

# **Workshop on Progress Review of Internal Quality Assurance Units of State Universities**

**University Grants Commission**

**30<sup>th</sup> March 2016**

**SLFI**



- **University: Ruhuna**
- **Director of IQAU: Prof. Tilak Gamage**
- **Date of Establishment: 30<sup>th</sup> Jun 2015**



# Faculty QA Cells

Faculty	Date of Establishment	Coordinator
Agriculture		Professor Aruna Kumara
Humanities and Social Science		Dr. G. P . T. S. Hemakumara
Management & Finance		Dr. Samantha Kumara
Medicine		Prof. Mahinda Komalage
Science		Prof. Kanthi Yapa
Engineering		Dr. Vidura Vithana
Fisheries and Marine Sciences and Technology		The person appointed resigned and new appointment was not done
Graduate Studies		Prof. L. P. Jayatissa

# Activities on Quality Assurance Completed (up to 15.03.2016)

Name of Activity	Responsible Entity (University/Faculty)	Objective	Period/ Dates of Activity
Awareness Workshop	Faculty	IQA Practices	10 <sup>th</sup> Sep 2015
Preparation of By Law on IQA	IQAU	Quality Assurance	Feb. 2016
Preparation of an Action Plan	IQAU	Planning of future activities	2016 - 2017
Preparation of Guideline for Student Handbooks	Faculties	Provide most updated information to students	Jan. 2016



# Activities on Quality Assurance Completed (up to 15.03.2016)

Name of Activity	Responsible Entity (University/Faculty)	Objective	Period/ Dates of Activity
Implementation of SLQF	Faculty	To be compatible with SLQF	30 <sup>th</sup> March 2016
Appointment of Permanent AR	IQAU	Implementation and Monitoring of IQA Activities	Jan. 2016
Setting up IQAU Office	IQAU	Implementation and Monitoring of IQA Activities	Jan. 2016
Drafting and finalizing Accountability and Workload Model	IQAU	Review Progress of Academic Staff	Mar. 2016

# Activities on Quality Assurance Proposed (after 15.03.2016 and till 31.12.2016)

<b>Name of Activity</b>	<b>Responsible Entity</b> (University/Faculty)	<b>Objective</b>	<b>Proposed Period/Dates</b>
Implementation of IR Recommendations	University	Quality Assurance of the University	Apr. 2016 to Dec. 2106
Revision of Manual on Conduct of Examinations	IQAU	Unify the process of evaluation of students in all the faculties	Apr. 2016 to Mar. 2016
Implementation of QA Information Management System	IQAU	Quick access to QA Information	Apr. 2016

# Best Practices of IQAU (3 best)

- \* Practice of the IQAU by law of the University
- \* Practice and review of Accountability and Workload of Academic Staff
- \* Practice of the Guideline for Conduct of Examinations



# Constraints faced by IQAU (3 most pressing)

- \* Not sufficient human resources to implement and monitor activities to be handled by IQAU
- \* Lack of trained staff
- \* Long procurement process





# ***Thank you !***

