# A.V. COLLEGE OF ARTS, SCIENCE & COMMERCE



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Vision: Empowerment Through Pursuit of Excellence



## **Institutional Development Plan**

5 Year Strategic Development Plan (SDP)

(2021 - 2026)

## 1. Effective Teaching-Learning Process

## A). Academic Planning & Curriculum Delivery

- i) Development of an annual academic calendar.
- ii) Preparation of teaching plans aligned with Outcome-Based Education (OBE).
- iii) Continuous assessment of CO and PO attainment with proper feedback loops.
- iv) Development of e-learning resources and e-repository
- v) Evolve effective mentoring mechanisms.
- vi) Conduct training programs based on need analysis.

## B). Pedagogical Approaches:

- i) Student-centric teaching methodologies:
- ii) Experiential Learning (Field visits, case studies, project-based learning).
- iii) Cooperative Learning (Peer teaching, group activities).
- iv) Participative Learning (Debates, seminars, workshops).
- v) Use of advanced Learning Management Systems (LMS) for blended learning.
- vi) Inclusion of cross-disciplinary courses and skill-based certifications.

#### C). Mentoring & Continuous Support:

- i) Personalized mentoring for academic and non-academic needs.
- ii) Early identification of slow and advanced learners, and implementation of bridge and enrichment programs.

## D). Feedback Mechanism:

- i) Transparent and time-bound student feedback mechanisms.
- ii) Faculty self-assessment aligned with performance appraisals.

## 2. Student Development & Participation

#### A). Empowerment and Involvement

- i) Budget allocation for student development activities/programs.
- ii) Representation of students in committees and clubs.
- iii) Participation in curricular, co-curricular, and extracurricular events.

  Active participation in Sports, cultural events, hackathons, competitions and also in NSS, NCC, youth Red Cross, Lion's Club etc programs for holistic personality development.
- iv) Formation of student-driven innovation councils.
- v) Student support for projects, innovations and startups.

## B). Skill Development Programs:

- i) Creation of Skill Development Cell
- ii) Industry-relevant soft skills, communication, leadership and technical training programs.
- iii) Entrepreneurship and innovation cell for startups and business ideas.

#### C). Career Guidance and Placement

- Pre-placement training programs (CRT classes, mock interviews, resume building, group discussions).
- Strengthen partnerships with industries for internships and placements.
- iii) Career counseling and career development programs.

#### D). Recognition and Rewards:

- Merit scholarships and awards for academic and extracurricular achievements.
- ii) Financial support for student research, projects and publications.

## 3. Use of Technology

#### A). ICT-Enabled Infrastructure

- Smart classrooms equipped with digital tools (projectors, interactive boards).
- ii) IT support services and cybersecurity infrastructure
- iii) Ensure functional facilities for e-learning.
- iv) Upgradation of labs with cutting-edge technologies and software.
- v) Regular workshops on advanced ICT tools for faculty and students.
- vi) Implementation of e-governance practices for institutional efficiency like digitalization of academic and administrative processes: Online admission, attendance, result processing and grievance redressal.
- vii) Staff and student portals for transparent communication.

## 4. Leadership & Participative Management

#### Participative Decision-Making:

- Establish functional and need-based committees with clear roles, responsibilities and accountability.
- ii) Decentralization of leadership with department-level autonomy.
- Foster leadership through delegation of authority and responsibilities.

#### 5). Good Governance Framework

- Strategic Goals & Vision Communication: Dissemination of Vision, Mission, and Core Values to all stakeholders.
- ii) Align all programs and activities with institutional goals.
- iii) Define and follow protocols.
- iv) Formulate and implement strategic development plans.
- Establish an internal audit committee for academic and administrative audits.
- Promote fair and transparent performance appraisal systems for staff.
- vii) Implementation of a 5-year Strategic Development Plan (SDP).
- viii) Regular review and monitoring for effective implementation.

#### 6. Staff Development & Welfare

#### A). Professional Growth

- i). Training & Development Programs: Regular orientation, Faculty Development Programs (FDPs) and workshops.
- ii). Support for paper publications, patents and research funding.
- Recognition & Support: Awards for best teaching, research and innovation.
- iii). Financial assistance for qualification improvement (Ph.D., certifications).

#### B). Welfare Initiatives:

i). ESI, EPF, Health and wellness programs, insurance schemes, Retirement gratuity and recreational facilities.

## 7. Academia-Industry Interaction

#### A). Strengthen Industry Collaborations:

- i). Sign MoUs with industries and research organizations for curriculum inputs, projects and internship support.
- ii). Establish an Industry-Institute Interaction Cell (IIIC).
- iii). Guest lectures and mentorship from industry experts.
- iv). Identify emerging industry needs and incorporate them into the curriculum.

#### 8. Financial Management

- i). Budget and Policies: Frame and implement purchase and financial policies.
- ii). Department-wise budget planning and approval through the Finance Committee.
- iii). Internal revenue generation and audits.

#### 9. Research, Innovation & Entrepreneurship

- A). Research Facilities
  - i). Establish R&D centers and upgrade labs for research purposes.
  - ii). Apply for government and private-sponsored funds.
- B). Entrepreneurship Development:
  - i). Establish an incubation center for startups and business proposals.
  - ii). Organize workshops, boot camps, and mentorship programs.

#### 10. Alumni Engagement

- A). Networking and Contributions:
  - i). Build strong alumni networks through regular interactions and annual meets.
  - ii). Leverage alumni support for placements, Lectures, scholarships, mentorship programs and fund generation
- B). Recognition:
  - o Showcase successful alumni achievements as role models.
  - o Engage alumni as Ambassadors for institutional growth.

#### 11. Community Engagement and Outreach

- A). Social Responsibility:
  - i). Budget allocation for outreach and rural transformation programs.
  - ii). Organize community services under Unnat Bharat Abhiyan and neighborhood connect programs.
  - Implement rural transformation activities and skill-building initiatives.
- B). Sustainability Initiatives
  - i). Conduct awareness campaigns on environmental conservation, health, and sanitation.

#### 12. Infrastructure Development

- A). Infrastructure Roadmap:
  - i). Develop a long-term infrastructure development and maintenance plan.
  - ii). Ensure safety and security through surveillance and monitoring systems.
- B). Sustainability Infrastructure:
  - i). Implementation of: Renewable energy solutions (solar panels, biogas).
  - ii). Water management systems (rainwater harvesting, water recycling).
  - iii). Conduct Green Audits for accountability and improvement.

#### 13. Sustainable Development

#### A). Project KARTAVYA:

- i). Focus on SDGs 3 (Health), 5 (Gender Equality), 7 (Clean Energy), 11 (Sustainable Cities), and 12 (Responsible Consumption).
- B). Sustainability Initiatives:
  - i). Waste management systems.
  - ii). Biodiversity conservation projects.
  - iii). Carbon footprint reduction initiatives.

## 14. Institutional Quality Assurance System (IQAS)

- i). Continuous enhancement of processes to improve academic, administrative, and governance quality.
- ii). Regular NAAC, NIRF, and ISO accreditations to benchmark institutional quality.

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