Regulations on Self-Evaluation

Established May 4, 2009.

Chapter 1 General Provisions

Article 1 (Purpose) These regulations set forth matters concerning the procedure, method, and operation of the self-evaluation system, which was designed for the improvement of the educational conditions and the enhancement of the quality of education and research at Pohang University of Science and Technology (hereinafter referred to as "University").

Article 2 (Principles of Evaluation) Evaluation shall be conducted based on the principles of objectivity, fairness, and reliability.

Article 3 (Scope of Evaluation) The scope of evaluation shall be the overall operation of the University

Article 4 (Areas of Evaluation) The following are the areas subject to evaluation:

1. Education
2. Research
3. Faculty
4. Globalization
5. Management innovation
6. Other areas proposed by the President of the University

Article 5 (Evaluation Items) The weight of each evaluation item, score calculation standard, and evaluation grades shall be separately determined by the President of the University.

Article 6 (Time of Evaluation) Evaluation shall be conducted annually, but the specific time shall be separately determined by the President of the University.

Chapter 2 Authority of Evaluation

Article 7 (Evaluator) ① An Evaluator shall be appointed to direct overall matters concerning self-evaluation.

② The Vice President of Planning shall serve ex-officio as Evaluator.

③ The Evaluator shall carry out the following tasks:

1. Overall direction of matters concerning self-evaluation
2. Improvement of self-evaluation capability
3. Public announcement of the result of the evaluation and incorporation of the result in the University's development plan
4. Expansion of self-evaluation areas and development of weighted evaluation matrix

④ The Office of Planning shall assume responsibility for tasks related to planning, operation, coordination, and management of self-evaluation.

Article 8 (University Advancement Council) ① The University Advancement Council shall be established to review important matters related to the evaluation.

② The composition and term of the University Advancement Council shall be separately determined by the President of the University.

③ The University Advancement Council shall carry out the following tasks:

1. Establishment of basic direction of the University self-evaluation
2. Review of evaluation indexes
3. Review of evaluation standards

Article 9 (University Self-evaluation Committee) ① The University Self-evaluation Committee (hereinafter referred to as "Committee") shall be established to ensure fairness of the evaluation.
② The composition and term of the Committee shall be separately determined by the President of the University.
③ The Committee shall carry out the following tasks:
1. Development of evaluation indexes
2. Establishment of evaluation standards
3. Self-evaluation for each evaluation item

Chapter 3 Method and Procedure for Evaluation

Article 10 (Establishment of Evaluation Plan) The Office of Planning shall establish a plan for self-evaluation each academic year, obtain approval from the President of the University, and conduct the self-evaluation.

Article 11 (Submission of Evaluation Data) The departments concerned shall submit evaluation data to the Office of Planning no later than one month prior to the initiation of the evaluation.

Article 12 (Conducting Evaluation) ① The Office of Planning shall prepare the basic data for evaluation.
② The Committee shall conduct the evaluation for each evaluation item.

Article 13 (Inspection) The Committee may conduct inspection for the departments concerned if necessary for the verification of data.

Article 14 (Report on the Result of the Evaluation) The Evaluator shall examine the prepared data and report the result to the President of the University after the final review of the University Advancement Council.

Addendum

These regulations shall be established and take effect on May 4, 2009.