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Subject: NIIT Cloud Scholarship Test to be held across Seven Metros in India

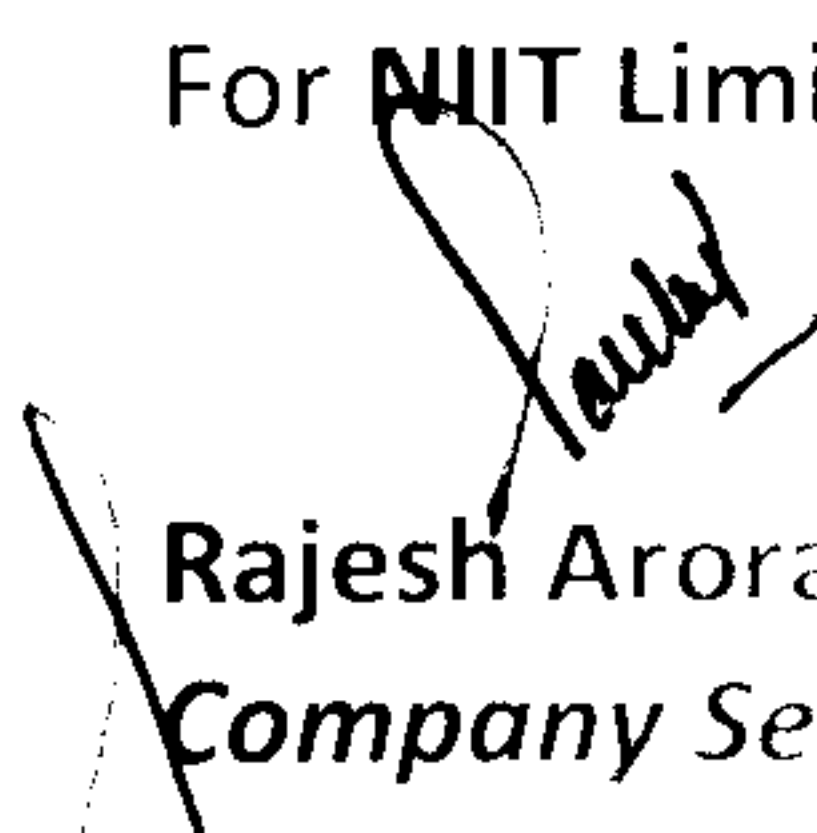
Dear Sir,

Please find enclosed a copy of above referred Press Release. This is for your information and records.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

For **NIIT Limited**


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‘NIIT Cloud Scholarship Test’ to be held across Seven Metros in India on September 18, 2011

- To offer IT Scholarships on the New GNIIT - India's First Cloud Campus

New Delhi, September 12, 2011: NIIT Limited, leading Global Talent Development Corporation and Asia's largest IT trainer, announced exciting scholarships on the new GNIIT programme - India's first Cloud Campus. This unique programme can be pursued anywhere anytime, by leveraging the unique cloud learning methodology. The first of the **‘NIIT Cloud Scholarship Test’** will be conducted on Sunday, September 18, 2011 at Seven metro cities across the country which include – Delhi, Mumbai, Kolkata, Chennai, Bengaluru, Hyderabad, Pune.

Through this initiative, students based out of these seven metros can avail of scholarship on the new GNIIT programmes on offer through the Cloud Campus, namely - **GNIIT, GNIIT for Engineering students**. The Scholarship programme rewards fee waivers to meritorious students desirous of building successful careers in diverse industries that require Information Technology skills.

Students can earn merit based scholarship of up to Rs. 45,000 based on Class XII performance, NIIT Cloud Scholarship Test results and Personal Interview. Students can also earn assured on-the-spot scholarships based on Class XII performance.

The application forms for the test are available at NIIT education centers across the country. Students can also log on to www.niit.com/cloud to get more details. **The last date for receipt of application is September 17, 2011.**

The pioneering NIIT Cloud Campus™ empowers student to learn on his own terms, at his own pace, wherever and whenever he wants it. Students enjoy higher mobility as they can easily access educational services using a Netbook or a Mobile device that connects them to NIIT's Cloud Campus network, managed by NIIT centrally, using the power of Cloud Computing.

Speaking on this significant development Mr. G Raghavan, Chief Executive, Career Building Solutions, NIIT Limited, remarked, ***“Encouraged by the tremendous interest in our Cloud Campus, we have decided to accelerate its availability to meritorious students through our Scholarship scheme this month. The Scholarship will also be a great enabler for thousands of students to take up our very successful GNIIT as well as Diploma programs.”***

Students enrolling for the Cloud Campus programmes will be provided with technically robust netbook, a well designed digital courseware and a data card. Furthermore, the technology

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backed learning environment of NIIT's Cloud and Collaborative Learning Methodology supports group learning through interactive features like 24x7 lab and e-library access, instant tech updates, interaction with faculty and peers and access to online video streams.

NIIT Cloud Campus Programmes	
GNIIT for Engineering Students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Programme semesters designed as per the Engineering Academic cycle. • 6 months of project execution using the SDLC cycle • Career Development Services • Guaranteed Industry Internship
GNIIT for Non-Engineering students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Industry Endorsed Syllabus • Multiple Specializations: Software Engineering; Business Systems & Information Management; Networking & Infrastructure Management. • Lateral admission to BSc. (IT) degree from Kuvempu University, Karnataka • Guaranteed Industry Internship

The NIIT Cloud Scholarship programme is NIIT's endeavour towards enhancing employability of meritorious students and making them job ready to meet the industry needs. As a part of the high aptitude community, they also get to pursue Global Vendor Certification backed programmes and get the benefit of collaborative learning.

Students who have completed their Class XIIth or equivalent, those currently pursuing graduation and/or completed graduation in any stream, and Polytechnic diploma holders are eligible for the NIIT Cloud Scholarship programme.

With the return of strong hiring outlook, industry would be on the lookout for job-ready talent. As per NASSCOM's latest estimates the Indian IT industry will grow by 16-18 per cent in FY'12, having added around 2,40,000 jobs last year. With the return of strong hiring outlook, the industry would be on the lookout for job-ready talent. According to Ma Foi Employment Trends Survey 2011, India is expected to create around 16 lakh (1.6 mn) more jobs in the organised sector. IT and ITeS, Hospitality, Real Estate and Media & Entertainment are expected to be top recruiters. IT will continue to become more and more strategic across industries, for its significant value creation capabilities.



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About NIIT

NIIT Limited, leading Global Talent Development Corporation and Asia's largest IT trainer, offers learning and knowledge solutions across 40 countries.

Leading IT magazine Dataquest has conferred upon NIIT, the 'Top IT Training Company' award successively for the past 18 years, since the inception of this category. Rated among India's Business Superbrands 2008, NIIT's Individual Learning Business offerings include industry-endorsed programs for students seeking careers in IT - GNIIT, Edgeineers and Global Net Plus for IT professionals.

NIIT has provided computer-based learning to over 15,000 government and private schools. The futuristic NIIT NGuru range for schools is a holistic education package that comprises Interactive Classrooms (an embedded Teaching Learning Material, that uses elements of interactivity, automation and web links library); Math lab (technology tools that enable school students to learn and explore mathematical concepts); IT Wizard (equips the students with core computer knowledge and IT skills); and Quick School (an Education Resource Planning solution for school management).

For working professionals, NIIT Imperia, Centre for Advanced Learning, offers Executive Management Education Programs in association with IIM Ahmadabad, IIM Kolkata, IIM Lucknow, IMT Ghaziabad and IIFT Delhi. NIIT Imperia also offers specialized courses in Finance in association with KPMG and on Digital Marketing with Google India and Internet and Mobile Association of India (IAMAI).

NIIT Institute of Finance Banking & Insurance (IFBI), formed by NIIT with equity participation from ICICI Bank, offers programs for individuals and corporates in Banking, Financial Services and Insurance.

NIIT Uniqua, Centre for Process Excellence, addresses the increasing demand for skilled workers in the business and technology services industry by providing training programs in relevant areas. This is a part of NIIT Institute of Process Excellence Limited, a NIIT-Genpact venture.

NIIT's Corporate Learning Solutions, offers integrated learning solutions (including strategic consulting, learning design, content development, delivery, technology, assessment and learning management) to Fortune 500 companies, Universities, Technology companies, Training corporations and Publishing houses.

NIIT delivers a tailored combination of catalog learning products, technology and services through Element K offerings. These include: vLab®: hands-on labs, instructor-led courseware, comprehensive e-reference libraries, technical journals, and KnowledgeHub™: hosted learning management platform.



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NIIT's innovative HR practices have been felicitated by Aon Hewitt as amongst 'Top 25 Best Employers in India- 2011'; Indian Education Awards 2011 as 'Best Education Company to Work with'; by Great Places to Work Institute as amongst 'Top 25 India's Best Companies to Work for' and First in Training & Education Industry, 2011.

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