

Invitation for 37th Convocation: For the learners who have remitted the degree fee and opted for Convocation

Dear Learner,

Congratulations!

We are glad to inform that you have successfully completed your academic programme in the examination held in December, 2022/June, 2023 and you are eligible to receive degree certificate(s) at the 37th Convocation to be held on **Tuesday, 20th February, 2024 at 11.00 AM** at **IGNOU Regional Centre Campus, Muttathara, Valiyathura PO, Thiruvananthapuram – 695 008.**

The Schedule of Convocation is as mentioned below:

Particulars	Date	Time
IGNOU Hqrs. Programme	20 th February, 2024	9.30 AM
Regional Centre, Trivandrum Programme	20 th February, 2024	11.00 AM

Dr.S Unnikrishnan Nair, Director, Vikram Sarabhai Space Centre (ISRO), Thiruvananthapuram will be the Guest of Honour in the Convocation and will deliver the Convocation address and award the degrees to meritorious students and Gold medalists, under the Regional Centre, Trivandrum.

You are requested to follow the instructions given below:

1. Bring your **IGNOU IDENTITY CARD** while attending the Convocation. **Degree Certificates shall be issued only to the students on production of the Identity Card issued by IGNOU.** In case, you have lost your Identity Card, please get a duplicate one from your Regional Centre concerned before the Convocation day. Entry to the Convocation Hall, issuance of Degree/Diploma and Scarf will be strictly on the basis of Student Identity Card
2. Bring a sum of Rs.200/- (Rupees Two Hundred Only) towards security deposit for Scarf, which shall be refundable on return of the Scarf
3. Report at the Convocation venue between **7.00 AM and 8.00 AM** for registration and collection of scarf. Persons reporting at the Convocation venue after 8.30 AM will not be entertained under any circumstances.

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4. The students should wear the following dresses to attend the convocation ceremony which are detailed below:

Male Students	Female Students
White/ Off white or cream coloured Bharatiya Paridhan (Indian Dress) preferable made of Handloom / Khadi	White / Off white or cream coloured Bharatiya Paridhan (Indian Dress) Sari or Salwar Kurta or Salwar Kameej, etc. preferable made of Handloom /Khadi

5. Since the seating arrangement has been made for a limited capacity, **only awardees wearing scarf will be allowed inside the Convocation Hall**
6. All awardees shall take their seats in the hall by 9.00 AM sharp and shall be seated till the end of the Convocation function
7. **For security reasons no briefcase, hand-bag, camera etc. will be permitted at the venue of the Convocation. Please note that you will not be permitted to leave the Convocation Venue from 9.00 AM till the end of the Convocation Programme**
8. Be seated before the arrival of the Guest of Honour
9. Nobody shall leave the Convocation Hall after the arrival of the Guest of Honour
10. After receipt of Degree Certificate, please ensure that the issued degree certificate is yours

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

Dr.M.Rajesh

Senior Regional Director
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