Clarification on the Eligibility to the MSc in CS Degree Programme

Dear Students,

We recently noticed that there are some confusions related to the eligiblity criteria for enrolling in to the MSc in CS (15-credit project), degree program. Due to that, we discussed with the relevant authorities and got official clarification on this matter. We are writing to you to convey that offical stance of UCSC on the matter.

At the end of your 1st year (semester 1 and 2), you are required to meet the following conditions in order to be eligible to enroll for the MSc in CS degree program:

1. Has a minimum of 2.50 GPA for all the courses (25 credits) in the 1st and 2nd semesters.
2. Has a minimum of 2.00 GPV for courses adding up to a minimum of 15 credits.

So, **there is no possibility to repeat subjects and meet the conditions later, in order to get into the MSc in CS program**. You have to meet the conditions by the time you have finished your 1st year.

Last few years, due to COVID19 pandemic and various other delays, there may have been exceptions applied to this criteria. However, now, this eligiblity criteria need to be strictly followed.

Our applogies for the delay in getting this matter clarified and communicated to you. Please feel free to get in touch with us if you have further queries regarding this matter.

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