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From,

Rahul Kumar Purwar

Secretary

Department of Higher and Technical Education

Government of Jharkhand

Ranchi

To,

Vice Chancellor

All State Universities and Private Universities

Sub: Regarding National Education Policy- Professional Development Programme being conducted by IGNOU

Ref: D.O No. 2-15/2022-PN II dated 27.12.2022 of Ministry of Education

Sir/Madam

The National Education Policy, 2020 provides for a comprehensive, sustainable and reformative roadmap for a paradigm shift in the entire education system in the country. In order to implement NEP, 2020, there is need that all the university and college teachers get exposed to the various aspect of NEP,2020.

In this regard Ministry of Education initiated Professional Development Programme (PDP) on Implementation of the National Education Policy-2020 offered by IGNOU and approved by the UGC as equivalent to UGC-HRDC Programmes. The programme is being offered to the teachers /faculties of Universities and Colleges free of cost.


This NEP-PDP is a 36-hour training programme, recognised by UGC as equivalent to 6-day short-term professional development programme of UGC-HRDC.

The Ministry of Education through its D.O No. 2-15/2022-PN II dated 27.12.2022 have directed that all teachers of HEIs shall be encouraged to participate in the online programme.

Therefore, it is requested to ensure that all teachers of colleges and Universities under their jurisdiction shall be encouraged to register and complete this one week online programme.

Encl: As above

Yours sincerely


(Rahul Kumar Purwar)
Secretary

CC: Director, IGNOU Regional Centre Ranchi Branch, Jharkhand for information.

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D.O. No. 2-15/2022-PN II

Dated 27.12.2022

Dear Secretary,

Please refer to my D.O. letter of even number dated 12.09.2022 regarding National Education Policy – Professional Development Programme (NEP-PDP) being conducted by IGNOU. A copy of the same is attached for reference.

2. As informed earlier, NEP 2020 recognizes that the teachers and faculty are at the heart of learning process and in the success of the higher education institutions, most important factor is quality and engagement of its faculty. Accordingly, for smooth implementation of NEP, 2020 about 15 lakhs teachers/faculty of the universities and colleges are targeted for orientation on various aspects of Policy. It was in this context, IGNOU has developed 36 hours (6 days) NEP-PDP, which is equivalent to UGC-HRDC short-term PDP and the same can be completed in a maximum of 9 days. This programme is being offered to the teachers / faculties of Universities and Colleges free of cost.
3. The nation-wide registration for the NEP-PDP was started on 15th August, 2022 and more than 55,000 teachers/faculty have registered so far. About 35,000 teachers/faculty have joined the programme and around 17,000 have successfully completed and have been issued certificate of completion. However, from some States / UTs, enrolments have been very low.
4. As this programme is important from the perspective of the capacity building of faculty on NEP, 2020, I would once again request you to urge HEIs in your State/UT to encourage their teachers/faculty to register in this one-week online programme.

Warm regards.

Yours sincerely,


(K. Sanjay Murthy)

Encl: As above

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D.O. No. 2-15/2022-PN II

Dated: 12th September, 2022

Dear Secretary,

After announcement of NEP, 2020 in July, 2020, various stakeholders including States and UTs have taken initiatives for its implementation. NEP, 2020 recognizes that the teachers and faculty are at the heart of the learning process and that the in the success of higher education institutions most important factor is quality and engagement of its faculty. Accordingly, for smooth implementation of NEP-2020, about 15 lakh teachers of universities and colleges need to be oriented on various recommendations of the policy.

2. In this regard IGNOU has developed a 36-hour (6 days) Professional Development Programme (NEP-PDP), which is equivalent to UGC-HRDC short-term PDP, and can be completed in a maximum of 9 days.

3. For the NEP-PDP, teachers can register at the SAMARTH platform organised by various IGNOU Regional Centres (in respective states), and the programme delivery shall take place on the SWAYAM platform. It comprises of the following components:

- E-Content: 14 units (in English and Hindi) on important themes of NEP-2020.
- E-Tutorial: 30 high quality video lessons by eminent scholars.
- Discussion Forum: at the Swayam platform.
- Live Conferencing: through Swayam Prabha TV Channel 20, with interactive chat facility.
- Assessment: Formative Online Test (30%) and Summative Online Test (70%) on the Swayam platform.
- Certification: Automatic digital certification on successful completion with 50% score.
- The videos shall also be available on YouTube and be telecast on Gyan Darshan TV, and all resources shall be available on E-Gyankosh.

4. The nation-wide registration for the NEP-PDP has started on August 15, 2022. More than 30,000 teachers are registered. The first pilot batch of around 6,000 teachers has started. A Flyer and Programme Brochure are enclosed for kind perusal.

5. I would therefore, request you to urge HEIs in your State / UT to encourage their teachers to register in this one week online programme. The programme shall be conducted through various batches, and a teacher can register for any suitable batch at the Samarth platform meant for this purpose (<https://ignou-nep-pdp.samarth.ac.in>).

With best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

(K. Sanjay Murthy)

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