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Vice Chancellor

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To,
The Hon'ble Vice Chancellor/Director

Invitation to your University to participate in the Climate Jamboree – a TERISAS initiative

As you are aware, the TERI School of Advanced Studies is a Deemed-to-be-University which has as its mission the providing of education, and creating awareness, on sustainability issues. It is with this purpose, and recognising the many sustainability challenges that our country is facing which may negatively impact the opportunities for our future generations, that we have launched a youth based movement towards enhancing sustainable development – called the Climate Jamboree.

The Climate Jamboree is a series of events and activities that will take place between now and early November 2018 to promote ownership and action towards climate protection and sustainability promotion. The target audience for this programme is youth in India (15 – 25 years of age). A brief note that explains the concept in a succinct manner, and a poster is attached for your information.

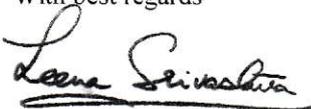
The Jamboree has been launched with a number of lead up events culminating in a Finale that takes place in New Delhi between November 1 – 3, 2018. The idea of the lead-up events is to start engaging students early with sustainability issues and to have them come better prepared for the Finale. Each of the lead-up events have been carefully designed to attract a diversity of students and we will recognise many students who demonstrate passion and innovation in their responses.

We are delighted to have the support of the following Ministries: Human Resource Development; Environment, Forests and Climate Change; New and Renewable Energy; Housing and Urban Affairs and Earth Sciences for the Climate Jamboree.

We would like to invite your university to participate in the Jamboree, by actively encouraging your students to contribute to any/all of the lead-up events of the Climate Jamboree. *There is no cost for participation in these lead-up events and no limit to the number of participants per institution. Most of the activities are online. Universities with above 250 students registered in the sum total of our events would be recognised as sustainability champions and as a participation partner of the Climate Jamboree.* We will be registering a maximum of 10,000 students per day for the Finale event which takes place between November 1 – 3, 2018. So please do take early action.

To register for the lead up events and the finale, students may visit our website www.climatejamboree.org. For any further information regarding this programme, please contact my colleagues, Ms Ranjana Saikia or Ms Supriya Gulati at 011-7180222 or write at climatejamboree@terisas.ac.in.

With best regards



(Leena Srivastava)