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# STRATEGIC PLAN 2020-2025

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#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

NRI Institute of Technology, a non-profitable organization has been set up by a great visionary and educationist Dr. R. Venkata Rao in 2008 to promote technological and professional education of high standards among the rural students with four branches. Eleven batches of B. Tech students have successfully gone out as Engineers with flying colors. They have been serving various MNCs and other Core Companies in various capacities much professionally and adeptly. Many of them have proved themselves on entrepreneurial platform and have become employers. The institution has truly dedicated and highly experienced faculty members with state-of-the-art infrastructure using all modern teaching facilities and research equipment. The institution offers innovative instruction, career-oriented graduate and post graduate degree to suit the updated requirements of the industry and the society at large.

Corresponding the vision and mission of the institution a planning and deployment committee has been started in the first decade to focus effectively on the infrastructure development, curricular aspects and academic excellence. It was successful in achieving the goals and targets proposed like achieving ISO certification, NAAC-A grade, NBA accreditation, AUTONOMOUS status etc. These achievements in-turn enabled the Governing Council to plan for escalating to the institute's next level of excellence. The lush green campus was beautified with colorful flowers and avenue planting providing clear marking on all internal paths. Research activities and innovations have been on a persistent rise. Many extension activities like Internal Quality Assurance Cell and Career Guidance Cell were formed in 2012 and put to the best use.

A 'Strategic Planning& Deployment Document' is a step-up to achieve more heights and carve new dimensions. The devoutly dedicated faculty members and Heads of various departments under the able guidance of the Principal confidently present in detail the best practices and other strategies for the adept deployment of the plans. The extensive goals of Strategic Plan prove NRIIT's commitment to brilliance and excellence in research and other academic activities. It also offers effective personality development, life-skills and career guidance options as a part of holistic development of the students. The institution has been running ten Bachelor of Engineering Programs, six Post Graduate courses and three Centers for Research. A good number of awards, memberships in various professional societies, memberships of many reputed editorial boards, etc., have been bagged by the faculty, which can be considered a yardstick of the quality and success of the institution. A good number of NPTEL courses both by students and faculty, publications in valuable technical journals are truly remarkable and encouraging. NRIIT has thus been doing well practically on all parameters basing on the methodically organized undergraduate and post graduate education.

The Strategic Development Plan (SDP) of 2020-2025 acts as an accurate guiding document for the following five years to assess and improve the delivery of high quality of education which earns due recognition in academic and societal fields. This kind strategic plan enables the

provision good governance, best practices for classroom teaching, high quality research and innovation besides suitably employable students who are the real ambassadors of the institute.

#### **BROAD TARGETS OF STRATEGIC PLAN FOR 2020–2025**

- ➤ Become a leading technological institution targeting top position in all factors and in all disciplines
- Ascertain a remarkable track record as a harbinger of new and innovative project and research works that suit industrial requirement.
- > Specific targets are determined for research & development centers to new research establishments and research projects for the following five years.
- More active participation in National, International Seminars, Conferences, Journals and Publications
- Fresh MOUs to be signed with new academic and industrial organizations for better placements and higher education prospects.
- Establish and expand the Centers of Excellence activities
- ➤ Encourage the incubation and promotion of fresh start-ups to create and market innovative products
- ➤ Provide and promote refreshing and vitalizing work environment for faculty and staff; thereby recognizing hard work and merit.
- ➤ Endorse the involvement of alumni in major activities of the institute as a part of overall development

#### VISION OF THE INSTITUTION

Higher Education has been encountering unanticipated challenges and opportunities in the current era. It's entirely due the capricious economic policy of liberalization and globalization. The global economy has a constant impact of the soaring knowledge coupled with communication and information revolution. Technical education hence plays a very crucial role in the human resource development of the nation by creating skilled manpower which in-turn promotes industrial productivity and the living styles of the people.

#### NRIIT's VISION

To produce Professionally Excellent, Knowledgeable, Globally Competitive and Socially responsible Engineers and Entrepreneurs.

The scenario in leadership requirements has changed significantly in recent times which has had its impact on the teaching – learning processes as well. Curriculum preparation, assessments, delivery methodology, etc., have changed a great deal to necessitate empowering teachers as change-makers. Interdisciplinary research environment has been gaining prominence which collaborates and gets supporting infrastructure across the globe. Pioneering innovations at NRIIT have entered record books and have been beneficial on a large scale to people as well as organizations in various work environments like industries, societies and communities to compete and evolve differently.

#### MISSION OF THE INSTITUTION

M1: Providing quality education through state-of-art Infrastructure, Laboratories, and Committed Staff.

**M2:** Establishing a continuous Industry-Institute Interaction, Participation and Collaboration to contribute Skilled Engineers.

M3: Involving Faculty members and Students in Research and Development to become globally competitive and for the betterment of society.

**M4:** Developing Human values, Social values, Entrepreneurship skills and Professional Ethics among the Technocrats.

#### **QUALITY POLICY**

NRIIT is committed to meet the needs of all its Stakeholders, continually improving the effectiveness of QMS by imparting quality education to students and to train faculty in the field of Technical Education for achieving International recognition. Utmost care is taken to maintain all types of Accreditations.

#### SWOC ANALYSIS

#### **Strengths**

- ➤ Highly qualified and potentially dedicated Teaching and Non-Teaching Staff.
- > Suitable equipped infrastructure with spacious built-up area.
- > Outcome based teaching method with focus on employment and entrepreneurship.
- Excellent rapport with corporate world for technical and managerial support.
- ➤ Visionary Management for imparting quality education with much focus on student welfare.

#### Weaknesses

- > Students from rural areas strive to meet the standards of technical education and also encounter difficulty in following English Language teaching.
- ➤ More number of faculty members are to be encouraged for registering into PhD courses and upgrade further for more funded projects, quality research and development, patents and consultancy.

#### **Opportunities**

- Institute regularly organizes various development programs for the benefit of teachers and students through faculty development programs like seminars, workshops, conferences, symposiums and student meets.
- > The institute has a practice of conducting in-house training every year for quality outcome of the content.
- The ever increasing demand for technical education at UG & PG level of Engineering & Technology enhances the intake regularly.

- ➤ To utilize ample opportunities for tie-ups and MOUs with both established and start-up companies in India and abroad for enhancing learning outcomes and placements.
- ➤ To get 100% ratifications from the JNTUK Kakinada for the positions of Associate Professors and Professors.

#### **Challenges**

- Institute has competition from other technical Institutions in and around the city and the recently established Universities within the newly formed state.
- To produce proficiently qualified, more skilled and industry ready technocrats.
- > To implement successfully the rule of language (English speaking) on campus 100%.
- ➤ To obtain NBA accreditation for more departments/branches besides the attempts of renewals by the already accredited departments.
- ➤ NBA accreditation for all departments enables to get more funds for research activities/projects and also for achieving patents.

#### INSTITUTIONAL STRATEGIC GOALS

- ➤ Effective Leadership and Participative management
- ➤ Constant Internal Quality Assurance System
- ➤ Ensuring Effective Governance
- > Student's Overall Development through Participation
- ➤ Employees Advancement & Welfare
- > Escalating Placements
- > Proper Discipline
- ➤ Women/Student/Faculty Grievance
- Financial Planning & Management
- ➤ Institute Industry Interaction Cell
- ➤ Encouragement of Budding Entrepreneurs
- > Constant Growth in Research and Innovation
- ➤ Boosting Internal Revenue Generation
- ➤ Alumni Interaction and Outreached Activities
- ➤ Mounting Physical Infrastructure

#### THE TARGETS FOR 2020-2025

#### 1. Effective Leadership and Participative management

- ➤ To promote confidence among the stakeholders.
- To develop a coherent strategy and a sustainable growth development path
- To facilitate a well administered institution and lead to its outstanding recognition

PROPOSAL	ACTION PLAN
Efficient leadership and proactive management	• Decentralization of the administrative,
	academic, and student related

	<ul> <li>authorities and responsibilities</li> <li>Periodical faculty meetings by the Heads of the Departments and sharing minutes to the Principal</li> <li>Consolidation of the suggestions basing on the minutes of the meeting by the Principal and forwarding them for final approval and reference.</li> </ul>
To make the activities of NRIIT a combination of productive education, research, consultancy and services	To reach the highest position and be in the top most rank in academics and research
To transform the organization into more professional with enhanced focus on quality	Effective checking and implementation of IQAC with internal & external members to inspect and audit the processes thoroughly Establishing systems, checks and balances that enable initiating immediate remedial measures
To partner with preferred academic, research and industrial organizations for strategic progress of the institute	Extend and foster long-term relationships with research and industrial organizations by entering into MOU
To modify and better the existing systems and procedures for conflict resolution and redressal of grievances	Enhance the essential processes and mechanisms for handling grievances that cover all the students, staff and women.
To be a preferred partner for level one MNCs across the globe for advanced grade interns, projects and placements	Enhance the technical support system to enable the advanced training processes more effective and immaculate

# 2. Ensuring Effective Governance

- To promote smooth functioning of the systemProviding all the necessary amenities required

PROPOSAL	ACTION PLAN
Effective Governance	<ul> <li>To review the smooth running of the administrative activities of the college, discussing approval of new programs.</li> <li>To review the examination results (Internal as well as External) of all programs; result analysis and their improvement strategies.</li> <li>To approve the up-gradation &amp; maintenance of institute's infrastructure</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>To review the budget allocated for different purposes and their expenditure</li> </ul>
	Promotion of various faculty career development programs, approval for

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	posts, study leaves etc.
	• Review of R&D programs, placement
	activities and Industry collaborations
	<ul> <li>Reviewing the performance appraisal of</li> </ul>
	faculty followed by private discussion,
	besides suggestions given by the
	faculty for the institute's development.
	• To support the conduct of Co-curricular
	and Extra-curricular activities
	• To review the awards and scholarships
	for students based on the performance
	in co-curricular and Extra-curricular
	activities etc
	• Evaluation of Institute's performance
	and benchmarking
	• Setting and planning the institutional
	strategic goals
	• Monitoring and Implementing the
	Quality Management Systems
	<ul> <li>Leadership development through decentralization</li> </ul>
	• Reviewing the results of internal audit
	committee
	• Implementation of code of conduct and
	policy formulation
	• Establishing fair and effective
	performance appraisal system

# 3. Upgrading the Infrastructure

- To upgrade and modify the state-of-the art facilities in the campus
   To ensure effectual utilization and maintenance of the Infrastructure
- > To benchmark institutional infrastructure and performance regularly

PROPOSAL	ACTION PLAN
Beautification of the Campus	Plantation, Rain water harvesting and
(In line with institutional Vision & Mission)	green cover
	<ul> <li>Energy harvesting &amp; management</li> </ul>
	Hygiene, solid waste management (zero
	plastic usage)
	Reuse of waste
	<ul> <li>Efficient usage of recycled waste water</li> </ul>
Improving the Infrastructure	Modification of the infrastructure and
	development/renovation of buildings

	<ul> <li>Functional facilities for e-learning</li> <li>Safety &amp; Security management</li> <li>Mineral Water facility</li> <li>Hygiene &amp; green campus</li> <li>Modernization of Laboratories &amp; the equipment</li> <li>Up-gradation of Library</li> <li>Improve indoor/outdoor sports facilities</li> <li>Increase plantations</li> </ul>
Academic infrastructure	<ul> <li>Smart AC Class rooms</li> <li>Smart AC Seminar Hall; 300 seating</li> <li>LCD Projector and support equipment in classrooms</li> <li>Effective E-Learning facilities</li> <li>State of the art Laboratory &amp; equipment</li> <li>Online learning tools</li> <li>Perfect Evaluation &amp; assessment tools</li> <li>ICT for 360 deg. Feedback.</li> </ul>
Library	<ul> <li>Up-gradation of Library infrastructure</li> <li>Improved access for e-Resources</li> <li>24X 7 Resources automation &amp; Access</li> <li>Digitization of Library resources</li> <li>Setting up of cloud based e-library &amp; online access</li> </ul>
Sports, Hostel & Canteen	<ul> <li>Effective utilization of sports         (indoor/outdoor) facilities</li> <li>To install more recreational facilities         and sanitization in hostels</li> <li>Upgrade food quality and seating in         food court</li> </ul>
Laboratory- R&D Equipment	<ul> <li>Separate laboratory for R&amp;D activities and its maintenance</li> <li>Suitable equipment for centers of excellence and research</li> </ul>

# 4. Efficient Teaching Erudition procedure

- > To formulate and implement quality teaching methodologies to ensure effective student-centered teaching-learning processes.
- To emerge as a recognized centre of excellence in the fields of engineering and management by research besides quality placements.

PROPOSAL	ACTION PLAN

To create a bench-mark with premier institutes like IIT	<ul> <li>Academic planning and preparation of Academic Calendar</li> <li>Preparation of Lesson Plan based on CO &amp; PO mapping</li> <li>Conduct training based on current demand analysis</li> <li>Constant assessment to measure outcomes</li> <li>Use of e- learning resources</li> <li>Promote research culture &amp; facilities</li> <li>Provide mentoring and individual support</li> <li>Follow feedback system</li> <li>Performance enhancement through workshops and seminars.</li> <li>Implementation of best practices for students</li> <li>Design syllabi to suit industry demands and promote student competency</li> <li>Evaluation parameters and benchmarking</li> <li>Constitute academic teams and visit premier institutions</li> <li>Recommend modifications in syllabi and curriculum where required</li> </ul>
Upgrading faculty & staff competence	<ul> <li>Customize &amp; Implement best practices</li> <li>Regular FDPs to be conducted with analysis</li> <li>Special workshops to promote faculty and staff competence</li> <li>Encourage more number of paper publications and presentations</li> </ul>
Knowledge Delivery & Outcome based Education	<ul> <li>Improving opportunities for networking</li> <li>Define outcomes of each teaching learning initiative very clearly</li> <li>Regular assessments and evaluations must be done to analyze outcomes</li> <li>Promote active research Culture</li> <li>Encouragement to online learning</li> <li>Mentoring on academic, career &amp; higher educational opportunities</li> </ul>
Evaluation & Assessment	<ul> <li>Implementation of perfect feedback system for proper quality check</li> <li>Regular assessment of student progress</li> <li>Question bank development for</li> </ul>

effective revision & Smooth conduct of
Sem-end examinations

## 5. Student Proficiency and competence

- > To focus on student all-round progression
- > To provide all the requirements for student success

PROPOSAL	ACTION PLAN
Students' overall development through active participation	<ul> <li>To make student representatives responsible to present student views and concerns objectively and accurately</li> <li>Proposing and allotting budget for student development programs</li> <li>Trainings &amp; Placement activities of students</li> <li>Formation and effective functioning of student council</li> <li>Students' representation in various Committees and Cells</li> <li>Participation in competitions</li> <li>Organizing competitions</li> <li>Rewards &amp; recognitions of achievers</li> <li>Participation in extracurricular activities</li> <li>Participating in social and welfare</li> </ul>
	activities

#### 6. Research, Innovations and Extension Services

- > To augment the quantum of research output and improve its quality to suit the needs.
- > To promote the number of centers of excellence in the Institute in the areas which have large societal impact
- > To make significant contributions and innovations suitable to the technological needs of the nation at large
- > To encourage students and faculty for more number of research paper publications in top journals and conferences.

PROPOSAL	ACTION PLAN
Constant growth in Research and Innovation	• Fully equipped R&D facilitation center.
	Establish and develop Laboratories

	with more research facility
	<ul> <li>Fund generation through Project proposals</li> </ul>
	Applying for Government, Non-
	Government, industry and sponsored
	funds
	• Collaborations with Government &
	Private Institutes, Universities and
	Research Organizations.
Improving R&D Infrastructure & Candidates	• Increasing the number of both human
	and physical resources required for research.
	<ul> <li>Increase in the number of R&amp;D</li> </ul>
	laboratories in all departments
	Committed team of R&D facilitation     Adaptive contraction contraction.
	<ul><li>&amp; documentation centre</li><li>To employ and furnish competent</li></ul>
	technical staff for R&D labs
Setting up of Centers of Excellence	Enhancing and upgrading the existing
	Centers of excellence.
	To create more such active centers in
	areas where there is large societal
	impact.
	The Centers of Excellence will also be multi-institutional, involving
	partnerships with Industries, IITs and
	other Foreign Universities
MOU with premier institutes / R&D labs	MoUs with higher learning
	institutions across the globe.
	• Collaborations with IISC, IITs, CSIR,
	ISRO, DRDO, etc.
	Multi & inter disciplinary research
Incubation Contro/ Product Dayslanment	and product development
Incubation Centre/ Product Development Centre	<ul> <li>Encouraging more number of "idea to product" pre-incubation activities</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Developing the quality and quantity</li> </ul>
	of incubation centers
	Focusing on Start-ups and Product
	development
	<ul> <li>More number of MOUs with DST for</li> </ul>
	better incubation support

# 7. Faculty and Staff Empowerment Strategies Employees Advancement & Welfare

- > To become the most opted destination for potential faculty members.
- > To recognize and recruit Faculty with different types of experiences, be it in academics, industry or research.
- > To recruit more number of Faculty from other states.
- > To follow effective performance appraisal systems.

PROPOSAL	ACTION PLAN
PROPOSAL Employee development and well-being	<ul> <li>Fair implementation of recruitment Policy and development of the same</li> <li>Reasonable evaluation of employees performance system</li> <li>Regular FDPs and Workshops for quality improvement</li> <li>Healthy and supportive working environment &amp; infrastructure.</li> <li>Strict observation of code of conduct, service rules &amp; leave rules</li> <li>Implementation of staff welfare policy</li> <li>Career advancement schemes</li> <li>Rewards, recognitions and incentives</li> <li>Deputation for seminars, conferences and workshops etc.</li> <li>Motivating qualification up-gradation</li> <li>Support for research, consultancy, and</li> </ul>
Policy of hiring the talent & retention of the same	<ul> <li>innovations</li> <li>Formation and implementation of merit based hiring policy.</li> <li>Planning for better career advancement schemes</li> <li>Induction of scientific ideas, proposals and new Talent</li> <li>Identifying critical and specific talent &amp;</li> </ul>
Recognitions & Rewards	retention measures  Recognition of the worthy and rewarding them with either incentives or otherwise  Preparation of a welfare policy & implementation
Conducive work environment	<ul> <li>Best working facilities and infrastructure to promote quality output</li> <li>Clarity of the roles &amp; responsibilities of faculty to empower the suitable</li> </ul>
Career growth & Development	To start and promote sponsorship, deputation, for higher

education & Exchange programs for
better acquisition and implementation
<ul> <li>Sponsorship to participate in national / international conferences</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Encourage research and publications in reputed journals</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Active participation in quality product development</li> </ul>

# 8. Women/Student/Faculty Grievance

# **Objectives:**

- > To safeguard the rights, liberty and security of girl students, women faculty
- > To promote hygienic living and self-care

PROPOSAL	ACTION PLAN
PROPOSAL Women/Student/Faculty Grievance	<ul> <li>The grievance committee functions with the following purposes;</li> <li>To make women students, faculty &amp; staff members aware about their rights.</li> <li>To help them in knowing the importance of good health and nutrition and facilities available for them.</li> <li>To help them in developing decision making abilities and be self-dependent.</li> <li>To help them in raising voice against all kinds of discrimination in a proper manner.</li> <li>To assist them in overall development of their personality.</li> <li>To help them (community women) in</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>To assist them in overall development of their personality.</li> </ul>

# 9. Escalating Placements Progression

- To place more number of students in reputed MNCs
- > To aim for bringing world class companies into the range of the institute's prospect

Proposal	Action Plan
Increase the number and quality of placements	<ul> <li>The Central T&amp;P Committee plays a key role in placing students their dream companies through counseling and training the students for their successful</li> </ul>

career placement.
• It is a crucial interface between the
stages of completion of academic
program of the students and their entry
into avenues of suitable employment
through campus placement drives.

# 10. Institute – Industry Interaction Cell

- > To enhance the research quality and contribution of the institute
- > To encourage student exchange and knowledge sharing
- > To update curriculum as per industrial requirements
- > To take studetns career to incredible heights

PROPOSAL	ACTION PLAN
Institute – Industry Interaction	Promoting and encouraging industrial research & consultancy.
	<ul> <li>Inviting and advancing in research guidance from industry.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Planning and conducting short-term training programmes.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Increasing number of collaborative educational programmes.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Encouraging Industry-Institute human resources exchange.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Increasing number of faculty and student exchange for knowledge</li> </ul>
	sharing.
	<ul> <li>Inviting good number of training programmes / short term assignments to</li> </ul>
	the faculty members in industries.
	<ul> <li>Welcoming productive participation of industrial experts in curriculum design.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Good number of student internships and industrial visits.</li> </ul>
	• Fruitful execution of industry institute interaction cell
	<ul> <li>Constructive support for internships, visits, trainings, guest lectures</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Identification of industry needs and</li> </ul>
	advice on curriculum for extra courses apart from curriculum.
	<ul> <li>Providing successful career guidance</li> </ul>

# 11. Escalation of Entrepreneurship

## **Objectives:**

- > To promote good number of enterpreneurs from the institute
- To prove our institute's young enterprenuers as quality and challenging employers
- > To create good amount of employment thereby serving the nation professionally

PROPOSAL	ACTION PLAN
Encouragement of Budding Entrepreneurs	<ul> <li>Expansion of the activities of Entrepreneurship Development Cell</li> <li>Inviting successful enterprenuers and Industrialists for seminars, lectures, workshops thereby promoting young entrepreneurs</li> <li>Providing training &amp; guidance for entrepreneurship development.</li> </ul>

# **Proper Discipline**

Proper Discipline	<ul> <li>Installation of CCTV Cameras at desired places and other measures to maintain the discipline. Responsible for the entry of the students only with I-cards and proper uniforms.</li> <li>Biometric attendance for Faculty and</li> </ul>
	Non Teaching staff.

#### 12. Financial Planning, Management and resource mobilization

- > To develop and implement an effective financial system
- > To directly support the fundamental functions of education and research
- To generate sources for internal revenues and put the finances to effective use

PURPOSE	ACTION PLAN
Planning and Management of finances	<ul> <li>Framing financial budget according to the institute's expenditure from multiple quarters.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Estimate of Departmental Budget</li> <li>Being calculative and economical during purchases</li> <li>Allocation of contingency Fund every</li> </ul>

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acting periodic audit
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rtment-wise budget planning and resement of accounts respectively g on expenditure estimate.  enance of corpus-fund to meet eseen and emergency ditures et formulation & approval of the through Finance committee
gement of planned expenditure, rement and implementation of cial policies (internal /External) checks - ces ort through research, consultancy

#### 13. Alumni meetings and interactions for Outreached Activities

- > To build mutually beneficial relations with the alumni so that latest developments and trends of the industry can be explored.
- > Creating more opportunities / activities for alumni to visit the campus to share and motivate the students.
- > To support alumni activities of NRIIT in multiple dimensions like fostering healthy Industry-Institute relations, facilitating interactions with aspiring students, faculty entrepreneurs and alumni entrepreneurs.
- > To increase and promote alumni contributions

PROPOSAL	ACTION PLAN
Alumni Association	<ul> <li>Strengthen Alumni association and frequency of communication</li> <li>Develop alumni association office on campus, encourage active participation of students</li> <li>updating data base in alumni website and keeping it always active</li> <li>Increase developmental activities</li> </ul>
Alumni Interaction and Outreached Activities	<ul> <li>through alumni association</li> <li>Configuration of Alumni association to increase their participation</li> <li>Invitation for guest lecturers /internship /placement/training/entrepreneurship from successful alumni</li> <li>Exploring ways for more contributions, Sponsorships/scholarships/fund generation from quality alumni</li> <li>Data base creation, regular interaction with alumni and networking</li> <li>Recognition of successful alumni for appreciation and felicitation</li> </ul>
Relationships & Leveraging	<ul> <li>Regular meetings and interactions</li> <li>Recognize successful alumni</li> <li>Invitation for guest lecturers / internships / placement</li> <li>Appointing / Nominating eligible alumni as Academic advisors / Board of governors</li> </ul>

# 14. Effective role of Internal Quality Assurance System

# **Objectives:**

➤ To achieve excellence in technical education, research and consulting through an outcome based curriculum focusing on continuous improvement and innovation by benchmarking against the best global practices.

PROPOSAL	ACTION PLAN
Supervision of activities by IQAC  Establishing Quality Systems	<ul> <li>Develop, maintain and regularly update the QMS as the document of all the processes involved in the academic and administrative activities and the forms to implement the processes.</li> <li>To check if all departments, along with the teaching and non-teaching staff carry out the activities as per the processes and forms.</li> <li>Customer satisfaction by collecting feedbacks from students, parents, alumni and industry and actions to be taken to ensure that the institute satisfies all its stakeholders.</li> <li>Internal audit at scheduled intervals to check the effectiveness implementation, maintenance and progress of QMS.</li> <li>Monitoring and measurement of processes and products to identify appropriate corrective action and to ensure conformity of service.</li> <li>To control non-conformity so as to prevent deviations and get ready for the actions to be taken for improvement.</li> <li>Periodical conduct of external audit</li> <li>Framing of Quality Policy</li> <li>Periodic check &amp; guidance for quality improvement</li> <li>Regular audit for remedial measures</li> <li>Release of annual report &amp; submission</li> <li>Setting up of bench marks &amp; system</li> </ul>
	flow  • Setting up of a steering committee for quality policy  • Publishing quality system design & culture

	Maintaining ISO quality standards in all aspects across the institution
Accreditation & Certifications	<ul> <li>To internalize the process based on accreditation or certification agency</li> <li>Conducting regular audits and certifications</li> <li>Initiating / Updating the files for renewal/ process for NBA accreditation</li> </ul>
Control of Internal Audit	<ul> <li>Execution of audit teams to conduct internal audit</li> <li>To train internal auditing teams</li> <li>To take remedial measures basing on audit report</li> </ul>
Continual improvement, Rewards And Recognitions	<ul> <li>Pay proper attention for the effective functioning of Quality assurance cell</li> <li>Identifying and appreciating various achievements &amp; best practices</li> </ul>

#### STRATEGY IMPLEMENTATION AND MONITORING

After the approval of the Governing body, the strategic development plan will be forwarded for implementation in the institution. It's the sole responsibility of the IQAC to supervise, coordinate, periodically evaluate and determine the progress of the implementation of various parameters that are proposed in the strategic development plan.

#### IMPLEMENTATION OF VARIOUS ROLES AT THE INSTITUTIONAL LEVEL

Position	Functions
Governing Council	• Frames directives, principles and policies.
	Amend and approve policies regularly
	Approve budgets.
Chairman & Correspondent	To look after the overall development of
	institute.
	Mobilize external resources to strengthen
	the institute.
	Plan & provide necessary facilities /
	equipment for development.
Principal	Design & define organization structure.
	Delegates responsibilities of various
	positions in the organization
	• Ensure periodic monitoring & evaluation of
	various process & sub-processes.
	Ensure effective purchase procedure.
	Define quality policy and objectives.

Vice - Principal	<ul> <li>Conduct periodic meetings of various bodies such as Governing Council, Women's Protection Grievances Cell etc.</li> <li>Supervise the teaching-learning process.</li> <li>Monitor accounts and finance.</li> <li>Propose Institutional Budget.</li> <li>Monitor employee recruitment process.</li> <li>To implement student discipline.</li> <li>Publish Annual Magazine.</li> <li>Analyze result analysis and submit corrective measures to the management.</li> <li>To discharge routine duty of Principal</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>during the absence of the Principal.</li> <li>Prepare and execute academic calendar.</li> <li>Initiate supplementary teaching measures.</li> <li>Supervise co-curricular &amp; extra- curricular</li> </ul>
	activities.  • Conduct Sports &Cultural activities.  • Take proper care of student health.
Heads of the Departments	<ul> <li>Promote &amp; monitor research activities and consultancy work of the department.</li> <li>Organize technical workshops, seminars and guest lectures.</li> <li>Plan, execute and monitor academic activities of the department.</li> <li>Maintain discipline and culture in the department.</li> <li>Promote the strength of students / faculty / staff.</li> <li>Propose Department Budget.</li> <li>Maintain records of departmental activities and achievements.</li> </ul>
Administrative Officer	<ul> <li>.Propose admission policy and execute the admission process.</li> <li>Arrange campaign.</li> <li>Maintenance of college website.</li> <li>Maintain all official records (AICTE, JNTUK and State Govt.) Publicity of events.</li> <li>Transport &amp; Hostel maintenance.</li> <li>College roster and Service Books.</li> <li>Faculty personal files.</li> <li>Recruitment process.</li> <li>Maintain minutes of meeting.</li> <li>Coordinate day to day activities of office.</li> </ul>
Placement Officer	<ul><li>Liaison with industry.</li><li>Identify and provide for training needs of</li></ul>

	students.
	Arrange campus interviews.
	Proposing annual T&P budget.
Librarian	• Plan and execute modus operandi of routine
	activity of the library.
	• Plan and propose expansion / development.
	Maintain library discipline and culture.
	Prepare annual budget for library.
Director of Physical Education	• Ensure smooth conduct of sports.
	• Ensure proper use of gymnastics.
	• Purchase of sport items for up-gradation.
	Encourage students to participate in zonal
	tournaments.
	Creation and maintenance of sports
	facilities.
	Proposing annual sports budget.
Student Professional Forum	Organize events through students'
	professional clubs.
	• Encourage student participation.
	Publication of technical magazine and
	newsletters.
	Record of student participation and
	achievements in co-curricular and extra-
	curricular activities.
Finance Officer	Annual College Budget.
	Manage institute's accounts and finance
Alumni Association	Arrange periodic meetings of student
	council.
	Ensure alumni registration.
	Arrange annual alumni meet.

TARGET	ROLES
Good governance	Governing Council and the Management
Curricular aspects and Teaching Learning	Principal, HODs, Faculty and Staff
Processes	
Infrastructure development and Learning	Governing Council, Chairman, Principal,
resources	Management and the team
Research, Innovation and extension services	Research Cell, HODs and Faculty
Faculty and Staff empowerment strategies	Governing Council, Chairman & Principal
Financial management and resource	Governing Council, Finance Committee,
mobilization	Principal
Alumni meetings and interactions	Alumni Cell, Faculty
Training and Placement	Director-Placement & Training and HODS
Departmental activities	HODs and Faculty
Quality assurance	IQAC

## **Deployment**

The plans articulated by the management and principal are communicated to the target groups like faculty, students, staff and other stakeholders through meetings, mails and other forms of communication.

The Principal's handbook serves as preamble at the institutional level to undertake these activities. The organizational procedure manual guides all the activities through well-defined policies and procedures for each of the activities.

#### **FUTURE PLAN OF ACTION**

Strategic Plan of 2020–2025 clearly sets out specific targets in every sphere of the institute's activity – like the academic programs, research, collaboration with industry, human resource development, entrepreneurship, development of infrastructure and facilities, student life, placement, community outreach and alumni relations.

These targets have been set after extensive consultation to ensure that they are both ambitious and achievable.

The institution plans to have special and more focus on promoting the research activities. Specific targets are fixed with respect to research and development cell for the next five years.

- > Increasing the number of research projects
- > Increasing the publications in national/international journals and conference proceedings
- ➤ New MOUs signed with academic and industrial organizations for research benefits and other establishments
- > Establishing centers of excellence activities

The targets will be achieved if the contributions of stakeholders ie., faculty, staff, students, alumni, partners and collaborators from industry are aligned and reinforced each other. Thus the vision outlined in the plan will be realized, and NRIIT can feel reasonably proud that the trust reposed on it by the society will always be remarkable.

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