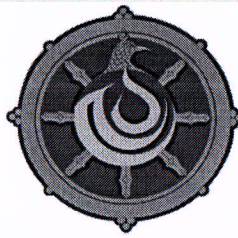




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**PARO COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, PARO: BHUTAN**



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## **OFFICE ORDER**

*Celebrating Our 45<sup>th</sup> Foundation Day*

On Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> November 2020, Paro College of Education, Royal University of Bhutan, will be 45 years old. It is a day on which we reaffirm our commitment to supporting the national development goal of giving our children the best of education and to prepare them for the opportunities, challenges and complexities of a century characterized by rapid change.

Looking back, PCE has played a vital role in Bhutan's educational development especially in the critical area of teacher education and professional development. Its establishment as TTC on 4<sup>th</sup> November 1975 was a historic step in Bhutan's development path. It reaffirmed and solidified our aspiration to achieve self-reliance in education.

This Foundation Day is an opportunity once again for every College staff to celebrate our past achievements as well as evaluate the nature of the path we have taken up to this point with honesty and boldness. It is a day when we reposition ourselves against the backdrop of a rapidly changing higher education landscape fired by innovation and the pursuit of excellence. Hence, it is only appropriate that we not only rejoice in the successes of our past but also redefine our roles and re-evaluate our relevance to the stark realities of the present and of the emergent future. On this Day, we dream yet bigger dreams for the future.

Let us all – teaching and professional staff, partake in the 45<sup>th</sup> anniversary of our founding. Confirmation of participation (COP) or written apology by e-mail/other means, in case of an emergency, may please be sent to Ms. Kuenzang Wangmo, PA to President, before 4PM on Monday 2nd<sup>d</sup> November 2020. Kuenzang, please brief me on the COPs or written apologies, if any, at 4:30PM the same day.

**WE SHALL ALL WEAR FACE MASK.**

(Dorji Thinley, PhD)  
**PRESIDENT**

Cc:

1. Dean of Student Affairs, Coordinator of 45<sup>th</sup> Foundation Day celebrations.
2. Administrative Officer, for information and all necessary support for the success of the event.
3. Ms Kuenzang Wangmo, PA to President, to ensure that the letter is sent to all the staff by email and to solicit confirmation of participation.
4. All display boards on Nangka and Rinpung campuses.