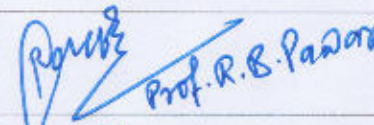




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MOOC Promotion Policy

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Objectives:

1. FREE E-Learning
2. Motivate for Self Learning
3. Anywhere / Anybody / Anytime
4. Multi-Disciplinary Learning approach
5. Flexibility of Learning
6. Quality Learning from IITs/IIMs/IISc Faculty



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SWAYAM-NPTEL LOCAL Chapter ID: 211

About SWAYAM

SWAYAM is a programme initiated by the Government of India and designed to achieve the three cardinal principles of Education Policy viz., access, equity and quality. The objective of this effort is to take the best teaching learning resources to all, including the most disadvantaged. SWAYAM seeks to bridge the digital divide for students who have hitherto remained untouched by the digital revolution and have not been able to join the mainstream of the knowledge economy.

MOOCs are done through a platform that facilitates hosting of all the courses, taught in classrooms from Class 9 till post-graduation to be accessed by anyone, anywhere at any time. All the courses are interactive, prepared by the best teachers in the country and are available, free of cost to any learner. More than 1,000 specially chosen faculty and teachers from across the country have participated in preparing these courses.

The courses hosted on SWAYAM are in 4 quadrants – (1) video lecture, (2) specially prepared reading material that can be downloaded/printed (3) self-assessment tests through tests and quizzes and (4) an online discussion forum for clearing the doubts. Steps have been taken to enrich the learning experience by using audio-video and multimedia and state of the art pedagogy / technology.

In order to ensure that best quality content is produced and delivered, nine National Coordinators have been appointed. They are:

1. **AICTE** (All India Council for Technical Education) for self-paced and international courses
2. **NPTEL** (National Programme on Technology Enhanced Learning) for Engineering
3. **UGC** (University Grants Commission) for non-technical post-graduation education
4. **CEC** (Consortium for Educational Communication) for under-graduate education



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5. **NCERT** (National Council of Educational Research and Training) for school education
6. **NIOS** (National Institute of Open Schooling) for school education
7. **IGNOU** (Indira Gandhi National Open University) for out-of-school students
8. **IIMB** (Indian Institute of Management, Bangalore) for management studies
9. **NITTTR** (National Institute of Technical Teachers Training and Research) for Teacher Training programme

Courses delivered through SWAYAM are available free of cost to the learners, however learners wanting a SWAYAM certificate should register for the final proctored exams that come at a fee and attend in-person at designated centers on specified dates.

NPTEL has been offering self-study courses across engineering, humanities and science streams for more than a decade. These are available at: <http://nptel.ac.in>. From March 2014 NPTEL has been offering online certification for its courses, the highlight being the certification exam through which the student gets an opportunity to earn a certificate from the IITs!

These are available at: <https://swayam.gov.in/NPTEL>

To take this initiative forward and to encourage more students across colleges to participate in this initiative, we formed SWAYAM-NPTEL chapter in GIT colleges (with the approval of the management) which will be under the headship of a faculty member of the college, who would be our Single Point of Contact (SPOC: Prof.Rajkumar B. Pawar). The SPOC updated about all the latest NPTEL initiatives and give him information which he can disseminate among the students/staff. He can identify suitable mentors for various courses, who can ensure that students are active in a course, are submitting their assignments on time and also clarify the doubts they may have.



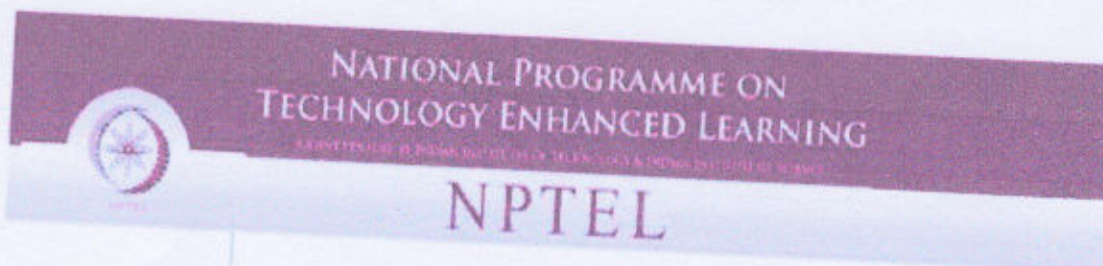
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MAHARASHTRA

2018-08-26

Dear Sir/Madam,

Sub: Establishing SWAYAM NPTEL Local Chapter in your college.

Greetings from the NPTEL office.

This is to acknowledge the receipt of your letter accepting to host SWAYAM NPTEL Local Chapter in your institution.

The Single Point of Contact (SPOC) nominated from your college is

Name of SPOC: PROF RAJKUMAR B PAWAR
Designation: ASSISTANT PROFESSOR
Department: COMPUTER ENGINEERING
Contact No(s): 9921737394
E-mail id: npitel@git-india.edu.in

We wish to inform you that all future correspondence related to NPTEL contents and online courses will be made to the afore-mentioned SPOC. He/she will be routinely updated with all the latest NPTEL initiatives which then may be circulated among the students.

We are also happy to share that a dedicated SWAYAM NPTEL Local Chapter web page is being created and your institution will have a separate page on it (<http://archive.nptel.ac.in/LocalChapter>)

Thanking you.

Sincerely

Prof. Andrew Thangaraj
NPTEL Coordinator
IIT MADRAS



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Circular

The college wishes to actively participate in massive online open certification courses (MOOC) which includes NPTEL, SWAYAM, Spoken Tutorial, EdX, Coursera etc.

Following faculty members will actively participate .

Prof. Rajkumar B.Pawar Co-ordinator

Prof. Nagraj Koppa

Prof. Pratik Oak

Prof. Nitin Kolekar

Prof. Priyanka Pawaskar

Prof. Sonali Sonawane

Mrs.Amruta Deosthali – Member Secretary

Mrs.Amruta Deosthali will have responsibility of maintaining committee records, registration etc. She will facilitate completion of courses by faculty & other participants.

(Dr.P.S.Joshi)
Principal



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For GIT Student

In line with the guidelines provided under NEP 2020, UGC, AICTE and University of Mumbai we need to promote MOOC courses. As per the curriculum revision is focused on knowledge component, skill based activities and project based activities. Self-learning opportunities are provided to learners. In the revision process this time in particular Revised syllabus of 'C ' scheme wherever possible additional resource links of platforms such as NPTEL, SWAYAM are appropriately provided.

To motivate GIT's students for e-learning/self-learning considering AICTE/UGC mandate regarding MOOC promotion and to achieve more MOOC certification following policy is sanctioned.

1. Start of every Semester for successful student's Felicitation Program will be organized by our Local Chapter.
2. In Felicitation program, Appreciation of the candidate who achieves 90% and greater (Gold Medal) by awarding Rs.500/- prize.
3. It is applicable for One course (4/8/12 weeks) per semester for SWAYAM-NPTEL Courses.
4. Learners are encourages to transfer these Course credits to ABC as per the AICTE/UGC guidelines.



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For GIT Staff/ Faculty

To motivate GIT's Staff/faculty for e-learning/self-learning considering AICTE/UGC mandate regarding MOOC promotion and to achieve more MOOC certification following promotional policy is sanctioned.

1. As per the AICTE F.No. AICTE/RIFD/FDP through MOOCs/2017-18 Dated 06.09.2018 and UGC notification REGD. NO. D. L.-33004/99 MOOC courses are approved as Faculty Development Programme for faculty promotions under CAS. -Reg. for Engineering Colleges faculty in India.
2. Start of every Semester for successful Staff/Faculty Felicitation Program will be organized by our Local Chapter.
3. In Felicitation program, Appreciation of the Staff/Faculty who achieves 90% and greater (Gold Medal) by awarding Rs.500/- prize.
4. As we kept reserved marks for MOOC courses in PBAS for Staff/Faculty
5. It is applicable for One course (4/8/12 weeks) per semester for SWAYAM-NPTEL Courses.

Above Policy we prepared for promotion of MOOC courses. It is expected that maximum learners will get knowledge from MOOCs and get benefited from this policy.

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