



மனோன்மணியம் சுந்தரனார் பல்கலைக்கழகம், திருநெல்வேலி

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CRITERION-I

CURRICULAR ASPECTS

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1.1.2 The Programmes offered by the institution focus on employability/ entrepreneurship/ skill development and their course syllabi are adequately revised to incorporate contemporary requirements.

The main focus of the curricula is to provide conceptual understanding, knowledge gain, and skills development for each programme of study. Conceptual understanding of the core courses enables the learner to pursue higher studies. At the same time, specific domain knowledge fetches employment in various government and private sectors on the eligibility of any degree, which is established by students' placement records (metric 5.2.1). Objective-type questions in the internal and semester-end examinations offer necessary practice for competitive examinations [1]. Entrepreneurial components in various courses of different programmes are listed [2]. The follow-up of this course is as follows. Entrepreneurial Development and Innovation Institute (EDII) hub was instituted at the university in January 2022. It is an apex body headed by a Director and administered by the Department of Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprises (MSME), Government of Tamil Nadu. Through its Institute Entrepreneurship Development Program (IEDP), the university intends to promote Entrepreneurship among the students of higher education institutions through the Hub and Spoke model (Spokes refer to colleges affiliated with the university and within the given jurisdiction). The EDII hub aims to foster an entrepreneurial climate in institutions. A Field Coordinator has to work in the Hub office to implement IEDP in the affiliated colleges (spokes colleges). Since its inception, the EDII-Hub-MSU has been actively promoting various activities in the affiliated colleges by creating an ED Cell in every college with a Faculty Coordinator and a structured student team to assist the ED Cell. The funds received during 2021-24 are Rs.12,81,786/-. The beneficiaries of 89 events during 2021-24 are 419 teachers of HEIs and 11,919 students [3]. Skill development courses are broadly grouped under cognitive skills and practical skills. The programme level is based on the learning outcome in NSQF-level descriptors [4]. M.Sc. programmes in Data Analytics, Information Technology and Cyber Security are retrospectively mapped to levels of 6 to 6.5 using revised NSQF and NCrF-2023 [5]. B.Voc Programme on Food Processing: Analytical and Quality Control Techniques is mapped to level 5.5 [6]. The emphasis of the skill developmental stand-alone courses is aimed at achieving and demonstrating practical skills in contrast to the teaching of traditional theory courses. Matlab Programming, NI Labview Applications, Pic Microcontroller Applications, Arduino Applications, Digital

Media Production, Income Tax Law and Practice are separate skill development courses in the NSQF formal courses list [7]. Skill components in various courses offered in different programmes are summarised [8]. Integrated students undertake “Computers for Digital Era” as a skill course.

SUPPORTIVE DOCUMENTS

S.N	Document(s)	Link to the Document(s)
1	List of Entrepreneurship Course Components	https://msuniv.ac.in/naac/criterion1/1121.pdf
2	List of Activities of CED-EDII	https://msuniv.ac.in/naac/criterion1/1122.pdf
3	NSQF - Gazette Notification	https://msuniv.ac.in/naac/criterion1/1123.pdf
4	Report of National Credit Framework	https://msuniv.ac.in/naac/criterion1/1124.pdf
5	CITE - NSQF Level	https://msuniv.ac.in/naac/criterion1/1125.pdf
6	B.Voc Syllabus 15.07.2022 - Copy	https://msuniv.ac.in/naac/criterion1/1126.pdf
7	List of Skill Development Course Components	https://msuniv.ac.in/naac/criterion1/1127.pdf