Report on

STATE LEVEL AWARENESS WORKSHOP ON REVISED ASSESSMENT FRAME WORK

Venue: D.M. College of Science Hall, Imphal, Manipur

Date: 14th November, 2018, Wednesday

One day State Level Awareness Workshop on Revised Assessment Frame Work was organised by State Level Quality Assurance Cell and State Project Directorate, RUSA, Manipur on 14th November, 2018 at D.M. College of Science Hall, Imphal, Manipur. Out of 81 (Govt. - 35, Govt.-Aided - 10 & Private - 36) Colleges, 65 (Govt.-33, Govt.-Aided - 08 & Private - 24) Colleges participated in the Workshop. Out of 16 absentee colleges, Teacher Education Colleges were 7.

In the inaugural function Shri Thokchom Radheshyam, Hon'ble Minister (Education, Labour & Employment), Manipur was the Chief Guest, Shri H. Deleep Singh, Commissioner (Higher & Tech. Edn.), Govt. of Manipur & Vice- Chancellorof D.M. University was the President, Shri W. Malemnganba Chenglei, Director (University & Higher Education), Govt. of Manipur, Dr. M.S. Shyamsundar, Adviser, NAAC and Dr.Priya Narayanan, Asst. Adviser, NAAC were the Guests of honour.

All the dignitaries on the dias participated in lighting the Ceremonial Lamp.Shri L. Iboyaima Singh, Joint Director, Univ. & Hr. Edn., Govt. of Manipur delivered the welcome address. Shri W. Malemnganba Chenglei, Director, Hr. Edn., Manipur stressed on Accessibility, Equity, Quality and Governance in Higher Education. He said that accreditation also provides an important benchmarkand assures the quality of an institute apart from having a funding link with the UGC. Dr.M.S.Shyamsundar, Adviser, NAAC mentioned about the Student Satisfaction Survey (SSS) which is unique because no other Assessing Agency in the world has implemented this. Dr.N.Priya Narayanan mentioned about the employability of Graduates in India. She said we have quantity but not quality.

Shri H. Deleep Singh Commissioner, Higher & Technical Education, Vice Chancellor of Dhanamanjuri. University, said that the HEIs should put its effort to overcome its weaknesses and should try to improve its performances to get better grade of NAAC. He also stressed that a few HEIs in India should have World Class Quality.

Shri. Thokchom Radheshyam, Minister, Education, Labour & Employment, Manipur appealed to the delegates (Principals & Coordinators of Colleges) to get well acquainted with RAF. He emphatically mentioned that getting accreditation from NAAC is a must for HEIs to obtain academic support as well as financial assistance.

Dr. Gopal Chandra Bag, Principal/OSD(NAAC), Directorate of University & Higher Education proposed the vote of thanks.

This was followed by Tea Break. After the tea break NAAC video documentary and video tutorials were screened in the Hall. This was followed by lunch.

In the post lunch session Dr. M.S. Shyamsundar, Adviser, NAAC delivered a lecture on "Relevance ofQuality Assessment" and lively interacted with the delegates.

This was followed by a lecture of Dr.N.Priya Narayanan, Asst. Adviser, NAAC on "An Overview of Revised Assessment Frame Work (RAF)". She explained RAF by giving analogy with the snake and ladder game.

Finally, the workshop ended with open discussions/question-answers over a cup of Lemon Tea.











