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It is my privilege to extend warm greetings to all aspiring candidates for M.Tech./ M.Arch./ M.Plan./ M. Arch. and M.Des. admissions, and welcome each one of them to the Centralized Counseling Process, 2016. Education is considered as one of the important pillars for the national development effort, and technical education is an integral and most essential part of it. It is a powerful tool to build knowledge-based society of the 21st century. It is our constant endeavour to improve and expand technical education, for which the selection process is of primary and fundamental importance. In our dedicated effort to achieve this goal, and to empower the technocrats to become excellent human resource and also to contribute meaningfully to the nation and the human society, CCMT 2016 is resolute to select bright students for the post-graduate programmes in premier technical institutes of the country.

This year NIT Uttarakhand, NIT Mizoram, PEC Chandigarh and IIITD&M Kancheepuram have also joined CCMT to provide convenient and efficient window to the aspiring students for admission to their post-graduate programmes. Similar to the last year, all the admissions in participating institutes will be made on the basis of GATE score in the respective categories. To provide better opportunity to all eligible candidates of getting admission and full utilization of resources available with participating institutes, there will be four rounds of online counseling. Single application for all participating institutes will reduce physical, mental and financial burden on the candidates. Further, most of the participating institutes will be acting as reporting as well as help centers. Besides participating institutes, additional reporting as well as help centers at metro cities are also added for the candidates' convenience. Candidates can contact the nearby reporting centers for help and to participate in the seat allotment process. With thirty NITs and several Centrally Funded Technical Institutes having more than 400 programmes with different eligibility conditions, CCMT team at NITK Surathkal, participating institutes, and reporting centers are putting their best efforts to facilitate all aspiring and deserving candidates.

Being an online process of counseling, it is my duty to advise all the aspiring candidates to read, compile and analyze complete information about the institutes, programmes offered, eligibility conditions, fee structure, and all other relevant facts before filling the application form and their choices for institutes and programmes. Choice filling, editing choices, locking of choices are important processes and should be done by the candidates very carefully. Candidates are also advised to go through the Information Brochure for details of the steps and schedule of admission process in order to avoid any mistake or missing any important step/date.

I am sure that the CCMT 2016 admission process will provide a simplified and better way of admission without compromising with the quality of students and efficient utilization of national resources. I once again take this opportunity to wish all the very best

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