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Dear Students,

Please refer to the notification by Registrar dated 08.04.2020. The unprecedented situation of the covid-19 outbreak, subsequent lockdown and uncertainty about the schedule of resumption of classes and research activities has compelled us to preponed summer vacation w.e.f. 15.4.2020 to 31.5.2020. However, the online teaching-learning process will continue as we are not sure about available time for classes/laboratories before the final semester examinations after resumption of the semester.

Please remain safe at your home and use this time to connect with your family as well as with relatives and friends (of course with virtual modes). You also have to take care of your academics and career plans.

1. Hope you are getting study materials on weekly basis. In case you have any problem in getting study materials or you have any queries, please contact your course convener/ Head/Coordinator. You may also make use of several online resources like National Digital Library of India (<a href="https://ndl.iitkgp.ac.in/">https://ndl.iitkgp.ac.in/</a>), video lectures

(https://ndl.iitkgp.ac.in/homestudy/ug\_eng and https://ndl.iitkgp.ac.in/homestudy/ug\_science), NPTEL (https://nptel.ac.in/) SWAYAM (https://swayam.gov.in/), MITOPENCOURSEWARE (https://ocw.mit.edu/index.htm)

2. Some other useful websites for online educational support are listed below.

http://www.ocwconsortium.org/

http://www.ocwconsortium.org/en/courses/ocwsites

http://ocw.tufts.edu -Tuft University

http://ocw.upm.es -Univesidad Politechnica, Madrid

http://www.open.edu/openlearn/

http://ocw.usu.edu/ -Utah State University

http://open.umich.edu/ -University of Michigan

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www.khanacademy.org

www.academicearths.org

www.coursera.com

www.edx.org

www.open2study.com

www.academicjournals.org

codeacademy.org

youtube.com/education

www.bookboon.com

http://ebookee.org

http://sharebookfree.com

http://m.freebooks.com

www.obooko.com

www.manybooks.net

www.epubbud.com

www.bookyards.com

www.getfreeebooks.com

http://freecomputerbooks.com

- 3. The revised academic calendar will be intimated in due course of time.
- 4. As academic requirement students have to take compulsory Industrial training/Project/Internship during summer break. Students of B.Tech who have to fulfill requirement of Industrial training/Project/Internship need to <u>read</u> the notification by Registrar, dated 08.04.2020. Students are advised following:
- a) They may take in-house projects with any faculty member of the institute. They may start contacting prospective supervisors, get the consent of the supervisor, intimate your respective Head of the Department and initiate work from home till institute re-opens. Continue the project after institute opens.
- b) Start exploring organizations that may permit work from home. You may start your project early after intimating your respective Head of the Department

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5. You (only final semester students) may have very short time to register for summer special examination. Department/Dean Academic recommendation is required for Summer special exam registration. You may start discussion with your HoD so that they will have list of your backlog courses for appointing faculty member for doubt clearance, examination and grading. Students are strongly advised to start reading the backlog courses using old study material.

I hope the students will understand the situation under which these decisions are taken. We shall collectively make all efforts so that academic activities do not suffer from the crisis.

Stay at home, Stay safe.

With Best wishes

Dean (Academic)