

# Report on the Performance of Chaitanya Degree College (Autonomous) Kishanpura, Hanamkonda, Warangal

The Chaitanya Degree College (Autonomous) has established IQAC on 07-07-2007 and it has been functioning very effectively and taking many steps to improve the academic standards of the college from time to time. Under the guidance of IQAC the college has secured 'A' grade from NAAC for 3 times i.e 2006, 2012 and 2017. Recently, the cell has constituted an external peer team with the following members to assess the performance of the college.

1. Prof. G Laxmaiah, Former Professor of Economics (OU), Former Registrar (SU), Chairman.
2. Prof. V. Ravinder, Former Professor of Chemistry (KU), Former Director of Admissions (KU), UGC BSR Faculty, Member Coordinator.
3. Mr. V.V.L.N.S. Prasad, Former Principal of Govt. Degree College, Mulugu (NAAC Graded College)

The committee has submitted a report on performance of the college which is as follows.

Chaitanya Degree College came into existence in 1991 under the aegis of Viswa Bharati Education Society Warangal. The group of Colleges are committed to impart quality education by producing first rate intelligent with holistic approach with an intention to make the students as agents of social good and competent enough to establish creative benchmarks for enhancing the performance capacities to build the nation beyond sustainability. This college is equipped with state-of-the-art infrastructure and provide technology-aided teaching, learning process and organize students' development programs in a sustained manner. Seminars, workshops, symposia expose the students to the latest Global developments. The Wi-Fi facility on campus provides access to the emerging trends in various domains of knowledge.

Chaitanya Degree College (Autonomous) offers courses with Life Science and Physical Science courses, Commerce with Computer Applications, Banking & Insurance, Management with Business Administration and Business Management. Apart from these courses, it is offering three Advanced Diploma courses sponsored by the University Grants Commission, New Delhi under Career Oriented Courses (COC) Programme.

On successful completion of 25 years of establishment the College has marked the Silver Jubilee Celebrations in 2015 .

The educational institution is housed in commodious buildings located in the heart of tri-cities. The academic activities of this college is carried out strictly in accordance with the Academic Calendar.

**NAAC Accreditation:** The NAAC, after taking into consideration of academic excellence and other infrastructural facilities, has accorded the accreditation with the status of 'A' grade



to Chaitanya Degree College in the year 2006,2012 and 2017 and completed 3<sup>rd</sup> cycle with A grade.

**Autonomous Status:** The Degree college has been granted extension of Autonomous status by the UGC and Kakatiya University in 2012 onwards. This is the first unaided private college under Kakatiya University Jurisdiction to get National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) Accreditation and also Autonomous Status.

**Star Colleges Status:** This college has got the most prestigious STAR COLLEGES departmental status to Seven Departments of Chaitanya Degree College in the year 2015 has been accorded by the Ministry of Science & Technology - Department of Biotechnology, Government of India.

**Colleges with Potential for Excellence:** Another landmark in the history of the college is that the University Grants Commission has conferred the “Colleges with Potential for Excellence” status to Chaitanya Degree College in 2016. In entire Telangana, only three colleges were conferred the status out of which the Chaitanya Degree College is one among them.

**NIRF Ranking:** National Institute Ranking Frame Work Survey (MHRD) 2017, awarded the Rank at the National Level, in the Ranking Band of 101-150 to Chaitanya Degree College (Autonomous) .

**B School Ranking:** digitalLEARNING accredited the Chaitanya Degree College with BBA Programme with AA+ in India’s Best B Schools Ranking. The Times of India also ranked the undergraduate management course, BBA and placed it at 42<sup>nd</sup> Rank in entire India.

**Choice Based Credit System:** In line with the guide lines of MHRD and University Grants Commission and TSCHE, the Chaitanya Degree College has introduced the Choice Based Credit System from the academic year 2015-16 onwards. This is the first college along with Nizam College and University of Hyderabad, to introduce the system of CBCS in entire Telangana. To bring more awareness of the system among various institutions, the college has conducted a “National Seminar on Emerging Trends in Choice Based Credit System- Challenges Ahead” on 7<sup>th</sup> August 2015, sponsored by NAAC and TSCHE.

### **Research and Development**

Chaitanya Degree college is always research oriented and innovative driven College, by providing facilities with sophisticated instruments and technical expertise to carry out the research. The teachers are well qualified, committed and also very good at research. The management facilitates both the teachers and students to present their research papers in seminars and symposia and also publication in national and international journals. To update the knowledge of the faculty, they are encouraged to undergo refresher courses, orientation courses, workshops, training programs and exhibition of academic slant.

During this academic year, the faculty members have published 61 articles in various journals, 28 teachers have attended seminars and 10 teachers have presented the papers in seminars. In addition to that, 20 teachers have attended the workshops/FDP programs. Another important thing to note that 07 students of the college has presented papers in various seminars conducted at Kakatiya University.

### **Research Center**

Taking the potential for research into consideration, Kakatiya University has recognized the Dept. of Chemistry as a Research center and allots scholars for Ph.D. program. The UGC

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SERO has sanctioned the minor research projects of 03 faculty members. During academic year 2014-15, the UGC SERO has sanctioned 06 minor research projects. All the teachers have successfully completed their Research Projects and also received the final grants. During this academic year the UGC SERO has sanctioned 04 minor research projects.

#### **Conference at University of Oxford, London, UK:**

Chairman, Dr. Ch.V. Purushotham Reddy attended a conference on "Leadership Programme for Educational Professionals" from 23<sup>rd</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> August 2015, at University of Oxford, London. Throughout India 21 Eminent Educational Professionals were invited to participate in the conference.

#### **Indywood Educational Excellence Award – 2017:**

In recognition of the meritorious contribution to the student community by providing the quality education in the area of higher education over a period of 03 decades, the Chairman Dr.Ch.V.Purushotham Reddy was bestowed with the prestigious award "Indywood Educational Excellence Award – 2017" on 2<sup>nd</sup> December, 2017. He is the only person who received it in the category of Education Excellence Award. **This was organized by 'Indywood and Government of Telangana State'.**

#### **Accolades**

The academic excellence of Chaitanya Colleges is enticing various institutions to accolade its performance.

*The Sunday Indian*, The Nation's Greatest News weekly has issued a credential, India's Most Authoritative College, 2011, honors Chaitanya Degree College as India's Next BIG LEAGUE in Science.

#### ***JKC Award (Now TASK)***

The college has been adjudged as the best Jawaharlal Knowledge Center by Information Technology and Communication Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh. "Outstanding Performance Award" was presented to our colleges by Dr. K. Rosaiah, the then Chief Minister on 20th April, 2010.

#### **NCC Girls (Girls Wing)**

In CATC 5<sup>th</sup> Camp conducted in the month August, 2017 and 7<sup>th</sup> Camp(Pre RDC) conducted in the month of Oct 201, at NIT 3 Cadets for Kho Kho, 5 Cadets for Tugg of war, bagged Gold Medals. In the section formation 6 Cadets won Silver Medals. In firing 1 Cadet won Silver Medal. In Essay Writing Competition 1 Cadet won Gold Medal and 1 Cadet won Silver Medal. In Elocution 1 Cadet won Gold Medal and 1 Cadet won Silver Medal in Poster Making. In entire Warangal group Miss.Lakshmi Priya was awarded with a "Certificate of Appreciation in Firing" on NCC Day.

#### **NCC Boys (Boys Wing)**

Three senior NCC cadets have participated in National Integration Camp (NIC) at Ahmedabad, Gujarat and performed well in the camp. Our Units secured 100 % result in 'B' certificate and 88.7% in 'C' certificate and over all topped the result in Warangal group.

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