Subject: Screening Test / Interview for admission to Ph.D program in Statistics, for session 2016-17 (II), to be held on December 08, 2016

Dear Applicant,

This is with reference to your application for admission to the Ph.D. program in Statistics at the Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur.

You have been shortlisted for interview for admission to the Ph.D. program in Statistics. Kindly report to the office of Department of Mathematics & Statistics at 9:00 a.m. on December 08, 2016, Thursday. The interviews would start from 10:00 a.m. onwards. You are advised to make your travel plans accordingly.

Please take note of the following:

1. The shortlisting criteria for the written test of Ph.D Admissions (2016-17-II) is available on the department website (http://www.iitk.ac.in/math/PhD.html). Kindly come for the interview only if you fulfill the criteria as given.

2. In case your qualifying degree examination results are not declared by the time of interview, you must bring a letter from the responsible authority of your college or university stating that you have appeared in the qualifying examination. If selected, you must produce the documents of having passed the qualifying examination with the minimum stipulated marks by February 28, 2017, failing which your admission will be automatically cancelled.
3. You must bring with you all certificates of academic qualifications (including score card of GATE / result of UGC or CSIR examination / letter of NBHM or INSPIRE fellowship) at the time of interview.

4. IIT Kanpur is about 16 Km from Kanpur Central Railway station. From Kanpur Central station, you may come to IIT either by an autorickshaw or a taxi. Autorickshaw fare is about Rs 200/-. A cheaper way is to come up to Bara Chauraha by a cycle rickshaw, from the City Side of the station (the charges usually being Rs 20-25) and then take a tempo which charges a fare of about Rs 20 per passenger and comes up to the gate of the Institute. One can take a cycle rickshaw from IIT gate to the Hall of Residence (Hostel), where arrangements have been made for your overnight stay. The female candidates have been provided accommodation in (GH Tower) and the male candidates have been accommodated in Hostel – (V). The information about your accommodation will also be available at the Security Check Point at the entry gate of IIT Kanpur campus. The room rent will be approximately Rs 50 per day plus some miscellaneous charges. Applicants are advised to bring bedding, mosquito repellent, lock & key and other necessary articles as required by them. Please note that no mattress, pillow, blanket or quilt will be provided in the hostel rooms.

5. Please make sure that you bring this letter along with you at the time of reporting for the interview on December 08, 2016.

With best wishes,

Head, Department of Mathematics & Statistics
IIT Kanpur