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Sub: Higher Education post COVID-19 era: Dr. Ramesh Pokhriyal 'Nishank', Hon'ble Minister for Human Resource Development in conversation with Vice Chancellors on 11th May, 2020 at 4.00 pm.

Dear Vice Chancellors/Directors,

The Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD) under the visionary guidance and directions of Dr. Ramesh Pokhriyal 'Nishank', Hon'ble Minister for Human Resource Development has taken several measures both at Higher Education as well as at school level for combating the impact of COVID-19 pandemic on the students.

Association of Indian Universities (AIU) is also contributing in the cause by organizing online workshops for capacity building of, faculty for teaching online, placement officers for online placements, university social responsibility, invited talks by eminent personalities etc. The strategies adopted by Indian universities at this crucial juncture to safeguard the interest of the students are also being documented in the form of a book by the AIU.

I have the pleasure of informing you that on the request of the Association of Indian Universities, Dr. Ramesh Pokhriyal 'Nishank', Hon'ble Minister for Human Resource Development has kindly consented to have an online interactive session with the Vice Chancellors and academia on the topic "Higher Education post COVID-19 era"

The event shall be live streamed on Facebook Live on Monday, the 11th May, 2020 at 4pm at https://www.facebook.com/cmnishank. Prof. D. P. Singh, Chairman, UGC and Prof. Anil D. Sahsrabudhe, Chairman, AICTE shall also be joining the conversation. This will be a good opportunity for the Vice Chancellors, faculty and students to interact with Hon'ble Minister on various issues relating to higher education.

May I request you to kindly join the online interactive session and also encourage your faculty members, Research Scholars and students to join the session on Monday, the 11th May, 2020 through Facebook Live by clicking on the link: https://www.facebook.com/cmnishank. We shall also be grateful if you disseminate the information about this event through your social media channels.

Looking forward to your online presence in the event in large numbers.

With warm regards,

Yours sincerely.

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