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ICFAI University Academic Council approves updation of programs and courses for 2021-22

During the 25th Academic Council Meeting, program structures and course structures of all the programs of the University were reviewed and upgradations and updations for 2021-22 academic year were approved by the Academic Council. Besides members of the Academic Council, Heads of Departments of Management, Science and Technology, IT and Law also participated in the meeting.

Appreciating the progress made by the University, Dr G L Datta, Member of the Academic Council and former Dean, IIT, Kharagpur and former Vice-Chancellor, K L University said, "I am delighted to note that despite COVID-19 pandemic, the University made excellent all-round progress during last academic year, in academic delivery, research and industry-academia interface. Rankings received by the University from reputed internal organisations like Times Higher Education, UK and excellent campus placements bear testimony to the achievements of the University"

Briefing the outcome of the discussions, Prof O R S Rao, Vice-Chancellor, ICFAI University, Jharkhand said, "Our University's successful implementation of Swaadhyay Digital Learning System helped our students to continue quality education, despite COVID situation." "Our Academic Council approved introduction of new courses in emerging technologies like Edge Computing, Deep Learning, Computer Gaming, Search Engine Optimisation and Cyber Security in IT programs like BCA, BTech (Computer Science) and MCA. In view of huge job opportunities in Electrical Vehicles sector, there will be a lot of focus on design of Electrical Vehicles, Advanced Production Techniques like Additive Manufacturing and charging infrastructure in our BTech-Mechanical Engineering. Considering the advances in automation of Mining sector, we will be laying a lot of emphasis on areas like Computer-aided Mine Planning and Mine System Engineering for our BTech and Polytechnic Diploma Programs in Mining branch", added Prof Rao. Referring to management and Law programs, he said, "Business Analytics is being introduced as compulsory course in BBA and MBA programs. Mining Laws will be a new elective for our Law Courses (BBA-LLB and LLB) to leverage job /practice opportunities in Jharkhand".

Elaborating the steps taken for personality development of the students, Prof Arvind Kumar, Registrar said "In order to enhance employability of our students, they will be required to go through Industry certifications from bodies like National Stock Exchange, NCDEX etc. Besides, a course on Personal Effectiveness and Competencies is being introduced this year".

More details on the ICFAI University Jharkhand can be found by visiting its website at www.iujharkhand.edu.in or its Face Book page at www.facebook.com/icfaijharkhand.