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Department of Chemistry

The Selection Process Details

Schedule of Events

The selection process will comprise of **one round of online interview** and the final selection will be made based on the performance in this interactive session.

Mock call: 1st July 2021 (Thursday) - 11.00 am to 12.00 pm

Interviews: 2nd July 2021 (Friday) – 10 am to 2 pm

- 1. All eligible candidates will be screened one-stage interview which will be conducted online via SKYPE or the appropriate video conferencing tool as opted by the candidate (in the application). You can attend the interview from your browser using a laptop/computer, or using the SKYPE app from your mobile device.
- 2. The duration for the online interview will be around 25-30 minutes. For the syllabus, please refer to the Ph.D. brochure. The interview will be conducted on **2nd July 2021** (10 am onwards).
- 3. Before the actual interview, we will have **mock calls on 1st July 2021** (11:00 am-12.00 pm) to check your internet connectivity and audio-video setup.
- 4. You are expected to be available for the entire slot of the mock call and for the entire assigned slot for the interview.

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Dos and Don'ts for the online interview Dos

- Please ensure that you have participated in a mock call session before the actual interview to set-right the audio-video set up.
- Please ensure that the device that you will use for the interviews has a camera.
- Please plan to have at least 2 GB of data with you before the meeting.
- Try to locate yourself in a place with good internet speed (at least 1.5 Mbps) for a good quality video interaction.
- Laptops/tablets are preferred for video conferencing.
- Accessing any technical resource (notes, book, internet, including peers or mentors) is not allowed during interview unless explicitly mentioned by the committee.
- Have paper and pen/pencil handy.
- Ensure that your equipment for video conferencing is charged to avoid power issues.
- Ensure that the place from where you are attending the interview is conducive for effective interaction online.
- Best Practices while in online meetings:
- Turn your camera on and have your camera at your eye-level
- Make sure you sit in a well-lit and quiet place



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• Be mindful of what's going on behind you. Think about having a suitable background behind you or turning on the virtual background (if available).

Don'ts:

- Avoid windy noisy surroundings during interview.
- Do not record interviews in any form. Any such act will be considered as violation of the pledge you signed online and may invite punitive action from IIT Dharwad.
- Do not ask about the schedule of the results. It is better to use interview time for other better inquiries as the results will be declared online as soon as possible.
- Do not leave your place in front of the camera for the entire duration of the interview.
- Don't have anyone else around you. Any interaction with someone else other than the interview panel during the interview will be considered as a suspicious activity.