



Mohamed Sathak - Department of Management Studies

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**Report**  
**MoU Ceremony**  
**Mohamed Sathak-Department of Management Studies (MS-DoMS)**  
**and**  
**National Institution of Quality and Reliability (NIQR)**  
**27<sup>th</sup> September 2024**

**Venue:** Mohamed Sathak Trust, Chennai

**Time:** 06. 45 PM

<b>Members Present</b>		
1	Janab S M A J Abdul Haleem (JAH)	Campus Director, MSCAS
2	Janab Faisal Abdul Cader (FAC)	Director, MST
3	Dr. Hemalatha Seeram (Dr.HS)	Professor & Head, MS-DoMS
4	Dr. F. Mohamed Sabura (Dr.FMS)	Assistant Professor, MS-DoMS
5	Prof. Keerthivasan S (Prof. KS)	Adjunct Faculty, MS-DoMS
6	Mr.R.Sriram (Mr.RS)	Chairman, NIQR, Chennai Branch
7	Mr.P.Arulmani (Mr.PA)	Secretary, NIQR, Chennai Branch
8	Dr.E.Vijayaragavan (Dr.EV)	Treasurer, NIQR, Chennai Branch

Dr. HS shared the MoU draft with JAH Sir and Mr.RS and emphasized the importance of signing an MoU and the mutual benefits the institutions will receive in the future.

Mr.RS elaborated on the functions of NIQR and explains on the activities on quality and reliability organized by them to suit the needs of different types of industries, disciplines and levels. National Institution for Quality and reliability is administrated by a National Executive Council functioning at the National Head Quarters at Chennai, Tamil Nadu and Executive Committee at various Branches. NIQR's objectives are to promote quality, propagate knowledge and enhance customer satisfaction by assisting the organizations in service sector such as banks, transport, communications, utilities etc., and academic institutions. JAH Sir and FAC Sir suggested extending the collaboration with the engineering institutions of MST at Chennai and Kilakkarai.

At 7 PM, the MoU between MS-DoMS, MSCAS and NIQR was signed by JAH sir and Mr.RS. Everyone shared their happiness of collaboration during the MoU ceremony. Followed by Photo session.

## Discussions

Dr.HS enquired Mr.RS about the initialization of MoU activities. Mr.RS suggested the following:

- a. An awareness program for MBA and engineering students about NIQR and its importance to the students.
- b. An industry connect program to be conducted at the college level. An Industry Connect Program bridges the gap between academia and industry, providing students with valuable insights and real-world experiences. An Industry Connect Program gives students a competitive edge by equipping them with practical experience, industry knowledge, and professional connections, significantly improving their career prospects. This program should be conducted at regular intervals.
- c. JAH sir enquired Mr.RS about the programs that can be conducted to MST students. Mr.RS advised to have case study presentations to engineering students, soft skills programs and operations management presentations to arts students, and arranging for internships at finance department for commerce students. These types of programs can be offered on a yearly basis at the college level to provide students with real-world experience.
- d. MS-DoMS in collaboration with NIQR to organize an Industry Summit, a high-profile event where leaders, experts, professionals, and stakeholders from various sectors gather to discuss industry trends, challenges, and opportunities. These summits are typically designed to foster collaboration, share knowledge, and shape the future of industries. Participating in an industry summit offers students a wealth of learning opportunities, professional connections, and career-building experiences. It bridges the gap between academic theory and real-world practice, giving students a head-start in their professional journey.
- e. Dr.HS suggested that NIQR helps in finding out industries for visits and for internships and projects. This will facilitate the students with the opportunities to find a preplacement offer and enter companies.
- f. On question regarding value added certification courses for students, Dr.EV explained that courses on six sigma, process management and total quality management can be provided. These courses assist students learn and implement concepts in real-world circumstances.

The Meeting came to an end at 07.30PM.





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## **MS-DoMS signed MoU with NIQR**



**The Mohamed Sathak-Department of Management Studies (MS-DoMS) and the National Institution for Quality and Reliability (NIQR) signed and entered into a Memorandum of Understanding on 27th September 2024, to collaborate on various academic and industry initiatives in the area of management.**

**The MoU was signed by the Director Janab S M A J Abdul Haleem, MSCAS and Mr. R. Sriram, Chairman, NIQR Chennai Branch**

**In the presence of**

**Janab Faisal Abdul Cader, Director, Mohamed Sathak Trust, Dr. Hemalatha Seeram, Professor & Dean, Dr. F Mohamed Sabura, Prof. Keerthivasan S, Faculty, MS-DOMS Mr. P Arulmani, Secretary and Dr E Vijayaragavan, Treasurer NIQR Chennai Branch**

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