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### ATTENTION - B.TECH VII & VIII SEMESTER STUDENTS

#### CIRCULAR

**Sub: CREDIT TRANSFER - SELF LEARNING FACILITY -THROUGH SWAYAM-NPTEL MOOCs - AMENDMENTS TO RULES AND REGULATIONS - URR18 - B.TECH VII & VIII SEMESTER STUDENTS - INSTRUCTIONS - Reg.**

Ref.1: Rules and regulations for undergraduate programme -B.Tech 4-year degree programme (URR-18) - **Section-10.11.**

Ref.2: Rules and regulations for undergraduate programme -B.Tech 4-year degree programme (URR-18) - **Section-10.11.6.**

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#### A. SELF LEARNING (SL) FOR B.TECH VII & VIII SEMESTER STUDENTS

The final year student need to prioritize their time for multiple activities, which include academic goals like (i) preparation for campus placements (ii) preparation for higher education (GATE/GRE/others) (iii) doing major projects (iv) placement internship/industry connect internship/industrial project (v) research papers/patents and other academic activities. To focus on the above activities, the final year students are given the option to complete the final year courses through **self-learning mode**.

**Self Learning Mode:** In self learning mode, the final year students shall be allowed to complete their VII & VIII semester courses of the URR-18 scheme online (except lab courses & major projects), by opting for SWAYAM-NPTEL MOOCs during the VII and VIII semesters.

- Students of VII semester are allowed to take & complete all theory courses of VII semester online during July-Dec session of SWAYAM-NPTEL. Students of VIII semester are allowed to take & complete all theory courses of VIII semester online during Jan-June session of SWAYAM-NPTEL.
- Eligibility:** Only students without backlogs are permitted to take SWAYAM-NPTEL MOOC courses in self learning mode.
- Backlogs condition:** The backlog condition shall be checked at the time of SWAYAM-NPTEL registration for that semester (*backlogs are considered based on the latest results, as on date of consideration*).
- BoS Chair-Releasing equivalent MOOCs for final year theory courses in April/May & Nov/Dec: From the list of courses released by the SWAYAM-NPTEL for July-Dec session & Jan-June sessions, the internal BoS has to identify the equivalent SWAYAM-

NPTEL MOOCs for theory courses. The BoS chairperson of the programme shall release the BoS-approved list of equivalent MOOCs for that academic year/semester, well before the commencement of academic year/semester, preferably in April/May for VII semester courses & in Nov/Dec for VIII semester courses, and get the options from the willing students to take MOOCs under self learning mode.

- (e) **Releasing the list of students who opted to do MOOCs for the theory courses:** The HoD shall release the list of students who opted to do SWAYAM-NPTEL MOOCs for theory courses during the last week of May for VII semester courses & December for VIII semester courses. This students' list for each MOOC shall also indicate the identified **faculty coordinator for that MOOC**. A copy shall be communicated to the CoE and Dean, AA.
- (f) **The faculty coordinator for MOOC:** The faculty coordinator shall join the MOOC as a course mentor and shall follow-up for (i) ensuring SWAYAM-NPTEL MOOC registration by students on time, in coordination with the SWAYAM Institute faculty coordinator; (ii) consistent efforts by students in watching all videos; submitting all assignments on time; and (iii) students registering for the NPTEL exam.
- (g) **Credit Transfer:** The credits earned by the student from MOOCs will be considered for the credits of the B.Tech degree, if and only if the student completes the MOOCs listed under the **BoS-approved equivalent SWAYAM-NPTEL MOOCs for theory courses**.
- (h) If a student is interested in choosing a MOOC which is **not listed under BoS-approved equivalent SWAYAM-NPTEL MOOCs for theory courses**, the internal BoS shall take an appropriate decision and, if permitted, the same shall be informed to the Dean, AA, and a copy shall be sent to CoE.
- (i) The amended rule **10.11.6-A22** is applicable, in case the student is unable to complete the MOOC for theory courses.
- (j) Once SWAYAM- NPTEL declares the results, the HoD shall submit the results of the MOOCs registered students for MOOCs to the CoE for credit transfer. Copies of SWAYAM- NPTEL certificates of the students should be attached. The faculty coordinator for the relevant MOOCs will assist with this process.
- (k) Each BoS, for its UG program, shall approve the list of SWAYAM-NPTEL courses of 8 week/12 week duration, which shall be considered equivalent to 03 credits courses. (*CAM table is to be prepared for equivalent SWAYAM-NPTEL course with CO-PO mapping*).
- (l) **SWAYAM-NPTEL Certifications of any 04 weeks course will not be considered for credit transfer.**

**Note:** *The HoD will schedule laboratory classes for students who chose to complete the VII/VIII semester in self-learning mode during the N-3 and N-2 weeks of course work.*

- In light of the above guidelines, the VII & VIII semester students are highly encouraged to take SWAYAM-NPTEL MOOCs for self learning.
- The HoDs concerned will release the list of SWAYAM-NPTEL MOOC courses approved by the BoS and students can exercise their options for course registration.
- For immediate information the students may contact their HoDs.



DEAN, ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

To,

1. All HoDs with a request -
  - (i) for circulation among students
  - (ii) to educate the V & VII semester students (by convening online meeting through MS Teams) on SWAYAM-NPTEL MOOCs for PEs/OEs, Self Learning for VII & VIII semester courses and Acceleration Programme for V-semester students
  - (ii) to submit compliance on A - (d), (e), (f) on or before 27.07.2022, Wednesday (*as SWAYAM-NPTEL MOOC registrations are closing by July 2022*)
2. The CoE with a request - for necessary action and arrangements for credit transfer, grading, printing of SWAYAM-NPTEL MOOCs on grade sheets & CGS

Copy to the following for information

1. The Chairman, KITSW
2. The Principal
3. The faculty through HoDs
4. The AAC
5. The TPO
6. Professor in-charge HMP
7. SWAYAM Institute Faculty Coordinator
8. Professor in-charge OBE
9. The AO
10. Academic Section