Dear candidate:

**Subject:** Your Application for the PhD admission in 2019-20-II Semester.

With reference to your application, you are requested to report on December 05, 2019 at 9.30 AM at L16, Lecture Hall Complex, Academic area, IIT Kanpur. All candidates will have to appear in a written test at 10:00 AM on December 05, 2019. This test will comprise of **compulsory sections on applied mathematics and basic English**, and another **section based on your first choice of the stream** (Solid Mechanics and Design, Fluid Mechanics and Thermal Sciences, Manufacturing Sciences, or Robotics and Automation). The syllabus for the examination papers is given on the admissions website.

All shortlisted candidates coming for written test for PhD admission should note:
1. No calculators of any type are allowed in the Mathematics Question Paper
2. Non-programmable scientific calculators will be allowed for the specialization/stream question paper.
3. Late arrival after 10:00 am will not be allowed to enter the examination room. Therefore, you are suggested to come one day earlier for the examination.

Please keep note of your application number. You will need to enter this on your answersheet of the written test.

Names of the candidates shortlisted for interview, will be displayed at the examination venue at 6:00 PM on December 05, 2019. Interviews for the shortlisted candidates will start from 9:00 AM of December 06, 2019. You are requested to plan your return journey after 8:00 PM on December 06, 2019.

For accommodation at IIT Kanpur you are requested to visit the DOSA site of IIT Kanpur by clicking the url [https://oag.iitk.ac.in/Ou/pgaco.jsp](https://oag.iitk.ac.in/Ou/pgaco.jsp). Please note that the portal will be functional only after 20-11-2019.

Please bring your original certificates, mark sheets and project reports of both the bachelor’s and master’s degrees. Students with only Bachelor's Degree in Engineering must also bring the original GATE score card (Exempted for CFTI's). If you belong to SC, ST, OBC or PH category, then you must bring the original certificate supporting your category. If you are presently employed, then you should produce a no objection certificate at the time of the interview. For candidates applying under the sponsored scheme, kindly bring a sponsorship certificate from your parent institute/organization, in original.

Please note that the interview will be technical in nature and questions asked will be both broad based as well as in the area of specialization indicated in your application. The detailed evaluation criterion along with the required documents supporting the evaluation can be obtained from our website [http://www.iitk.ac.in/me/academics/pg/pg-admission/](http://www.iitk.ac.in/me/academics/pg/pg-admission/). Note that your application will be considered incomplete without these documents and hence may not be considered favorably. Kindly send the following documents (if not already uploaded with the application), in support of your application, to the Convener DPGC, (dpgece@gmail.com) before November 25, 2019.

- Statement of research (1-2 Pages)
- Abstract of Master’s thesis/bachelor project (not more than 1 page)
- B.Tech / M.Tech Mark-sheets (scanned copies)
- GATE score card (if any)
- Letters of references

**Note:** You have been shortlisted for written test on the basis of the data provided by you in admission portal (pingala). If any discrepancy is found later, your candidature may not be considered.

(Anurag Gupta)
Convener, DPGC

**Note:** I.I.T. Kanpur Campus is about 18 kms from Kanpur Central Railway Station. From the station, you may hire a cycle rickshaw upto BARA CHOURAHA at about Rs. 10/- and then travel by a tempo taxi to IIT Gate at about Rs. 20/- per head. From the IIT Gate you may again take a cycle rickshaw into the Campus at Rs. 10/-. Taxies and Three-wheelers from the station (Platform No.1 side) are also available and the fare from Railway Station to IIT Campus is around Rs. 250/- and Rs. 300/- respectively.