

MOTIVATION

Motivation is one's desire to do something with personal life, at work, in school, in sports, or in hobby. Having the motivation to do something can help you achieve goals & dreams whatever they may be

Follow three steps to motivate yourself:

1. Create a positive environment.
2. Celebrate your small wins.
3. Surround yourself with motivated souls.

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Quality Assurance & Accreditation Awareness Seminar- Institute of Agricultural Sciences, University of the Punjab, Lahore

January 20, 2020

In 2011 the university upgraded Department of Mycology and Plant Pathology to Institute of Agricultural Sciences (IAGS). The main building of today's IAGS is spread over an area of around seven acres. Institute of Agricultural Sciences started a degree program in the discipline of Agronomy and in order to make familiar the students & faculty about the need and importance of accreditation requested NAEAC to deliver an Awareness Seminar on Quality Assurance & Accreditation.

Chairperson NAEAC Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana visited Institute of Agricultural Sciences University of the Punjab, Lahore. He was welcomed by Director Prof. Dr. Saleem Haider. Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana while addressing the faculty and students of the Agronomy department stressed upon the need and importance of the accreditation process and later on a question answer session was held where the participants asked some questions and Prof. Dr. Rajwana addressed their queries.



Training Workshops of Departmental Focal Persons

During the accreditation visits of different institutes it was noticed that the SARs and Evaluation Manual filled by the faculty members are not up to the mark. In order to fill this gap, NAEAC decided to organize trainings for departmental focal persons of all institutes. For this purpose NAEAC planned to organize 5 trainings workshops and nominations were sought from all institutes and the participants were divided into five groups. Two trainings were planned in Islamabad, one each in Faisalabad, Multan & Tandojam.

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Training Workshops



First Training Workshop held in Islamabad (LI Hall- HEC Islamabad)



The first training was held in Islamabad on February 10, 2020 and 34 participants of nine institutes of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa



attended the training. The training was inaugurated by Managing Director Quality Assurance Agency Dr. Nadia Tahir. The trainers



Prof. Dr. M. Arif and Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana meticulously explicated the need and importance of accreditation process and explained the preparation of the Self Assessment Report and fill in the Evaluation Manual.

Executive Director HEC Dr. Fateh Muhammad Mari was the chief guest and he while addressing the attendees applauded the step of NAEAC and hoped that other councils will also follow the same.

At the end Dr. Fateh M. Mari distributed the certificates among the participants.



Second Round Accreditation Visit Institute of Home & Food Sciences, Government College University, Faisalabad

February 25, 2020



The Government College University's journey started as a primary school in 1897 in the present building of Govt. College for Women, Karkhana Bazar, Faisalabad. The long journey that started with the humble beginning reached its climax when it was granted the status of University in October 2002. The Department of Food Science, Nutrition and Home Economics at Government College University Faisalabad was established in 2013. Graduate program offers studies leading to Masters of Science and Doctor of Philosophy degrees.



NAEAC constituted an AIC to evaluate of Institute of Home & Food Sciences. AIC conducted a thorough accreditation visit and concluded that more senior faculty should be hired and appropriate funds should be allocated for the department. More books to be purchased in order to strengthen the library. Faculty development should be done by arranging training workshops and seminars.

First Ever (2nd Round) Virtual Accreditation- Institute of Agricultural Sciences, University of the Punjab (IAGS-PU)

April 22, 2020

As per annual plan of NAEAC, Council was supposed to visit three departments namely Plant Pathology, Food Science & Technology and Horticulture in March 2020. Unfortunately with the advent of global pandemic (COVID-19) an unprecedented situation developed putting on halt all the on-going operational activities of the council.

The council made a historical decision of carrying out the virtual accreditation of the above mentioned three departments and for this purpose a conference through video link was arranged.

The Program evaluators carried on the whole process of accreditation through video conference and all this process was completed successfully.



The AICs in the concluding meeting with the Administration & Staff of IAGS-PU appreciated the efforts of the faculty as well as the administration which they are doing to impart quality education and at the same time suggested that latest equipment coupled with classrooms having sophisticated teaching aids is much needed to cater the needs of changing scenario of education. It was also recommended to induct permanent senior faculty.

Virtual Accreditation (Second Round)-Faculty of Agriculture, University of Sargodha

June 30, 2020

The University of Sargodha, which is a major public sector university in the province of Punjab, Pakistan. It started its journey in 1929 with the establishment of De 'Montmorency College, later renamed as Government College, which was awarded the University Charter in 2002.

College of Agriculture was established in the year 2005 and in 2007 raised to the status of Faculty of Agriculture. The Faculty of Agriculture is one of the largest faculty of the University with a mission to produce trained and skilled work force, having focus on innovation and entrepreneurship.

NAEAC conducted a virtual accreditation visit of Departments of Entomology, Food Science, Agriculture Extension and Soil Science by constituting four AICs under the convenership of chairperson NAEAC. AICs conducted the Accreditation visit and proposed that capacity building of faculty should be done by conducting training workshops in order to cater present and future needs of research. Laboratories should be well equipped and more books should be purchased for library. More faculty should be hired. Collaborations with private sector should be strengthened.



Suggestions if any are more than welcome