

**Minutes of the NIRF 2026 Preparatory Meeting conducted  
on 21st January 2026**

**Agenda:**

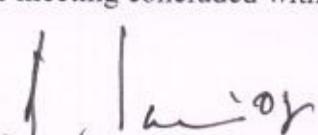
- i. Presentation & Discussion on NIRF 2026.

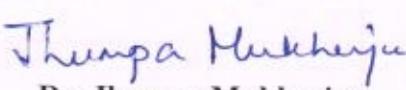
Rev. Dr. Dominic Savio, SJ, Principal & Chairperson, IQAC, extended a warm welcome to the members attending the meeting.

**The discussions that occurred during the meeting were as follows-**

- The data for NIRF 2024-25 was presented
- Dr. Jhumpa Mukherjee, Coordinator, IQAC, presented the following data:
  - I. Teaching, Learning & resources (TLR)
  - II. Research Professional Practice (RP)
  - III. Graduation Outcomes (GO)
  - IV. Outreach and Inclusivity (OI)
  - V. Perception (PR)
  - Faculty increased from 447 in 2025 to 476 in 2026.
  - The student intake for the year 2024-25 has risen by 96% compared to last year's 94%.
  - There has been an improvement in placement and higher studies compared to the previous year.
  - The annual operational expenditure has increased across all categories.
- Prof. Bertram Da Silva, Vice Principal – Arts & Science, suggested that the achievement of the faculty should be highlighted on select social media handles.
- Dr. Partha Pratim Ghosh, HOD – Economics, presented a comparison between SXC and other Colleges based on NIRF Ranking 2025.
- Dr. Sumona Ghosh, Member Secretary – Academic Council, recommended that we should stay updated on IRINS.
- Dr. Arup Kumar Mitra, COE, discussed the original research paper reviews published by Web of Science & Scopus over the last three years should be highlighted. The yearbook can be showcased on the website. Additionally, the name of the journal can be highlighted in a Facebook update.
- Prof. Shalabh Agarwal, Director, Central Computing Facilities, presented a detailed analysis of how peer perception is measured.
- Dr. Romit Beed, HOD – Computer Science & other members present agreed that the college LinkedIn page should be updated on a regular basis.

The meeting concluded with a Vote of Thanks to the Chair.

  
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