

Hall Management Centre (HMC)
Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur

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Temporary Shutdown of HMC Server for System Upgrade and Security Maintenance

In view of the recent identification of PHP vulnerabilities and subsequent security recommendations issued by CERT-In and CIC, IIT Kharagpur the main HTTP Server of the Hall Management Centre (HMC) requires a major software upgrade to ensure system security and reliability.

Accordingly, the HMC server shall remain unavailable for **three working days, from 4 November 2026 to 6 November 2026**, to facilitate the necessary server upgrade, security updates, and associated maintenance activities.

All concerned are hereby informed to take note of the scheduled downtime and make the necessary arrangements accordingly. The server is expected to be restored upon completion of the maintenance work.



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