

**Department of Civil Engineering
IIT Guwahati**

Important Information regarding course work of PhD students

- 1.** A student with an entry level qualification of two-year Master's degree (after completion of 4-year Bachelor's degree) or three-year Master's degree (after completion of 3-year Bachelor's degree) registers for a **minimum of 4 courses with at least 24 credits** and **has to obtain a CPI of at least 6.5**. Similarly, a student of Science Department/Centres with an entry level qualification of Master's degree registers for a minimum of 4 courses with at least 24 credits and has to obtain a CPI of at least 6.5.
- 2.** A student with entry-level qualification other than the above, registers for a **minimum of 6 courses with at least 36 credits** and **has to obtain a CPI of at least 6.5**.
- 3.** **For students having MTech degree from IITs also, the coursework is mandatory.**
- 4.** Under normal circumstances, a student is required to **complete all course work within two semesters**, and **must register for at least two courses in the first semester**. In each semester, the **Cumulative Performance Index (CPI) of course work should not be less than 6.0**.
- 5.** If at the end of any semester, a student maintains a Semester Performance Index (SPI) of 6.0, but fails in a course, he/she is allowed to repeat/substitute the course in the following semester(s).
- 6.** A PhD student is not allowed to register for BTech, BDes or MSc level courses. However, he/she may be allowed to audit these courses.