleges 9 Institutions were identified by IQAC of Savitribai Phule Pune University to guide them about the complete NAAC accreditation process. IQAC with the help of other resource persons has provided guidance to faculty members of mentee colleges regarding the assessment and accreditation processes of NAAC. Three Webinars were organized by IQAC for the faculty members of Mentee colleges. Two colleges have been accredited by NAAC, one college have submitted SSR, one college has submitted IIQA and one college has been awarded autonomous status on the basis of NBA accreditation.

I feel happy to inform you that NAAC has recently revised the SSR format for affiliated colleges and made very simple by deleting several metrics. For example, initially from July 2017 there were 121 total metrics which were reduced to 96 in January 2020 and from June 2022 there will be only 55 metrics. The number of qualitative metrics is also reduced from 42 to 36 and now 21. Similarly, the number of quantitative metrics is also reduced from 79 to 60 and now 34. In the old format the weightages for qualitative and quantitative metrics were 30 and 70 percentage. Now it is made almost 40 and 60 percentage. Hence, now instead of answering 96 questions the affiliated colleges have to answer only 55 questions. The documents required for Data Validation and Verification (DVV) will also be very less.

The colleges which have not yet submitted to IQAC can use the revised guidelines for assessment and accreditation.

I would like to advise all the mentee colleges to complete the process as early as possible taking the advantage of new guidelines. Our IQAC team will be happy to provide you any help in this connection.

Best wishes.



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