

University education under the COVID - 19 outbreak

First, take care of yourself and your family.

Present situation in the country (**COVID – 19 outbreak**) continues to introduce many challenges to University education system, Faculty of Commerce and Management Studies (FCMS) is committed to ensure continued education to our undergraduates.

However, we cannot meet you in person to conduct face-to face teaching from the beginning of this semester. We have planned to provide an interactive computer-generated learning experience to all of you. This is an opportunity for all of us to connect, innovate, and learn together through online learning. Your lecturers will be using their time to prepare to transition from traditional teaching to more comprehensive teaching method.

Thus, all five Departments (**Department of Commerce and Financial Management, Department of Human Resource Management, Department of Accountancy, Department of Marketing, Department of Finance**) agreed to **start online learning through LMS/CAL from 30 March 2020**. The method adopted by each Department may differ from each other and the respective Department Heads will inform you about their plans.

While acknowledging the difficulties in this crisis period, we would encourage all the students to engage with online sessions. We always appreciate your encouraging feedback about this system.

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