

University of Kashmir

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES IN THE WAKE OF COVID 19 CRISES

The Heads of the Departments/Directors of Satellite Campuses/Principals of PG Colleges/Coordinator of PG Programmes are informed that the following instructions are issued for effective completion of academic activities for different semesters of 2018 and 2019 batches:

- 1. The remaining portion of syllabi, if any, for PG 1st Semester 2019 batch and PG 2nd Semester 2018 batch shall be completed by the end of **April 2020** positively.
- 2. The semester examinations for PG 1st Semester 2019 batch and PG 2nd Semester 2018 batch shall be conducted as per the recommendations of an Expert Committee constituted by UGC for the same. The Committee is expected to submit its report shortly. The updated instructions in this regard shall be communicated accordingly.
- 3. The online class work for Core (Cr) and Discipline Centre Elective (DCE) courses of the PG 2nd Semester 2019 batch and PG 3rd Semester 2018 batch shall start from MAY 01, 2020 positively. The corresponding OE/GE courses **SHALL NOT** be offered for the time being. The authorities shall intimate any update regarding OE/GE courses in due course of time. However, the respective academic counsellors of departments must guide and help their students in choosing DCE Courses and complete the process by April 28, 2020 and transmit the same information along with Timetables for Online Classes to concerned course in-charge and students. For the information of the concerned ACs and students the course baskets for both the upcoming semesters have been put on the University's Main website under "CBCS" tab in footer portion. Needless to mention that teachers can use any feasible online platform for virtual classes and other academic activities and supplement the same with Power-point presentations with inbuilt narration (audio), Audio records of lectures, study material, web-links of relevant documentaries/films and other suitable media. The students should also be given individual assignments.

Sd/-**Chief Coordinator CBCS**

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- 2. PA to Dean Academic Affairs for information to Dean Academic Affairs.
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