

**BHARATHIAR UNIVERSITY: COIMBATORE-641046**  
**INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL**  
**FORMAT FOR DEPARTMENT ACADMEIC AUDIT [2021-2022]**

Name of the Department: ECONOMICS

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Criterion	Items	Verification Yes / No	Comments	Suggestions for improvement
I. Curriculum	Steps followed in the designing of syllabus & Curriculum	yes	V. good	Content of the syllabus may be elaborated
	Contents of the Curriculum	yes	V. good	More relevant programmes may be introduced on the basis of the aspirations of the stakeholders.
	Validation done	yes	V. good	OBE has been fully implemented. It should be continued
	Credits allotted / distribution – logic	yes	Excellent	No suggestion is required.



Curriculum Transaction	Teaching Methods & Teaching aids	yes	v. good	Smart class rooms may be made available for other students, if required
	E-Learning Modules [Give details including MOOC courses]	yes	v. good	Already implemented. Hence no suggestion
	Project Work <del>UG/PG</del>	yes	v. good	Greater importance may be given to internship
	Internal Assessment - Components – Uniqueness	yes	v. good	More components may be introduced
	Student Support – remedial coaching	yes	v. good	Aptitude training may be provided
	Feedback from students	yes	v. good	Greater responses may be useful
	Steps taken on the feedback	yes	Alright	More campus placements may be organised.



Infrastructure in the department	No. of classrooms	yes	Sufficient	no suggestion is required
	No. of laboratories	yes	Sufficient	more software needs to be procured
	No. of computers – for teachers	yes	Satisfactory	New systems may be provided.
	No. of computers – for students	yes	Satisfactory	New systems may be provided.
	No. of computers – for research scholars	yes	Satisfactory	New packages may be procured.
	Details of Servers, Battery Backup System	yes	Satisfactory	Back up systems need to be procured.
	Names of Instruments (Only Major)	—	—	—



Profile of students	Demand Ratio (Applications received Vs Sanctioned Strength)	Yes	V. good	Good response
	Students involved in extra-curricular & co-curricular activities	yes	V. good	More incentives may be provided
	Study tour / industrial visits / exhibitions / internship / Training	yes	V. good	Budget allocation need to be given <del>isolation</del>
	Achievements of students (Academic, cultural etc)	yes	V. good	More participation may be encouraged
	Newsletters / Magazines of the Department	yes	Good	Efforts need to be taken
	Placement (Ratio, Salary Level) Mention few companies	yes	V. good	Facilities need to be provided
	% of students going for Research	yes	V. good	40%.



Activities of the department	MoUs Signed	yes	Good	Steps may be taken to sign more MoU
	Consultancy [Nature, Amount]	yes	good.	Free consultancy are given, it should be continued
	Collaborations	yes	Alright	Steps need to be taken
	Department/Association Meetings	yes	Good	Steps need to be taken
	Guest lectures [Per semester]	yes	Alright	more lectures may be organised.
	Conference / Seminars / Workshop conducted [Per Year]	yes	Alright	More such seminars be organised
	Extension Activity	yes	Alright.	more such activities be organised
	Interaction with Industry / Research Centres / Educational Institutions	yes	v. good.	More such programmes need to be continued.



Best Practice(s) / Innovations of the Department:

Small reading room needs to be started.

Training for competitive exams be started.

Inter departmental meetings can be organised.

More research, extra curricular activities and extension activities need to be established.

Future Plans of the Department:

- ① CP Excellence.
- ② Applying for funding agencies.
- ③ More research projects.
- ④ More exposure to the students.

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