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AIU/MEET/ZM/South/2022
November 21, 2022

Dear Vice Chancellor/Director,

Greetings from AIU!

Further to the reference of AIU D.O letter No. AIU/MEET/Zonal Meet/2022 dated September 12, 2022 (Copy attached for ready reference).

As you are aware, 'AtmaNirbhar Bharat' is the vision of the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India for making India self-reliant which is gaining momentum as India is celebrating 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav'. AIU, to support the initiative of 'AtmaNirbhar Bharat' and to promote the highest global standards of higher education, proposes to hold its National and Zonal Vice Chancellors' Meets - 2022-23 to realize this vision. Accordingly, the theme for the Annual General Meet and National Seminar of Vice Chancellors scheduled to be held during **March 23-25** at the University of Science & Technology, Meghalaya is **'Transformative Higher Education for AtmaNirbhar Bharat'**. As a run up to the Annual Meet, all the five Zonal Meets—North, East, Central, South and West are dedicated to its various sub-themes.

I am glad to inform you that **AIU South Zone Vice Chancellors' Meet - 2022-23** is being hosted by **Andhra University, Visakhapatnam, A. P** during **January 31-February 01, 2023**. The broad theme of the Meet is **'Research & Excellence for transformative Higher Education'**. I extend a cordial invitation to you to attend the Meet. In this meet, there will be deliberations on following sub-themes:

- (a) Research Funding
- (b) Promoting Quality & Relevant Research
- (c) Linking Teaching and Research

The Meet will have three Technical Sessions and one AIU Business Session apart from Inaugural Session and Valedictory Sessions. In the AIU Business Session, a brief of various initiatives undertaken by AIU in the recent past to improve the value-added services being provided to the member universities, for a better and enriching experience will be presented. Thereafter, regional issues and problems in the field of higher education; issues related to apex bodies; and issues related to AIU will be discussed. **I request you to kindly make it convenient to attend the Meet and contribute in the interactions of both Technical Sessions and AIU Business Session.**

Kindly block the dates in your diaries and finalize your travel programme well in advance. I request you to kindly confirm your participation and please send the information in the enclosed travel programme proforma to nodal officers of the Meet on the e-mail id **prof.kramji@andhrauniversity.edu.in**; and **meetings@aiu.ac.in**.

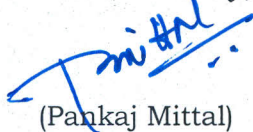
As mentioned above, the themes of all the Zonal Meets 2022-23 are based on **'Transformative Higher Education for AtmaNirbhar Bharat'** and are equally important for every one of us; the Vice Chancellors/ Directors of the South Zone may also join the Zonal VCs Meets of other Zones i.e North, East, Central and West through **Virtual Mode**.

The recommendations of this Zonal Meet will be taken up for discussions at the National Seminar of Vice Chancellors/ Annual General Meeting in the respective Session. Further, the recommendations of the Annual Meet will be forwarded to Government, universities and other related bodies for taking appropriate action at their respective level. The Programme Sheet containing all the details of the South Zone and other Zonal Vice Chancellors Meets-2022-23 along with joining links shall be shared with you closer to the Meets.

Looking forward for your presence and cooperation.

With warm regards,

Yours sincerely,



(Pankaj Mittal)

Encl: As above

**All Vice Chancellors/Directors of
AIU Member Universities/Institutions (South Zone)**

Registration/Travel Programme Proforma
AIU South Zone Vice Chancellors Meet 2022-23

Venue: Andhra University, Visakhapatnam, A. P

Dates: 31 January-01 February, 2023

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Registration cum Travel Program Performa

Name of the Vice Chancellor/Director:

Name of University/Institute:

Whether joining in person or through virtual mode:

Whether accompanied by spouse:

Contact Details if joining in person:

- i. Office Phone
- ii. Residence Phone
- iii. Email ID
- iv. Mobile No.
- v. Alternate Mobile No.
- vi. State
- vii. City
- viii. Mode of Travel Air / Train / Road
- ix. Date of arrival at Visakhapatnam Flight /Train No.
Date :
Time :
- x. Date of departure from Visakhapatnam Flight/Train No
Date
Time :
- xi. Whether accommodation required at Visakhapatnam? Yes No
- xiii. Dietary restrictions, if any:
- xiv. Any other information/assistance required:

Date:
Place:

Signature of Vice Chancellor/Director