



## HEI Appeal

### Criterion V: Student Support and Progression

**Metric ID 5.3.1-Number of awards/medals won by students for outstanding performance in sports/cultural activities at inter-university/state/national/international events (award for a team event should be counted as one) during the last five years**

**Subject: Appeal for Reconsideration of Revised Value for Metric 5.3.1**

**Respected Members of the NAAC Appeal Committee,**

HEI respectfully submits this appeal for **Metric 5.3.1**, wherein the accepted input has been reduced to **31 awards**, down from the originally submitted **243 awards**.

#### **Deviation Details and HEI Response (Remark):**

*As per the certificates provided by HEI, and appreciation certificates are not to be considered, thus DVV input is recommended.*

In our **Self-Study Report (SSR)**, the HEI submitted documentation for **243 awards** received by students for outstanding performance in sports, cultural activities, and other competitions at various levels (Inter-University, State, National, And International). During the Re-DVV phase, the recommended HEI input was **243 awards** were accepted However, as of **26 May 2025**, the accepted input now shows **only 31 awards**, without any intimation to the HEI.

We respectfully seek clarification on the rationale for this change and kindly request a reconsideration of our originally submitted input, based on the comprehensive evidence provided in the SSR. **All awards/medals won by students for outstanding performance in sports/cultural activities at in the Inter-University, State, National, and International level have been submitted by the university for DVV. HEI organized Inter-University sports/cultural activities, where multiple universities and institute participated and few awards won by the HEI students in the organized Inter-University sports and cultural activities.** We remain committed to transparency and compliance with NAAC guidelines and sincerely appreciate your support in ensuring a fair evaluation process.

**HEI Input: Number of Awards/Medals won by Students (Summary of Awards as per the data submitted)**



| 2022-23 | 2021-22 | 2020-21 | 2019-20 | 2018-19 | Total Number of Awards |
|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|------------------------|
| 116     | 108     | 3       | 8       | 8       | 243                    |

**DVV Recommendation Input: Number of Awards/Medals won by Students**

| 2022-23 | 2021-22 | 2020-21 | 2019-20 | 2018-19 | Total Number of Awards |
|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|------------------------|
| 15      | 12      | 00      | 02      | 02      | 31                     |

HEI has submitted comprehensive, verifiable evidence demonstrating the total number of awards and medals received by our students at various levels — inter-university, state, national, and international — for sports and cultural achievements during the last five academic years of the assessment period (2018-19 to 2022-23) through the institutional data template and e-copies of award letters and certificates through an accessible weblink, which is attached herewith for kind consideration of the DVV.

**Awards/Medals won by students for outstanding performance**

[https://assessmentonline.naac.gov.in/storage/app/hei/SSR/109306/5.3.1\\_1711542498\\_13352.pdf](https://assessmentonline.naac.gov.in/storage/app/hei/SSR/109306/5.3.1_1711542498_13352.pdf)

**Appeal Justification**

- The HEI had previously raised a **clarification query with NAAC via official helpdesk query (Ref. date: 08/02/2022, Issue ID: 2202040901)**, regarding the **eligibility of awards** won by students during inter-university sports and cultural events organized on our campus (Screenshot Enclosed)
- **Issue Raised by HEI:** *“Whether awards won by our students for outstanding performance in sports/cultural activities at inter-university events organized at our University campus will be considered?”*
- **NAAC’s Response (Dated 08/02/2022):** *“Yes, you may include awards/medals won by students for outstanding performance in sports/cultural activities at inter-university events organized at the University campus.”*



- In alignment with this official response, the HEI included such awards in the SSR submission.
- A total of 243 medals and awards were received by students at inter-university, state, national, and international levels during the last five academic years (2018–19 to 2022–23).
- All records are year-wise, certified, and verifiable.

**Kindly reconsider and validate the awards/medals won during inter-university events held on campus, in accordance with the official clarification issued by NAAC.**

## Documentary Evidence Supporting the Justification for Appeal

The following supporting documents were submitted and are hereby re-submitted for kind re-consideration:

### 5.3.1 List of Students

[https://assessmentonline.naac.gov.in/public/index.php/admin/get\\_file?file\\_path=eyJpdil6lUrQVYwU2hUVUJrczlQMWdGaTNHMXc9PSIsInZhbHVlIjoiaEhYbGNxZ3hoR3BZWtc5WmIhL0ZlV2lvZVNpZWQwc2JkMzU1aHpzeGhoT2hZVzNsbnYwT2tQV0hFcFNkeFE2STg0c2RPNmpFaU92K2lMaUtDV3RUZ1E9PSIsIm1hYyI6Ijg3ZGQxMzJiOTE1ZTBKymQwZGUwZDQ4NzZmNDIxY2JhOGMwM2I5OWRjYjI4ZWQ2MzgxNjA0MjhiMzgzNDdmMGYiLCJ0YWciOiIlifQ==](https://assessmentonline.naac.gov.in/public/index.php/admin/get_file?file_path=eyJpdil6lUrQVYwU2hUVUJrczlQMWdGaTNHMXc9PSIsInZhbHVlIjoiaEhYbGNxZ3hoR3BZWtc5WmIhL0ZlV2lvZVNpZWQwc2JkMzU1aHpzeGhoT2hZVzNsbnYwT2tQV0hFcFNkeFE2STg0c2RPNmpFaU92K2lMaUtDV3RUZ1E9PSIsIm1hYyI6Ijg3ZGQxMzJiOTE1ZTBKymQwZGUwZDQ4NzZmNDIxY2JhOGMwM2I5OWRjYjI4ZWQ2MzgxNjA0MjhiMzgzNDdmMGYiLCJ0YWciOiIlifQ==)

2022-23

2021-22

2020-21

2019-20

2018-19

|         |   |
|---------|---|
| 2018-19 | 8 |
| 2019-20 | 8 |



|                    |            |
|--------------------|------------|
| 2020-21            | 3          |
| 2021-22            | 108        |
| 2022-23            | 116        |
| <b>Grand Total</b> | <b>243</b> |

1. **Year-wise list of awardees:**

Includes student name, event name, date of the event, level of the event (inter-university/state/national/international), team/individual event, Name of the Organising Institution and the position secured by the student in the form of institutional data template for DVV.

2. **Evidence submitted:**

All e-copies of awards/Medals are **position certificates** under the nomenclature of merit certificates/ certificate of recognition/ position appreciation certificates/ certificate of participation duly demonstrating award positions of students. **None of the certificates that have been submitted are participation certificates. Details of position certificates submitted by HEI are given as under:**

| Academic Year | Position Certificate Nomenclature                | Number of Certificates | Position                                                                                      |
|---------------|--------------------------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 2018-19       | Certificate of Merit                             | 4                      | 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup><br><br>5 <sup>th</sup> , 6 <sup>th</sup> , 10 <sup>th</sup> |
|               | Certificate of Participation (State Level Prize) | 4                      |                                                                                               |
|               | <b>Total</b>                                     | <b>8</b>               |                                                                                               |
| 2019-20       | Certificate of Recognition                       | 3                      | 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup>                                           |
|               | Certificate of Merit                             | 4                      |                                                                                               |
|               | Certificate of Appreciation                      | 1                      |                                                                                               |
|               | <b>Total</b>                                     | <b>8</b>               |                                                                                               |
| 2020-21       | Certificate of Appreciation                      | 3                      | 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> ,<br><br>Best Actor, Best Debator,<br>Best Rebuttal         |
|               | <b>Total</b>                                     | <b>3</b>               |                                                                                               |
| 2021-22       | Certificate of Appreciation                      | 93                     | 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup>                                           |
|               | Certificate of Participation                     | 4                      |                                                                                               |



|                               |                              |            |                                                     |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------|------------|-----------------------------------------------------|
|                               | Certificate of Recognition   | 10         |                                                     |
|                               | Certificate of Achievement   | 1          |                                                     |
|                               | <b>Total</b>                 | <b>108</b> |                                                     |
| <b>2022-23</b>                | Certificate of Appreciation  | 95         | 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> |
|                               | Certificate of Achievement   | 3          |                                                     |
|                               | Certificate of Excellence    | 8          |                                                     |
|                               | Certificate of Participation | 10         |                                                     |
|                               | <b>Total</b>                 | <b>116</b> |                                                     |
| <b>2018-19 to<br/>2022-23</b> | <b>Grand Total</b>           | <b>243</b> | 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> |

We respectfully request the NAAC Appeal Committee to kindly reconsider the revised value for Metric 5.3.1, in light of the authentic, year-wise data and certified evidence submitted. The records affirm the institution's consistent participation and excellence in sports and cultural activities, with students securing a total of 243 awards and medals at inter-university, state, national, and international levels during the assessment period (2018–19 to 2022–23).

  
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