Subject: Written test and interview for admission to Ph.D. program in Statistics for academic session 2019-20(I)

Dear Applicant,

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

You have been shortlisted for a written (screening) test to be conducted for this purpose. Kindly report to Lecture Hall L18 at 8:10 a.m. on Thursday, May 09, 2019. The test will start from 8:30 a.m. Your registration no. will be your roll no. for this test. If you qualify in this test, you will be interviewed either on May 09, or 10. You are advised to make your travel plans accordingly.

Please take careful note of the following:

1. The shortlisting criteria for the written test of Ph.D. admissions (2019-20-I) is available at [http://www.iitk.ac.in/doaa/DOAA/pg-eligibility-criteria.htm](http://www.iitk.ac.in/doaa/DOAA/pg-eligibility-criteria.htm). Kindly come for the test only if you fulfill the criteria as given there.

2. In case your qualifying degree examination final results are not declared by the time of the written test, you must bring a letter from the responsible authority of your college or university stating that you have appeared in the qualifying examination.

3. You must bring with you all original 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 appearing for the written test. Category certificate, if any, should be produced in original and in proper format for verification.

4. In the event of your final selection, please note that you must complete all requirements of the qualifying degree before joining the Institute. These requirements include any project viva or thesis viva.
5. For accommodation during the selection process (Written test/ Interview) at IIT Kanpur, you are requested to visit the following URL by clicking https://oag.iitk.ac.in/Oa/pgaco.jsp. In case of any doubt please drop a mail to surajitd@iitk.ac.in.

6. IIT Kanpur is about 16 Km. from Kanpur Central Railway station. From Kanpur Central Station, you may come to IIT either by an auto rickshaw or a taxi. Auto rickshaw fare is about Rs 250/- to 300/-. 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 shared-tempo which charges a fare of about Rs.20 per passenger and comes up to the gate of the Institute. Necessary guidance, if required, may be sought from the security post at the main gate of the institute. One can take a cycle rickshaw from IITK gate to concern Hall of Residence (Hostel) where you have booked the room for your overnight stay.

7. Please make sure that you bring this letter along with you at the time of reporting for the written test on May 09, 2019.

With best wishes,

[Signature]

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