INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY BOMBAY
Academic Office

No.Acd./Ph.D./Ph.D.Progress Seminar/2018 Date: 9th June 2018

Sub: Semester wise registration and presentation of Annual Progress Seminar (APS) by all Research Scholars

IIT Bombay follows a specialized credit based semester system. Therefore, registration at the beginning of each semester, on the prescribed dates announced in the Academic Calendar, is mandatory for every student till s/he completes her/his programme. If a student does not register in a particular semester without prior permission of the APEC, her/his studentship is liable to be cancelled. All students for Ph.D., irrespective of their category, have to register every semester along with a brief report on the work done in the earlier semester(s) and a plan for the ensuing semester.

The APS presentation schedule should be followed as per the prescribed academic calendar (http://www.iitb.ac.in/newacadhome/toacadcalender.jsp). In case of CSIR / UGC fellows, the dates of their Annual Progress Seminar should be fixed by considering the requirements of the funding agency and such a fixed schedule shall be followed strictly. APS is mandatory till the presentation of Pre-synopsis seminar.

For Research scholars who have already completed the stipulated duration of 6 years, their respective RPC may request them to present their APS twice in a year. The date for presentation may be scheduled in mutual consultation and with an advance intimation to the PGAPEC.

Application for extension of Ph.D. Registration must come along with the APS completion form; no separate application for extension of registration is needed.

Rule R.8.2 (PhD rule book) may be referred for detailed guidelines in this connection.

This circular is issued for general information of all concerned.

This supersedes our earlier circular dt. 1st June 2018.

Assistant Registrar (Academic)

To
The Head/Convener of all Deptts, Centres, Schools/IDP Groups

Cc to: 1. Dean of Academic Programmes
   2. Convener, PGAPEC
   3. Dy. Registrar (F&A)
   4. All Hostels
   5. Main Building Notice Boards

{ with a request to bring it to the notice of all faculty and the Research Scholars.}