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School of Sciences

Date: 4th March, 2021

Sub: Regarding the conduct of December 2020 Term End Practical
Examinations of the M.Sc (MACS) programme

The practical Term End Examinations for the M.Sc (MACS) programme are conducted in the months of January and July, after the December and June Term End Examinations, respectively. In the practical term end examination, the student have to carry out programming exercises followed by a Viva Voce.

However, because of the situation that prevails due to the Covid-19 pandemic, it is not possible to conduct the practical examinations for December 2020 in the usual manner. In lieu of this, the programme team has recommended that a written examination could be held and the Viva Voce component will be waived. The final marks will be scaled up to compensate for the weightage of Viva Voce.

The programme team of M.Sc (MACS) proposes to conduct written Examination as assessment for the practical component of the courses of M.Sc. (MACS) in the last week of March, 2021. This proposal is specifically for the final year students who took admission in January 2019 and before and who have submitted the examinations forms for December 2020 TEE to be held in the Feb.-March, 2021.

The details of the proposal are given in the Appendix for the kind consideration and approval of the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor.

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Submitted for your kind approval, please, Sir

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04.03.2021

The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor

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As per the proposal approved by Hon'ble VC for the conduct of the practical term end Examination in the last week of March, 2021 (copy attached), the Action Plan for the conduct of Exam for the practical Courses of these programmes is given below:

Procedure for the Conduct of Examinations for Lab Courses

The following procedure is proposed by the School of Sciences for the smooth conduct of the examinations of M.Sc (MACS):

1. There are 9 lab courses for which examinations are to be scheduled. The course-wise details are as follows:

S.No.	Date	Timings	Course Code
1.	Day 1(25-03-2021)	10 AM – 12 NOON	MMT-001P
2.	Day 1(25-03-2021)	12:30 PM – 2 PM	MMT-007P
3.	Day 1(25-03-2021)	2:30 PM – 4 PM	MMT-008P
5.	Day 2(26-03-2021)	10 AM – 11:30 NOON	MMTE-001P
6.	Day 2(26-03-2021)	12:30 PM – 2 PM	MMTE-003P
7.	Day 2(26-03-2021)	2:30 PM – 4 PM	MMTE-004P
8.	Day 3(27-03-2021)	10 AM – 11:30 NOON	MMTE-005P
9.	Day 3(27-03-2021)	12:30 PM – 2 PM	MMTE-006P
10.	Day 3(27-03-2021)	2:30 PM – 4 PM	MMTE-007P

3. Moderated question papers for all the courses are already available with the SED and can be used for this purpose.
4. The answer booklets containing students response, will be collected and sent to the approved evaluators for evaluation. The evaluators will fill the award sheets provided to them and forward them to the SED for processing. The standard award sheets used for theory examinations may be used for this purpose.
5. The question papers would be encrypted and mailed to the Regional Directors as per the practice in the University. Photocopies of the print-out of question papers would be arranged by the Regional Director concerned or an Officer of the University designated for this purpose.

Revised
Schedule
dated 9th
March
may be
implemented
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6. RSD/RCs may identify the examination centers based on the number of eligible learners.
7. RSD/RCs may inform the eligible learners well in advance about the schedule of Examination, the mode of examination and the syllabi of lab courses and venue of Examination Centre through web portal and other modes. The SED will provide to RSD the data of the learners who enrolled for the programme in the January, 2019, session and filled the examination forms for the December 2020 practical Term End Examination, with a copy to the programme team for information.
9. The payment for evaluation would be as per the existing University norms and would be coordinated by the designated Officer of the University.

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As per the discussion held with the Registrar(SD) the dates of the practical examinations of the programme M.Sc.(MACS) are being revised as per the given table:

There are 9 lab courses for which examinations are to be scheduled. The course-wise details are as follows:

S.No.	Date	Timings	Course Code
1.	Day 1(22-03-2021)	10 AM – 12 NOON	MMT-001P
2.	Day 1(22-03-2021)	12:30 PM – 2 PM	MMT-007P
3.	Day 1(22-03-2021)	2:30 PM – 4 PM	MMT-008P
5.	Day 2(23-03-2021)	10 AM – 11:30 NOON	MMTE-001P
6.	Day 2(23-03-2021)	12:30 PM – 2 PM	MMTE-003P
7.	Day 2(23-03-2021)	2:30 PM – 4 PM	MMTE-004P
8.	Day 3(24-03-2021)	10 AM – 11:30 NOON	MMTE-005P
9.	Day 3(24-03-2021)	12:30 PM – 2 PM	MMTE-006P
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