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OFFICE CIRCULAR

Considering the prevailing situation across the world caused by the Coronavirus (COVID 19) outbreak, all extra-curricular activities shall remain suspended until further notification from the University authority. **Only regular classes shall continue as it is.** However the University authority will observe the Birth Centenary of the Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman on 17th March 2020, Tuesday and the Independence and National Day 2020 on 25th March 2020, Wednesday, with due fervor as declared earlier.

Coronavirus (COVID-19)

Coronavirus (COVID-19) is a respiratory illness caused by a new virus. Symptoms range from a mild cough to pneumonia. Some people recover easily, others may get very sick very quickly. There is evidence that it spreads from person to person. Good hygiene can prevent infection.

Symptoms

Symptoms can range from mild illness to pneumonia. Some people will recover easily, and others may get very sick very quickly. People with Coronavirus may experience:

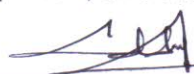
- fever
- flu-like symptoms such as coughing, sore throat and fatigue
- shortness of breath.

How it spreads

There is evidence that the virus spreads from person-to-person.

The virus is most likely spread through:

- close contact with an infectious person
- contact with droplets from an infected person's cough or sneeze
- touching objects or surfaces (like doorknobs or tables) that have cough or sneeze droplets from an infected person, and then touching your mouth or face.

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Prevention

Everyone should practice good hygiene to protect against infections. Good hygiene includes:

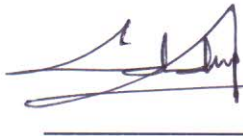
- washing your hands often with soap and water
- using a tissue and cover your mouth when you cough or sneeze
- avoiding close contact with others, such as touching, handshakes and hugging.

If you have a confirmed case, you need to **isolate yourself** to prevent it spreading to other people and remain at home in self-quarantine.

Wishing a good health to you and take care!

Best regards,

(As instructed by the Vice Chancellor, CIU)


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