Institute of Infrastructure, Technology, Research And Management, Ahmedabad

Ph.D. Admission Procedure



Applications are invited for (A) Regular and (B) Part-Time Ph.D. Programme from eligible candidates at the Departments of (1) Civil Engineering, (2) Electrical and Computer Science Engineering (Electrical Engineering, Computer Science) (3) Mechanical and Aero-space Engineering (Mechanical Engineering, Aero-space Engineering) (4) Humanities and Social Sciences (English, Sociology, Economics) (5) Basic Sciences (Chemistry, Mathematics and Physics) for the academic year 2021-2022 (Spring Semester). Regular Ph.D. Programme is offered under the category of (i) Sponsored Candidate (ii) Self-Financed Candidate and (iii) Fellowship Awardee (FA). Part-time Ph. D. Programme is offered under the category of (i) College Teacher (CT) and (ii) Institute Staff at IITRAM (IS).

1. Admission Procedure:

Step I: Fill up the Application Form Online:

The application form is available on the Institute website - www.iitram.ac.in.

Fill it up properly and submit the duly filled application form online from 12th January 2022 to 22nd January 2022 (18:00 Hrs.). Incomplete applications will be rejected.

(Note: There is no application fee.)

Step II: Send Hardcopy of Application form to IITRAM:

It is mandatory to send filled and duly signed hardcopy of application form with the necessary self-attested photocopies of documents, so as to reach IITRAM on or before 25th January, 2022 (By 18:00 Hrs.). Please note that the applications made through online mode until 22nd January 2022 (18:00 Hrs.) and subsequently submitted as a hardcopy by 25th January 2022 only shall be considered.

Step III: Selection:

Admission is offered on the basis of performance in written test followed by an interview. The Entrance Test shall be qualifying with qualifying marks as mentioned below:

- For Open category Candidates 50%
- For SC / ST Candidates 40%

The syllabus of the Entrance Test shall consist of 50% of research methodology and 50% subject specific. The Entrance Test shall be conducted at IITRAM. The Departmental Research Committee will shortlist the candidates for written test for Ph. D. admission. Merely satisfying the eligibility criteria do not guarantee being called for written test / interview. Further, candidates fulfilling any one of the following requirements shall be exempted from written test and will be called directly for the interview:

- Any Research Fellowship from UGC-NET (including JRF) / UGC CSIR NET (including JRF) / SLET / GATE / teacher fellowship holder or have passed M. Phil programme.
- The candidates shortlisted for the Interview are required to give a brief presentation on any topic of their research interest.
- No TA / DA shall be given to the candidates attending the written test and/or interview.

Step IV: Physical Verification of Documents & Confirmation of Admission:

The candidates will have to remain present at IITRAM in person for physical verification of documents as per dates mentioned in the schedule below. The candidates shall present two sets of self-attested photocopies of all the relevant documentary evidences along with the originals and two passport size photographs. All the originals shall be returned immediately after the verification. The admission shall be confirmed upon the payment of the fees as per the schedule.

2. Schedule:

Particulars	Important Dates	
Opening of Application Portal and	12 th January 2021 to 22 nd	
submission of online application	January 2022 (by 18:00 Hrs.)	
■ Last date for submission of hard copy of		
Application form with all necessary	25 th January 2022 (By 18:00 Hrs.)	
enclosures		
■ Announcement of short-listed candidates	27 th January 2022	
for written test and interview		
■ Conduct of Written Test	3 rd February 2022 *	
• (i) Physical verification of documents	4 th February 2022	
• (ii) Conduct of interview	4 rebruary 2022	
■ Display of result	7 th February 2022	
Dayment of Food	7 th February 2022 to 13 th	
• Payment of Fees	February 2022	
■ Commencement of Term	14 th February 2022	

^{* -} Timings will be displayed on the institute website along with list of shortlisted candidates.

3. Fees Structure:

The candidates who have been offered admission shall have to pay the fees as shown below:

Semester Fees:		
0	Tuition Fees for Sponsored candidates / Self-Financed candidates	Rs.35,000/-
0	Tuition Fees for Fellowship Awardee candidates	Rs.20,000/-
0	Tuition Fees for Sponsored SC / ST / SEBC candidates or Self- Financed candidates of SC / ST / SEBC	Rs.30,000/-
0	Hostel Fees	Rs.6000/-
0	Mess Fees # (For Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner and Snacks) (Rs. 165/- per day)	Rs.25080/-
0	Stationery Fees	Rs.1000/-

Yearly Fees:			
o Insurance Charges (approx.)	Rs. 2000/-		
One Time Fees:			
o Institute Caution of Money (Refundable)*	Rs.1500/-		
o Hostel Caution Money (Refundable)**	Rs.5000/-		
o Mess Caution Money (Refundable)***	Rs.4000/-		

[#] Adjusted at end of semester

Students not staying in the Hostel and not availing the mess facility are exempted from the payment of Hostel and mess related fees. The above Fees have to be paid through NEFT/RTGS (Other details shall be provided with admission confirmation mail). The fee is subject to revision from time to time. No request for the fees refund shall be entertained.

4. Hostel and Mess Facilities:

Limited Hostel accommodation facility shall be offered subject to the availability. Interested candidates can apply for the admission to Hostel and mess at time of physical verification of documents at IITRAM Campus. If allocated then all the Hostel and Mess rules will be applicable to the candidates availing these facilities.

5. Condition Precedent:

The above policy and procedure is subject to modification. If a dispute arises regarding any of the above provisions, the decision of the Competent Authority of the Institute shall be final and binding to all and subject to Ahmedabad jurisdiction only.

^{*}Refundable at end of Programme

^{**}Refundable at end of Hostel Stay

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PROFORMA FOR NO OBJECTION CERTIFICATE TO BE PRINTED ON LETTER HEAD OF THE ORGANIZATION

(For the Part-time Ph.D. Programme)

No	Date:
NO OBJECTION CER	<u>TIFICATE</u>
This is to certify that Mr. / Ms. / Mrs	
(Name of organization) has no objection for Mr. / Ms. admission for Ph.D. as a Part-time Research Scholar Research and Management, Ahmedabad, Gujarat.	
He/she will be given permission to fulfil the coursew IITRAM.	work requirements as per Ph.D. norms of
	(Signature and Seal) Head of the Organization
Place: Date:	