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To,

The Principals of all engineering colleges under the ambit of the university

The Chairpersons /Program coordinators of the PG department of the university

Sir/Madam,

Sub: Meeting with all the Principals of all the Institutions of VTU on Friday,
8th September 2023 at Lalit Ashok Hotel, Bengaluru.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation for attending the principals' meet at Lalit Ashok Hotel, Bengaluru on Friday, 8th September 2023. I would like to explain a couple of issues brought up during the discussion that are referred to as quarries.

01. **Registration to honors degree program:** Circular on registration for the honors program vide VTU/MYS/VTU-COE/2023-24/55 has been issued. For students, who were admitted as regular students in 2020–21 and lateral entry students in 2021–22, with USN numbers of XXX20XXXX and XXX21XXXX, respectively, the revised circular, dated 30.08.2023, is applicable. This circular was published to provide one more opportunity to the students whose CGPA is 7.5 and above, but not registered earlier. However, already registered students will continue their studies and appear for examinations to NPTEL courses that are published by the respective BoS. Also, this provision is given to the students because the NPTEL courses are now made available on the VTU portal @ <http://www.online.vtu.ac.in> and are available 24X7 and examinations do not clash with major programs' courses examinations.
02. For regular students (2021 batch), who will finish their fourth semester SEE in the month of October 2023, a separate notification for enrollment in the honors program will be made available. However, if students who are currently enrolled in their fourth semester have registered in accordance with the circular VTU/MYS/VTU-COE/2023-24/55, Dated: 30.08.2023, their confirmation for enrollment will be made available in the month of October 2023 after receiving their fourth-semester results.
03. **Minor Degree Program:** The uploading of the courses of minor degree programs is in progress. Soon the registration for the minor degree program will be notified for the present 4th semester B.E./B.Tech., students.
04. **Regarding Skill Enhancement Courses in place of Internship:** Circular VTU/BGM/Aca/BoS/2023/257, Dated: 10.04.2023 says the students can take up skill enhancement courses in place of Internship/s. The 2021 scheme has three internships.
 - a) Intra/Inter-Institutional Internship (03 weeks) (02 credits) as per the guidelines provided @ <https://vtu.ac.in/pdf/regulations2021/anex4.pdf> it is possible for all the students to complete this internship in the college itself.

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- b) Innovation/Entrepreneurship/**Societal** Internship (04 weeks) (03 Credits) As per the guidelines given for this internship @ [https://vtu.ac.in/pdf/regulations 2021/anex4.pdf](https://vtu.ac.in/pdf/regulations%2021/anex4.pdf) it is possible for all the students to complete this internship. If Innovation/Entrepreneurship is not available at least **Societal internship provision** can be made by the department/college.
- c) Research Internship/ Industry Internship (24 weeks) (15 Credits) Soon the guidelines related to skill Enhancement courses to be completed against this Internship will be notified.

05. 2021 scheme Innovation/Entrepreneurship /Societal Internship (04 weeks) (03 Credits)

The tentative Academic Calendar for V semester B.E./B.Tech.program for the academic year 2023-24 will be

Commencement of the Semester	25.10.2023
Internship	25.10.2023 to 23.11.2023
Commencement of Classes	25.11.2023

The detailed Academic Calendar will be published after the 4th semester's examination.

- 06. Model Question Papers;** Communicated to the Board of Studies Members and Board of Examinations Members to prepare the Model Question Papers for all the new scheme subjects and will be made available soon.

You are hereby requested to bring the content of this circular to the notice of all students and faculty concerned without fail. If any additional information is required send an email to sbhvtuso@yahoo.com

This is for your kind information.

Yours faithfully,

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