



# M.Tech (Data Science and Engineering) **Semester Orientation - Dissertation**

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# Agenda

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- Dissertation Process
- Calendar of Events
- Details on Grading
- Dissertation Reports
- Modus Operandi

# Dissertation Process

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- People involved
  - Students, Supervisor, Examiner
- Supervisor
  - Roles
  - Qualification
    - B.Tech (10+ years of Experience) with Domain Expertise
    - M.E/ M. Tech/ Ph.D (5+ years of Experience) with Domain Expertise
    - Must work in the same organization
- Examiners
  - Assigned by BITS
  - Roles

# Dissertation Process

- Stages
  - Submission of Proposal & Review
  - Assessment of Mid Semester Progress
  - Final Evaluation
- Timelines

Review of Proposals	5/September/2020	6/September/2020	5/September/2020	6/September/2020
Review of Mid-Sem Progress	17/October/2020	18/October/2020	24/October/2020	25/October/2020
Final Evaluation	12/December/2020	13/December/2020	19/December/2020	20/December/2020

- Technology Support
  - Interactions with examiners - WebEx
  - Submission of documents - canvas

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Activity	Submission Deadline	Evaluation
Synopsis	31st of August, 2020	First and Second Weeks of September, 2020
Mid-Semester	24th of October, 2020	Between 25/October/2020 and 01/November/2020
Final Evaluation	21/December/2020	Between 22/December/2020 and 31/December/2020

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# Dissertation Process

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- Grading Process
  - Synopsis (Accepted / Rejected)
  - Mid Semester (Excellent / Good / Fair / Poor / RRA)
  - Final Evaluation (Excellent / Good / Fair / Poor / RRA)
- Expectations
  - Proportionate to 16 weeks of effort
  - M.Tech Level of work
  - Original unpublished quality work
  - Reporting as per BITS requirements

# Modus Operandi

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- Registration [ open from 14<sup>th</sup> of August,2020 ]
- Submit the preliminary details of the project
  - <https://forms.gle/BQ8EucuWzGujVb3W7>
- Upload of Documents [canvas]
- Declaration of Results

# Q & A





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Thank You