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COMMUNIQUE

In line with the decision of the government of Rwanda to close all schools, for a period of two weeks, in order to fight the spreading of COVID-19 in the country INES Management has made the following decisions and recommendations:

1. Classes and offices are closed;
2. Students in industrial or clinical attachment have to follow the rules of the host institutions;
3. International students are encouraged to stay in the country while monitoring the development of the situation;
4. While monitoring the situation INES-RUHENGERI is considering alternative systems of teaching and learning, including blended learning, that will be communicated at the convenient time;
5. INES Hostels are closed. Students have to leave hostels by Tuesday 17th, noon. Any social case will be handled separately upon request;
6. INES will remain open only for very essential services with clear following restrictions:
 - ❖ When working for essential services or for urgent intervention, employees have to be fully protected (washing hands, distancing, bearing mask, etc.)
 - ❖ Any person entering INES premises has to be fully protected to avoid risks of contamination;
 - ❖ Security guards bear masks for their protection and the protection of any person they get in touch with;
7. Based on the development of the situation, INES management shall communicate adequate administrative measures related to human resources management;
8. All planned meetings and events have been postponed to a convenient time;
9. Students wishing to join INES-Ruhengeri for March intake, have to register through INES online services;
10. Any student with special case to be urgently addressed shall liaise with the office of DVCAR.
11. Students and staff to abide with government instructions, avoid to panic and ensure their protection and protection of other people;
12. INES community is called for prayer for this crisis to end.

Done at INES-Ruhengeri on 16th March 2020

Fr Dr Fabien HAGENIMANA
Vice Chancellor



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