

D Y Patil International University, Akurdi, Pune

Internal Quality Assurance Cell

Report on Awareness Session on QS I-GAUGE Rating System

Title of the Session: QS I-GAUGE Rating Requirements and Process

Resource Person: Mr. Subin Raj, Associate Director, QS I-GAUGE

Date: 24th June 2025

Time: 12:00 PM – 2:00 PM

Venue: Boardroom, DYPIEMR

Organized by: Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), DYPIU

About the Session

Mr. Subin Raj, Associate Director at QS I-GAUGE, provided a comprehensive overview of the **QS I-GAUGE rating process** which is modelled on the globally recognized QS Stars methodology but contextualized for Indian higher education institutions.

a. Introduction to QS I-GAUGE

- A specialized rating system for Indian universities and colleges.
- Designed to provide a data-driven, independent, and transparent assessment.
- Offers a digital badge and rating certificate post-evaluation.

b. Core Criteria and Weightage

The rating is based on the following seven core and optional advanced indicators:

1. Teaching and Learning
2. Faculty Quality
3. Employability
4. Student Diversity
5. Facilities
6. Social Responsibility
7. Governance and Structure

Optional Advanced Indicators:

- Research
- Innovation

- Internationalization
- Sustainability
- Entrepreneurship

c. Step-by-Step Rating Process

1. Registration and Onboarding
2. Data Collection & Evidence Submission
3. Desk Audit by QS I-GAUGE Analysts
4. On-site Institutional Audit
5. Peer Review & Analysis
6. Award of Rating & Digital Badge

d. Documentation and Evidence

- The institution must provide data and documents from the past three academic years.
- Mandatory documents include faculty profiles, placement records, policy documents, MoUs, audited financials, etc.
- Emphasis on transparent and verifiable data.

e. Benefits of QS I-GAUGE Rating

- National and global benchmarking.
- Institutional visibility and branding.
- Support in strategic planning and quality enhancement.
- Better positioning for international collaborations and funding opportunities.



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Director – IQAC

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Meeting:

Date: 24/06/2025

Time:- 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM

S.No.	Name & Designation	School	Sign
1.	Dr. Swapnil Bhurat	SOE-	
2.	Dr. Rahul Sharma	SCS	
3.	Dr. Ganesh Singh	SCS	
4.	Mr. Jaiprakash Kulkarni	SAA	
5.	Dr. Prof. Madhavi D.	DA	
6.	Dr. Beeraa Nidhi B.	Registrar	
7.	Dr. Saika Jadhav	SCSEA	
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