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**Dharwad, Karnataka - 580011**

**DEPARTMENT OF MECHANICAL, MATERIALS AND AEROSPACE  
ENGINEERING**

**The Selection Process Details**

The selection process consists of two rounds.

**First round:** An online interview based on prior experience/MTech Project will be conducted to access the basic understanding related to project and overall Mechanical Engineering. The duration of this will be 20-30 min. You will be given a time-slot window (about 1–3 hours) during which we may connect with you anytime. The interaction must be taken on a desktop or laptop PC with a webcam, a speaker and a microphone. The candidates are not allowed to refer to their books and any online material during the test. The candidates are not permitted to communicate with any person during the test. The candidates may be remotely proctored via the webcam and screen-sharing options.

**Second round Interview:** Each applicant short-listed in first round will undergo an interview, with technical questions, for a duration of approximately 45 minutes. Access to books and online material is not permitted in this round, unless allowed by the interview panel. You will be given a time-slot window (about 1–3 hours) during which we may connect with you anytime. Your specific time-slot will be communicated to you. The interactions in the above rounds may be recorded by IIT Dharwad. Any suspicious activity indicating cheating during the first or second rounds of selection will be grounds for disqualification of candidature.

**Dos and Don'ts**

**Dos:**

- Please participate in a mock call session before the actual interview to ensure the audio-video set up is ready. Example, a pre-lunch slot mock call starts at 9:00 am.
- Please plan to have at least 2GB of data with you before the meeting. Also, try to locate yourself in a place with good internet speed (at least 1.5Mbps) for a good quality video interaction. Laptops/tablets are preferred for video conferencing.
- Have paper and pen or pencil calculators handy for any rough work.
- Keeping a glass of water ready may be a good idea.
- Ensure that equipment is charged to avoid power issues.
- Ensure that the place from where you are attending the interview is conducive for effective interaction online.
- Best Practices while in online meetings:

**Don'ts:**

- Sign in to the online client (Google Meet App/Desktop) 10-15 minutes ahead of scheduled meeting time and stay signed in
- Turn your camera on and have your camera at the eye level
- Stay muted unless you're talking to reduce background noise
- Make sure you sit in a well-lit and quiet place
- Be mindful of what's going on behind you. Think about having a solid wall/nice



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curtain behind you or turning on the virtual background (if available).

- Avoid windy noisy surroundings during interview
- Do not record interviews in any form. Any such act will be considered as violation of the pledge you signed online and may invite punitive action from IIT Dharwad.
- Do not ask about the schedule of the results. It is better to use interview time for other better inquiries as the results will be declared online as soon as possible.
- Do not leave your place in front of the camera for the entire duration of the interview.
- Prepare yourself to avoid any kind of break during interview, including restroom-break
- Do not have anyone else around you. Any interaction with someone else other than the interview panel during the interview will be considered as a suspicious activity.

Note - For any matter related to the selection process, the decision of the selection committee would be considered as the final decision.

**Schedule of Events**

First round of interviews: **21-26 November 2022**

Second round of interview: **28-30 November 2022**

Declaration of results: **9 December 2022**

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