



भारतीय समुद्री विश्वविद्यालय
INDIAN MARITIME UNIVERSITY
(Central University, Govt. of India)

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CIRCULAR 1908

Sub : Maximum Duration for the completion of various programmes under IMU – Revised Instructions issued - Regarding

- Ref 1. Academic Council resolution vide Agenda AC 2015-13-10, dated:19th June 2015
2. IMU Circular No.1526, dated:27-7-2015
3. Academic Council resolution vide Agenda AC 2019-24-26, dated:14th May 2019

Academic Council vide agenda AC 2015-13-10 dated 19th June 2015 in the reference 1st cited and further as per IMU Circular in the reference 2nd cited has stipulated the maximum duration for completion of the programme from the Academic Year 2015-2016 is as follows.

<i>Normal Duration of a Programme</i>	<i>Maximum Duration allowed for completion of the Programme</i>
<u>Four Years</u> [e.g. B.Tech (Marine Engineering), B.Tech (Naval Architecture & Ocean Engineering), etc.]	Eight Years.
<u>Three Years</u> [e.g. B.Sc (Nautical Science), B.Sc (Maritime Science), B.Sc (Ship Building and Repair), etc.]	Six Years
<u>Two Years</u> [e.g. the 2 MBAs, the 2 M.Techs, etc.]	Four Years
<u>One Year</u> [e.g. PGDME, DNS, etc]	Three Years

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In the case of DNS, the maximum duration of 3 years will apply only to the 2 semesters of the 1-year Diploma programme; there will be no maximum period for completing the 18-month on-board training and for passing the semesters 3 to 6 leading to B.Sc (Nautical Science) or B.Sc (Applied Nautical Science) degree.

It resolved further, that the following period will not be counted while calculating the maximum duration for completing a programme:

[a] Break in studies (not exceeding 3 years) officially permitted/condoned by IMU.

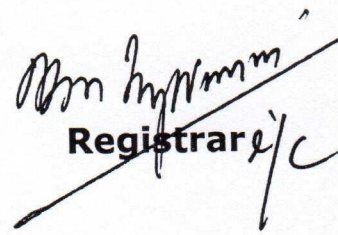
[b] Break in studies due to the suspension of the student arising from disciplinary action.

2. Now, the Academic Council vide agenda AC 2019-24-26 dated 14th May 2019 in the reference 3rd cited has resolved as follows:-

- (i) All the students of all the programmes prior to the promulgation of Circular 1526 dated 27/07/2015 shall be allowed to appear for the examinations under the revision they have studied till in the End Semester Examinations of June / July 2020.
- (ii) All those students of all the programmes prior to the promulgation of Circular 1526 dated 27/07/2015 who cannot complete their arrears in the above stipulated End Semester Examinations of June / July 2020, will have to switch over to the Examinations under the revision and regulation which is currently being taught in IMU Campuses and Affiliated Institutes.
- (iii) These students will have to complete all the theory papers of the Programme under the revision and regulation which is currently being taught within the time period stipulated for that programme i.e., for DNS, the theory papers have to be cleared within one year, for B.Sc., the period will be three years and for B.Tech, the period will be four years. In case a student fails to complete the programme as per this provision he / she will not be allowed to appear for the examinations and his / her name will be struck off from the rolls of the University.
- (iv) In cases where the student is required to take up examinations under the new curriculum, he / she shall have to score pass marks as stipulated for that subject in theory papers only as there is no provision for them to attend the practical training and examinations under the new curriculum in which they are appearing.
- (v) The DNS 2016 February batch will be permitted to appear in June/July 2019 End Semester Examinations as a special case.

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3. Hence, All Campus Directors/Principals of Affiliated Institutes are requested to display this Circular in their Institute Notice Board for information.


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To

The Campus Directors of IMU Campuses

The Principals of Affiliated Institutes

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