



REVIEW OF RESEARCH

ISSN: 2249-894X

IMPACT FACTOR : 5.2331(UIF)

VOLUME - 7 | ISSUE - 6 | MARCH - 2018



A COMPARATIVE ANALYSIS OF THE NAAC AND EDUCATIONAL AUDITING FUNCTIONS IN PRIVATE COLLEGES IN MAHARASHTRA

Prof. Haridas Jogdankar

**Asst. Professor in Commerce and HOD Business Economics
JASC College, Affiliated To Dr. BAMU.**

ABSTRACT :

Academic Audit may be a system to regulate and maintain high standards within the field of upper Education. it's enjoying very important role in providing quality education to the learners everywhere the globe. Additionally to the developed countries, even the developing still as underdeveloped countries, are currently a days returning forward in opting the educational and adminis may be a continuous method of self introspection for the higher growth of the establishment. Giftthispaper proposes to propose on the main target on the role and significance of educational audit within the present day globalized Indian teachers, nowadays NAAC has sponsored an honest range of seminars across the country on the theme of abdominal aortic aneurysm. Higher Education Institutes (HEI) are suggested to require like deliberation of those seminars to update recent trends in abdominal aortic aneurysm as tools for continuous quality improvement .



KEYWORDS : NAAC, AAA (A3), IQAC, SSRs.

INTRODUCTION

Twenty first century has witnessed speedy changes aim all walks of life. Considering these changes several governments within the numerous countries have projected numerous strategies and measures to reinforce the standard of education at higher level. What thus ever is that the name, however these square measure all tries in educational and body. In Bharat beside central government some states like Gujarat haven't solely volunteered however created educational and Management body Audit a compulsory live for the establishments of upper Education. Centre has assigned responsibility to National Assessment and Accreditation Council(NAAC)

OBJECTIVES OF THE STUDY:

- To perceive the importance of A3
- To Highlight the role of NAAC in A3
- To study the correlation between A3 and quality management in pedagogy.
- To enhance the attention concerning A3

NAAC :

Education plays an important role within the development of any nation. Therefore, the upper education is to be the most effective on each amount and quality. There has been an excellent increase within the variety of Universities and faculties in Asian country. to examine and assess the standard of those establishments, Associate in Nursing autonomous and freelance organization known as The National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) was established by the University Grants Commission (UGC) of Asian country in 1994.

Advantage of NAAC:

A college being licensed typically signifies that it's met bound standards of excellence across its operations.

There are three major benefits for students due to an accreditation:

●Exchange Programs:

The possibility of a tie - up with a decent university abroad will increase if the faculty is 'A' licensed. There's conjointly a better probability of incoming exchange / foreign students, each of whom facilitate to make a additional culturally numerous atmosphere in faculty (of that the impact on individual growth can not be understated).

●Placements:

Many corporations, as a part of their field recruiting programs, solely look into 'A' hierarchic schools. Associate in Nursing enfranchisement, consequently, will increase the amount of corporations looming field, thereby increasing the range of career opportunities accessible to students on field.

●Further Studies:

While applying abroad, schools usually look into the grading of your faculty to achieve a far better understanding of your performance as a student relative to your contemporaries the upper the accreditation. The upper higher it will increase your probabilities for a favourable reply.

Educational Audit :

Academic audit is a procedure of verifying and confirming the performance of academic practices and procedures against planned/standard procedures. It should be annual activity. The areas to be included are Teaching, syllabi, admissions, research, examinations, results, academic decisions and implementation, academic administration, facilities for students, teaching and research infrastructure, institution infrastructure, benchmarking of best practices, citizen charter, etc. Academic audit Increase the goodwill of institution, Students confidence, teachers up-gradation, helpful in ranking of institution, satisfaction of stakeholders, etc.

NAAC in AAA (A3) :

The NATIONAL ASSESSMENT AND ACCREDITATION COUNCIL (NAAC) is associate autonomous body established by the University Grants Commission (UGC) of Asian nation to assess and accredit establishments of upper education within the country. It's associate outcome of the recommendations of the National Policy in Education (1986) that arranged special stress on upholding the standard of upper education in Asian nation. to deal with the problems of quality, the National Policy on Education (1986) and also the set up Programme of Action (POA-1992) advocated the institution of associate freelance national certification body. Consequently, the NAAC was established in 1994 with its headquarters at Benglorue. In pursuance of its Action set up for performance analysis, assessment and Accreditation and quality up-gradation of establishments of upper education, the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC), Benglorue proposes that each licensed establishment ought to establish an inside Quality Assurance Cell

(IQAC) as a post certification quality sustenance live. Since quality sweetening could be a continuous method, The IQAC can become a section of the institutions system and work towards realization of the goals of quality sweetening and sustenance. The prime task of the IQAC is to develop a system for acutely aware, consistent and programme of action improvement within the overall performance of establishments. For this, throughout the post-accreditation amount, it'll channelize all efforts and measures of the establishment towards promoting its holistic educational excellence

Functions of NAAC :

NAAC has been entrusted with the subsequent functions, that are expected to mirror the on top of mentioned vision, mandate and core worth framework.

PRIMARY FUNCTIONS:

- To assess and accredit instruction establishments that embrace the following:
- Assessing and Accrediting Institutions/ Departments/ Programmes
- Evolving acceptable instruments of certification and fine calibration them whenever necessary.
- Identifying, achievement and making a pool of dependable assessors.
- Providing acceptable coaching to assessors.
- Preparing in-house pre-visit documents for the reading of assessors.
- Co-coordinating the 'on-site' visit to its effective completion.

COMPLEMENTARY FUNCTIONS

- To organize promotional activities associated with quality in educational activity, and Assessment , that embody the following:
- Develop pre- and post-accreditation ways
- Disseminate the NAAC processes and quality improvement mechanisms through relevant publications
- Organize Seminars/Workshops/ Conferences to share and discuss education quality-related problems.
- Provide steering to establishments for making ready their Self-study Reports (SSRs)
- Partner with stakeholders for promoting A/A
- Promote the institution of Quality Assurance units
 - Internal Quality Assurance Cells(IQAC)
 - State level Quality Assurance Co-ordination Committee (SLQACC)
 - State Quality Assurance Cell (SQAC)
- Establish collaborate alones with alternative National and International skilled Agencies of A/A+

NAAC and Audit :

The National Assessment and certification Council (NAAC) has evolved tools and tips for up quality for various levels of upper Education establishments (HEIs) and for its sustenance. By establishing Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) and undergoing External Quality Assurance method it's attainable to ceaselessly attempt for excellence. The observance and analysis of the institutional processes need a rigorously structured system of internal and external review. The NAAC expects the establishments to undertake continuous educational and Management body Audits (AAA). This transient note is meant to function consultive to any or all authorized HEIs - WHO volunteer to undertake AAA.

As per the rules of University Grants Commission, the apex body on instruction in the country the task of associate aneurysmis allotted to an freelance establishment established by Ministry of HRD in known as National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC). UGC has created NAAC analysis as obligatory for HEs in Asian country. tho' NAAC is placed at Banglore its reach is nationwide since it's the sole authority chargeable for assessment and certification of upper Education Institutes (HEIs) in Asian country. it's developed its own system of assessing the quality of education provided by the HEIs. It evaluates the

performance of the institute that opts for analysis on the premise of past and gift contribution of the HEIs with a set scale common for all the HEIs in Asian country. This scale consists of seven criteria as given below:

1. information Aspects
2. Teaching-Learning and analysis
3. Research, practice and Extension
4. Infrastructure and Learning Resources
5. Student Support and Progression
6. Governance and Leadership
7. Innovative Practices

NAAC has not prescribed any specific methodology or tips for conducting aortic aneurysm. it's expected that every HEI could evolve its own tips and methodology by learning from smart practices followed by leading establishments inside and outdoors India. tutorial auditing is important for the lifetime of an educational establishment cares. To assess the general tutorial works done by academicians and supporting units so the objectives of the establishment upon that its programs area unit established area unit met for positive continuous existence.

Public institutions are directly funded by governments and their effectiveness are necessary for continued financial funds which is guaranteed by auditing. Besides one of the most important assets institutions display to attract students is whether they are accredited or not, which validates their degree upon graduation. This process of accreditation also requires auditing of all academic and non academic supporting units for efficiency and for standards. The academic strength of the faculty, the professionalism, ethical behaviors of the administration and supporting staff and the well equipped state of the art infrastructure to conduct teaching and research for contemporary society are few of the things to be audited.

QUALITY INITIATIVES BY NAAC

Quality sustenance and promotion by sensitizing establishment to the conception like credit transfer, student quality and mutual recognition.

1. institution of state level of quality assurance coordination committees.
2. Networking among authorized establishments so as to market best innovative practices
3. State wise analysis of enfranchisement reports
4. Promoting the construct of lead schools and cluster of faculties for quality initiatives
5. Developing international linkages for mutual recognition through enfranchisement
6. Involvement of scholars in quality improvement

Challenges ahead

- Strengthening of NAAC each human resource and in-house infrastructure.
- Identification / institution of multiple assessment agencies.
- Involving best academician in peer team.
- To introduce the technology intensive method.
- Quality and consistency of assessments.
- The inherent limitations of the one size work all methodology.

RECOMMENDATIONS

In view of the accrued range of seats and diversification of courses the school has to have additional range of academics Laboratory facility has to be enriched and swollen. The computer workplace ought to be swollen have additional qualified academics, school improvement program ought to be strong. The project work shouldn't be cluster work desires immediate attention to avoid discrimination.

AAA and Benchmarking

Academic standards set by specific establishment area unit known as because the benchmarks of the establishment concerning the standard it provides. In educational establishments they are perpetually outlined by student achievements. the most aspects of it area unit the acquisition of information, the event of capability and therefore the exercise of intellectual skills by students. it's applicable to all or any disciplines and reflects the expectations established by establishments additionally because the educational necessities and competences related to individual courses and programmes.

CONCLUSION:

Academic and Management body Audit offers a customary system supported parameters for Quality education. Quality improvement is outlined in terms of institutional policies, procedures and activities that are designed to promote the learning expertise and learning outcomes of scholars and conjointly contribute to the enrichment of the syllabus. The approach to improvement can involve associate degree institutional assessment of the strengths and weaknesses of current tutorial apply and therefore the identification of potential areas for improvement. It may mirror the actual mission and strategic priorities of establishments, wherever improvement is seen in terms of a strategy for driving amendment and promoting student action and capabilities. Therefore it is all over that there is a dire want to pay correct attention to institutional methods and policies for world engagements, extending the expertise associate degreed aspirations of scholars to participate in an more and more world community.

REFERENCES:

- https://www.researchgate.net/publication/281892900_Academic_and_Administrative_Audit_A_Parameter_for_Quality_Education
- http://www.naac.gov.in/docs/Miscellaneous/NAAC_AAA_Note.pdf
- <https://www.hindustantimes.com/lucknow/naac-wants-regular-academic-audits-in-higher-education-institutions/story-6tLhgEzIOFua3mBjutXMhO.html>
- <https://educational-system.blogspot.com/2012/08/role-of-naac-in-promoting-quality-in.html>
- http://ijasrm.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/06/IJASRM_V2S6_268_66_68.pdf
- https://www.researchgate.net/publication/320620809_NAAC_IQAC_AND_AAA-A_SYSTEM_FOR_QUALITY_ASSURANCE_IN_HIGHER_EDUCATION