

## Peer teams of KCG and NAAC visited ARIBAS New Vallabh Vidyanagar

On 18th March 2014 peer team consisting of Dr. AS Rathod, Principal Govt. Arts and Science Collage Ahmadabad, Dr. SB Solanki, Principal Govt. Arts and Commerce Collage, Ahmadabad and Dr. KC Deshmukh Govt. Science Collage, Kalol visited ARIBAS for academic and administrative audit on behalf of Knowledge Consortium of Gujarat (http://kcg.gujarat.gov.in/). After detailed audit satisfied team awarded "Grade A", score 3.4 in a 4-point grading scale. Getting such appreciation from acclaimed academicians of the state is a matter of great pride for ARIBAS.

From 1st April till 3rd April 2014 peer team NATIONAL ASSESSMENT AND ACCREDITATION COUNCIL (NAAC) is an autonomous body established by the University Grants Commission (UGC) of India to assess and accredit institutions of higher education in the country visited ARIBAS for doing the Audit. Like the KCG team NAAC peer team also impressed by quality and standard of teaching at ARIBAS.

"Bless you my child you will make a bright star in future" said Professor RC Sobi, VC Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow, and Chairman of the peer team. In an informal interaction after the performance the peer team interacted with Amrita Shah apart from the formal interaction with the students during ARIBAS visit. Prof. Sobti and other two-team members Prof. R. Sharma. HoD

Department of Biochemistry, NEHU, Shillong and Prof. PA Fathima Principal MES collage Kerala is highly impressed by *Color of life* presented by Amrita and her group members. *'Ganesh Aradhana'*, a dance drama directed by Vatsal Panchal and *'Money'* directed by Amrit Visa also appreciated by peer team members.



NAAC peer team was praised stridently the research activity students are undertaking in the banner of various clubs, holistic educational approach of ARIBAS, history of Vallabh Vidyanagar and efforts of CVM in developing mammoth educational trust for rural Gujarat during the visit.

**Pride of ARIBAS** *New Vallabh Vidyanagar* Four students of ARIBAS successfully cleared prestigious Graduate Aptitude Test in Engineering (GATE) conducted jointly by the Indian Institute of Science and seven Indian Institutes of Technology. GATE is an all-India examination that primarily tests the comprehensive understanding of various undergraduate subjects in engineering and science. Yash Patel, All India Rank (AIR) 179; Jay Rangani AIR 304, Varun Bavda, AIR 498 and Vitithra Iyar AIR 498, made all ARIBAS members proud.

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"Prachi is wise beyond her years and an incredibly inspirational speaker. She will be hanging out in the Hall of Fame so you can come back to this presentation anytime you need a boost!", said PJ Livingstone.

Three per educator girls of ARIBAS delivered talks on the occasion on Women's day on 8th March 2014. Mansi Bhat & Mansi Updhyay from second semester delivered on "Female feticide" in their debut public talk. Prachi Doshi delivered a high-octane talk on "Women *empowerment*". Prachi's talk was picked up by PJ Livingstone and put in her Blog "Daughters Durga" of (http:// daughtersofdurga.com/) and will also be published in her forthcoming podcast in 4<sup>th</sup> of July, 2014.

PJ Livingstone is a well-known communications consultant, writer and advocate for the empowerment of women around the world.



Mansi & Mansi and Prachi made us proud and their effort catapulted ARIBAS in global arena. Given a chance these girls can lead the world; and yes ARIBAS too.

**Gems of ARIBAS** *New Vallabh Vidyanagar.* First batch of students of ARIBAS at the premises of Indukaka Ipcowala College Of Pharmacy (IICP), New Vallabh Vidyanager. IICP is the foster institute from where the journey of ARIBAS started in 2005. Many of the students are now settled in professional life or perusing higher education. Photo courtesy: Gunjan Vyas, ex student of ARIBAS.



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