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## Circular

We have been notified of a few fraudulent emails where senders of e-mails misrepresent themselves as part of Association of Indian Universities (AIU). As the fraudsters behind these scams move quickly and change email addresses frequently, we are unable to stop them from sending false emails.

The Association of Indian Universities (AIU) is the apex co-ordinating body that has served the Universities for over nine decades. Its membership embraces all types of Institutions viz. Traditional Universities, Agricultural Universities, Institutes of National Importance, Institutes of Technology, Information Technology and those devoted to Medical Education and Research and acts as a clearing house of information on higher education in the country. We do not send unsolicited offers of employment or ask for money or personal information. Therefore, please be aware that any email that claims to be from AIU and asks you to send information to an email address and offers for money, grant, employment, etc., is misleading and false.

If you have any doubts of any communication that indicates that the same is from AIU, then please **contact AIU** immediately. Further, if you come across of phishing emails and other misleading News Items pertaining to AIU, then please notify AIU by forwarding the suspicious email to **legalcell@aiu.ac.in** for required action at our end.

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Joint Secretary (Admn.)

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