

Minutes of Meeting: Under Twinning Arrangement between NIT Patna and MIT Muzaffarpur

Date and Venue: 28.11.2018, 02:00 PM, NIT Patna

Following members were present during the meeting:

Prof Prakkash D Porey, Mentor, TEQIP III, MIT Muzaffarpur Keshav Kumar, State Project Advisor, SPIU Dr. Bushra Zaman, Academic Consultant, SPIU Bihar	
<i>Participants from NIT Patna</i>	<i>Participants from MIT Muzaffarpur</i>
Dr M P Singh, Coordinator, TEQIP-III	Dr. J.N Jha, Principal, MIT Muzaffarpur
Prof. R Jha, Head, Civil Engg. Deptt.	Dr.Y.N Sharma Co-ordinator, TEQIP-III, MIT Muzaffarpur
Prof N.S Maurya, Civil Engg Deptt	S. K Choudhary, Nodal Officer (F), MIT Muzaffarpur
Dr. Vimlesh Verma, Nodal Officer(Academic) of TEQIP-III	Manikant Kumar, Nodal Officer (P)
Dr. Nilamber Kumar Singh, NIT Patna	Dr. Akash Pridarshi, NBA Coordinator Ashish Kumar, Nodal Officer (Acad.) Shahzad Ahsan, Local Co-ordinator of Twinning Arrangement

Following decisions were taken:

1. Prof. D Porey advised for the display of Solution sheet for the internal exam held. It was informed by the Principal MIT that, it has already been implemented and Solutions are being uploaded on MIT website on the same day internal exam held.
2. It was agreed upon that all final year students from IT branch and at least two groups from other branches will complete their major project at NIT Patna as already notified.
3. In every department of MIT Muzaffarpur at least some portion of one subject will be taught by NIT faculty.
4. By June 2019, minimum two workshops and at least one national conference will be organized at MIT Muzaffarpur in collaboration with NIT Patna.
5. NIT Patna agreed to help in improving the placement. TPO from NIT Patna and MIT Muzaffarpur will do the needful in this regard.

6. There will be expert talk in the next semester by NIT Patna faculty at MIT Muzaffarpur.
7. There will be a visit of incubation center at NIT Patna by the faculties and students from MIT.
8. It was suggested by Prof. D Porey that students from MIT Muzaafarpur may do academic works in third and final year at NIT Ptana and credit for the same would be transferred to MIT Muzaffarpur. It was suggested that matter may be taken up with AKU for the development of credit transfer mechanism. Principal MIT suggested for the implementation credit transfer for the internal exam evaluation.
9. Faculties from MIT Muzaffarpur and NIT Patna should start combined research to develop research environment at MIT Muzaffarpur. For this purpose, MIT faculty may work as Principal Investigator and faculty from NIT Patna may participate as Co-PI. They may submit combined research proposal to AICTE, DST etc. for the research grant.
10. It was suggested that NIT and MIT should start joint supervision of PhD Scholar.
11. To implement the concept of *earn while learn*, it was suggested by Prof. Porey to involve some needy or interested students in academic affair and in labs or office. Also senior student can teach junior students for remedial classes.
12. Prof Porey, Mentor TEQIP III suggested to include one member from MIT Muzaffarpur in the BoS of NIT Patna.
13. Whenever there is Short term training program at NIT Patna, Students and faculties from MIT Muzaffarpur will be encouraged to participate in the program.
14. In the coming quarter, at least one combined department wise activity should be held at NIT Patna, and at least one combined college level activity should be held at MIT. Activites may be like Seminar, Workshop, and Conference etc.

Meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the chair.


Dr. J.N. Jha
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