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Sub: **Faculty Development Programme on Design, Development and Delivery of MOOCs for the faculty of Open Distance Education Institutions from 03-07 October, 2019.**

Respected Sir/Madam,

Greetings from STRIDE!

Staff Training and Research Institute of Distance Education (STRIDE) of Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU) has been organizing training programmes for faculty of Distance Education Institutions and State Open Universities from time to time on various themes of the Open and Distance Learning (ODL) system. STRIDE is a capacity building centre for open and distance education and STRIDE believe that capacity building is a capacity sharing activity. STRIDE by high caliber of its more than 32 years of experience has accumulated excellence in developing in self-learning material in ODL. According to the UGC (Credit Framework for Online Learning Courses through SWAYAM) Regulation, 2016, New Delhi, the 19th July, 2016 (Pg. 5), "...All the Institutions shall, within 4 weeks from the date of notification by SWAYAM, consider through their Competent Authority the online learning courses being offered through the SWAYAM platform; and keeping in view their academic requirements, decide upon the courses which it shall permit for credit transfer. Provided that an Institution can only allow up to 20% of the total courses being offered in a particular program in a Semester through the online learning courses provided through SWAYAM platform....". In continuation of our efforts to develop human resources in ODL systems and to familiarize SWAYAM and MOOCs for ODL faculty in the country, STRIDE is organizing a five days "Faculty Development Programme on Design, Development and Delivery of MOOCs for the faculty of Open Distance Education Institutions from 03-07 October, 2019" at IGNOU, HQ, Maidan Garhi, New Delhi.

The objectives of the Programme are:

- Sensitizing the Digital Initiatives of GOI in Higher Education;
- Instructional Design for MOOC Development & to understand the process of planning, designing and implementation online courses in line with SWAYAM MOOC requirements;
- E-Content Development (Script Writing/ Video Recording) with Generic Video Recording and Screen Capturing Tools;
- To enable the participants to learn and implemented the Blended Learning and Flipped Classroom
- To enable participants to learn using FOSS tool Moodle through hands-on-experience;
- To train the participants to use Moodle-MOOC as an adjunct to face-to-face teaching and to teach in a fully online or distance learning context and to get a feel for how their courses could be enhanced using Moodle-MOOC platform;
- To create better and active communication and collaboration with the students and to design and manage learning assessment using Moodle MOOC Platform;
- Exploring OER for Learning, teaching and Professional Development.

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### Methodology

The *workshop methodology* shall involve lead presentations by experts followed by discussion and also will provide hands on experiences. At the end of the programme, each participant is expected to design and develop of MOOCs. Participants are requested to bring their own devices i.e. laptop and smart phone.

### Resource Persons

The resource persons of this FDP are Prof. K. Srinivas, NUEPA, Dr. G. Mythili, STRIDE and many who are playing the role of capacity builders in ICT, SWAYAM, MOOCs, OER etc.

I take this opportunity to invite nominations from *your institution*. It is desirable to nominate at least two faculties in same discipline so as to make them master trainers in your institution. Like our earlier practice, each participant will be required to pay **Rs. 5000/- towards FDP Registration Fees**. Also, their TA/DA, accommodation and boarding charges at Delhi during the workshop have to be borne by the sponsoring institutions. STRIDE will provide working lunch and workshop kits. Once fees paid will not be refunded/adjusted as the seats are limited. However, based on the participants' request and availability at IGNOU Guest house, accommodation will be arranged on first come first serve basis. The rates for accommodation at IGNOU Guest House are as follows:

- Double Room (AC), twin share basis: Rs. 500/- per day per person and single sharing in double occupancy is also Rs. 500/-.
- Single Room (AC): Rs. 350/- per day per person.

I hope you would appreciate our efforts for capacity building in the ODL systems and stakeholders of policy implementation process and benefit your institution in maintaining quality in distance education. This is training of trainers programme. I shall request you kindly send the nominations at the earliest for the necessary arrangements at our end. **An electronic mail in this regard on the mail IDs given below will be highly appreciated.**

I shall request if your nomination(s) reach to us on or before **September 20, 2019** (first come first serve basis) along with **filled in Registration Form (enclosed)** and a **Demand Draft for Rs. 5000/-** per participant drawn in favour of **IGNOU, payable at New Delhi**.

For more details please contact Programme Coordinators as mention below.

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Looking forward to hearing from you soon.

With best regards,

Yours sincerely,

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Sir/Madam,

With reference to the above cited subject I do hereby nominate Ms. Moyir Riba, Assistant Professor, Institute of Distance Education, Rajiv Gandhi University, Doimukh, Arunachal Pradesh to attend the Faculty Development Programme held on Design, Development and Delivery of MOOCs for the faculty of Open Distance Education Institutions from 03-07 October, 2019.

This is for favour of your information and necessary action please.

Yours sincerely

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Director