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Meeting @ EC Hall, Tues 4 Feb 2020 Time: 2:45 - 5:00 PM
Sub: Collaborations with Universities in France

<u>Kind Attn: Deans, HODs, Centre Heads – of Schools/Depts listed below</u> <u>and all Members - MOU Evaluation Committee</u>

This is the Revised Circular on the subject as above, inviting faculty members of the mentioned Schools and Departments.

The Attaché de coopération Mr Eric Perrotel, and Mrs Rhea Cheryl Shivan, Manager Campus France will be with us for a detailed discussion on Tues 4 Feb 2020. If possible, Mr Jérôme Bove, Attaché for Science and Technology - French Institute, Bangalore will also make a presentation and answer questions on Skype.

They see high potential for collaboration specifically with:

Science Departments - Physics Chemistry Bio-sciences, Bio-Informatics, Earth Science, Food Science, Ocean Studies and Biodiversity, Environmental Sciences, Renewable Energy and Climate Change

Computer Science, Statistics, Economics, Law and Management – AI, Big Data Analytics, Blockchain in addition to the existing ties with our Dept of French.

The meeting with the delegation from the University of Tours and the Project officer – Cooperation, Ms. Miléna Durudaud will be scheduled separately on Mon 10 Feb 2020. Kindly await a new communication in this regard.

Your presence and active coorperation will make great collaborations happen for our university! An email to confirm the names of participants from your department will help us plan for this meeting. Please email uc.atwork@gmail.com with Subject Line: Collaborations France. Kindly be there along with a faculty member to represent your Department at the EC Hall at 2:30 PM on 4 Feb 2020.

Our Vice Chancellor will be presiding over this meeting.

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