Dear ALL,

## **Organizational Announcement**



I am very pleased to announce the appointment of **Prof. Karma Sonam Sherpa** as **Registrar**, **Sikkim Manipal University**, **Sikkim**. He will take over from Prof. Ashis Sharma, who will be moving to SMIT as Director.

Prof. Sherpa obtained his B.E in Electrical Engineering from MNIT, Jaipur and did his M.Tech in (Machine Drives & Power Electronics) from IIT-Kharagpur. After his M.Tech, he completed his PhD from our own Sikkim Manipal University.

Prof. Sherpa started his career with SMIT in the year 1999 and subsequently he has shouldered various responsibilities like Chairman (Admissions), Head of the Department (Electrical & Electronics Engineering) and Additional Registrar (SMIT). Before taking over the new assignment as Registrar-SMU, he was Head of the Department (Electrical & Electronics Engineering) and Associate Director (Research & Development), SMIT. His contribution is highly valued especially in the areas of Research and Development and he would be an asset to SMU keeping in mind his interest in R&D.

Prof. Sherpa has a small family and is married to Ms. Lucky Wangmu Bhutia who is serving in Government of Sikkim and has a school going son.

Prof. Sherpa is an ardent reader and also loves to listen to Music and play Football during his free time.

Please join me in wishing **Prof. Sherpa** every success in his new assignment as **Registrar-SMU**. Prof. Sherpa can be reached at: <u>registrar@smu.edu.in</u> and +91-9434012546.

With warm regards,

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