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6.5.3 Incremental improvements made for the preceding five years with regard to quality (in case of first cycle), Post accreditation quality initiatives (second and subsequent cycles).

Response:

Recruitment:

The University strongly believes in transparency and quality in the recruitment process. Meritorious candidates are selected based on the guidelines of the University Grants Commission / State Government / Sri Venkateswara University Statute.

Teaching and Research:

The outcome based curriculum is adopted in all programmes. Members of faculty have published 3096 quality research papers having a bearing on the scientific community with national and international reputations. The H-index (Scopus) of the University has increased from 25 to 70 with total citations of 26,257 (Web of Science).

Research and Consultancy:

The faculty are consistently applying for project grants to address issues in different disciplines. 64 projects worth Rs.4007.25 lakh were obtained by the University. In addition, members of faculty are actively involved in consultancy activities and generated a revenue of Rs.64 lakh.

Outreach Activities:

A total of 144 extension activities were carried out by the University for the welfare of the society. The University has adopted five villages to carry out outreach activities with assistance from *Unnat Bharath Abhiyan*.

Extra-curricular activities:

In order to successfully face competitive examinations and augment their skill/sets, students are provided with the options to enroll themselves in NET/SET/ other competitive examinations. University departments / cells conduct regular classes to improve their competency. One hundred and sixty students have succeeded in clearing the competitive examinations during the past five years.

Hostel facilities:

A separate hostel for research scholars has been constructed (4,492 sq. m) at a cost of Rs.800 lakhs and additional floors in the existing women's and men's hostels have been constructed (1,737 sq. m) at a cost of Rs.86 lakhs. Each hostel has Wi-Fi connectivity and uninterrupted power supply.

Common Utility Services:

The following services are available in the University:

- Health Centre
- Vehicle parking sheds
- Additional transportation facility

- Additional floors in the guest house
- Common computing facility

Library:

The Library has added 23,383 volumes of books during post accreditation. Koha, the open source automation software is installed to render the best services to all stakeholders.

Placements:

With the arrangements of on campus and off campus placement drives, nearly 890 students found placements in premier national and international organisations. Fourteen students have started their own enterprise.

Infrastructure Development:

The following features are available:

- Green campus
- Medicinal plant cafeteria
- Renovated Auditorium
- New buildings (8,567.50 sq. m)
- Incubation and Technology Transfer Centre
- Centre for Instrumentation and Maintenance Facility
- Internet facility to all the departments
- Vehicle parking
- Sewage treatment plant.

Sports and Physical Education:

The University has established an indoor stadium (987 sq. m) worth about Rs. 149 lakhs. Recently, the MHRD under the *Khelo India scheme* sanctioned Rs.700 lakhs to establish a synthetic track which is a first of its kind of facility among Andhra Pradesh State Universities.