

## Advisory for Students

### Indian Students seeking admission in Foreign Universities/Institutions

Indian students pursuing studies abroad may please verify any misleading claim being made by foreign universities/institutions/schools in respect of the courses offered by them and validity/recognition of their degrees by contacting the Association of Indian Universities (AIU), AIU House, 16, Comd. Indrajit Gupta Marg, (Kotla Marg), New Delhi -110002 directly or on phone 00-91-11-23230059; 23232429; 23232305 or by email: [studentinfo@aiu.ac.in](mailto:studentinfo@aiu.ac.in) or visit their website <https://www.aiu.ac.in/> for information regarding the accreditation status of foreign universities and the valuation and equivalence of degrees and diplomas awarded by the accredited universities abroad .

### Students pursuing Medical Education Overseas

Indian students seeking admission to pursue medicine in Suriname and the Mission's concurrently accredited countries Barbados, Saint Lucia and Saint Vincent & the Grenadines are hereby advised to visit the official website of the National Medical Commission (NMC) <https://nmc.org.in/> especially the links <https://www.nmc.org.in/information-desk/for-students-to-study-in-abroad/>, <https://www.nmc.org.in/wp-content/uploads/Eligibility-Notice/20210319060622.pdf> and <https://www.nmc.org.in/MCIRest/open/getDocument?path=/Documents/Public/Portal/LatestNews/231275.pdf> and such other updates posted on the website of the NMC from time to time. For the sake of clarity, the NMC's notification dated 18<sup>th</sup> November 2021 is given below in its entirety:

2. In case Indian students seeking admission to pursue/pursuing study and need any clarification/assistance about any University/College of Medicine in Suriname, Barbados, Saint Lucia and Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, may contact the Education Ministries of the respective countries on their websites or by email given below:

Name of the countries	Websites/emails
Ministry of Education, Science and Culture, Rode Kruislaan 11A Paramaribo, <b>Suriname.</b>	<b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:secretariaat.atb.minowc@gmail.com">secretariaat.atb.minowc@gmail.com</a> <b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.gov.sr/ministerie-van-onderwijs-wetenschap-e">www.gov.sr/ministerie-van-onderwijs-wetenschap-e</a>
Ministry of Education and National Reconciliation Halifax Street Kingstown <b>Saint Vincent and the Grenadines</b>	Email: <a href="mailto:office.education@mail.gov.vc">office.education@mail.gov.vc</a> Website: <a href="https://education.gov.vc">https://education.gov.vc</a>
Ministry of Education, Sustainable Development, Innovation, Science, Technology and Vocational Training, Francis Compton Building, Waterfront Castries <b>Saint Lucia</b>	Email: <a href="mailto:hrm@education.gov.lc">hrm@education.gov.lc</a> , <a href="mailto:althea.emmanuel@education.gov.lc">althea.emmanuel@education.gov.lc</a> Website: <a href="https://education.govt.lc/">https://education.govt.lc/</a>
Ministry of Education, Technological and Vocational Training Elsie Payne Complex	<b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:info@mes.gov.bb">info@mes.gov.bb</a> ; <a href="mailto:specialneedssupport@mes.gov.bb">specialneedssupport@mes.gov.bb</a> <b>Website:</b> <a href="https://mes.gov.bb/">https://mes.gov.bb/</a>

Constitution Road, St. Michael <b>Barbados, W.I.</b>	
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3. Indian students facing any difficulties regarding the non-receipt of their degree and transcripts and other related issues from American International Medical University (AIMU) presently functioning under a new name as the Commonwealth University, College of Medicine, Saint Lucia, may send their complaint to:

Ms. Althea Emmanuel  
Director,  
Human Resource Development Unit,  
Ministry of Education, Sustainable Development, Innovation,  
Science, Technology and Vocational Training,  
Francis Compton Building, Waterfront Castries  
Saint Lucia

Email: [hrm@education.gov.lc](mailto:hrm@education.gov.lc), [althea.emmanuel@education.gov.lc](mailto:althea.emmanuel@education.gov.lc)

4. In case you need any further clarification about any particular institution in Suriname, Barbados, Saint Lucia and Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, please feel free to contact the Embassy of India, Paramaribo by e-mail at [consular.paramaribo@mea.gov.in](mailto:consular.paramaribo@mea.gov.in).

**NOTE:** STUDENTS ARE ADVISED TO CARRY OUT DUE DELIGENCE BEFORE SEEKING ADMISSION OR PAYING **FEES**. STUDENTS ARE ALSO ADVISED TO READ AND ACCEPT THE CONDITIONS AND REGULATIONS OF THE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS BEFORE ACCEPTING ADMISSION IN ORDER TO AVOID ANY CONTROVERSIES OR DIFFICULTIES IN FUTURE.

THERE IS NO RESIDENT INDIAN EMBASSY OR HIGH COMMISSION IN BARBADOS, SAINT LUCIA AND SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES.

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