



MES COLLEGE OF ARTS, COMMERCE & SCIENCE

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Best Practice 1

Title of the Practice:

Promoting Research culture

Objectives of the Practice

- To develop and disseminate knowledge
- To inculcate scientific temperament
- To publish the research work

The Context:

Research is a key component to develop critical thinking and create new knowledge. Our institution strives to provide opportunities, for both students and faculty to accomplish the same. The college has 2 university-recognised research centres for research and to strengthen the research activities.

The Practice:

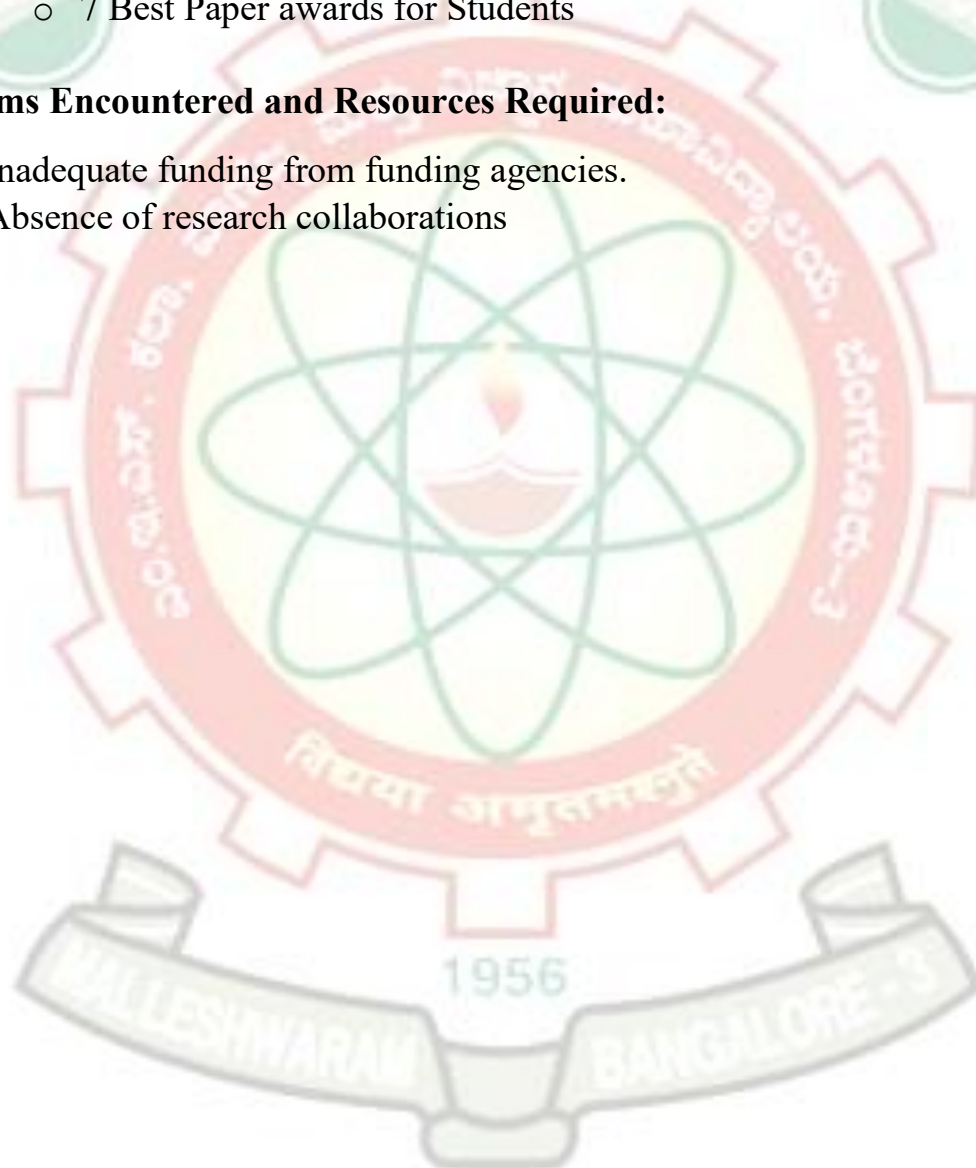
The institution adopts a policy to self-finance research projects, in addition to seeking grants from funding agencies and provides necessary infrastructure and ICT tools. The research outcomes from the two-research centres are reviewed periodically by the Research Advisory Committee. The departments constitute a Department Advisory Committee comprising of subject experts to give inputs for research. Research-oriented activities like student-projects, workshops, seminars, and lecture series are conducted.

Evidence of Success

- Research Projects undertaken - 03
- Students participating in research activities - 298
- Faculty paper presentations and publications - 37
- Faculty completed PhD - 03
- The awards and recognitions in research-
 - 3 patents published by faculty members
 - 6 Best Paper awards for Faculty members
 - 7 Best Paper awards for Students

Problems Encountered and Resources Required:

- Inadequate funding from funding agencies.
- Absence of research collaborations



Best Practice 2

Title of the Practice:

Empowering excellence and nurturing academic progression

Objectives of the Practice:

- To recognise the academic accomplishments and honour those students.
- Facilitate the students with the process of applying for scholarships

The Context:

The institution has a commitment to cater to the academic needs and aspirations of the students and nurture their academic progression.

Their overall achievements are acknowledged and honoured through merit scholarships and endowment prizes to enable them to continue their education.

The Practice:

- Awarding MES merit scholarship for students among the top 20 ranks in the qualifying examination.
- Felicitating the Best Outgoing-Student in every subject during the farewell program.
- Felicitating the centum and highest scorers in every subject.
- Awarding endowment prizes during Annual College convocation.
- Presenting 'Merit Cash Awards' for university-level rank holders.
- Facilitating a smooth process of applying for scholarships at national, state levels and in private portals through the Institutional Nodal Officer.

Evidence of Success:

- **Nineteen** students were awarded Rs. 2,10,000/- for securing ONE among the top **20** ranks in the qualifying examination.
- **Six** students were presented with 'Merit Cash Awards' Rs. 30,000/- for securing ONE among the top **10** university ranks (Bengaluru City University)
- **Thirty one** students received endowment prizes amounting to Rs. 33,838/- . This practice is being continued from the past 42 years.

- Scholarships worth of Rs: 79,96,177/- and were disbursed through the efforts of the Institutional Nodal Officer for the current year as compared to Rs. 59,34,708/- in the previous year.

Problems Faced:

1. Obtaining adequate information about philanthropists through networking willing to institute scholarships.

