



**PROGRESS REPORT OF UGC PARAMARSH SCHEME
PACHHUNGA UNIVERSITY COLLEGE
AIZAWL, MIZORAM**

*Dr. Henry Lalmawizuala
Coordinator*

Pachhunga University College was accepted as one of the Mentor College under UGC Paramarsh Scheme on 11 September 2019. The sanction amount for the scheme was released to the college on 16th December 2019 via Letter No. F50-100/2019(IC) Dated 29-11-2019. A sum of Rs. 15,00,000/- was granted for the year 2019-2020 as 1st Installment.

The institutes selected as Mentee Institutes under the scheme were:

- 1) Regional Institute of Paramedical and Nursing Sciences
- 2) Higher and Technical Institute of Mizoram
- 3) Mizoram Hindi Training College
- 4) Helen Lowry College
- 5) St. Xavier's College, Lengpui

Coordinators for the Mentee Institutes were as under:

- 1) Dr. Lalawmpuia Vanchiau – Helen Lowry College
- 2) Dr. Lalhlenmawia – RIPANS
- 3) Dr. Mary Ann L. Halliday – St. Xavier's College
- 4) Mr. H. Lalrinawma – HATIM
- 5) Mr. Lalmuanawma - MHTC



*Pachhunga University College signed a Memorandum of Understanding with
all five Mentee institutes.*

The Standing Committee for the scheme was constituted on the 21st of January 2020 and the members were:

- 1) Accreditation Ambassador : Dr. Tawnenga, Principal, PUC
- 2) Coordinator : Dr. Henry Lalmawizuala, Coordinator, IQAC
- 3) Members :
 - (a) Prof. Lalnundanga, Registrar, MZU
 - (b) R. Lallianzuala, Jt. Director, H&TE, GoM
 - (c) Laltanpuia, Additional State Project Director, RUSA, Mizoram
 - (d) Dr. Shivraj Gurung, HOD, Department of Physics, PUC
 - (e) Dr. K. Lalchhandama, HOD, Department of Zoology, PUC
 - (f) Dr. Vanramliana, Department of Zoology, PUC.

The 1st Standing Committee Meeting was held with the Mentor and Mentee Institutes on the 30th of January 2020. The meeting resolved to complete the following action plan for the scheme.

1. Field Visit
2. National Level Sensitization Programme
3. National Level Training on Documentation Process
4. National Level Orientation Programme on Best and Innovative Practices.
5. Mentor- Mentee Meetings
6. Standing Committee Meeting
7. Special Lecture Series for Mentee Institutes.
8. Hiring of Mr. Isaac Lalruatfela as Office Assistant.



Activities:

1. **Field Visit:** The Coordinator of the Scheme Dr. Henry Lalmawizuala accompanied by Mr. Isaac Lalruatfela visited all five Mentee Institutes and the Accreditation Ambassador Dr. Tawnenga also went along on two occasions. The Field Visit was conducted on the dates mentioned below:

- a) MHTC : 14th Feb 2020 (14 kms from PUC)
- b) HATIM : 6th Feb, 2020 (169 kms from PUC)
- c) Helen Lowry : 13th Feb, 2020 (8.5 kms from PUC)
- d) St. Xavier's College : 12th Feb, 2020 (40.3 kms from PUC)
- e) RIPANS : 17th Feb, 2020 (7.4 kms from PUC)



2. **Special Lecture:** Special Lecture programme was organized for Mizoram Hindi Training College on the 14th of February, 2020. The Resource Person for the programme was Prof. Lalnundanga, Registrar, MZU. The topic for the Special Lecture was “NAAC Institutional Accreditation”.



3. **National Level Sensitization Programme on NAAC’s A&A Process:** A National Level Sensitization Programme was conducted on the 27th of February 2020 at Seminar Hall, Pachhunga University College. The Resource Persons for the Programme were Dr. Priya Narayanan, Assistant Adviser, NAAC Bangalore, Prof. Lalnundanga, Registrar, MZU and Dr. Tawnenga, Accreditation Ambassador and Principal, PUC. Registration was started at 10 Am and the programme was started at 11 Am and went on to 3Pm in the evening. The Programme was attended by participants from all Mentee Institutes and 75 outside participants, most of whom were Coordinators and Assistant Coordinators of IQAC from all over Mizoram. The programme detail was as under:

Chairman	:	Dr. Henry Lalmawizuala, Coordinator
Felicitation	:	Dr. Shivraj Gurung, HoD, Physics Dept, PUC
1 st Speaker	:	Dr. Priya Narayanan, Assistant Adviser, NAAC Hdqr. <i>Topic: NAAC’s A&A Process”</i>
2 nd Speaker	:	Prof. Lalnundanga, Registrar, MZU <i>Topic: “SSR & DVV”</i>
3 rd Speaker	:	Dr. Tawnenga, Principal, PUC <i>Topic: “Peer Team Visit”</i>
Discussion	:	Chairman
Closing Remark	:	Dr. K. Lalchandama, HoD, Zoology Dept, PUC

The total expenditure for the event was Rs. 55,310/-. The detailed expenditure statement is given below.

- 1) Flight tickets for RP : Rs. 21248/-
- 2) Honorarium to RP : Rs. 2000 x 3 = Rs. 6000/-
- 3) Banner : Rs. 2000/-
- 4) TA to Coordinators : Rs. 9652/-
- 5) Room Rent of RP : @ Rs. 3080/-per night x 2 Nights = Rs. 6160/-
- 6) Lunch : @ Rs.100 per person for 50 persons = Rs. 5000/-
- 7) Tea : @ Rs. 50 pp for 50 = Rs. 2500/-
- 8) Booklet printing : @ Rs. 20/- per page x 50 copies = Rs. 1000/-
- 9) Certificates : @ Rs.15/- x 50 copies = Rs. 750/-
- 10) Mineral Water : @ Rs.10/- x 100 = Rs. 1000/-

TOTAL: Rs. 55,310/-



4. **Training on Documentation Process:** A One Day Training on Documentation Process was conducted on 11th March 2020 by the Coordinator Dr. Henry Lalmawizuala for the benefit of all Coordinators of the Mentee Institutes.



5. **Guidance Manual:** Guidance Manual was prepared by Pachhunga University College for all Mentee Institutes. This Guidance Manual was handed over to all Mentee Institutes. It contained detailed instructions on all the Metrics mentioned under NAAC Assessment and Accreditation Manual.

6. **Feedback:** Feedback was received from all Mentee Institutes.

Accreditation Status of Mentee Institutes:

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| 1) Regional Institute of Paramedical and Nursing Sciences | = <i>Not yet assessed</i> |
| 2) Higher and Technical Institute of Mizoram | = <i>Not yet assessed</i> |
| 3) Mizoram Hindi Training College | = <i>Not yet assessed</i> |
| 4) Helen Lowry College | = <i>Not yet assessed</i> |
| 5) St. Xavier's College, Lengpui | = <i>Not yet assessed</i> |

Additional Comment: UGC PARAMARSH Scheme was successfully implemented by Pachhunga University College and several activities had also been conducted under the scheme, however, the program and its further implementation was disturbed by the Covid-19 pandemic. Due to the pandemic, lockdown was imposed all over Mizoram (which continues to this day) and this prevented the coordinator to perform further planned activities within the scheme. The college received only the 1st Installment of 15 lakhs in December 2019 and if 2nd installment is granted, the college is ready to continue working under the scheme.

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UGC Paramarsh Scheme