

INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, ROORKEE

DEPARTMENTAL REVIEW TEMPLATE

1. Name of Department/Center : Center of Excellence in Transportation Systems

2. Reviewers :

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3. Date of Review: 29-4-2014.

GRID FOR ASSESSMENT

NOTE:

- i. Please grade in the box provided for the following parameters in the range of 1-10 with 10 being the highest.
- ii. Leave 'blank' for 'No Comment'.
- iii. Kindly give your opinion on the strength and weakness of the Department/ Center and your suggestions for future growth.

I. ACADEMICS

I.1	Undergraduate	Score
1.	Curriculum <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Curricular Structure</li> <li>ii. Course Syllabi</li> <li>iii. Flexibility</li> </ul>	
2.	Formal Academic Load on Students <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Teaching</li> <li>ii. Laboratory/Practical</li> <li>iii. Projects(minor/major)</li> </ul>	
3.	Evaluation Process <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Continuing Evaluation</li> <li>ii. Mid-term Evaluation</li> <li>iii. End-term Evaluation</li> </ul>	

4.	Academic Ambience	
5.	Opportunity for Peer-Based Learning	
6.	Opportunity for Further Learning(Breadth and Depth) i. Elective Courses Specialization ii. Minor with Major Discipline iii. Honors Programme in Major Discipline	
7.	E-Assisted Learning i. Availability of Library Resources and Major Search Engines (like Scopus, Web of Science) ii. Multi-Media Assisted Teaching	
8.	In –Curriculum Research/Exploration Opportunity to Students	
9.	Technical Societies/ Colloquium for Students i. Departmental Society ii. Student Chapter(s) of Professional Societies	
10.	Faculty –Student Interaction	
11.	Faculty Mentoring of Students	
12.	Faculty Advisor System for Students/Class of Students	
13.	Self Study Courses for Student	
14.	Effective Teaching Mechanism for Enhanced Number of Students in Various Classes	
15.	Effectiveness of Assisted Learning: Tutorial System for B.Tech Students/ Seminars	

I.2	Graduate Programmes (Masters)	Score
1.	Curriculum i. Curricular Structure ii. Course Syllabi iii. Flexibility	999
2.	Formal Academic Load on Students i. Teaching ii. Laboratory/Practical iii. Seminar/Dissertation	999
3.	Evaluation Process i. Continuing Evaluation ii. Mid-Term Evaluation iii. End-Term Evaluation	999
4.	Academic Ambience	10
5.	Opportunity for Peer-Based Learning	9
6.	Opportunity for further Learning(Breadth and Depth) Elective Courses (Specialization Electives)	9
7.	E-Assisted Learning i. Availability of Library Resources and Major Search Engines (like Scopus, Web of Science)	9

	ii. Multi-Media Assisted Teaching	9
8.	In –Curriculum Research/Exploration Opportunity to Students	9
9.	Technical Societies/ Colloquium for Students	
	i. Departmental Society	9
	ii. Student Chapter(s) of Professional Societies	9
10.	Faculty –Student Interaction	9
11.	Faculty Mentoring/Supervising of Students	9
12.	Faculty Advisor System for Students/Class of Students	9
13.	Effectiveness of Assisted Learning: Home Assignments/Seminars/Presentations	9

I.3	Doctoral (Ph.D) Programmes	Score
1.	Pre-Ph.D Courses and Evaluation Process	9
2.	Comprehensive Courses Examination	9
3.	Breadth and Depth of Knowledge of Students	9
4.	Seminar/ Presentations and Technical Communication	9
5.	Average No. of Research Students/Faculty	9
6.	Average No. of Research Papers of Ph.D Students	9
7.	Average Duration to Complete Ph.D (years)	9

## II. RESEARCH

		Score
1.	Research Ambience in the Department	10
2.	Research Awareness among Doctoral Students	10
3.	Competence Level of Doctoral Students for Research	9
4.	Quality of Research	9
5.	Quality of Publications	9
6.	Impact of Publications	8
7.	Relevance of Research to Knowledge Generation	9
8.	Societal Relevance of Research	9
9.	Exposure of Researchers to the International State of Art	8
10.	Student Exposure to Attending Quality Conferences/Symposia	9
11.	Growth in Ph.D Programme	8
12.	Quality of Research Infrastructure	9
13.	Utilization of Existing Research Infrastructure	9
14.	Department Initiative on Faculty Hiring	9
15.	Breadth and Depth of Research in the Department	9
16.	Research Intensity of Faculty Members	9

**Futuristic Areas For Hiring Faculty Members**

- Inland Water Transport -
- Airport Planning & Design

**Research Areas for Improvement**

Road Safety, Driver Behavior & Psychology

Comments (not more than 100 words for each given below)

**Strength:**

**Weakness:**

**Suggestions for improvement:**

The activities being carried are appreciated, however it requires bit more focussed in the next 1-2 years.

**III. Departmental Infrastructure**

	Score
1. Adequacy of Class Rooms and Multi-Media Facility	10
2. Availability of Laboratories	10
3. Availability of Conference/Seminar Room, etc.	10
4. Availability of Seating Space for Research Students	10
5. Availability of Internet Services in Research Labs and Class Rooms	10
6. Departmental Library and E-Resources	10
7. Computing Facilities and Software	10
8. Adequacy of Offices and Furnishing for Faculty	10
9. Faculty- Student Ratio	10
10. Support Staff (Technical/Administrative) Adequacy	7

Comments (not more than 100 words for each given below)

Strength:

Weakness:

Students - faculty ratio.

Suggestions for improvement:

Improved ratio on faculty to students -  
Reqd., Atleast 6 to 7 faculty (regular)  
shall be required in 1-2 years.

#### IV. Admissions of Ph.D Students

		Score
1.	Intake of Ph.D Students	9
2.	Admission Process	9
Suggestions:		

## V. Outcomes

		Score
1.	Placements	
	i. Placement of B.Tech/IDD Students	—
	ii. Placement of Masters Student	—
	iii. Placement of Ph.D Students	10
2.	Average No. of Ph.D.s Awarded per Year	10
3.	Publications per Faculty in ISI Indexed Journals/Year	9
4.	Average Citations per Faculty/Year (Last-Three Years) (Web of Science/Scopus)	9
5.	Recognitions; Awards(National/International) to Faculty/Students	9
6.	Consultancy and Projects	9
7.	No. of Ph.D. graduates who took Academics as Career(Based on Data of Last 5 Years)	9
<b>Comments and Suggestions for improvement:</b>		

① *[Signature]*

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Date:

(Signature of the Reviewer)

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