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REPORT

Awareness Programme "Academic Bank of Credit" and "Code of Conduct" organized by CIQA

Date: 20th August 2023

No. of Participants: 82 (Learners, Faculties, staff)

Venue: Memari College LSC, (N-04)

Speaker: Professor Anirban Ghosh, Director, Centre for Internal Quality Assurance (CIQA)

Dr. Debashis Chakraborty, Principal, Memari College

Dr. Premananda Jana, Director, R.C, Kalyani

Shri Prosenjit Bhattacharya, Deputy Director, R.C. Durgapur

Dr. Anupam Garai, Co-ordinator, Memari College

Programme Coordinates: Memari College LSC,(N-04), 20.08.2023, Sunday; Face-to-Face

Background and Objectives:

In view of recent adaptation of 4 year UG degree course by the Govt of West Bengal, where it is mandatory to have a Academic Bank of Credit (ABC) by each applicant. Therefore, it becomes a need of the hour to make aware our learners about this new development in the higher academic sphere. To achieve this goal, the NSOU sketched the opportunity to organize the sensitization programme on the code of conduct and ABC in line with the NEP 2020. The need to disseminate the ideas and translating them into practice goes with the first step of sensitizing the teachers, learners and staff of the LSC. Therefore this drive was taken by the CIQA with the kind approval of the Hon'ble V.C., NSOU at the Memari College LSC.



Opening: At the onset program university representatives were felicitated with flower bouquet. Session started with welcome address by Dr. Debashis Chakraborty, Principal, Memari College. Where he thanked university for holding such relevant programmes to educate learners about this recent development in higher education segment. As just now school leaving students and their guardians are all new to this system of NEP, ABC, & NAD. Therefore, this first hand experience sharing by the university would be helpful to this learners.

Thereafter, Shri Prosenjit Bhattacharya addressed the gathering. During his speech, highlighted many important tabs, link of NSOU official website. He advised learners to always authenticate any information of NSOU from its official web site. In addition to this how to use the NSOU app, was also demonstrated.



As a next speaker Dr. Premananda Jana, Director, R.C, Kalyani was invited to deliver his talk. Dr Jana enlighten new learners about the Code of Conduct of the university. Rules and guidelines that they need to follow and at the same time entitlements of the learners in this university.



Presentation by the Director-CIQA: Prof. Anirban Ghosh vividly presented the ideas and practical demonstration of ABC. Through transparent deliberation and hand-holding demonstration on how to create ABC I.D in the digilocker portal provided a good understanding of the concept-from theory to practice. He elucidated the concerning points on the part of the higher education institutions to cope up and sustain the changing scenario of the reform in education. He also briefed on NSOU's initiatives of providing ABC IDs to almost all the UG/PG learners from the July 2022 session. He also alerted the learners regarding the precautions to be followed while creating the ABC I.D.

Q & A session: Various queries and doubts regarding academic matters were raised by the learners and counselors. It was addressed and explained by the speakers. The speakers clarified and satiated the seekers. This session was lauded with interaction.

Vote of Thanks: Dr. Anupam Garai, Co-ordinator, Memari College , LSC, proposed the vote of thanks. he heartily thanked one and all for making the event successful.

--Report prepared by Shri P. Bhattacharya