



St. Claret College

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IQAC Annual Report for Academic Year 2023-2024

Introduction

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of St. Claret College, Autonomous established in 2009 aimed at creating and putting in place all mechanisms essential to deliver quality for both academic and administrative related matter. The IQAC ensures the effective implementation of quality initiatives through continuous reviews and periodic meetings. IQAC conducts the internal and external Academic and Administrative Audit (AAA) which is the process of evaluating the efficiency and effectiveness of an academic institution. The college conducts AAA at regular intervals to review the programmes and academic activities in the departments and in the institution. The IQAC also monitors the Personal Plan of action from individual faculty which is a strategic and carefully thought-out plan that consists of the goals, the objectives, the resources and the ideas of how to make oneself a better person personally and professionally. It also consists of sections which provide contributions to the institution. The Cell supports institution from different part of India and generates revenue from conducting IQAC Audits & Workshops on OBE. The IQAC also provides guidance towards NAAC SSR submission and helps as mock Peer Team Visit to different institution.

Events Conducted

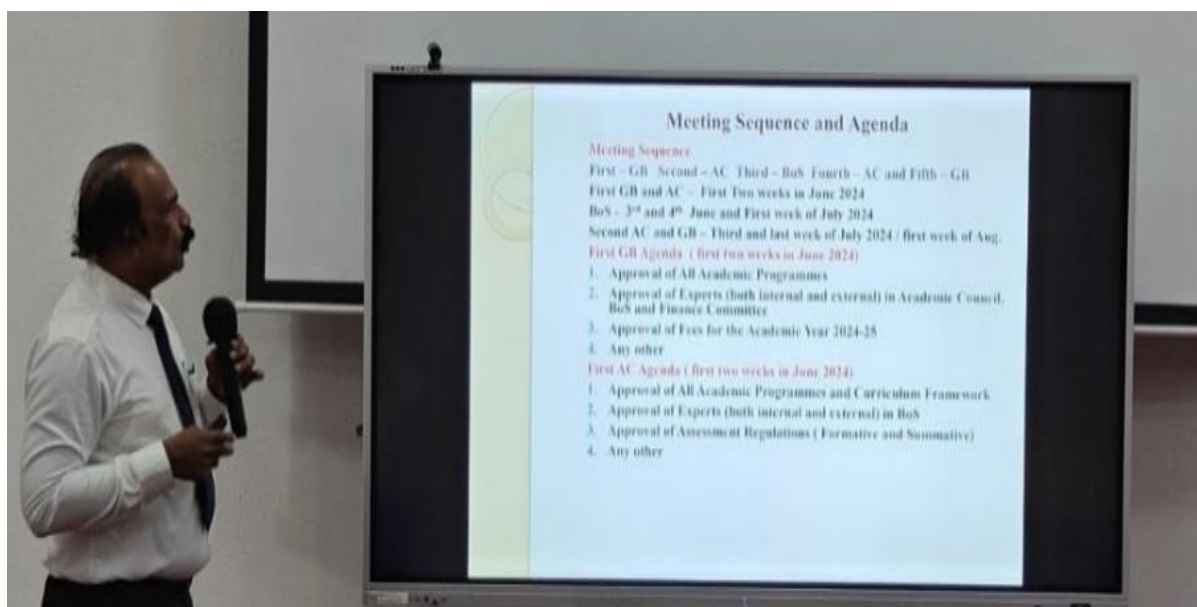
Report on Indian Knowledge System (IKS)

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) conducted a session on Indian Knowledge System on 23rd March 2024 on Zoom Platform where it was displayed in every classroom. The session was beneficial for the students of I and II-year undergraduate students of St. Claret College, Bangalore. The resource persons for the day was Mr. Madhav K, Director at Upanishad Mission Trust. The program was coordinated by Dr. Supriya Singh and Dr. Ashok Jacob Mathews.



Faculty Improvement Programme- SAMUNNATI

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) conducted 5 days Faculty Improvement Programme- Samunnati, for the faculties and staff of St. Claret College, Autonomous from 20th - 24th May 2024. The programme was scheduled for five days with different resource persons and topics. Dr. Chinmaya Dash, Associate professor and the IQAC coordinator at St. Claret College, Autonomous was the resource person on the first day of the programme. Dr. Aloysius Edward J. Dean, School of Management and Director, IQAC, Kristu Jayanti College, Autonomous, Bengaluru was the resource person for the second day. Dr. Jeevananda S, Professor and Associate Dean, School of Business and Management, Christ University, Bengaluru was the resource person on the third day. The fourth day of the programme was on the 'Pre Board of Studies (BoS) Meeting of Internal Faculty: Preparation of BoS'. Rev. Dr. Thomas V. Thennadiyil, Principal of St. Claret College, Autonomous lead the sessions. Rev. Dr. Thomas V. Thennadiyil, Principal of St. Claret College, Autonomous was the resource person for the fifth and last day of the programme. The topic for the session was 'Refining Quality: Thrust Areas and Distinctiveness of St. Claret College, Autonomous'.



DIWALI CELEBRATION

Internal Quality Assurance Cell of St. Claret College organized a Deepavali celebration on November 13, 2023, from 3:00 PM to 4:30 PM at the APJ Abdul Kalam Auditorium. The event was designed to bring together faculty, staff and leadership to commemorate the Festival of Lights in a joyous and inclusive manner.



INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of St. Claret College, Bengaluru, organized a celebration to commemorate International Women's Day on March 8, 2023. The event was held at the APJ Abdul Kalam Auditorium to celebrate and acknowledge the contributions done by the SCC women faculty and staff to the institution and society at the large.



INTERNATIONAL MEN'S DAY

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell of St. Claret College organized an event to commemorate International Men's Day on November 28, 2023. The event was held in the APJ Abdul Kalam Auditorium from 3:00 PM to 4:30 PM, providing an hour-long program to recognize and celebrate the positive value men bring to the world, their families and communities.



One Day Workshop SCALE 2.0: Effective Communication

The one-day workshop “SCALE 2.0: Effective Communication” for the first year PG (MBA, M.Com., MSW & M.Sc.) students on March 16, 2024 was organized by Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) with the aim of enhancing participants' communication skills in both personal and professional contexts. The resource persons for the workshop were Rev. Dr. Thomas Thennadiyil, Principal, SCC, Rev. Fr. Joseph S., Vice Principal, SCC, Dr. Arijit Roy, HoD, Department of PG Management, SCC, Prof. Sachin M, Department of English, SCC, Prof. Angela M. J., HoD, Department of Humanities, SCC and Prof. Sherin J., Department of Social Work, SCC. There were 133 I year PG students from different PG programs attended this workshop.



UNNATI 2024 - Artificial Intelligence in Higher Education

Faculty Quality Circle “UNNATI 2024 - Artificial Intelligence in Higher Education” organized by the IQAC, St. Claret College on March 22, 2024. Around 80 Faculties of St. Claret College were a part of this workshop. Ms. Bincy Joseph, Assistant Prof., Department of CS, SCC and Ms. Joyce V., Assistant Prof., Department of CS, SCC were the resource persons.



Faculty Quality Circle: Procedure of Course Outcome Attainment

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) conducted one days Faculty Quality Circle on Procedure of Course Outcome Attainment for the faculties of St. Claret College, Autonomous on 19th July 2024. The resource persons for the programme was Ms. Nice Aravind, Assistant Professor, Humanities and Mr. Rudresh S, Assistant Professor, UG Management.



National Youth Convention Program on Visionary Youth for Viksit Bharath: Ideas, Innovations and Institutions as Enablers

St. Claret College participated in the National Youth Convention held on 22-23 March 2024 at the Auditorium, Pilar Pilgrim Centre, Pilar, Goa. The event, themed "Visionary Youth for Viksit Bharat: Ideas, Innovations and Institutions as Enablers," aimed to foster innovation and address societal issues in alignment with the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Four students and one faculty member from St. Claret College attended and actively participated in various sessions and competitions.



Achievement Conferment of Autonomous Status



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University Grants Commission
(शिक्षा मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार)
(Ministry of Education, Govt. of India)
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January 2024

**The Registrar,
Bangalore University,
Bangaluru, Karnataka**

19 JAN 2024

Sub: - Conferment of Autonomous Status to St. Claret College, PO Bo-1355, MES Ring Road, Jalahalli, Bangalore-560013 affiliated to Bangalore University, Bengaluru.

Sir/Madam,

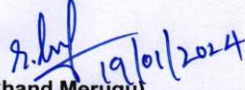
This has reference to the proposal submitted by St. Claret College, PO Bo-1355, MES Ring Road, Jalahalli, Bangalore-560013 affiliated to Bangalore University, Bengaluru for conferment of autonomous status.

The Commission at its meeting held on 16.01.2024 has approved the recommendation of the Standing Committee on Autonomous Colleges to confer the autonomous status to **St. Claret College, PO Bo-1355, MES Ring Road, Jalahalli, Bangalore-560013 affiliated to Bangalore University, Bengaluru** for a period of 10 years from the academic year **2024-2025 to 2033-2034** as per clause 7.5 of the UGC (Conferment of Autonomous Status Upon Colleges and Measures for Maintenance of Standards in Autonomous Colleges) Regulations, 2023.

The University, is therefore, requested to issue necessary notification within 30 days regarding the grant of autonomous status to the College as per UGC (Conferment of Autonomous Status Upon Colleges and Measures for Maintenance of Standards in Autonomous Colleges) Regulations, 2023.

The autonomous college is required to abide by all the provisions of the UGC Regulations for Autonomous Colleges. The Regulations are available on the UGC website, www.ugc.gov.in. Noncompliance of the requirements and conditions prescribed in the said Regulations shall attract action as per Clause -13 of the UGC (Conferment of Autonomous Status Upon Colleges and Measures for Maintenance of Standards in Autonomous Colleges) Regulations, 2023. The college should apply to University Grants Commission for extension of autonomous status at least three months before the completion of autonomy period.

Yours faithfully,


(Dr. Gopi Chand Merugu)
Deputy Secretary

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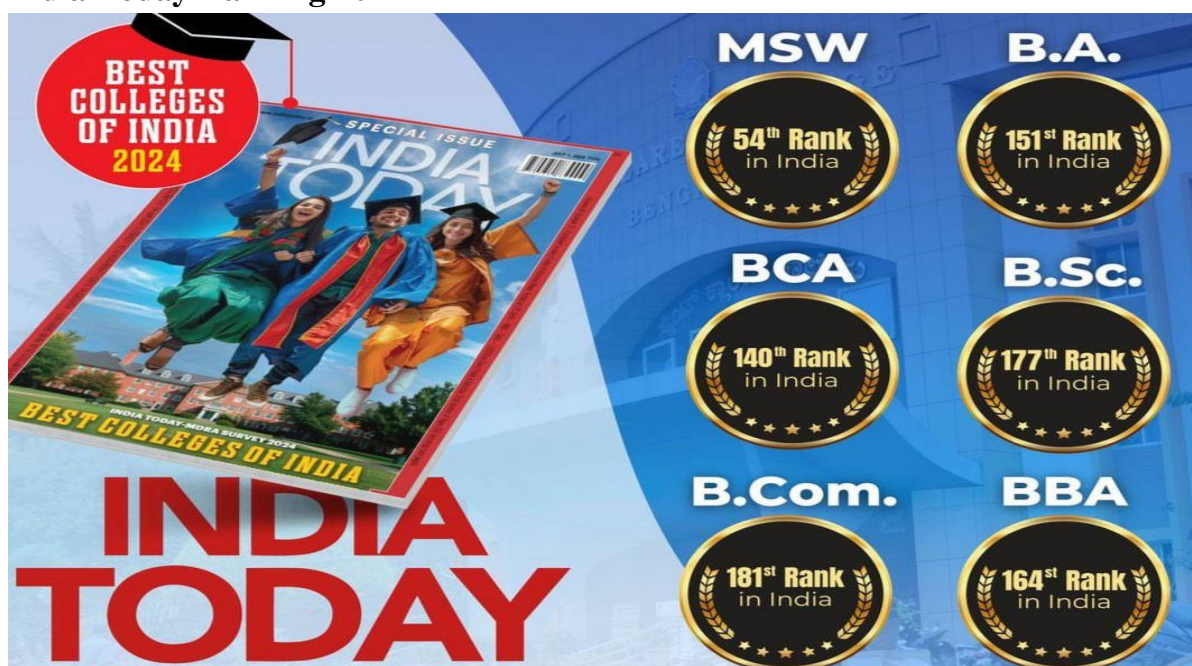
St. Claret College was conferred with Autonomous status from UGC on 19th January 2024.

The Week- Hansa Survey 2024



St. Claret College participated in 'The Week- Hansa Survey Best College Ranking 2024'. The college has secured 64th rank among the best BA colleges in the country, 62nd among B.Com. Colleges and 68th among the B.Sc. colleges all across India.

India Today Ranking 2024



St. Claret College participated in "India Today MDRA Best College Ranking 2024". The college has secured 54th rank among the best MSW colleges in the country, 151th among BA Colleges, 140th among the BCA colleges, 177th among B.Sc. colleges, 181st among B.Com. colleges and 164th among the BBA colleges all across India.

The OUTLOOK Ranking 2024



St. Claret College participated in the Outlook ICARE Best College Ranking 2024. The college has secured 58th rank among the best BBA colleges, 61st among BCA Colleges, 66th among the B.Com. colleges, and 91st among the BA colleges all across India.

Green Rankings 2024

SUSTAINABLE INSTITUTIONS OF INDIA GREEN RANKINGS 2024

Certificate of Excellence

IN PURSUIT OF EXCELLENCE TOWARDS PRACTICING SUSTAINABLE
EDUCATION, THIS CERTIFICATE IS AWARDED TO

ST. CLARET COLLEGE

Institutional Band / Category : **Gold**

R
World Institutional
RANKING ■■■


Executive President

St. Claret College was ranked as Gold band in the R world institutions Ranking under Green Ranking category of 2024. The award was particularly to recognize the sustainable educational practices initiated by the institution.

Outcome Based Education Ranking

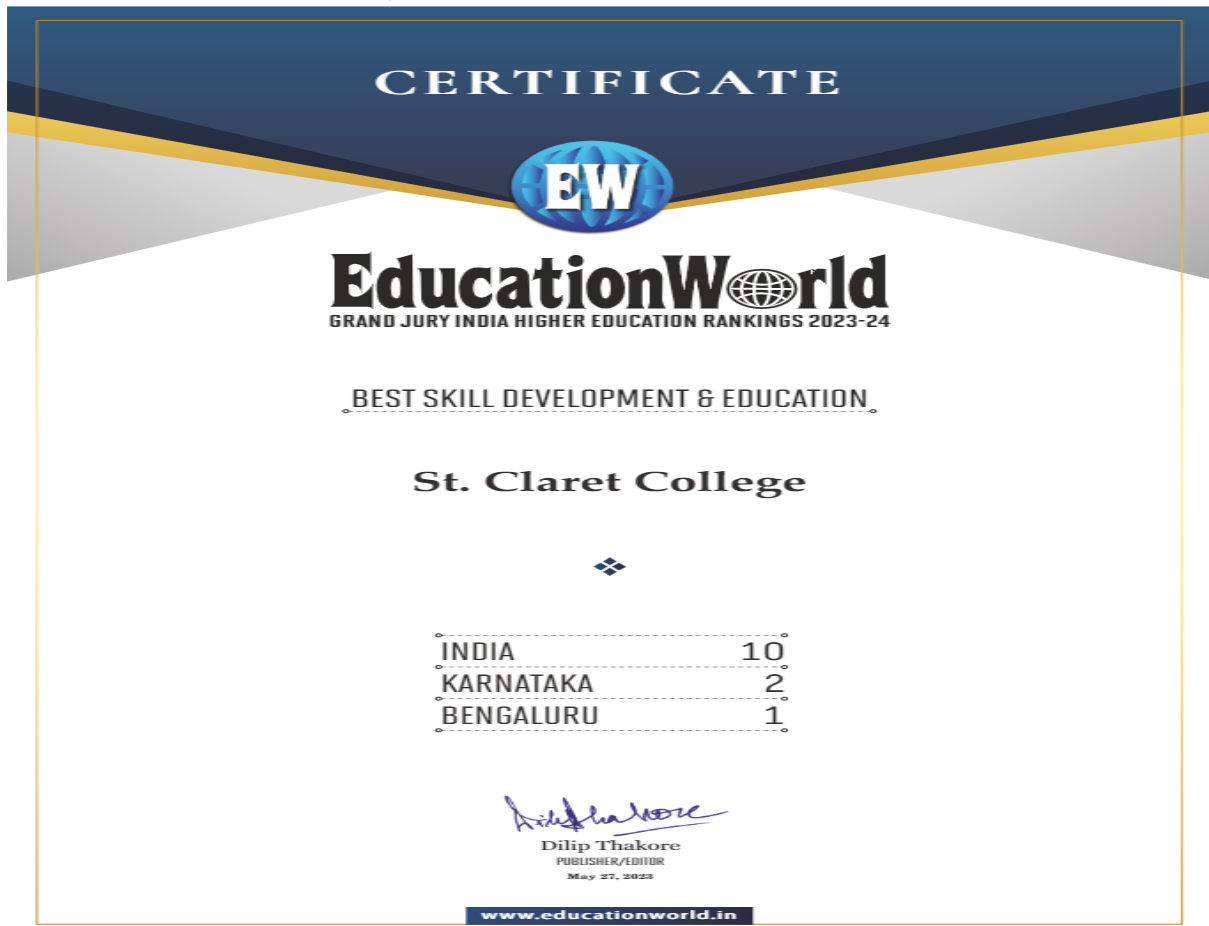


St. Claret College was ranked in the Diamond Band in the R. World Ranking 2024. The award was particularly to recognize the pursuit of excellence towards offering Outcome Based Education.

NPTEL Active Local Chapter



St. Claret College was recognized as the active local chapter under the category ASPIRANT Jan-Apr 2024.



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St. Claret College participated Education World Ranking of 2023-24. The award was particularly to recognize the best skill development and education. As per the ranking SCC was ranked 10th in India, 2nd in Karnataka and 1st in Bengaluru.

NIRF Ranking

NIRF 2024

The National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) was approved by the MHRD and launched by Honorable Minister of Human Resource Development on 29th September 2015. This framework outlines a methodology to rank institutions across the country. The methodology draws from the overall recommendations broad understanding arrived at by a Core Committee set up by MHRD, to identify the broad parameters for ranking various universities and institutions. The parameters broadly cover “Teaching, Learning and Resources,” “Research and Professional Practices,” “Graduation Outcomes,” “Outreach and Inclusivity,” and “Perception”.

Rev. Dr. Thomas V. Thennadilyil
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Principal