Circular For Final Semester Examination, 2020

1) In view of the recent Hon'ble Supreme Court Judgement dated August 28, 2020 (WP Civil Nos.724, 739, 741, 746, 745, 794, 814, 861, 862 of 2020 With Special Leave Petition /C/ No. 1042 of 2020) upholding the latest UGC guidelines published on July 6, 2020 the Jadavpur University, like all other universities of India, are now required to hold final semester examinations for UG and PG courses, including the Evening courses. In the context of the pandemic situation the examinations will be conducted through non-contact mode using suitable digital mode. The method of examination will be decided by each Department in consultation with the teachers and concerned students of the Department in accordance with the UGC guidelines and Hon'ble Supreme Court Judgement. In terms of the above-mentioned Hon'ble Supreme Court Judgement, the same mode and method of examination will also be applicable for those casual, regular and readmitted candidates (some of them might belong to old curriculum regime) in the outgoing batch (UG, PG, both day and evening) who have backlog in either Supplementary, Special Supplementary and Re-supplementary papers in this particular year.

In view of the above, all earlier undergraduate and post-graduate results of BA/B.Sc. and MA/M.Sc.(both day and evening) final year final semester, published in terms of an advisory issued by the Department of Higher

Education, Government of West Bengal, No.378-EH/1U-37/2020 dated 27/06/2020, being contrary to the Hon'ble Supreme Court Order, stand cancelled. Fresh examinations for the said semesters will be held as per University Examination Rules and resolutions adopted in the matter by the Examination Committee.

- 2) In view of the above the filling up of examination forms by students of the Science & Arts Faculties (both regular and casual students) will begin from Tuesday September 8th, 2020. The process for regular students will be undertaken by JUMS and for casual students by the CoE office.
- 3) Modalities of Examination of Science Faculty: All Departments will conduct examinations for 100% marks for all papers, except the Geography Department which has already taken internal assessment for 20% of the total marks in each paper and hence will conduct final examination for 80% marks of each paper. Questions papers will be sent to students through digital mode half an hour before the scheduled commencement of the examination. Students are required to submit answer scripts written in their own handwriting. Typed answer scripts would not be acceptable.
- 4) The method of conducting final/terminal BA and MA examinations will be finalized at the Examination Board meeting, scheduled for 09/09/20. Necessary notification will be issued accordingly.