

Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati

From Dr. Sudip Mitra Head, Centre for Disaster Management & Research (CDMR)



Date: 25-11-2021

To,

PhD Applicant For Admission at Centre for Disaster Management & Research (CDMR)

Sub: Call letter for Interview for admission in to PhD programme, to start with January 2022.

Dear Candidate,

With reference to your application for admission in to **PhD** programme of the CDMR, you are hereby requested to appear for **Online Interview** (presentation of research proposal and followed by questions by panel members) as per the details given below:

Date:	08 th December 2021
Time:	9.00 AM onwards as per the given slots. Detail information will be available shortly on the link - <u>https://www.iitg.ac.in/cdmr/ne.html</u> Please note your turn may come earlier or later than the given schedule if anyone is absent or for some other unseen reasons. You are advised to be near your PC or mobile.
Online interview link	Interview will be conducted on MS-Team platform.
	MS Team link for PhD interview:
	https://teams.microsoft.com/l/channel/19%3aRNu901K3H4UjB2JlQi5TCo-
	J2QTWbcZ1YXhubzbVD4w1%40thread.tacv2/General?groupId=b2c7ca8f-c66c-
	<u>426a-9abb-e8c8f1595460&tenantId=850aa78d-94e1-4bc6-9cf3-8c11b530701c</u>
Venue:	Virtual mode using MS Team

Your candidature will be assessed based on the following points:

- (a) Relevance of the research topic to the goal and objectives of the CDMR and research areas as advertised in the IITG website.
- (b) Statement of Purpose (SOP)- maximum 2 pages
- (c) Research Proposal- maximum 5 pages (need to be sent latest by 05 December 2021.)
- (d) Performance in interview

Please send the following documents/ information to the following email ID: phdcdmr@gmail.com latest by 05.12.2021.

- Statement of Purpose (SoP)- maximum 2 pages (in a PDF format)
- Research proposal- maximum 5 pages (in a PDF format)
- Research proposal presentation- maximum 10 minutes and 10 slides (send slides in PDF format)
- Scanned copies of all your document related to your academic and professional background (in PDF format)
- Your WhatsApp number.

Submission of all the above-mentioned relevant documents to the above-mentioned email ID (<u>phdcdmr@gmail.com</u>) is compulsory, failing which it might not be considered for final candidature.

Each candidate will be given max. 10 minutes to present their research proposal using PowerPoint/ Flash/PDF/Prezi presentation followed by Question and Answer session with the panel members. Your presentation should include the following points -

- Self-introduction with academic qualification and job experience
- Topic of the tentative research area
 - Introduction to proposed research area
 - Research gap identification supported by literature review
 - Proposed problem statement
 - Aim and Objectives
 - Materials & methods
 - o References

You are also required to show all **ORIGINAL documents** related to academic and professional background for verification on the day of your interview.

The candidates who have not completed qualifying degree may appear in the online PhD selection Interview, however, for such candidates, selections shall be provisional. All provisionally selected candidates shall have to produce their original pass certificates and Mark Sheets of the qualifying degree examination latest by the specified date given by IIT Guwahati, for regularization – <u>failure to</u> which their admissions shall stand automatically cancelled.

Please note that:

For any other announcements, updates and results <u>as well as timely follow-up actions to be taken</u>, the candidates will have to constantly monitor the instructions available in the website with following URL: <u>https://www.iitg.ac.in/acad/dec21phd/</u>

(The details may be available at the Web page of concerned academic Department/ Centre of IIT Guwahati)-<u>https://www.iitg.ac.in/cdmr/</u> (In case of any difficulty candidates may contact at cdmr_off@iitg.ac.in)

Yours sincerely, **Dr. Sudip Mitra** Head, Centre for Disaster Management & Research (CDMR)