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Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) PROFORMA FOR REPORT ON ACADEMIC EVENTS Name of the Department: Indian Knowledge System Cell (IKSC)

Category	National level Seminar						
Name of the event	A National level Seminar on " Holistic Education System in Ancient India"						
Date	14/12/2024						
Theme	Holistic Education System in Ancient India						
Level	National						
Convener	Dr. M. Kumaresan						
Faculty Coordinator/ Convener/Organizing Secretary	Dr. M. Kumaresan						
Student Coordinators if any	S. Karanpandi, IV Year Food Tech						
Other Agencies/Collaborators involved	IQAC – NIT, ISTE, National Education Policy Implementation Cell (NEPIC)						
Total No. of Participants/Beneficiaries	External 02	Internal 48	Total 50				
Total No. of Institutes represented by participants	-						
List of National and International Dignitaries/resource persons invited and their role in the events	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Name Resource Person</th> <th>Title of the Presentation</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Mr.T.Sudharsan Rao</td> <td>Holistic Education System in Ancient India</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>			Name Resource Person	Title of the Presentation	Mr.T.Sudharsan Rao	Holistic Education System in Ancient India
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Mr.T.Sudharsan Rao	Holistic Education System in Ancient India						
Total Expense for the event (Rs)	Rs.3500/-						
Financial Assistance from NGI (Rs)	NIL						



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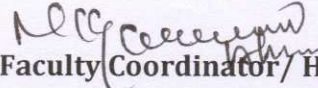
Financial Assistance from Govt Agencies	Name of the Agency	Amount (Rs)	
	ISTE	Rs.3500/-	
Sponsors/ Financial Assistance from Private agencies (Rs)	Name of the Agency	Amount (Rs)	
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Souvenir/Book of Abstracts/Proceedings released	Yes/No If yes, ISBN No:.....		

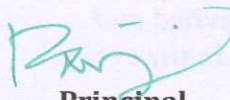
NECESSARY ENCLOSURES

Particular	Enclosed
Brochure and Invitations	Yes
Copy of Approval from Principal	Yes
Registration/Attendance of Participants	Yes
One Page Report (IQAC)	Yes
Thank Greeting letter to Resource Person	Yes
Analysis report for feedback and action plan for improvement	No
Three copies of Souvenir/Book of Abstracts/Proceedings	No
Newspaper/Media appearance	No
Proof for settling of accounts	Yes

Note:

- Google Drive Link of Event Photos/Recorded Sessions to be shared to mitiqac@nehrucolleges.com&nitprincipaloffice@nehrucolleges.com


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Academic Year: 2024 - 2025

Semester: ODD

Name of Activity/Event/Program	A National level Seminar on “ Holistic Education System in Ancient India”
Date	14/12/2024
Venue	P K DAS Auditorium
Organized by	National Education Policy Implementation Cell (NEPIC), Indian Knowledge System, Indian Society for Technical Education
Name of Faculty/Coordinator	Dr.M.Kumaresan
Recourse Person	Mr.T.Sudharsan Rao
Participated by	All the Faculty Members
Objective	The objective of the holistic education system in ancient India was to develop students' physical, intellectual, emotional, and spiritual dimensions. The system aimed to prepare students for the future by nurturing their character, ethics, and worldview.
Content	Ancient Indian education, rooted in the Rigveda, pursued a holistic approach, emphasizing the development of students' outer and inner dimensions. Ethics played a central role, with teachings encompassing humility, truthfulness, discipline, self-reliance, and respect for all creations.
Outcome of Activity/Event/Program	<p>The national-level seminar on “Holistic Education System in Ancient India” provided valuable insights into the time-tested principles and practices of ancient Indian education and their relevance in the modern era. Key outcomes of the seminar include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">Reaffirmation of Ancient Educational Values:<ul style="list-style-type: none">Emphasis on the role of holistic development in education, focusing on intellectual, physical, emotional, and spiritual growth.Recognition of the Gurukul system as a model of personalized and values-based learning.Acknowledgment of ancient Indian education's commitment to sustainability, community engagement, and harmonious living.Integration of Holistic Practices in Modern Education:<ul style="list-style-type: none">The seminar highlighted the importance of integrating ancient Indian pedagogical methods with contemporary teaching approaches to promote critical thinking, ethical behavior, and

cultural pride.

- Suggestions were made for incorporating yoga, meditation, and mindfulness practices into the school curriculum to enhance students' overall well-being.

3. Promoting Interdisciplinary Learning:

- Participants underlined the need for interdisciplinary education, drawing inspiration from ancient centers of learning like Takshashila and Nalanda, which emphasized a well-rounded curriculum combining science, arts, and philosophy.

4. Preservation and Promotion of Indigenous Knowledge Systems:

- Discussions stressed the significance of preserving ancient texts, manuscripts, and oral traditions.
- Strategies were proposed for digitization and translation of classical works to make them accessible to a global audience.

5. Policy Recommendations:

- Experts advocated for policy reforms to embed the essence of holistic education into the National Education Policy (NEP).
- Recommendations included enhancing teacher training programs to align with the principles of ancient education and providing resources for implementing these practices.

6. Cultural and Ethical Foundation:

- The seminar reaffirmed the relevance of ethics, dharma, and cultural rootedness as key components of education in shaping responsible citizens.

7. Collaborations and Future Research:

- The event fostered collaborations among scholars, educators, and policymakers, laying the groundwork for future research and workshops on the subject.

8. Awareness and Outreach:

- The seminar heightened awareness of the rich heritage of Indian education systems and their potential role in addressing contemporary challenges in education.

Concluding Remarks:

The seminar served as a platform to revisit the ancient Indian education system and explore its applicability in building a balanced, inclusive, and value-oriented modern education system. It underscored the timeless relevance of holistic education for creating empowered and enlightened individuals capable of contributing meaningfully to society.



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HOLISTIC EDUCATION SYSTEM IN ANCIENT INDIA



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A national level seminar on “ Holistic Education System in Ancient India”

Date: 14.12.2024

Venue: P.K.Das Hall, NIT Campus

AGENDA

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|---|---|--|
| 02.00 pm - 02.05 pm | : | Tamil Thai Vazhthu |
| 02.05 pm - 02.10 pm | : | Welcome Address
Dr. M.Kumaresan
Head-NEP Implementation Cell & Coordinator- IKS
Nehru Institute of Technology, Coimbatore |
| 02.10 pm - 02.20 pm | : | Dr.V.Mohankumar,
Asst.Prof physics
PSG College of Arts and Science State Co-Convener
Research Activity, Shiksha Sanskriti
Utthan Nyas, Tamilnadu |
| 02.20 pm-02.30 pm | : | Presidential Address
Dr. P. Krishnakumar
CEO and Secretary
Nehru Group of Institutions |
| Honoring the Chief Guest by the Principal | | |
| 02.30 PM -03.15 pm | : | Chief Guest Address
Mr.D.T.Sudharsan Rao
Director, Vedanta Academy, Coimbatore
Deputy Commissioner(Retd.)
KVS Ex. Joint Secretary |
| 03.15 pm- 03.25 pm | : | Felicitation Address
Dr. M. Sivaraja
Principal
Nehru Institute of Technology |
| 03.25 pm -03.30 pm | : | Vote of Thanks
Prof.K.Keerthana
Assistant Professor –Food Tech and Member-IKS |

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Head - NEPIC



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