

**Activity Report: Academic Year 2023- 24****Activity Name: FOSTERING EXCELLENCE: NEP-DRIVEN COLLEGE READINESS****Department: Internal Quality Assurance Cell**

Name of the Co-Ordinator	Venue	Day & Date	Time
Dr. Anu P T & Dr. Saino Hanna Varghese	Mar Clemis Hall	23 February 2024	2:00 PM
Number of Participants 80	Nature: Outdoor/ Indoor/ Online	Type Of Activity: Faculty Development Programme	
Scheduled/ Unscheduled	Funding Source: Self		
	Resource Person: Prof. Harry Cleetus, Ex. Principal, St. Albert's College, Ernakulam		

BRIEF INFORMATION ABOUT THE ACTIVITY

Topic/ Subject of the Activity	Strategies to align with the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020
Objectives	National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 Collaboration with Foreign Universities NAAC New Framework 2024
Methodology	Invited talk and discussion
Outcomes	This seminar providing the faculty and administrative staff with a deeper understanding of NEP 2020, the potential benefits of international collaborations, and the upcoming NAAC framework changes.

PROOFS & DOCUMENTS ATTACHED (Tick mark the proofs attached):

Notice & Letters ✓	List of Participants ✓	Activity Report ✓	Geo Tagged Photos ✓	Feedback Form ✓
Feedback Analysis	News Clip with details	Certificate	Any Other	

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Name of Teacher & Signature with Date	Name of Head/ Committee Incharge & Signature with Date	IQAC Coordinator (Seal & Signature)
Dr. Anu P T & Dr. Saino Hanna Varghese		

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NAAC Peer Team Member
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Seminar on FOSTERING EXCELLENCE: NEP-DRIVEN COLLEGE READINESS

PROGRAMME

Venue: Mar Clemis Seminar Hall

Date: 23 February 2024

Prayer	: Dr. Anu R (Faculty, Dept. of History)
Welcome Speech	: Dr. George Thomas (IQAC Coordinator, Catholicate College)
Presidential Address	: Dr. Sindu Jones (Principal, Catholicate College)
Felicitation	: Dr. Binoy T Thomas (Bursar, Catholicate College)

TECHNICAL SESSION

Resource Person	: Prof. Harry Cleetus (Former Principal, St. Albert's College, Ernakulam)
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TOPIC: Fostering Excellence: NEP-Driven College Readiness

Vote of Thanks	: Dr. Anu P T (Joint- IQAC Coordinator, Catholicate College)
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REPORT ON THE PROGRAMME: FOSTERING EXCELLENCE: NEP-DRIVEN COLLEGE READINESS

Organized by: IQAC, Catholicate College

Date: 23.02.2024

Internal Quality Assurance Cell of Catholicate College successfully organized a seminar titled "Fostering Excellence: NEP-Driven College Readiness" with the aim of equipping our institution with the necessary insights and strategies to align with the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020. The event took place in the Mar Clemis Hall and witnessed the active participation of faculty members.

The programme commenced with a solemn prayer led by Dr. Anu R from the Department of History, setting a reflective and inspiring tone for the day. Following the prayer, Dr. George Thomas, the IQAC Coordinator of Catholicate College, delivered a warm and engaging welcome speech. He emphasized the importance of readiness for the upcoming changes and the college's commitment to fostering excellence in education. The meeting was preside over by the Principal, Dr.Sindu Jones. The highlight of the programme was the keynote address by Prof. Harry Cleetus, the former Principal of St. Albert's College, Ernakulam. Prof. Cleetus is renowned for his profound knowledge and experience in the field of higher education. His address focused on three pivotal areas:

1. National Education Policy (NEP) 2020:

Prof. Cleetus elaborated on the significant aspects of NEP 2020, highlighting its transformative vision for the Indian education system. He discussed the policy's emphasis on multidisciplinary and holistic education, flexible curricula, and the integration of vocational education. He encouraged the faculty to adopt innovative teaching methodologies and to prepare for the changes that NEP 2020 mandates.

2. Collaboration with Foreign Universities:

In his discourse, Prof. Cleetus underscored the importance of international collaboration. He shared insights on how forging partnerships with foreign universities can enhance the academic environment, provide global exposure to students, and elevate the institution's educational standards. Practical steps and strategies for initiating and sustaining such collaborations were discussed, providing a roadmap for the college's future endeavors.

3. NAAC New Framework 2024:

Prof. Cleetus also touched upon the upcoming NAAC framework set to be implemented in 2024. He outlined the new assessment criteria, focusing on the increased emphasis on qualitative metrics over quantitative ones. His address provided a clear understanding of the new framework and how institutions can effectively prepare to meet these revised standards.

The event concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Dr. Anu P T, Joint-IQAC Coordinator of Catholicate College. Dr. Anu P T expressed gratitude to Prof. Harry Cleetus for his enlightening and informative session, and to all the participants for their active engagement. The programme was highly successful in creating awareness about the impending educational reforms and the steps required for the college to embrace these changes effectively.

Outcomes

The programme "Fostering Excellence: NEP-Driven College Readiness" was instrumental in providing the faculty and administrative staff with a deeper understanding of NEP 2020, the potential benefits of international collaborations, and the upcoming NAAC framework changes. This initiative marks a significant step forward in Catholicate College's journey towards educational excellence and readiness for future challenges.

Prepared by:



Dr. George Thomas

IQAC Coordinator, Catholicate College







Name of the Participant	Department of the Participant	How relevant did you find the topic of the seminar to your interests?	What is your assessment of the speaker's performance during the seminar?	was the presentation of the material during the seminar?	To what extent were your doubts or questions adequately addressed during the seminar.	Did the seminar meet your expectations in terms of content and delivery?
Dr.Asha Philipose	English	Very relevant	Excellent		4 Very satisfactory	Yes
Jiji Anna Jacob	English	Extremely relevant	Excellent		5 Very satisfactory	Yes
Liji Koshy	Zoology	Extremely relevant	Excellent		5 Very satisfactory	Yes
Anu Francis	English	Extremely relevant	Excellent		5 Extremely satisfactory	Yes
Dr.Bincy.P.J	Malayalam	Extremely relevant	Excellent		5 Extremely satisfactory	Yes
Dr. Shyni T. Alexander	Economics	Very relevant	Excellent		5 Extremely satisfactory	Yes
Manju G.Nair	Computer Applications	Very relevant	Excellent		4 Very satisfactory	Yes
Dr Beena Koshy	Mathematics	Very relevant	Excellent		5 Very satisfactory	Yes
Shaloo Ann Thomas	Zoology	Very relevant	Excellent		4 Very satisfactory	Yes
Dr. Nissy Ann Harry	Department of Chemistry	Very relevant	Good		4 Very satisfactory	Yes
Dr Ann Naisy Jacob	Commerce	Extremely relevant	Excellent		5 Extremely satisfactory	Yes
Princy Susan Koshy	Chemistry	Extremely relevant	Excellent		5 Extremely satisfactory	Yes
Ancy Sam	Commerce	Extremely relevant	Excellent		4 Very satisfactory	Yes
Tessy Thomas	English	Very relevant	Excellent		5 Extremely satisfactory	Yes
Dr. Sanu Thomas	Hindi	Extremely relevant	Excellent		5 Very satisfactory	Yes
Dr.Karthika S	Physics	Extremely relevant	Excellent		5 Extremely satisfactory	Yes
Dr Soosen Samuel M	Physics	Very relevant	Good		5 Extremely satisfactory	Yes
Dr. Preethy Soosan Thomas	Chemistry	Very relevant	Excellent		5 Very satisfactory	Yes
Priyanka Gopinath	Commerce	Extremely relevant	Excellent		5 Extremely satisfactory	Yes
Dr. Rosy P. Varghese	Hindi	Very relevant	Good		4 Very satisfactory	Yes
Dr Saino Hanna Varghese	Chemistry	Slightly relevant	Excellent		4 Very satisfactory	Yes
Hima K.S	Botany	Extremely relevant	Excellent		5 Very satisfactory	Yes
Dr.Ansu.r	History	Extremely relevant	Excellent		4 Very satisfactory	Yes
Steve Vincent	English	Very relevant	Good		5 Very satisfactory	Yes
Rijo John	English	Extremely relevant	Good		4 Very satisfactory	Yes
Renu Anna Boban	English	Very relevant	Excellent		4 Moderately satisfactory	Yes
Dr. Lija Achamma George	Hindi	Very relevant	Good		4 Very satisfactory	Yes
Dr. Janey Mary Mathew	Chemistry	Very relevant	Good		5 Very satisfactory	Yes
Dr. Laija P J	Hindi	Very relevant	Good		5 Extremely satisfactory	Yes
Dr.Anu.R	History	Extremely relevant	Excellent		5 Extremely satisfactory	Yes
Dr. Dhanya I	Physics	Very relevant	Excellent		5 Very satisfactory	Yes