



TELANGANA STATE COUNCIL OF HIGHER EDUCATION

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PRESS NOTE

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The Telangana State Council of Higher Education (TSCHE) conducted a meeting to launch of **Cyber Security Course at Under Graduate Level** & Release of ISB Report on **“Assessing Assessments in Higher Education”** today i.e on Monday, 11th September, 2023 with the Chief Guest Smt. P. Sabitha Indra Reddy garu, Hon'ble Minister for Education, Sri. Sanjay Kumar Jain, IPS, Additional Director General of Police, Government of Telangana and Smt. V. Karuna, IAS, Secretary to Government, Higher Education Department, Government of Telangana. Vice-Chancellors of Osmania University, Mahatma Gandhi University, Telangana Mahila Viswavidyalayam also participated in the meeting.

Prof. V. Venkata Ramana, Vice-Chairman-I, TSCHE welcomed the Chief Guest Smt. P. Sabitha Indra Reddy garu, Hon'ble Minister for Education, Sri. Sanjay Kumar Jain, IPS, Additional Director General of Police, Government of Telangana and Smt. V. Karuna, IAS, Secretary to Government, Higher Education Department, Government of Telangana, the Vice-Chancellors, Staff of Commissionerate of Collegiate Education, ISB officials, course writers of Cyber Security, Print and Electronic media and highlighted the role and relevance of developing the course on Cyber Security at Graduate level in Colleges.

Prof. R. Limbadri, Chairman, TSCHE, outlined the following:

1. Cyber Security Syllabus at Undergraduate Level
2. Release of ISB report on “Assessing Assessments in Higher Education”

While Chairman, TSCHE recollected the suggestion of Hon'ble Chief Minister, Mr. KCR garu, while speaking at the inauguration of the Police Command Control Center on 04.08.2023, directed the Education Department and the Council of Higher Education to introduce a compulsory cyber security course for all graduate students in the state.

Now in view of increase in cybercrimes and the potential danger that is becoming a great threat to individuals and organizations, on this behalf the TSCHE has taken initiative in preparing Cyber Security course at UG level with 4 credits. On this occasion Telangana State Council of Higher Education has formed a committee consisting of experts. The committee has prepared a cyber security course with experts from law, computer science engineering, police department and other allied fields.

Examinations in its currently moment are posing lot of stress and anxiety for students, both pre examination as well post examination. Thus there is a need to have Reforms that are mainly needed to ensure credibility and the outcome of the assessment system.

A study was conducted by the Indian School of Business (ISB) on the current evaluation system. The study recommended several reforms and submitted a Report to the Council on “**Assessing Assessments in Higher Education**”.

Smt. V. Karuna, IAS, Secretary to Government, Higher Education Department, Government of Telangana stated that the Education department felt the need for launching the Cyber Security Course and ISB report for increasing values and ethics in Education and thanked the Chairman, TSCHE.

Sri. Sanjay Kumar Jain, IPS, Additional Director General of Police, Government of Telangana will always support the Education department for bringing new such type of syllabus in future.

Smt.P.Sabitha Indra Reddy garu, Hon’ble Minister for Education, Government of Telangana has Launched the “**Cyber Security Course at Under Graduate Level**” & released the ISB Report on “**Assessing Assessments in Higher Education**” and congratulated TSCHE for bringing such types of initiatives for improving Higher Education system.

Further, mentioned that Telangana State is making good progress in the field of Higher Education.

Prof. SK. Mahmood, Vice-Chairman, TSCHE thanked all the participants and the officials for making the program a grand success and hoped that the Council ‘s efforts will yield good results in the years to come .

Thanks & Regards
SECRETARY, TSCHE