Collaboration with ICCE

SAI has become a member of the International Council for Coaching Excellence (ICCE), represented by Executive Director, NIS, Patiala. The membership of ICCE has opened the doors for international collaboration for improvement.

ICCE is a non-profit global organization founded in 1997. It is registered in U.K. and has its headquarters at Leeds Beckitt University, U.K. It is recognized by IOC and works in a number of countries. Its members include international federations; coaches associations; national coaching bodies; education institutions; and individual members. Organizations responsible for coaching development are A-category members and others are B-category members. Some of the important members include US Olympic Committee; Australian Sports Commission; UK Sport; All-China Sports Federation; Coaching Association of Canada etc.

The activities of ICCE include development of International Sports Coaching Framework; organization of Global Coach Conference, every two years; creation of International Coach Development Framework, to develop coaching pathways; Innovation Group of Leading Agencies; networking with universities for research in the area of sports coaching; and consultancy services in sports coaching.

The Institute hosted a Scoping Study on Coaching Framework and Coaches Conclave, in collaboration with ICCE, at Patiala, from 31 March to 4 April, 2016, in which a large number of stakeholders from India participated. The report of this conclave is awaited.