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To,

The Registrar

Comptroller

**All Directors (Extension, Research, Administration & Monitoring, Training & Placement, and
Centre for International Relations)**

**All Deans (Agriculture, Biotechnology, Horticulture, Technology, Post-Harvest Technology &
Food Processing, Post Graduate Studies and Student Welfare(Boys & Girls),
Sugarcane Science & Technology, Dean Representative Veterinary & Animal
Sciences)**

**Nodal Officer Central Library, NEP Coordinator, Coordinator Learning Support Center,
Programme Coordinator NSS, OIC NCC, OIC Construction, Establishment
Officer, Chairperson WCC, OIC IT Cell and HOD Basic Science, PI Incubation
Center**

All Members of IQAC Committee

The proceedings of the VIIIth meeting of Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) Committee held on 30.04.2026 are attached herewith for your kind information and necessary action where ever required by the respective offices. The timely compliance of the proceedings is highly solicited.

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Copy to: PA to VC for kind information of Hon'ble Vice Chancellor

Proceedings of VIIIth Meeting of IQAC

The VIIIth meeting of the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) committee held 30.04.2026 at 3:00 PM in the Vice Chancellor committee room and the meeting was chaired by the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor and Chairman of the IQAC. The following members of the IQAC committee and University officials were present in the meeting:

S. No.	Name	Designation
1.	Dr. Triveni Dutt	Chairman IQAC and Vice Chancellor
2.	Shri Devvrat Tyagi	Hon'ble Member Board of Management
3.	Dr. V.P Singh	Registrar
4.	Sh. Pankaj Kumar Chaturvedi	Finance Comptroller
5.	Dr. Mridul Kumar Gupta	Senior Professor, CCS University, Meerut
6.	Sh. Sunil Chaudhary	MD, Fryo Food Pvt Ltd. Meerut
7.	Sh. Vineet Kumar	Director, Greenland Agro Marketing Ltd. MZN.
8.	Dr. U. P. Shahi	Professor, College of Agriculture
9.	Dr. Genitha Immanuel	Dean, College of PHT&FP
10.	Dr. Satya Prakash	Professor, College of Horticulture
11.	Dr. Prerana Sikarwar	Assistant Professor, College of Technology
12.	Ms. Kosh Mahajan	Ph.D. Scholar, College of Agriculture
13.	Mr. Surendra Upadhyay	Ph.D. Scholar, College of Biotechnology
14.	Dr. Lokesh Kumar Gangwar	IQAC Director
Special Invitees (University Officials)		
15.	Dr. Vivek	Dean, College of Agriculture
16.	Dr. Ravinder Kumar	Dean, College of Biotechnology
17.	Dr. Bijendra Singh	Dean, College of Horticulture
18.	Dr. Kamal Khilari	Director Research
19.	Dr. Satendra Kumar	Director Extension
20.	Dr. D.K. Singh	Dean Post Graduate Studies
21.	Dr. Jaivir Singh	Dean, College of Technology
22.	Dr. D.K. Singh	Dean Student Welfare
23.	Dr. R.S. Sengar	Director Training and Placement
24.	Dr. T.K. Sarkar	Dean Representative, COVAS
25.	Dr. Vijay Singh	Dean Representative, COVAS
26.	Dr. Archana Arya	NEP Coordinator

The meeting commenced with a floral welcome of the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor and Chairman of IQAC by the Registrar, followed by a formal welcome address for the Chairman, Shri Devvrat Tyagi Ji (Hon'ble member BOM), Special Invitees and all IQAC members by the Director, IQAC. The Director expressed his sincere gratitude to the Hon'ble Chancellor Madam for appointing a Vice-Chancellor possessing vast experience and remarkable expertise in university rankings and academic excellence. He also conveyed his appreciation to the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor for his


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visionary leadership, continuous support, and valuable guidance to the IQAC Committee for the overall progress and betterment of the University.

Thereafter, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor addressed the gathering and emphasized that IQAC embodies a strong-minded, progressive, and growth-oriented vision for the University. He stated that it is the collective responsibility of all faculty members, officers, and stakeholders to support IQAC in every possible manner and ensure the timely implementation of its directions to maintain and enhance quality in teaching, research, and extension activities.

The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor highlighted that IQAC should continuously guide the University in identifying its strengths and weaknesses, embracing challenges, and utilizing opportunities for institutional development and improvement. He further stressed that all such initiatives should be aligned with the principles of the National Education Policy (NEP) and effectively integrated with various government policies and schemes. He also emphasized the importance of the "Mission LiFE (Lifestyle for Environment)" vision of the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India and stated that awareness regarding sustainable and environmentally responsible practices must be created among faculty members, staff, and students across the University.

He reiterated the University's commitment to modernizing academic excellence through the adoption of digital teaching methodologies, innovative faculty development programs, and comprehensive student support systems. He stressed the urgent need to improve academic excellence, strengthen research and innovation activities, and promote a vibrant startup and entrepreneurial ecosystem within the University. He also emphasized the importance of upgrading infrastructure, establishing research and innovation hubs, and developing Centers of Excellence in emerging and impactful areas such as precision agriculture, climate change impacts on crops, and tissue culture.

The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor further envisioned transforming the campus into a gender-friendly and environmentally sustainable green campus focused on energy conservation and carbon reduction. In this regard, he proposed the establishment of a Compressed Biogas (CBG) plant for converting waste into valuable resources, thereby promoting the concept of a circular economy and supporting various institutional and ceremonial energy requirements.

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He also underlined the significance of strengthening outcome-based and multidisciplinary education with robust industry linkages. He stressed the need to actively involve students in industrial projects, internships, and practical training programs while ensuring quality placement opportunities for both undergraduate and postgraduate students. Concluding his address, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor stated that strengthening these key areas would help fulfill stakeholder expectations, align the University with the Government's vision, and ensure the smooth, sustainable, and progressive growth of the institution.

Thereafter, the Director, IQAC, placed the following agenda items before the House for discussion and approval:

1. Approval of the proceedings/minutes of the previous IQAC meeting.
2. Action Taken Report of the Previous Meeting

The IQAC members were briefed about the action taken on the proceedings of the VIIth meeting, as follows:

S. N.	Agenda Item (Previous Meeting)	Concerned Person / Committee	Action Taken
1	Policy for Publications/Patents/Products	Director Research	A Committee has been constituted and it's working on the formation of guidelines for Publications/Patents/Products.
2	Course Outcomes (COs) and Programme Outcomes (Pos) Mapping	IQAC Cell	The concerned course instructor shall prepare Course Outcomes (COs) for their respective subjects as per Bloom's Taxonomy. The COs shall be compiled at the department level, and CO-PO mapping shall be carried out accordingly. The compiled records shall be forwarded to the Dean Office for consolidation and thereafter to the Registrar Office. The Registrar Office shall instruct paper setters to prepare question papers as per the approved COs and Bloom's Taxonomy levels.

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3	Industry-Oriented Curriculum & Project Development	Director, Training and Placement	A one-day Academia-Industry Meet will be held on May 29, 2026, to align the university's degree curricula with current industry requirements.
4	Development of SOPs	DSW (Hostels); All College Deans & Directors {Research, Extension, Training & Placement, Centre for International Relations, DAM}, Registrar, and Finance Comptroller	The SOP for the Purchase Policy, Good Governance, and Hostels have been prepared and will be notified shortly.
5	Laboratory Accreditation Status & Future Roadmap	All Deans/ Director Research/OICs	The SOP for the Hostels has been prepared and will be notified shortly.
6	Best Teaching/ Research/Extension Award	DAM	Best Teacher Award college wise and Outstanding Women Teacher Award at the University level will be introduced from the current academic session. A committee has been constituted and is in the process of developing the selection criteria.
7	Recognition of Non-Teaching Staff Members	Establishment Officer	Action has to be taken.
8	Mentor–Mentee Interaction	Registrar	Weekly Mentor–Mentee meetings are conducted systematically, and mentors maintain a formal register to track student progress and discussions.
99	University Plans and Publications	DAM	Action has to be taken.
10	International Relations & Collaborations	All Deans, Director Research, Director Extension, Director, International Relation, Director, Training & Placement	- International MoU signed with Floret Centre, Nigeria (12 March 2026) - Joint online workshops/trainings and inclusion of faculty members in advisory committee of PG students is planned.

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			• Research Collaboration with IRRI, CIMMYT, ICRISAT, and ICARDA.
11	Creation & Management of University Affiliation IDs	Nodal Officer Library	Established University Affiliation IDs by ensuring all employees registered for Vidwan IDs, which have now been mapped to the SVPUAT IRINS Portal.
12	• Gender Audit • Waste Management Policy • Green & Energy Audit • Academic Audit • Administrative Audit	• Chairperson WCC • Dean Representative COVAS • Dean, College of Technology • Registrar • DAM	• The survey process is finalized; Google Forms will be used to collect feedback from faculty, staff, and students based on the approved questionnaire. • Green & Energy Audit is under process.
13	Office Automation (e-office)	Registrar, DAM, Finance Comptroller	The university has transitioned to e-HRMS Manav Sampada portal for employee management systems like e-service book, sanctioning of leave, property declaration etc. management. As of April 15, all staff members use the digital platform for the application and approval of all leave categories. The university is currently transitioning to the Samarth portal for integrated office automation and digital governance.
14	Provisions of the Adjunct Faculty	Registrar	Action has to be taken
15	Provisions of the Professor-of-Practice	Registrar	The process for appointing eminent professionals as Professor of Practice has commenced Nominations by the Deans have been received.
16	Value Added Courses	All Deans/ Registrar	Value Added Courses are being offered by the colleges and following value added courses- Artificial Intelligence in Agriculture, Artificial

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			Intelligence in Food Processing, and Artificial Intelligence in Veterinary & Animal Sciences have to be offered by the concerned colleges.
17	Conduction of AFO/JRF/PG/PhD Classes	All College Deans	Regular classes are conducted every Saturday by the faculty members
18	Remedial Classes for Weak Students	HOD Basic Science	Remedial classes for English and Hindi are being conducted every Saturday (3 PM to 5 PM) at the Department of Basic Science by the respective faculty members.
19	Popularization of University through social media	OIC, IT Cell; All Deans	The IT Cell has established official university handles across major social media platforms, including LinkedIn, Instagram, and Facebook. University achievements and activities are being uploaded and documented on a regular basis.
20	Creation of Central Instrumentation Facility	Director Research & DAM	High-end equipment data, along with current functional status, has been sought from all colleges to establish a central lab facility; data collection and compilation are currently in progress

3. **Introduction of New Academic Programmes/Diploma Courses/Certificate Courses/Vocational Courses:** To explore, plan, and approve the introduction of new UG and PG programmes, along with diploma, certificate, and vocational courses in emerging and interdisciplinary areas, in alignment with NEP guidelines and industry needs, with the objective of enhancing student employability and academic relevance.

Action (All Deans)

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4. **Inclusion of Student Clubs:** To promote holistic student development by establishing, Music club, Literary Club, Drama Club, Fine Arts Club and Photography Club thereby fostering leadership, creativity, and teamwork skills.

Action (DSW Boys & DSW Girls)

5. **Infrastructure and Learning Resources Enhancement:** To review and plan the upgradation of laboratories, classrooms, and ICT facilities, along with enrichment of digital resources and the University website, for improving teaching-learning quality.

Action (All Deans and OIC IT Cell)

6. **Attachment of PG Students in Industry/Leading Co-operatives:** To promote experiential learning of PG students through Industry/Leading Co-operatives attachment.

Action (All Deans and Dean PGS)

7. **Green Campus and Sustainability Initiatives:** To initiate and strengthen environmentally sustainable practices on campus, including waste management, energy efficiency, water conservation, and promotion of green culture.

Action (NEP Coordinator)

8. **Community Engagement and Outreach Activities:** To align NSS/NCC activities with the vision of "Viksit Bharat" by enhancing community engagement, promoting inclusivity, and contributing to rural and social development.

Action (Programme Co-Ordinator NSS and OIC NCC)

9. **Identification and Documentation of Best Practices:** Identification of best practices will help in promoting innovation, improving quality standards, and enabling replication of successful initiatives across the institution.

Action (NEP Coordinator)

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10. **Flexibility in Selection of Minor Subjects for PG and Ph.D. Students:** For providing greater flexibility to PG and Ph.D. Students in choosing minor subjects across departments/ Colleges based on their research needs and academic interests.

Action (All Deans)

11. **Capacity Building Initiatives for Faculty, Staff, and Students:** To enhance the professional and academic competencies of all stakeholders through planned capacity building programmes.

Action (All Deans)

12. **Enhancing Quality of Education and Research for PG and Ph.D. Programmes:** To enhance the quality, relevance, and impact of education and research in PG and Ph.D. programmes.

Action (Dean PGS)

13. **Integration and Strengthening of Vocational Education with Professional Education:** To integrate skill-based vocational training with professional education for developing entrepreneurship skills, improving employability and practical competencies of students.

Action (All Deans)

14. **Centre for Distance Learning and Online Education:** To establish a Centre for Distance Learning and Online Education in identified areas for expanding access to quality education through flexible and technology-enabled modes.

Action (Coordinator Learning Support Center)

15. **Discussion on the new agenda items placed before the House.**

- a. **Introduction of “AI for All” – Fundamental Course and Institutional AI Policy:** To deliberate and approve the implementation of an interdisciplinary foundational course titled “AI for All” for students of all undergraduate and postgraduate programmes, aimed at developing basic AI literacy, ethical awareness, and practical understanding of Artificial Intelligence applications across disciplines.

Action (Registrar/OIC IT Cell)



- b. **Installation of Mission LiFE Awareness Hoardings:** To discuss and approve the installation of Mission LiFE (Lifestyle for Environment) awareness hoardings and display boards in the University campus as per the guidelines of University Grants Commission, with the objective of promoting environmental consciousness, sustainable lifestyle practices, energy conservation, waste reduction, and public awareness among students, faculty, staff, and visitors.

Action (NEP Coordinator)

- c. **Provision of Accessibility Infrastructure for Divyangjan Students:** To discuss and approve the phased installation of lifts and ramps in University buildings lacking accessibility facilities to ensure a barrier-free environment for Divyangjan students, staff, and visitors. In the first phase, the Veterinary Clinical Complex will be covered with installation of a lift and related accessibility provisions.

Action (OIC Construction)

- d. **Prohibition of Single-Use Plastic on Campus:** In order to implement Mission LiFE initiative in the campus, the use of plastic in the campus should be banned.

Action (NEP Coordinator)

- e. **Tracking and Documentation of University Startups:** To discuss and review the status of startups developed by students and alumni of the University, including maintenance of records regarding the number of startups established, details of registered startups (including those registered under Section 8 of the Companies Act), photographs, and related documentation for monitoring, promotion, and institutional reporting purposes.

Action (PI Incubation Center)

- f. **Development of PM-USHA Project:** To discuss and approve the preparation and development of project proposals under the Pradhan Mantri Uchchatar Shiksha Abhiyan (PM-USHA) for strengthening academic infrastructure, quality enhancement, innovation, and institutional development in the University.

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Action (DSW Boys & DSW Girls)

- g. **Installation of Sanitary Napkin Vending Machines in Girls' Hostels:** To ensure convenient and hygienic access to sanitary products for female students.

Action (DSW Girls)

- h. **21-Day Computer Training Programme for Non-Teaching Staff:** To enhance digital literacy and improve administrative efficiency among non-teaching staff.

Action (DAM)

- i. **Alignment of Ph.D. Research with SDGs and Viksit UP-2047:** To orient doctoral research towards sustainable development goals and the vision of Viksit Uttar Pradesh-2047.

Action (DEAN PGS)

- j. **Long-Term Industry Collaboration under CSR Initiatives:** To strengthen industry-academia partnerships for resource mobilization, skill development, and institutional growth through CSR support.

Action (Director Research/Director Extension/ DSW Boys and Girls)

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