

**Annual Report of the External Peer Team to Monitor &  
Evaluate the Performance and Academic Attainments  
of the Autonomous Status**

**(2017-2018)**

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**PSG College of Arts & Science**

An Autonomous College – Affiliated to Bharathiar University  
Re-Accredited with A Grade by NAAC (3<sup>rd</sup> Cycle)  
College with Potential for Excellence (Status awarded by UGC)  
Star College Status Awarded by DBT-MST,  
An ISO 9001:2015 Certified Institution  
Civil Aerodrome Post, Coimbatore - 641 014  
Tamilnadu, INDIA

**Date of Visit**

**27.12.2018**

## **Observations and Suggestions of the Committee**

The peer team observes that the institution has sustained its growth during the period 2017-18 in terms of providing quality education to a large number of students with an effective curriculum and innovative pedagogy. The research output is impressive with an average of two research publication per faculty. The institution has provided sufficient research facilities to enable the faculty to pursue research. The efforts of the library to enhance the learning capability by organizing programmes in collaboration with National Programme on Technology Enhanced Learning (NPTEL) are commendable. We also take note of the renovations made in the existing buildings and the construction of new blocks in progress.

### Recommendations




- Inter-disciplinary, cross-disciplinary and transdisciplinary programmes could be introduced
- Research activities leading to Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) and patents could be strengthened
- Concepts like Flipped Class Room and Blended Learning could be added to the Teaching and Learning
- The existing mentoring system may be more effective by bringing down the mentor-mentee ratio from the present 1:60 to 1:20
- The new system of online payment of examination fees is a laudable but complete automation of examination process with the introduction of bar code system to answer books could be considered
- Gender sensitization programmes, soft-skills training programmes, entrepreneurship development programmes are to be made more extensive

- Strategic Plan for a specific period and well-planned Faculty Development Programmes will contribute to the growth of the institution
- Academic audit reports should be discussed in the departments and the suggestions made are to be documented
- MoUs and Tie-Ups with national and international institutions will add value to the programmes, both academic and research

**Place: Coimbatore – 641 014**

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