

## Report of the Workshop for Stakeholders/Mater Trainers and Evaluators on 29<sup>th</sup> April and on 9-11 May 2013

The Workshop was inaugurated on 29<sup>th</sup> April by Prof. K K Raina, Director, Thapar University. He spoke about the paradigm shift in higher education and the contribution of Accreditation in bringing quality in higher education.

Prof. G Yesuratnam from Electrical Engg Dept of Osmania University joined the workshop as a resource person. There were total 75 registrations. 44 participants paid the registration fee. Others were from the Thapar University only.

At 11.30 Dr Dinesh Paliwal addressed the participants through Video Link and given an overview on the new outcome based Accreditation system. Prof. Ranjan Bhattacharya discussed about the importance of mission and vision for an institution and the process for framing it. Prof. Koteswara Rao discussed about the Program Educational Objectives and Program Outcomes. Prof. V Pathak discussed about the assessment tools. In the end Prof. G. Yesuratnam and Dr Deepak Garg clarified the doubts raised by the participants. All participants were given assignments which were to be presented in the 2<sup>nd</sup> part of the workshop.

Prof. Kalidasa Murugavel joined as resource person for the second part of the workshop. First day was devoted to assignment presentations by the participants. Participants were divided into two groups. One group was supervised by Prof. Kalidasa Murugavel and another was done by Dr Deepak Garg. There were total 20 presentations. On 9<sup>th</sup> May candidates were given case studies to discuss UCLA and Barkley System. Few were given work related to individual items in the SAR.

There was a short quiz of 25 questions to guess the knowledge of the participants about the SAR. Prof. Kalidasa spoke about the assessment tools in detail for about 90 minutes which was appreciated by all. Dr Deepak Garg gave a presentation on Program Specific Criteria. People from Ferozpur Engg College presented their SAR and the shortcomings were discussed. Then Different group who were given different case studies made their presentation. Last day was devoted to open discussion and doubt clarification.

All the arrangements and organization of the workshop was well planned and executed by Dr Parteek Bhatia, Dr J S Saini, Dr Vikas Sangal and Dr Amit Dhir.

In Total 60 people completed the workshop successfully.