



ANNAPOORANA ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SALEM

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ANNUAL REPORT OF THE COLLEGE FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2018-2019

Annapoorana Engineering College, living up to the noble vision of its Founder Chancellor, Dr. A. Shanmugasundaram, strongly believes in the concept of holistic education and strives to achieve its goal of preparing students to meet the challenges we face in the 21st century. We believe it is important to provide education that focuses on the overall development of human personality. Guided by this principle, we prepare our students not only for academic success but also for life. Based on the principle of Outcome Based Education (OBE), we have shifted “the focus of educational activity from teaching to learning; skills to thinking; content to process and teacher instruction to student demonstration”.

Having stepped into the 9th Academic Year, Annapoorana Engineering College has come a long way in terms of Academics, Sports and Extension of services to the society. Over the years, the student admissions to the college have increased. The academic results have also increased as compared to previous years. To further increase the academic results, remedial classes are arranged for weak performing students and mentor-mentee allotments are made to help students overcome the shortcoming in their academic areas. To be in pipeline with quality, the college has applied and has also successfully received ISO 9001:2019 Quality Certification. The College has also applied for NAAC Accreditation and is in no doubt; the college is marching towards achieving Autonomy.

Annapoorana Engineering College has inaugurated Entrepreneurship Development Cell (EDC) and various programs are been organised by the Cell to promote Entrepreneurship among students. Through EDC, the college has received a fund of Rs.60,000/ for conducting Entrepreneur Awareness Camps. The college has signed MOU with Salem Productivity Council and Million Minds for encouraging entrepreneurship among students. The College has signed MOU with 11 Industries / Corporate Houses for Student Internship, In-plant Training, Placement and Value –Added Courses.



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Central & State Government related online exams were conducted in the College campus computer Centre. The college has conducted 9 outreach programmes in collaboration with industries and communities through its self-financing NSS unit. 7 Awards are received for extension activities from government/Recognised bodies.

Value added Courses, Certificate Courses and Vocational Education Training Courses are conducted as part of Co-curricular activities. Students benefiting by guidance for competitive examinations and career counselling has increased to 305 as against 280 of the previous year. 334 students are benefiting by scholarships and free ships provided by Government. 72 outgoing Students are placed in reputed core industries. Alumni association is also conducted once in every year.

On an average 65% of the faculty are provided with financial support to attend Conferences and events in other colleges. 69% of faculty members are attending professional Development Programmes and Short term Training Courses organised in other colleges. The number of publications in UGC Approved Journals has increased to 58 and total number of Books/Chapters in edited Volume published accounts to 21. There are 4 Workshops and Seminars conducted through the IPR cell of the college.

With regard to general Facilities, the college has shifted the Girls Hostel to the in-campus new building. Green campus and green environment activities are also carried on by the college. As a part of Green campus, the college in association with Salem Tree Club has planted 1008 saplings in and around the college campus. Smart Boards were purchased & installed in certain classrooms, for which the number will be increased in the forthcoming years. Solar Online Grid installation process was started. Installation of CAMU ERP for Digital Campus, which enables institution to generate automated reports on all aspects of administration and academics. CCTV Cameras were installed in the computer centre. The college also installed additional Wi-Fi Routers inside the campus.



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The Books in the Library has increased to 20,000+ Books. For advanced Library automation process "SOUL" software is installed. Mr.M.Vigenesh, Assistant Professor, Computer Science & Engineering has completed Ph.D from Karpagam University, Coimbatore. To end up, the college will not alone bring out good engineers, but also good citizens for the nation.

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