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**National Seminar on  
Autonomy for Colleges – A Means to Quality  
Enhancement in Higher Education**

**8 & 9, January, 2015**

**Organized by  
Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)**

**Sacred Heart College (Autonomous),  
Thevara, Kochi – 682013**

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## The College

Sacred Heart College (Autonomous), Thevara, Kochi established in 1944 is the first CMI centre for higher learning affiliated to Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam and accredited with A Grade by NAAC. It is also recognized by the UGC as a College with Potential for Excellence and became autonomous in 2014.

### **National Workshop on Autonomy for Colleges - A Means to Quality Enhancement in Higher Education: *The Dimensions of Curriculum Development and Evaluation Strategy***

The University Grants Commission in its guidelines for autonomous colleges clearly states that the present affiliation system is unwieldy and that quality educational transaction is difficult within the present set up. It states that "the colleges do not have the freedom to modernize their curricula or make them locally relevant." UGC clearly affirms that "the exercise of academic freedom by teachers is a crucial requirement for development of the intellectual climate of our country."

The workshop proposes to examine the theoretical and practical implications of the autonomous status of the colleges in carrying out the vision envisaged in the above mentioned UGC documents. The main thrust of the workshop thus is to seriously deliberate on how the multiple dimensions of governance, leadership and management in autonomous colleges can achieve these avowed ideals of education.

#### **Sub-Themes:**

Autonomous Colleges and Role of Teachers  
Examinations: Techniques, Technology & Quality.  
Curriculum development for quality enhancement  
Quality benchmarks in autonomy - The role of IQAC  
Academic and Social Audit in colleges

#### **Chief Guest**

**Dr. Babu Sebastian**, Vice Chancellor, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam

#### **Resource Persons**

**Dr. Achuthsankar S Nair**, Professor & Head, Department of Computational Biology and Bioinformatics, University of Kerala  
**Dr. Bernard D' Sami**, Professor of History, Loyola College, Chennai  
**Dr. Joe G. M. Jesudurai**, Dean of Science, Loyola College, Chennai  
**Mr. B.S. Ponmudiraj**, Assistant Advisor, NAAC, Bangalore  
**Dr. P.K. Velayudhan**, Kerala State Coordinator, RUSA  
**Dr. Johnson X Palackappillil** CMI, Principal, Sacred Heart College.

#### **Delegate Profile**

The principals, members of the governing body, IQAC coordinators, members of the board of studies & academic council, academicians and young teachers from various autonomous colleges across the country and the representatives of those colleges in the state which aspire for autonomy.

**Venue:** Fr. Melesius Hall, Sacred Heart College, Thevara

**Registration:** Rs. 400/- per participant which includes local hospitality and workshop materials.

**Payment Details:** Demand Draft (DD) for the specified amount to be drawn in favour of "Sacred Heart College, Thevara" payable at Kochi.

**Last Date for Registration:** 3 January, 2015

Spot registration may be allowed in special cases on prior intimation.

**Workshop Timings:** 9.30 am-4.30 pm

## **Sacred Heart College (Autonomous), Thevara, Kochi - 682013**

### **Report of the NAAC sponsored National Seminar on “Autonomy for colleges – A Means to Quality Enhancement in Higher Education organised on 8-9, January, 2015.**

The two day NAAC sponsored National Seminar on “Autonomy for Colleges – A Means to Quality Enhancement in Higher Education was organised by IQAC of the college on 8-9, January, 2015. The seminar was inaugurated by Dr. Achutsankar S Nair, a known educationalist and the Head of the Department of Computational Biology and Bioinformatics, University of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram on 8 January, 2015. The inaugural meeting presided over by Dr. Johnson X Palackappillil CMI, Principal, Sacred Heart College, Thevara. Rev. Dr. Jose John CMI, Vice Principal welcome the delegates. Dr. Benny Cherian , Principal, U.C. College , Aluva and Dr Joe M Jesudurai, Dean of Science, Loyola College, Chennai and Prof. Alphonse Ligori, Staff Secretary, SH College Thevara felicitated the programme.

108 delegates from various colleges in Kerala, Tamilnadu and Karnataka participated in the two day national seminar.

The first day of the seminar began with the session by Dr. Joe G. M. Jesudurai, Dean of Science, Loyola College, Chennai on the theme “Autonomous Colleges and Role of Teachers”. In the afternoon Dr. Achuthsankar S. Nair, Head, Department of Computational biology and Bioinformatics, University of Kerala took a session on “Examinations: Techniques, Technology and Quality.

The second day’s programme started with the session on “Curriculum Development for Quality Enhancement in Autonomous Colleges” by Dr. Bernard D’ Sami, Loyola college, Chennai. The second technical session of the second day was on “Quality Benchmarks in Autonomy – The Role of IQAC” handled by Sri. B S Ponmudirj, Assistant Advisor, NAAC, Bangalore. The first session in the afternoon was led by Dr. P K Velaudhan, Kerala State Coordinator, RUSA and he spoke on “Academic Audit: A Means to Improve the Quality of Administration and Planning of Autonomous Colleges” and the second session by Dr. Joseph I Injodey, Principal, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery, Kochi on “Social Audit of Centres of Higher Education”.

Four papers were also presented in the seminar as well. First one was on the theme “Equity and Excellence in Autonomous Colleges” by Dr. George Joseph, Head of the Department of Botany, Sacred Heart College, Thevara. Second paper was presented by Fr. Joby Xavier CMI (Assistant

Professor, Department of Botany, Christ University, Bangalore) and Dr. Tomy K. Kallarackal (HoD, Department of Tourism, Christ University) on “Question Paper Setting and Conduct of Examinations. A paper on “IQAC initiatives for Quality Enhancement in Different Colleges” was presented by Dr. C M Joy, Associate Professor, Department of Botany, Sacred Heart College, Thevara. Dr. P Muhammad, Director, Self-Financing Division, Farook College, Kozhikode presented a paper on “Faculty – The Crucial Stakeholder in Autonomous Colleges”

Rev. Dr. Jose Kuriyath, the Manager of Sacred Heart College was the guest of honour in the valedictory function. Dr. K M Johnson welcomed the valedictory meeting. Dr. Sibichan M Thomas, Principal, St. Joseph’s College, Calicut and Dr. Regimol Cherian, Assumption College, Changanassery shared their reflections about the seminar. The seminar came to an end with the vote of thanks by Dr. Joseph T Moolayil, IQAC Coordinator, Sacred Heart College, Thevara.

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**Inaugural Ceremony of the Workshop (08/01/2015)**

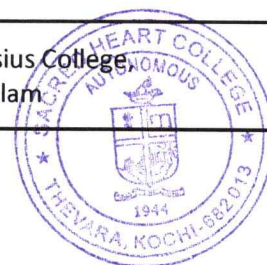


**Sri. B S Ponnudiraj Delivering Session on the Role of IQAC (09/01/2015)**

**NAAC Sponsored National Seminar**  
**Autonomy for Colleges – A Means to Quality Enhancement in Higher Education**  
**IQAC, Sacred Heart College (Autonomous), Thevara, Kochi-13 &**  
**CDC, M G University, Kottayam**  
**8-9, January, 2015**

**LIST OF PARTICIPANTS**

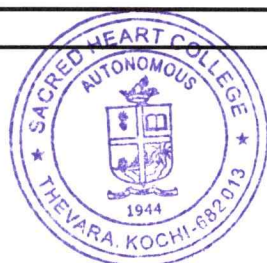
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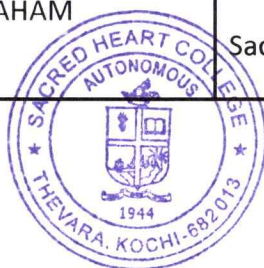


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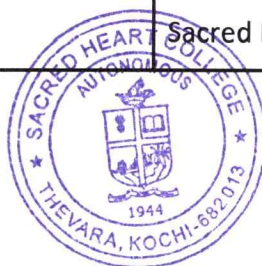




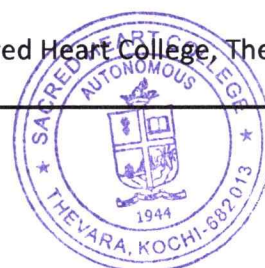
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