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Certificate & SWAYAM Courses Report

2023-24

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Annual Report on Certificate & SWAYAM Courses during the Academic Year 2023-2024

Introduction

During the academic year 2023-2024, significant emphasis was placed on integrating the courses offered through MOOC platforms like SWAYAM and NPTEL into the curriculum. This initiative aimed to enhance the educational experience by leveraging high-quality online courses provided by reputed institutions across India.

The primary objectives of integrating MOOCs were to:

- 1. Broaden the scope of learning beyond traditional classroom settings.
- 2. Provide flexible learning opportunities.
- 3. Enhance student's knowledge and skills in various subject areas.
- 4. Encourage self-paced and independent learning.

Implementation Strategy

To successfully integrate SWAYAM and NPTEL courses, the following strategies were implemented:

1. Awareness and Orientation

- Conducted orientation sessions to inform students about the benefits and process of enrolling in MOOC courses.
- Distributed informative materials and conducted workshops to help students navigate the SWAYAM and NPTEL platforms.

2. Course Selection and Enrollment

- A faculty from each department was selected as the coordinator and any information regarding the courses were informed to students via this coordinator.
- Department level faculty coordinator guided students in selecting courses relevant to their academic interests and career goals.
- Department level faculty coordinator ensured all students were enrolled in at least one MOOC course by the end of the academic year.

3. Special Hours Allocation

• Allocated specific hours in the weekly timetable dedicated to attending MOOC courses.

• Designated computer labs and classrooms with internet access for students to participate in online lectures and complete assignments.

4. Monitoring and Support

- Assigned department level faculty coordinators to monitor student progress and provide support.
- Organized periodic review meetings to address any challenges faced by students.

Certificate programs

<u>Department</u> <u>Certificate programs offered</u>

Computer Science Programming in Java

Sociology Sociology of health and illness

Commerce Cost Accounting

Statistics Natural language processing

Botany Wildlife Ecology

Zoology Adolescence health and well being

History History of India

English Photojournalism

FACS Adolescent nutrition

Chemistry Basics of Inorganic Chemistry

Physics Nuclear Astrophysics

MSW Corporate social responsibility

Mathematics Complex Analysis

Samples of Certificate





NPTEL Online Certification (Funded by the MoE, Govt. of India)



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This certificate is awarded to SREELAKSHMI SM

for successfully completing the course

Programming in Java

with a consolidated score of 55 %

Online Assignments 22.75/25 Proctored Exam 32.15/75

Total number of candidates certified in this course:11713

Jul-Oct 2023 (12 week course)





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Roll No: NPTEL23CS74S740100473

To verify the certificate



No. of credits recommended: 3 or 4



Student Performance

The integration of SWAYAM courses had a noticeable positive impact on student performance:

- **Enhanced Knowledge**: Students reported a deeper understanding of subjects due to the additional learning resources.
- **Improved Grades**: There was an average improvement of 10% in the grades of students who actively participated in SWAYAM courses.
- **Skill Development**: Courses on programming, data analysis, and soft skills contributed to improved job readiness.

Conclusion

The integration of SWAYAM courses into the academic curriculum has been a successful initiative, enriching the educational experience of students and providing them with valuable learning opportunities. The positive feedback from both students and faculty highlights the benefits of this initiative. Moving forward, efforts will be made to address the challenges faced and further enhance the support system for students engaging with SWAYAM courses.

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