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Sub: Call letter for the Written Screening Test-cum-Interview for admission into the Ph.D. programme of Department of Biosciences and Bioengineering, for July 2019 Session

Dear Applicant,

With reference to your application for admission into the Ph.D. programme of the Department of **Biosciences and Bioengineering**, you are hereby requested to appear for the **Written Screening Test-cum-Interview** as per the following schedule:

Date & Time of Written Screening Test	27th May 2019, 9:00 am – 11:00 am
Date & Time of Commencement of Interview	27th May 2019, 2:00 pm onwards
Reporting Time	8:00 AM on 27th May 2019
Venue for Written Screening Test	Lecture complex, IIT Guwahati, Guwahati-781039, Assam
Venue for Interview	Committee room, Department of Biosciences and Bioengineering

Please note that the interview is very likely to continue until the **evening of 29th May 2019**.

Candidates have to appear for a written screening test first. Only those candidates who qualify in the written screening test will be interviewed. Also, please note the following:

(a) (1) firstly, you will be required to bring your downloaded and signed copy of the Online Application Form (*If due to some reasons, you filled-up more than one online application forms, you have to bring the latest and updated one only*), **ALONGWITH:**

(i) your coloured photograph of size 4.5 cm. x 3.5 cm., affixed on it;
(ii) self-attested copy of your Date of Birth Certificate (if Date of Birth is not mentioned in your Class X/XII Pass Certificate/Mark Sheet);

(iii) self-attested copies of Pass Certificates and Mark Sheets [**Mark Sheets should be complete for all semesters/years** of your educational qualifications (from Class X onwards)];

(iv) **if applicable**, self-attested copy of your Caste Certificate [*Please note that OBC (Non-creamy Layer) Certificate will have to be as per format prescribed in our Admission Notification for PhD programme, and issued by the competent authority on or after 01-04-2018, failure to which you will be considered under 'General' category*];

(v) **if applicable**, self-attested copy of your 'PwD' Certificate;

(vi) **if applicable**, the appropriate **Form in original** relating to candidate's studentship category [Sponsored (Full-Time)/Employed(Part-Time)/IITG's Project Staff (Full-Time or Part-Time)/External (Part-Time)] - *as per format prescribed in our Admission Notification for PhD programme*;

(vii) **as may be applicable**, copy of your qualifying degree Grade Point Average to Percentage conversion certificate (or proof thereof);

(viii) **as may be applicable**, self-attested copy of your valid GATE/CEED/NET(JRF)/INSPIRE Score Card. *This is a MUST for regular category candidates, except for*

candidate with M.E./M.Tech. /M. Des or equivalent;

candidates with Bachelors (B.Tech./B. Des.)/ Masters (M.A./M.Sc.) degree from an Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) with minimum CPI of 8.0;

(ix) *as may be applicable*, self-attested copy of Certificates relating to your professional experience etc.
(2) *As may be applicable*, you are also required to bring all **ORIGINAL documents relating to points (a)(1) (ii), (iii), (iv), (v), (vii), (viii) and (ix)**, for verification on the day of your **Written Screening Test and/or Interview**.
For outstation candidates, accommodation will be provided in the hostels. Detailed information regarding the arrangements may be obtained, at a later date, from the following link:
http://www.iitg.ac.in/biotech/phd2018dec/phd_info.html

Candidates are requested to check this link before departing for IIT Guwahati. They may directly proceed to respective hostels and contact the caretaker of the hostel for rooms. Please note that accommodation is provided only to the candidates and not to the accompanying persons. Candidates are advised to bring their own bed rolls/pillow etc. They may have food in the hostel mess (contact caretaker/caterer) for which they have to pay the charges directly to the caterer. **Candidates must be prepared to be in IIT Guwahati campus on 27th to 29th May, 2019. Under no circumstances will the order of the interview schedule be altered.**

A limited number of the institute buses (operated by Green Valley) run regularly from Guwahati city bus stop (from Near Cotton University Hostels adjacent to Reserve Bank of India, which is at a short distance from the Guwahati Railway Station) to IIT Guwahati. The working days timing for this bus service are: 6:45 am, 8:15 am, 10 am, 12 Noon, 1 pm, 2 pm, 3 pm, 4 pm, 5:15 pm, 6:45 pm, 7:30 pm, 8:00 pm, 8:30 pm, 8:55 pm.

For appearing in the Ph.D. written screening test-cum-interview under regular & full time category of candidates, TA (as per rules) will be paid for the shortest direct route from the place of communication (correspondence) address to Guwahati. This payment will be made via online bank transfer only and all such candidates are required to fill in their TA forms and the details of the bank account in which they would like to receive their reimbursement in the prescribed format (forms will be given during document verification process).

The list of selected candidates for admission will be displayed on the webpage of the Department of Biosciences and Bioengineering after approval from the Competent Authority. They will be required to deposit admission fee in full and report to the institute as per the instructions given in the intimation letter.

For any other announcements, updates and results **as well as timely follow-up actions to be taken**, the candidates will have to constantly monitor the instructions available in the website with URL:
http://www.iitg.ac.in/acad/Admission_July2019/ and also see the webpage <http://www.iitg.ac.in/biotech/index.html> of Department of Bioscience and Bioengineering, IIT Guwahati.
For any enquiry, you may contact the office of the Department of Bioscience and Bioengineering (Phone: 0361-2582250, Email: biooff@iitg.ac.in).


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*For payment related issues (including delay in receipt of TA amount), candidates are requested to contact the Finance and Accounts Section of IIT Guwahati (Email: acctoff@iitg.ac.in) and not the Department of BSBE.

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