

MAHARISHI MARKANDESHWAR (DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY)
Mullana, Ambala, Haryana,133207
(Established under section 3 of the UGC Act, 1956
(NAAC Accredited Grade ‘A’)

7.3 Institutional Distinctiveness

MM (Deemed to be University) has 11 constituent institutes/college/departments with distinctiveness in different fields (Medical Science, Dental Sciences, Nursing, Pharmacy, Physiotherapy, Engineering and technology, Computer Science & Application, Management, Law and Hotel Management and Catering Technology). MM (DU) got accreditation by NAAC on 16th November 2015 (with CGPA 3.06; Grade A) and in year 2020 shall undergo the Assessment and Accreditation by NAAC in 2nd cycle as Health Science (Deemed to be University).

Many of programs offered by the MM(DU) are having provisions (offering specific courses, internships, field projects, industry visits, social and outreach activities etc.) to promote link of the students with the society/industry so that students get engaged in socially productive activities during their period of study in the institutions. Through curricular and extracurricular activities, MM(DU) is successful to train the students in essential professional and soft skills such as team work, communication skills, leadership skills, time management skills etc; inculcate human values and professional ethics, and the spirit of innovation/entrepreneurship and critical thinking among the students and promote avenues for display of these talents. Following are certain distinct areas/domains/activities in which this Deemed to be University excelled.

1. At the beginning of the academic session every constituent institute of MM (DU) organizes an induction program for newly admitted students. The objective of the program is to make new students conversant with the system and environment of the MM(DU) that is helpful in making their stay pleasant, comfortable for fruitful learning.
2. The MM(DU) is having state of the art infrastructure that includes Smart Classrooms, ICT enabled classrooms with WiFi and LAN internet connections, simulation laboratories, seminar halls, language labs, library etc that enable teachers to use ICT enabled tools for better teaching process. MM (DU) is adopting the methodologies for development of facilities and meeting the

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needs of local social periphery. TheMM(DU) is located in rural location. A 940 bedded NABH accredited super specialty hospital is fully functional with state of the art modern facilities (like MRI, CT Scan, Advance surgeries etc.) to serve local health care needs. Providing healthcare services at nominal cost is the biggest strength of the Deemed to be University. In addition through curricular, extracurricular and outreach activities (Rural posting of interns, organizing health camps for rural population, establishing PHCs in nearby villages like Mullana, Barara, organizing blood donation camps, social surveys, field projects, NSS activities etc) MM(DU) is playing a major role in development socio-economical status of nearby villages (Mullana, Budhia, Sohana, Dosarka, Barara)

3. This Deemed to be University has is continuously been putting serious efforts to promote quality research culture and output. Formation of a dedicated research promotion group, implementation of Research Promotion Policy that has inbuilt providing for the grant of financial incentive to faculty and researchers for quality research work, purchase of sophisticated research equipments, establishment of central research laboratory with state of the art research facility, motivating the faculty to participate and present research papers in national and international seminars/conferences, Incentives for achieving awards or recognition by faculty, provision of grant of seed money etc are few measures to promote research and development.