

GUIDELINES FOR ADMISSION OF FOREIGN/INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS AT IIT GUWAHATI

An international student is defined to be one who holds a foreign passport or has an Indian passport but is currently studying outside India and wants to do partial studies at IIT Guwahati.

Application Form(s):

All Doctoral (Ph.D) Programs & M.Tech/M.Des	Click here and go to External Relations Website, click Admissions Menu--> Application Form
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A. Categories of foreign students admitted to IITG

1. Self-Financing Student (Full program)
2. Student coming through Cultural Exchange Fellowship Programs (ICCR, GoI)
3. Visiting Student (Under MoU/Non-MoU) – Exchange Students or Interns

B. Programs open to foreign students

1. All Doctoral (Ph.D) Programs
2. Masters (M.Tech/M.Des) Programs

C. Please see the following link (s) for your information please:

Academic Programme	http://www.iitg.ernet.in/acad/acad_programme.php
Basic Eligibility Criteria:	
M.Tech	www.iitg.ernet.in/acad/EligibilityCriteria/ECMTechMDes.htm
M.Des	www.iitg.ernet.in/acad/EligibilityCriteria/ECMTechMDes.htm
PhD	www.iitg.ernet.in/acad/EligibilityCriteria/ECPhD.htm

D. Miscellaneous Guidelines

- The applicant should have completed 17 years of age; there is no maximum age limit for foreign students
- Student must have an appropriate Student Visa or Research Visa for the planned study program. The applicant should contact the Indian Embassy or High Commission in his/her home country for more information on the type of visa needed. **Kindly see the following link/website for foreign students information and extension of visa related information:**

<http://www.immigrationindia.nic.in/index.htm>

- **ENGLISH is the only language used for teaching in IIT Guwahati**
- In case of students from restricted countries (Afghanistan, China, Iran, Pakistan, Iraq, and Sudan), the application **MUST** be forwarded through the Indian Embassy or the High Commission in their respective countries.
- Candidates seeking admission under a Cultural Exchange Fellowship program are required to apply through the Indian High Commission/Embassy in their respective countries

E. Fee structure/Admission Fee rate

You would be required to pay the following fees at the time of registration. This can be paid through a Demand Draft in favour of Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati and must be payable at GUWAHATI. It can be either in US DOLLARS or in equivalent INDIAN RUPEES.

1st Year

(a) For full-time foreign candidates other than those applying through ICCR, Govt. of India

Sl. No.	Particulars	-	Fee structure	
			SAARC countries	Other countries
1	Registration Fee (for 1 st Year)	-	USD 2000	USD 4,000
2	One-time Refundable Mess Deposit	-	USD 46.90	USD 46.90
3	One-time non-refundable Hall Mess Establishment Charge	-	USD 18.40	USD 18.40
4	One-time Refundable Institute Caution Money	-	USD 18.40	USD 18.40
5	One-time Refundable Library Caution Money	-	USD 18.40	USD 18.40
6	One-time Refundable Hall Caution Money	-	USD 18.40	USD 18.40
Total			USD 2120.50	USD 4120.50

2nd Year

Sl. No.	Particulars	-	Fee structure	
			SAARC countries	Other countries
1	Registration Fee (for 1 st Year)	-	USD 2000	USD 4,000
2	One-time Refundable Mess Deposit	-	USD 46.90	USD 46.90
	Total		USD 2046.90	USD 4046.90

(b) Fee structure for full-time foreign candidates applying through ICCR, GOI

1st Year

Sl. No.	Particulars	-	Fee structure	
			SAARC countries	Other countries
1	One-time Refundable Mess Deposit	-	USD 46.90	USD 46.90
2	One-time non-refundable Hall Mess Establishment Charge	-	USD 18.40	USD 18.40
3	One-time Refundable Institute Caution Money	-	USD 18.40	USD 18.40
4	One-time Refundable Library Caution Money	-	USD 18.40	USD 18.40
5	One-time Refundable Hall Caution Money	-	USD 18.40	USD 18.40
	Total		USD 120.00	USD 120.00

Note: Registration fee (USD 2000 for SAARC countries / USD 4000 for other countries) will send by ICCR, Govt. of India.

2nd Year

Sl. No.	Particulars	-	Fee structure	
			SAARC countries	Other countries
1	One-time Refundable Mess Deposit	-	USD 46.90	USD 46.90
	Total		USD 46.90	USD 46.90

Note: Registration fee (USD 2000 for SAARC countries / USD 4000 for other countries) will send by ICCR, Govt. of India.

Important Note:

- a. Fees can be paid in INR or USD by taking into account exchange rate prevailing at the time of payment.
- b. Registration Fee rates are subject to change depending upon policies of the Government of India.
- c. Fee rate on this account may be change depending upon prices of food items.
- d. In addition to the above, the admitted student will have to pay Mess Dues on monthly basis- which at present Rupees (INR) 2,550/- per month (equal to about USD 47) per month) for basic menu. This amount is to be paid directly to the HAB (Students Affairs Section) in the same month you join the Institute.

(c) Fee structure for part-time foreign students:

Sl. No	Particulars	-	Fee
1	For Part-time students [Excluding Mess Related Charges & Refundable one-time Caution Deposit	-	US\$ 50 per credit for SAARC countries
		-	US\$ 100 per credit for other countries

4. Offer of Admissions

Offer will be made based on recommendations received from the department. The student will be informed by email and postal mail. Students applying through ICCR will be intimated through ICCR.

ADMISSION PROCEDURES FOR SELF-FINANCING/SPONSORED STUDENTS (FULL TIME PROGRAMS)

1. Application Procedure

The application form with copies of supporting documents should be sent to the address given below. To expedite processing, a copy of the application and scanned copies of the supporting documents should also be sent by email to doaaer@iitg.ernet.in

The Office of Alumni Affairs & External Relations
Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati
Guwahati, Pin Code: 781039
Assam, INDIA

IITG does not charge application/processing fees from foreign applicants.

2. Supporting Documents Required

1. Academic transcripts (with explanation of assigned grades)
2. Three recommendation letters either from faculty members who have taught the applicant earlier (at least two) or persons under whom the applicant may have worked (at most one).
3. Scanned copy of relevant passport pages showing nationality and personal details
4. Statement of purpose (one page maximum)
5. Applicants are requested to attach a **MEDICAL FITNESS CERTIFICATE** from a doctor attesting to their physical and medical fitness
6. Two (2) passport size colour photos

ADMISSION PROCEDURES FOR FOREIGN STUDENTS UNDER CULTURAL EXCHANGE FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM, GOI

- Candidates seeking admission under a Cultural Exchange Fellowship program are required to apply through the Indian High Commission/Embassy in their respective countries
- In case the applicant is found suitable for admission, the admission offer letter will be sent to the candidate through the Indian Council for Cultural Relations, New Delhi

3. SELECTION COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

Department will constitute a selection committee (case to case basis) with at least 3 (three) members headed by HOD of the concerned Department. Admission offers will be made based on the recommendation of the department

ADMISSION PROCEDURES FOR VISITING STUDENTS UNDER MOU/NON-MOU

- Foreign students registered for a degree in a Institute/University abroad can carry out course work and/or project work at IITG for a period not exceeding two semesters
- For students from institutions which have signed MOUs with IITG, admission will be made under the terms and conditions given in the MOU