



**Yashwantrao Chavan Maharashtra Open University, Nashik – 422 222**  
**Centre for Internal Quality Assurance (CIQA)**

**Activity Report AY 2024-25**

**Centre for Internal Quality Assurance (CIQA) Committee**

S. No.	Designation	Nomination	Name and Qualification	Specialization	Date of Nomination
a.	Vice Chancellor of the University	Chairperson	Prof. Sanjeev Sonawane	Education	Ex-Officio Chairman
b.	Three Senior teachers of HEI	Member 1	Dr. Prakash Deshmukh	Professor, Student Services Division	01.06.2023 to 31.05.2025
		Member 2	Dr. Chetna Kamlaskar	Associate Professor, School of Architecture, Science & Technology	
		Member 3	Smt. Shubhangi Patil	Assistant Professor, Student Services Division	
c.	Head of two Departments or School of Studies from which programme is being offered in ODL and Online mode	Member 4	Prof. Jaydeep Nikam	Geology	01.06.2023 to 31.05.2025
		Member 5	Dr. Surendra Patole	Commerce & Management	
d.	Two External Experts of ODL and/or Online Education	Member 7	Professor (Dr.) Nilesh K Modi	Director & Coordinator, Centre for Internal Quality Assurance Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Open University	01.06.2023 to 31.05.2025
		Member 8	Dr. Manas Panigrahi	Director, Symbiosis Centre for Online Learning 1065 B, Gokhale Cross Road, Model Colony, Pune – 411016	
e.	Officials from departments of HEI	Member 9 Administration	Shri. Dilip Bharad	Administration	Ex-officio Member
		Member 10 Controller of Examination	Dr. B.T Patil	Computer Application	Ex-officio Member
		Member 11 Finance	Dr. Govind Katalakute	Accounting	Ex-officio Member
f.	Director, CIQA	Member Secretary	Dr. Ram Thakar (1/11/2022 to Till Date)	Mechanical Engineering	Ex-officio Member Secretary

In addition to the core activities and initiatives, the Centre for Internal Quality Assurance (CIQA) organized and facilitated several academic and professional development programs aimed at enhancing quality standards and promoting innovation in teaching, learning, and assessment processes. The details are as follows:

**1. Internal Meeting with CIQA Committee Members (28th August 2024)**

An internal meeting was conducted with the CIQA committee members to review ongoing quality assurance initiatives and discuss strategies for effective implementation

of academic reforms, faculty development, and monitoring mechanisms in line with NEP-2020 and UGC guidelines.

2. **One Week National Faculty Development Program (FDP) on Curriculum Development, Pedagogy & Assessment (13th – 18th January 2025)**

A comprehensive national-level FDP was organized to empower faculty members with modern pedagogical techniques, curriculum design principles, and innovative assessment strategies to ensure outcome-based education and enhance teaching-learning practices in Open and Distance Learning (ODL) mode.

3. **One-Day Workshop on ‘Prashnanirmiti va Adhyayanache Mulyanirdharan’ (23rd May 2025)**

This workshop, organized by the Evaluation Division at Yashwantrao Chavan Maharashtra Open University, focused on question paper setting and evaluation methodologies. The aim was to strengthen the examination system by ensuring fairness, reliability, and alignment with learning outcomes.

4. **Two-Day National Workshop on Research Paper Writing (26th – 27th November 2024)**

CIQA conducted a two-day national workshop to build research and publication skills among faculty and researchers. The sessions emphasized research ethics, manuscript preparation, data interpretation, and strategies for publishing in high-impact journals.

5. **One-Day Workshop on SPSS (20th December 2024)**

A hands-on training session on Statistical Package for Social Sciences (SPSS) was organized to develop analytical skills among faculty and research scholars. The workshop covered data entry, descriptive statistics, hypothesis testing, and interpretation of results.

6. **AI for Academic and Administrative Excellence Training (22nd May 2025)**

A specialized training program was conducted to introduce artificial intelligence (AI) applications in academic and administrative processes. The focus was on leveraging AI for improving efficiency, decision-making, and digital transformation in higher education institutions.

**Workshop/Seminar/Webinar/Lectures**

Sr.No.	Particulars	Date
1.	Internal Meeting with CIQA committee Members	28-08-2024
2.	One Week National FDP on Curriculum Development, Pedagogy & Assessment	13–18 January 2025
3.	One-Day Workshop on ‘Prashnanirmiti va Adhyayanache Mulyanirdharan’ organized by Evaluation Division at Yash In	23-05-2025
4.	Two Days National workshop on Research Paper writing	26-27 November 2024
5.	One Day workshop on SPSS	20-12-2024
6.	AI for Academic and Administrative Excellence Training	22-05-2025

## Glimpses of Activity:



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