



TATA INSTITUTE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES
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March 17, 2020

CIRCULAR
(For Students and Scholars of Mumbai Campus)

In continuation to the Urgent Circular dated March 14, 2020 regarding preventive measures taken due to the ongoing threat of the Coronavirus (COVID-19) and subsequent guidelines and advisories from various government sources, the following additional measures are hereby notified:

1. Revised Calendar of Academic Activities for 2019 – 2020

Dates	Activity
May 18, 2020	Institute Reopens (For Faculty)
May 19, 2020	Declaration of Results of II year Masters Programmes
May 18 – 20, 2020	MPhil Viva Voce Examinations
May 25 – 30, 2020	II Semester Examinations for Masters and MPhil and I year Field Work Evaluations for Masters
June 1-2, 2020	MPhil Proposal Presentation
June 8, 2020	Declaration of II Semester Results for Masters programmes (tentative)
June 15, 2020	1. II Year Class Starts 2. II Semester Supplementary Examination to be completed
June 22, 2020	Beginning of Academic Session for Masters Batch of 2020 – 2022
July 1, 2020	Beginning of Academic Session for MPhil and PhD Batch of 2020 - 2022





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2. Social distancing is the only effective measure of prevention of spread of infection as suggested by all health advisories globally. Hence all students of Masters, MPhil and PhD across all years, are required to vacate Hostels (including RCF and Surjog) latest by March 18, 2020 and ensure that the keys are surrendered to the Hostel Office.
3. Doctoral Scholars who are scheduled to submit their thesis or awaiting their Viva Voce Examination in the current academic year 2019 – 2020 may contact DSO for further assistance.
4. All programme specific information related to assessments, examinations and submissions will be intimated by the respective schools/ independent centres.
5. All graduating students / scholars are required to check the status of their No-Dues Certificate online in the SMS portal and complete the required formalities such as return of books, payment of fees, if any, etc.
6. Any updates related to Convocation and Placement for the graduating students will be communicated over email. All are required to check their TISS email and TISS website for updates.
7. All Deputy Directors / Dean of Off-Campuses are requested to plan their academic calendar accordingly.
8. Students are advised to maintain hand and respiratory hygiene during the travel.


Acting Registrar

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All Students / Scholars of Mumbai Campus
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Deputy Directors of All Campuses
Dean, Tuljapur Campus
Deans and Chairpersons of Mumbai Campus
Deputy / Assistant Registrar of All Campuses
All Staff, Mumbai Campus

