### **Benefits of Accreditation**

- In general accreditation helps the Institution to know its Strengths, Weaknesses and Opportunities and Threats (SWOT)
- Initiates Institutions into innovative and modern methods of pedagogy
- Gives Institutions a new sense of direction and identity
- Provides society with reliable information on quality of education offered
- Promotes intra and inter-Institutional interactions

Accreditation signifies different things to different stakeholders

### 1. Benefits to funding agencies

- AICTE Research Funding and Benefits of Additional Seats
- NBA accredited Institutions may be preferred by funding agencies for releasing grants for research as well as expansion etc.

### 2. Benefits to Institutions

- International reorganization: Accreditation is market-driven and has an international focus.
- NBA's key objective is to contribute to the significant improvement of the Institutions involved in the accreditation process. Accreditation process quantifies the strengths, weaknesses in the processes adopted by the Institution and provides directions and opportunities for future growth.
- NBA provides a quality label that differentiates the Institutions from its peers at the national level. This leads to a widespread recognition and greater appreciation of the brand name of Institutions and motivates the Institutions to strive for more.

### 3. Benefits to students

- Assured education which is a balance between high academic quality and professional relevance and that the needs of the corporate world are well integrated into programmes, activities and processes.
- It signifies that student has entered the portals of an Institution, which has the essential and desirable features of quality professional education.
- Benefits to Employers

- Accreditation assures prospective employers that students come from a program where the content and quality have been evaluated, satisfying established standards.
- It also signifies that the students passing out have acquired competence based on well established technical inputs.

# 4. Benefits to public

- Accredited status represents the commitment of the program and the Institution to quality and continuous improvement.
- Benefits to Industry and Infrastructure Providers
- It signifies identification of quality of Institutional capabilities, skills and knowledge

### 5. Benefits to Parents

It signifies that their ward goes through a teaching-learning environment as per accepted good practices

#### 6. Benefits to Alumni

• It reassures alumni that alumni are products of an institute with a higher standing in terms of learning

# 7. Benefits to Country

- Accreditation helps in gaining confidence of stakeholders and in giving a strong message
  that as a country, our technical manpower is of international standards and can be very
  useful in enhancing the global mobility for our technical manpower.
- Catalyst for International Accreditations
- All essential prerequisites for international accreditation are included in the accreditation process of NBA.
- NBA acts as a catalyst for the Institutions planning to acquire International Accreditation.