

**A Review Report of External Peer Team
for the Review of the Performance of
Sadguru Gadage Maharaj College, Karad as an Autonomous College**

The External Peer Team for the Review of the performance of the college as an Autonomous college has been formed by the IQAC of the college through its appointment letters No 1928/19-20 dated 6-12-2019.

We, the undersigned, visited the Sadguru Gadage Maharaj College, Karad (An Autonomous College) on April, 17th 2023 regarding the performance of the college made so far as an Autonomous college. We undertook the review of the performance of the college for the year 2022-23 and verified the related documents in the context of the Autonomy between 11.30 a.m. and 5.00 p.m. on the campus.

Following are the observations made by us.

- 1) The college has been approved the Fresh Autonomous status from UGC through its letter No.F22-1/2017(AC) dated 28 Dec.2018.
- 2) It has also received the Conferment of Fresh Autonomous status from Shivaji University, Kolhapur through its letter No.SU/Affi./T-2/Autonomy/1907 dtd.20/2/2019.
- 3) The college has completed first cycle of Autonomy during 2019-20 to 2021-22 and year 2022-23 is the first year of second cycle of the college.
- 4) The college has successfully completed the first cycle of its Autonomy.
- 5) It has submitted the proposal for the Release of Autonomous College Grant on the basis of Autonomous College Budget for 2022-23 to UGC-WRO, Pune.
- 6) During the year, 29 Boards of Studies in Arts, Commerce & Science streams have conducted the meetings of Sub- Committee and Committees of Boards of Studies in which the Curricula and Evaluation pattern for the first year UG programmes and PG have been revised as per National Education Policy 2020.



- 7) The college has adopted 40 Marks SEE (Semester End Exam) and 10 Marks CCE.(Continuous Comprehensive Evaluation) evaluation pattern Arts, Commerce and Science stream and 80 Marks SEE and 20 Mark CCE for professional courses (such as B.Com. Bank Management and B.Com. IT).
- 8) The Examination committee has defined various evaluation measures of from which the department has a freedom to opt1 for 10 Marks CCE.
- 9) The college has adopted NEP 2020 with Choice Based Credit System for first year UG and PG programme for academic year 2022-23. Choice Based Credit System for the Second year and third year UG programmes and second year PG programmes.
- 10) 29 Departments have organized Workshops on Revised Curricula of First year UG programmes in the months of October- November 2022.
- 11) The second meetings of the Statutory Bodies for the year 2022-23 such as Governing Body, Academic Council, and Finance Committee have been organized and the proceedings of the same are displayed on the college website.
- 12) The college has successfully conducted Entrance Exam for the admissions to P.G. programme in 9 Science Subjects at 3 Centers in the month of September 2022.
- 13) The college has an enrollment of **Six International students** from Uzbekistan (2), South Sudan (1), Malawi (1), Ethiopia (1), and Mozambique (1). These students have sought admissions to B.Com Part I, II and M.Sc. I classes for academic year 2022-23.
- 14) The First Semester End, Third Semester End and Fifth Semester End Examinations of the first, second and third year U.G. programmes & First and third semester end exams for P.G. programmes were conducted between 15th Dec 2022 to 28th February 2022. The Second Semester End, Fourth Semester End and Sixth semester End Examinations for UG and Second and

Fourth Semester End examinations for PG programmes are scheduled from May 2nd 2023.

- 15) The college has announced the results of the regular First, Third & Fifth semester end exams as well as Repeater Second & Fourth semester end exams of UG and PG programmes by January - February 2023.
- 16) The second Term from started since 9th January 2023.
- 17) IQAC has conducted several seminars, workshops on Consultancy, IPR, NAAC - PAC for mentee colleges from August 2022 till date.
- 18) Various colleges such as LBP College, Solapur, KBP College, Islampur visited the college to understand the functioning of autonomous college.
- 19) Team of the seven Professors visited the reputed and national ranked six autonomous colleges in Kerala and Tamil Nadu during 8th January to 12th January 2023.
- 20) Various Departments such as Chemistry, Botany, Microbiology, Zoology, Biotechnology, English, Physics, Marathi, Statistics, Library Science, and Economics have organized National and International conferences in their respective disciplines from August 2022 till date.
- 21) As per the UGC and Shivaji University Kolhapur guidelines, the Academic year started from 18th July 2022.
- 22) The Team of Software purchase committee visited autonomous college in Mumbai for functioning of Software in Admission, Examinations and Administrative purposes.

After verifying the documents, the External Peer Team is pleased to see the functioning of the college as an Autonomous college in its first year of second cycle.

The External Peer Team found the performance of the college quite satisfactory as an Autonomous college in consonance with the guidelines of UGC Autonomous colleges 2018.

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