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For

Admission

To

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (Ph.D.)

Odd Semester, 2026-27

INDIAN INSTITUTE OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY KOTA

(Mentored by MNIT Jaipur)

Office of IIIT Kota, SPL-269, RIICO Industrial Area, Kuber Extension,

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https://iiitkota.ac.in



Message From Director

Welcome to Indian Institute of Information Technology, Kota.

Since its inception in 2013, IIIT Kota has accomplished many milestones in previous years. As one of the Premier Institutes, which is a joint venture of the Ministry of Education (GoI), Government of Rajasthan; and four Industry Partners in Public-Private Partnership (PPP) mode, the institute has come a long way.

IIIT Kota is one of the Institutions of National Importance. IIIT Kota is mentored by MNIT Jaipur and is provided with all necessary infrastructural and academic support. The teaching is conducted in state-of–the-art Lecture theatres and practical exposure is provided to the students through highly advanced laboratories.

IIIT Kota has emerged as a perfect centre for imparting technical education at par with international standards. Great impetus is laid on developing research in core areas. The institute offers programmes like B.Tech, M Tech and Ph.D.

Focused industry interactions and invited talks have further accelerated dissemination of education as per the needs of recent trends and developments.Further, IIIT Kota is making significant progress in the areas of research and consultancy.

The Institute has received a number of sponsored projects from various funding agencies like DST, DSIR, YNSPEED and consultancy from industries worth more than Rupees 63 lakhs.

Faculties of IIIT Kota have contributed in creation of new knowledge by publishing 170+ original research papers in top tier journals and conferences. Some of these are highly cited by other researchers. Few of our faculty members have been awarded 3 patents in the past couple of years.

IIIT Kota provides a highly conducive environment to its students for enhancing their technical and academic skills. Being a part of this institute will definitely provide a lot of opportunities for grooming overall personality.

I welcome you all to come and join this premier institute so that you can embark on a journey of lifelong learning.

Prof. Narayan Prasad Padhy
Mentor Director, IIIT Kota

Admission category - Programme(s)

1. Full-Time with Institute Assistantship
2. Full-Time with Own Scholarship (CSIR/UGC NET-JRF, etc.)
3. Full-Time Sponsored (NOC required as per Annexure - IV)
4. Part-Time External Sponsored (NOC required as per Annexure - V)
5. Part-Time IIIT Kota Project Staff

Important dates for Ph.D. application:

Start date of online application	: 01/06/2026
Last date of online application submission	: 22/06/2026
Date of written test (offline)	: 13/07/2026
Date of interview (offline)	: 13/07/2026
Final result	: 21/07/2026

Note: Provisional list of shortlisted candidates for offline written test will be displayed on Institute website by 29/07/2026**. Written test and interview will be conducted at IIIT Kota permanent campus, Ranpur, Kota.**

Ph.D. application has to be filled online. The application form and fee payment links are available at https://iiitkota.ac.in/phd-procedure.

Applicants are also advised to refer to 'Ordinance for PG programmes (M.Tech./Ph.D.), IIIT Kota' on https://iiitkota.ac.in/ordinance and check https://iiitkota.ac.in/phd-procedure for additional details.

HOW TO APPLY

1. **Pay the Application fee** - link (Rs. 500/- for every applicant)
2. **Fill the Application form** - link
3. **Fill the online form** - link

Note:

- The registration fee once paid will not be refunded under any circumstances.
- Hostel may be provided only if available.
- Physical reporting for admission and classes shall be held at the permanent campus of IIIT Kota in Kota.

1. INTRODUCTION

Indian Institute of Information Technology Kota (IIIT Kota) is an 'Institution of National Importance'. IIIT Kota is a joint venture of the Ministry of Education (MoE), formerly Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD), Govt. of India, and Govt. of Rajasthan with Industry Partners (Cairn India Limited, Genpact India Limited, National Engineering Industries Limited, Vakrangee Limited) in Public-Private-Partnership (PPP) model. IIIT Kota was established in 2013. IIIT Kota shifted to its permanent campus in August 2024. The permanent campus of IIIT Kota is at Ranpur near Kota on a sprawling 100.37 acres of land made available by the Govt. of Rajasthan. Also, IIIT Kota is continued to be mentored by Malaviya National Institute of Technology Jaipur (MNIT Jaipur).

The institute offers four-year undergraduate courses of study leading to the degrees of Bachelor of Technology (B.Tech.) in Computer Science and Engineering (CSE), since the year 2013, B.Tech. in Electronics and Communication Engineering (ECE), since the year 2015 and B.Tech. in Artificial Intelligence and Data Engineering (AIDE) since the year 2024. IIIT Kota is admitting more than 300 students for B.Tech. programmes through JEE Mains, since the year 2024.

In the year 2021, the institute started postgraduate programmes leading to the degrees of Master of Technology (M.Tech.) and Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) by Dept. of CSE and Dept. of ECE.

2. THE OBJECTIVE

The objectives of the postgraduate programmes, M.Tech. and Ph.D., at the Indian Institute of Information Technology Kota, India (IIIT Kota) are as follows:

- To cultivate a deep understanding of the areas of the specialization through high standards of teaching & research.
- To develop the scientific, technical and engineering manpower of the highest quality to cater to the needs of the Industry, R&D organizations and academia.
- To be a role model and leader in providing opportunities to students to do research in cutting edge areas.
- To provide an innovative ability to solve new and open problems in multidisciplinary domains.
- To develop the awareness and sensitivity to the needs and aspirations of society.

Within this general framework, subject to the approval of the Senate, the various departments may impose such additional requirements that will serve their particular academic goals.

3. CREDIT SYSTEM

Education at the Institute is organized around the credit system of study. The prominent features of the credit system are the process of continuous evaluation of a student, performance, and a flexibility to allow a student to progress at an optimum pace suited to his/her ability or convenience subject to fulfilling minimum requirement for continuation.

Each course has a certain number of credits, which describe its weightage. A student's performance is measured by the number of credits that he/she has completed satisfactorily. A minimum number of earned credits should also be obtained in order to qualify for the degree.

Generally, every course is coordinated by a member of the teaching staff of the department, which offers the course in a given semester. This faculty member is called the Course Coordinator. He has full responsibility for conducting the course, coordinating the work of the other members of the faculty involved in that course and for holding tests and assignments and awarding grades. For any difficulty a student is expected to approach the Course Coordinator for advice and clarification.

The minimum academic requirements for the various degrees including minimum & maximum credits to be registered in a particular semester are indicated in the "Ordinance for PG Programmes (M.Tech./Ph.D.), IIIT Kota", which is available on Institute website (https://iiitkota.ac.in/ordinance).

4. Ph.D. ADMISSION CATEGORIES :

The following table outlines the various Ph.D. admission categories for the academic year 2026–27, detailing the study mode, selection process, work experience prerequisites, necessary documentation, and eligibility for institute assistantship:

S. No.	Admission Category	Full / Part Time	Written Exam	Inter-view	Work Experience	NOC / Consent Letter	Institute Assistantship
1	Full-Time with Institute Assistantship	Full-Time	GATE / UGC-NET / National Level Exam Or Institute level Exam conducted by IIIT Kota	✔	X	X	✔
2	Full-Time with own scholarship (CSIR/UGC NET-JRF, etc.)			✔	X	X	X
3	Full-Time Sponsored			✔	✔	✔	X
4	Part-Time External (Sponsored)	Part-Time	Institute Exam	✔	✔	✔	X
5	Part-Time IIIT Kota Project Staff		Institute Exam	✔	X	✔	X

- Full-time with Institute Assistantship – Candidates applying for the Ph.D. programme under the Full-Time Institute assistantship category.
- Full-Time with own scholarship (CSIR/UGC NET-JRF, etc.) – Candidates applying for the Ph.D. programme under the Full-Time category with their own financial support (such as CSIR/UGC NET-JRF, etc).
- Full-time Sponsored – These scholars are employees of a Public Sector Undertaking, a Government Department, a Research & Development organization, or a recognised private industry of repute (approved by Senate on the recommendation of DPGC), or an Educational Institution, or be a Defence Sponsored Officer.
- Part-Time External Sponsored – These scholars are permanent/temporary employees of the institute OR who are working on various projects undertaken by the Institute OR the employees of a Public Sector Undertaking, a Government Department, a

Research & Development organization, or a recognised private industry of repute (approved by Senate on the recommendation of DPGC), or an Educational Institution, or be a Defence Sponsored Officer.

- Part-Time IIIT Kota Project Staff – Candidates employed as Junior Research Fellows (JRF) under a research project funded to IIIT Kota are eligible to apply for the Ph.D. programme under the Part-Time category.

5. ADMISSIONS

5.1 ACADEMIC SESSION

The academic session of the PG Programmes is divided into two semesters (odd and even). The odd semester will normally commence around July - August every year, and the even semester around January every year.

Generally, the admissions to Ph.D. programmes are made in both the semesters commencing in July - August and January every year.

5.2 ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION

- The eligibility conditions given below are the absolute minimum. Departments may prescribe any requirements over and above for short listing.
- The "B.E./B.Tech./Equivalent and/or M.E./M.Tech./Equivalent should be in relevant discipline. The “minimum specified” CGPA/marks implies a minimum of 6.0 on the 10-point scale (60% marks only where CGPA is not awarded) for M.Tech. and Ph.D. with a relaxation for SC/ST implying minimum of 5.5 on the 10-point scale (55% marks only where CGPA is not awarded).
- Reservation policy as prescribed by Government of India/MoE from time to time shall be applicable.

All eligibility requirements must be met by the date as prescribed in ‘Ordinance for PG Programmes (M.Tech. / Ph.D.), IIIT Kota’ under section 2.4 (5 & 6) as follows:

- The selected candidate, who has completed all the examinations including project/thesis examination and the viva voce before the date of registration but is unable to produce the certificate in proof of having passed and secured the minimum specified qualifying marks, may be considered for provisional admission. However, if admitted provisionally, they will be required to produce the evidence of their having passed (or at least appeared in) the qualifying degree examination by the last date of registration, failing which the admission may be cancelled.
- The aforesaid provisions shall not be applicable in the case of an M.Tech. student of this institute, who has been provisionally selected for admission to a Ph.D. programme. Such students will be admitted to the Ph.D. Programme subject to the condition that they must have successfully completed all the prescribed requirements including acceptance of their Thesis/Project in a particular semester by the last registration date as specified in the academic calendar.

5.3 DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (PH.D.)

5.3.1 PH.D. IN ENGINEERING

The applicant must have a Master's degree in Engineering/Technology with CGPA not below 6.0 on a 10-point scale or equivalent percentage marks.

OR

Exceptional candidates with Master's in Electronics/Master of Computer Applications/ Computer Science/Information Technology (or an associated area with strong background in mathematics, programming and research), or any other related subjects with minimum CGPA 7.0/ 70% marks.

OR

In exceptional cases brilliant candidates with minimum CGPA 8.0/ 80% marks in Bachelors degree in Engineering may be recommended by DPGC to the Senate Chairperson for admission in Ph.D program. Such candidates having sufficient experience in the relevant area and publications in refereed conferences/journals as notified by DPGC, may also be considered. Major deliberations shall be expected from various departments while admitting any student directly on the basis of B.Tech. only.

5.4 ADMISSION OF SPONSORED CANDIDATES

1. A candidate who is sponsored for either Full-time (FT) or Part-time (PT) studies at IIIT Kota by his/her employer and who meets the additional conditions specified below may be admitted through the DPGC appointed as per the institute norms.

2. A sponsored candidate must have total experience of more than one year, and must have been in service of the sponsoring organization for at least one year at the time of admission. The sponsoring organization must specifically undertake to relieve him/her to pursue the programme for its full duration. The sponsored candidates are required to submit No Objection Certificate (NOC) from their employer/organization stating that:

i. His/Her official duties permit him/her to devote sufficient time for M.Tech./PhD. Candidate should give undertaking that he would fulfill the attendance requirements of all the courses undertaken by him for fulfillment of the course pursued.

6. FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

The Institute may provide financial assistance to postgraduate students in the form of teaching or research assistantships (referred to as Institute Assistantship). Assistantships are awarded on a semester to semester basis for a period of up to ten semesters for Ph.D. students. The stipend for the assistantship is paid as per the institute norms. A student is expected to devote about eight hours per week towards the job(s) assigned to him/her by the department. The renewal of assistantship is contingent on the student's satisfactory performance in the academic programme and in the satisfactory discharge of assistantship duties as assigned to him by the department.

- For Ph.D. students admitted under the Full-Time with Institute Assistantship category, scholarship/fellowship will be paid Rs. 37000 + HRA (as applicable) per month.

- The emoluments as per latest MoE norms will be paid subject to approval by FC/BoG of IIIT Kota.
- The candidates applying for institute assistantship are required to submit the undertaking at the time of admission in the prescribed Performa given in ANNEXURE X.

7. PH.D. COURSE WORK

a) A Ph.D. candidate admitted with M.Tech/B.Tech will have to take at least three/six courses of 3 or more credits respectively as per the recommendations by the supervisor/DPGC. In addition, the candidate is required to take a compulsory course of 4 credits - 'Research Methodology' in addition to other audit courses (any number) as recommended by their thesis supervisors. The syllabus of 'Research Methodology' courses is placed in "Ordinance for PG Programmes (M.Tech./Ph.D.), IIIT Kota".

b) These courses may be offered in the Institute as a regular course or candidate may be allowed to take MOOC courses offered by NPTEL, Swayam, other reputed institute/university across the world, etc based on the recommendation of his/her supervisor with the approval of DPGC. These earned credits will be considered only if the courses have not been counted for any other degree/diploma requirement.
    - Only those MOOC courses are allowed for Credit Transfer which have credits more than or equal to the credits assigned to the course OR the MOOC course should be of minimum ten weeks duration.
    - The MOOC which is identical (more than 15% overlapping) shall not be allowed for credit transfer.

c) The procedure to adopt the MOOC courses and credit transfer is given in "Ordinance for PG Programmes (M.Tech./Ph.D.), IIIT Kota".

d) The faculty members who have taught at least two Post Graduate courses during last three years in the area in which they want to work may be exempted from compulsory courses of the department by chairperson Senate on the recommendations of DPGC.

8. ILLUSTRATION OF MINIMUM QUALIFICATION(S) FOR ADMISSION TO PH.D. PROGRAMME (FULL TIME)

Table 1: Minimum Qualifications Illustration for admission in Ph.D.

Department	Minimum Educational Qualification
Computer Science and Engineering	B.Tech/M.Tech./MCA/M.Sc. in Computer Science and Engg./ Computer Engg./ Software Engg./ Information Technology/ Information Security/ Communication and Computer Engg./ Electronics and Communication Engg. or equivalent disciplines consistent with research areas of department
Electronics and Communication Engineering	B.Tech/M.Tech./M.Sc. in Electrical/ Electronics/ Computer/ Communication/ Telecommunication/ Instrumentation/ Control/ Microelectronics or equivalent disciplines consistent with research areas of department

9. SEAT MATRIX

Seat Matrix for Admission into Ph.D. Full-Time with Institute Assistantship, 2026-27												
S. No.	**Department**	**OPEN**	**OPEN-PwD**	**EWS**	**EWS-PwD**	**SC**	**SC-PwD**	**ST**	**ST-PwD**	**OBC**	**OBC-PwD**	**Total**
1	Department of Computer Science and Engineering	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
	Total	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

*** Only one seat under the admission category "Full-Time with Institute Assistantship" is available in the research area specified at S. No. 4 in the Table-2 below.**

10. AVAILABLE RESEARCH AREAS IN VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS

Table 2: Research Areas offered in Dept. of ECE for admission in Ph. D.

S. No.	Tentative Research Area of Proposed Ph.D.	Faculty
1.	• Quantum Key Communications • Optical Access Networks	Dr. Amit Kumar Garg
2.	• Wireless & Mobile Communication • MIMO, NOMA, 6G	Dr. Anand Agrawal
3.	• Micro and Nano electronics • Thin films • Semiconductor Devices and Material Characterization • Photovoltaics • Graphene based absorber for biomedical application	Dr. Ashok Kherodia
4.	• AI / ML driven wireless system • (Biomedical / IoT / 5G / 6G applications) • Beam forming antenna array for defence application • Control based optimization of wireless system	Dr. Chetna Sharma
5.	• Intelligent Sensors and Systems • Intelligent Control and Optimization	Dr. Parikshit Kishor Singh
6.	• Free Space Optics • Visible Light Communication • AI/ML in optical Communication • Advanced Modulation Techniques in Communication	Dr. Vinita Tiwari

Table 3: Research Areas offered in Dept. of CSE for admission in Ph. D.

(No seat is available under the "Full-Time with Institute Assistantship" category.)

S. No.	Tentative Research Area of Proposed Ph.D.	Faculty
1.	• Generative AI for Teaching and Learning Practice • Cyber Security with AI	Dr. Ajay Nehra
2.	• Large Language Model (LLM)/ Generative AI • Deep Learning	Dr. Amit Kumar
3.	• Quantum Computing • Information Security	Dr. Gyan Singh Yadav
4.	• AI-Driven Secure Infrastructure • Cloud-Edge Systems, Network Virtualization	Dr. Isha Pathak Tripathi

11. FEES

Detailed fee structures of Ph.D. programmes are available on Institute website https://iiitkota.ac.in/fees

12. MATTERS OF DISPUTE

Disputes if any, arising out of or relating to any matter whatsoever shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of Kota Courts.

13. RAGGING

Ragging is banned in the institute and anyone indulging in ragging is likely to be punished appropriately and the punishment may include expulsion from the institute, suspension from the institute or classes for a limited period or fine with a public apology. The punishment may also take the shape of: (i) withholding assistantship or other benefits; (ii) debarring from representation in events (iii) withholding results (iv) suspension, rustication or expulsion from hostel and/or mess or institute. (v) monetary fines.

14. GENERAL INFORMATION

a) Admission to applicable PG programmes leading to M.Tech. and Ph.D. degrees would be based on a merit list prepared by the respective departments. The merit list

will be made available on the website of the Institute. No separate information will be sent to the candidates.

b) The provisions for reservation of seats are subject to modification in accordance with any Government Order, if issued subsequently by the Government of India.

c) The requisite certificate for SC/ST/OBC category to be submitted, along with application, must be issued by a competent authority (see ANNEXURE I), failing which the benefit of the reserved category will not be given. The OBC certificate should have been issued after March 31, 2026.

d) PWD candidates should submit along with the application, the certificate from a Government medical board. Such a candidate may, however, be asked to appear before a Medical Board duly constituted by IIIT Kota for this purpose. The Medical Board will decide the courses, which cannot be offered to a candidate, on the basis of the nature of his/her disability. The candidate will be offered admission out of the remaining courses as per the institute policy.

e) It will entirely be the responsibility of the candidate to prove his/her eligibility in terms of minimum educational qualifications and for claiming reservation under a specific category, if any, at the time of submitting the application.

f) The candidate should be ready with all original documents and PG dissertation thesis at the time of interview for Ph.D. admission.

g) Admission will be to the first semester of the respective postgraduate programmes.

h) A student who is admitted and registered for a postgraduate programme at the Institute but leaves before completing or discontinued his/her studies, shall not be admitted to a programme at the same level.

i) The institute reserves the right not to run any particular programme, if the number of students in that programme is less than the minimum number specified by the Institute at the time of admission.

j) The institute reserves the right to change its statutes and regulations relating to academic programmes and the modalities of admission without prior notice.

k) There is no age restriction for postgraduate programmes.

l) In matters of interpretation of the provisions or any matter not covered here in this information brochure, the decision of the Chairman, Senate shall be final and binding on both the parties.

m) The institute reserves the right to alter the number of seats in any programme without any prior notice.

15. IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS

a) The candidates are advised to read each and every instruction given in this Information Brochure very carefully before filling-up the Application Form. Applicants are also advised to refer to ‘Ordinance for PG programmes (M.Tech./Ph.D.), IIIT Kota’ for programmes details given on website https://iiitkota.ac.in/ordinance

b) Application form and fee payment links available at https://iiitkota.ac.in/phd-procedure

c) The Ph.D. application fee of Rs. 500/- is to be deposited online by applicants while submitting the application.

d) The candidate must keep a photocopy of the form for future reference.

e) Scrutiny of application shall be done solely on the basis of information submitted by the candidate in the application form, hence fill it very carefully. If at any stage of the admission process a candidate is found not to meet the eligibility criteria, have hidden/submitted incorrect information, the candidature of the candidate will be summarily cancelled.

f) Request for change of category or any other information will not be accepted under any circumstances.

g) Self-attested photocopies of the certificates/testimonials and all originals documents, PG dissertation/thesis copy should be brought along with the Application Form while coming for admission process. Two recent passport size photographs should be brought. Application Form either incompletely filled or without self-attested copies of the certificates/testimonials is liable to be rejected.

h) Original Documents of the following certificates have to be produced at the time of offline interview :-

   i. High School/Secondary School certificate in support of age/date of birth. No other certificate is acceptable in support of the age/date of birth.

   ii. Provisional/Final Degree certificate/Migration Certificate must be attached.

   iii. The Marks Sheet/Grade Card of Qualifying Examination including Diploma if applicable.

   iv. Character Certificate from the Director/Dean of Students Affairs of the Institute from where the candidate has graduated.

   v. Reservation certificate, if applicable (please refer to the applicable ANNEXURE).

   vi. A statement of purpose (only for those who are applying for Ph.D.) including research idea in not more than 300 words. This SOP will have due weightage during process of screening/selection. This has to be compulsorily filled in the online application.

i) In case the candidate is seeking admission as a sponsored candidate, he/she should submit a certificate from his/her present employer on official stationary with rubber stamp that he/she will be sponsored on deputation/study leave/extra ordinary/official leave with permission to attend the full-time/part-time Ph.D. course if he/she is admitted. The employer should also indicate that the candidate will not be withdrawn midway till the completion of the course.

For further information, please contact:

Office of IIIT Kota,
SPL-269, RIICO Industrial Area, Kuber Extension,
Ranpur, Kota – 325003, (Rajasthan)
E-mail: admission.pg@iiitkota.ac.in
Website: https://iiitkota.ac.in/phd-procedure
Phone: 07442667000, ext:8822/8989

ANNEXURE I

AUTHORITIES WHO MAY ISSUE CASTE/TRIBE CERTIFICATE
(SC/ST/OBC candidates should submit certificate issued by any of the following authorities)

District Magistrate/Additional District Magistrate/ Collector/ Deputy Commissioner/ Additional Deputy Commissioner/ Deputy Collector/ 1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate/ City Magistrate/ Sub-Divisional Magistrate / Taluka Magistrate /Executive Magistrate /Extra Assistant Commissioner/ Chief Presidency Magistrate/Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/ Presidency Magistrate/ Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar/Sub-Divisional Officer of the area where the candidate and /or his/her family normally resides/Administrator/Secretary to Administrator/Development Officer (Lakshadweep Island). **(Certificate issued by any other authority will be rejected.)**

ANNEXURE II

CERTIFICATE FROM INSTITUTE / UNIVERSITY
(Required during registration from candidates whose result of the qualifying examination has not been declared)

I hereby certify that Mr./Ms. ..... has appeared in the final year examination including theory, practical and project examination for B.E./B.Tech./M.E./M.Tech./M.Sc./MCA…….degree (strike out the non-applicable ones and write in the blank if the degree is not mentioned) and the result is likely to be announced by .....……..... His/her conduct and character during his/her stay at the Institute/University was “GOOD”.

Place: .....
Date:….....

Signature of the Principal/Dean/Registrar/
Dy. Registrar/Proctor/Administrative
Officer of the institute last attended with seal

ANNEXURE III

CERTIFICATE OF THE FORWARDING OFFICER
(Required from candidates who is yet to appear in the qualifying examination or yet to get the degree)

I hereby certify in connection with the application of Mr./Ms. ..... that he/ she is a bonafide student of our institution and is applying for admission to PG programmes at IIIT Kota. He/She is yet to complete / has completed all the requirements of qualifying examination including theory, practical and project examination for B.E./B.Tech./M.E./M.Tech./M.Sc./MCA …….. (Strike out the non-applicable ones and write in the blank if the degree is not mentioned) and the result is likely to be announced by
..... His/her conduct and character during his/her stay at the Institute/University is “GOOD”.

Place:.....
Date:.....

Signature of the Principal/Dean/Registrar/
Dy. Registrar/Proctor/Administrative Officer of the institute attending/last attended with seal

ANNEXURE IV

SPONSORSHIP CERTIFICATE
(Required from Full-time Sponsored Candidates only)

(This should be typed on the letterhead of the Sponsoring Organization and enclosed with application for admission)

To,
The Director
IIIT Kota
Sub: Sponsoring of an employer for M.Tech./Ph.D. Programme.

We hereby Sponsor the candidature of Mr./Ms. ..... who is working in this organization for the last .....years and is presently holding the rank/position of ..... for joining his/her M. Tech./Ph.D. programme in …… at your Institute as a Full Time candidate in the Department of .... with specialization in the following areas:
1..……
2….....
3….....
His/her conduct and character is good.

The Institution/Organization would relieve him/her immediately for joining the above course, if selected for admission. We shall fully relieve him/her duties in the organization to devote sufficient time for M. Tech./Ph.D.

Place: .....
Date:.....

Signature of Head of the Institution/Organization with seal
Name .....
Designation .....

*Candidate should also give a separate undertaking that he would fulfill the attendance requirements of all the courses undertaken by him for fulfillment of the course pursued.

ANNEXURE V

NO OBJECTION CERTIFICATE
(Required from Candidates Seeking Admission on Part-time Basis)

(On a letterhead of the sponsoring organization & enclosed with application for admission)

The undersigned is pleased to permit Mr./Ms. ..... who is working in this organization for the last .....…….. years and is presently holding the rank/position of ..... for pursuing the programme (course) at IIIT Kota in the Department of ……..... with specialization in the following areas:
1.....
2….....
3. …….……
His/her conduct and character is good. We are ready to relieve him/her during study hours (usually 8-10 hours of classroom instructions in a week) to undergo the Masters' programme / (usually about 6 hours of classroom instructions in a week) to undergo the Ph.D. programme as per time-table of the Institute, which follows slot system. We understand that the duration of course work is expected to be 4 semesters for Part-Time M.Tech. programme/ 3 semesters for part-time Ph.D. programme, while total duration is expected to be 3 years for part time M.Tech./ 5 years for part-time Ph.D.

Place: .....
Date:.....

Signature of Head of the Institution/Organization with seal
Name .....
Designation .....

ANNEXURE VI

FORMAT FOR OBC [NCL] CERTIFICATE

TO BE PRODUCED BY OTHER BACKWARD CLASSES

[This certificate MUST have been issued on or after 1st April 2025]

This is to certify that Shri/Smt./Kum. _____ Son/Daughter of Shri/Smt. _____ of Village/Town _____ District/Division _____ in the _____ State/UT belongs to the _____ Community which is recognized as a backward class under:

Resolution No. 12011/68/93-BCC(C), dated 10/09/93 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No. 186, dated 13/09/93.

(i) Resolution No. 12011/9/94-BCC, dated 19/10/94 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No. 163, dated 20/10/94.
(ii) Resolution No. 12011/7/95-BCC, dated 24/05/95 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No. 88, dated 25/05/95.
(iii) Resolution No. 12011/96/94-BCC, dated 9/03/96.
(iv) Resolution No. 12011/44/96-BCC, dated 6/12/96 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No. 210, dated 11/12/96.
(v) Resolution No. 12011/13/97-BCC, dated 03/12/97.
(vi) Resolution No. 12011/99/94-BCC, dated 11/12/97.
(vii) Resolution No. 12011/68/98-BCC, dated 27/10/99.
(ix) Resolution No. 12011/88/98-BCC, dated 6/12/99 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No. 270, dated 06/12/99.
(x) Resolution No. 12011/36/99-BCC, dated 04/04/2000 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No. 71, dated 04/04/2000.
(xi) Resolution No. 12011/44/99-BCC, dated 21/09/2000 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No. 210, dated 21/09/2000.
(xii) Resolution No. 12016/9/2000-BCC, dated 06/09/2001.
(xiii) Resolution No. 12011/1/2001-BCC, dated 19/06/2003.
(xiv) Resolution No. 12011/4/2002-BCC, dated 13/01/2004.
(xv) Resolution No. 12011/9/2004-BCC, dated 16/01/2006 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No. 210, dated 16/01/2006.
(xvi) Resolution No. 12015/2/2007-BCC, dated 18/08/2010.
(xvii) Resolution No. 12015/2/2007-BCC, dated 11/10/2010.
(xviii) Resolution No. 12015/13/2010-BC-II, dated 08/12/2011.
(xix) Resolution No. 12015/05/2011-BC-II, dated 17/02/2014.
(xx) Resolution No. 12011/6/2014-BC-II, dated 07/12/2016.

Shri/Smt./Kum. _____ and/or his family ordinarily reside(s) in the _____ District/Division of _____ State/UT. This is also to certify that he/she does not belong to the persons/sections (Creamy Layer) mentioned in Column 3 of the Schedule to the Government of India, Department of Personnel & Training O.M. No. 36 012/22/93-Estt.(SCT), dated 08/09/93 which is modified vide OM No. 36033/3/2004 Estt.(Res.), dated 09/03/2004.

Place _____ **Signature** _____

Date _____ **Designation** _____

(with seal of office)

NOTE:

(a) The term 'Ordinarily' used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the Representation of the People Act, 1950.

(b) The authorities competent to issue Caste Certificates are indicated below:

(i) District Magistrate/Additional Magistrate/Collector/Deputy Commissioner/Additional Deputy Commissioner/Deputy Collector/First Class Stipendiary Magistrate/Sub-Divisional magistrate/Taluka Magistrate/Executive Magistrate/Extra Assistant Commissioner (not below the rank of 1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate).

(ii) Chief Presidency Magistrate / Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate / Presidency Magistrate.

(iii) Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar.

(iv) Sub-Divisional Officer of the area where the candidate and / or his family resides.

(c) OBC Certificate issued from Maharashtra State must be validated by the Social Welfare Department of Maharashtra Government.

ANNEXURE VII

OBC Undertaking

Declaration / undertaking - for OBC Candidates only

I, _____ son/daughter of Shri _____ resident of village/town/city

_____ district _____ State _____hereby declare that I belong to the _____ community which is recognized as a backward class by the Government of India for the purpose of reservation in services as per orders contained in Department of Personnel and Training Office Memorandum No.36012/22/93- Estt. (SCT), dated 8/9/1993. It is also declared that I do not belong to persons/sections (Creamy Layer) mentioned in Column 3 of the Schedule to the above referred Office Memorandum, dated 8/9/1993, which is modified vide Department of Personnel and Training Office Memorandum No.36033/3/2004 Estt.(Res.) dated 9/3/2004. I also declare that the condition of status/annual income for creamy layer of my parents/guardian is within prescribed limits as on financial year ending on March 31, 2025.

Place: **Signature of the Candidate**

Date:

Declaration/undertaking not signed by Candidate will be rejected

ANNEXURE VIII

SC/ST CERTIFICATE FORMAT

FORM OF CERTIFICATE TO BE PRODUCED BY A CANDIDATE BELONGING TO SCHEDULED CASTE OR SCHEDULED TRIBE

This is to certify that Shri/Smt./Kum. _____ Son/Daughter of Shri _____of village/Town_____in District/ Division _____ of the State/Union Territory _____ belongs to the _____ caste/Tribe, which is recognized as a Schedule Caste/Scheduled Tribe under.

The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) order, 1950.
The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) order, 1950.
The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) (Union Territory) order, 1951.
The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) (Union Territory) order, 1951.
(As amended by the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Modification) Order 1956, the Bombay Reorganization Act, 1960, the Punjab Reorganization Act, 1966, The State of Himachal Pradesh Act, 1970, the North Eastern Areas (Reorganization Act, 1971) and the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes orders (Amendment) Act, 1976.)
*The constitution (Jammu & Kashmir) Scheduled Caste Order, 1956;
*The Constitution (Andaman and Nicobar Islands) Scheduled Tribes, 1959, as amended by the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes orders (Amendment) Act. 1976;
*The Constitution (Dadra and Nagar Haveli) Scheduled Castes Order 1962;
*The Constitution (Dadra & Nagar Haveli) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1962; *
The Constitution (Pondicherry) Scheduled Castes Order, 1964;
*The Constitution (Uttar Pradesh) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1967;
*The Constitution (Goa, Daman & Dieu) Scheduled Castes Order, 1968;
*The Constitution (Goa, Daman & Dieu) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1968;
*The Constitution (Nagaland) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1970;
*The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Castes Order, 1978;
*The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1978;
*The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Orders (Amendment) Act, 1990.
*The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order, (Amendment) Ordinance, 1991.
*The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order, (Second Amendment) Act, 1991.
*The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Ordinance, 1996

This certificate is issued on the basis of the Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes Certificate issue to Shri_____Father of Shri _____of village/town_____ in District/Division _____ of the State/UT _____ _____ _____who belongs to the _____ caste/Tribe which is recognized as a SC/ST in the State/Union Territory _____ issued by the _____ (name of the prescribed issuing authority) vide their No. _____ dated _____ or Shri _____ _____ and or his/her family ordinarily reside(s) in Village/Town _____of _____ District/Division of the State/Union Territory of _____.

Place_____ Signature_____ Date_____ Designation _____

(With seal of Office)

NOTE: - The terms ordinarily reside(s) used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the Representation of the People Act, 1950.

⇨ **SC Certificate issued from Maharashtra State must be validated by Social Welfare Department and ST Caste certificate must be validated by Tribal Development Department of Maharashtra Government.**

LIST OF AUTHORITIES EMPOWERED TO ISSUE CASTE/TRIBE CERTIFICATE:

1. District Magistrate/Additional 1st District Magistrate / Collector / Deputy Commissioner / Additional Deputy Commissioner / Dy.Collector / Class Stipendiary Magistrate / Sub Divisional Magistrate/Extra Assistant Commissioner / Taluka Magistrate / Executive Magistrate.
2. Chief Presidency Magistrate/Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/Presidency Magistrate.
3. Revenue Officers not below the rank of Tahsildar.
4. Sub-Divisional Officers of the area where the candidate and/or his family normally resides.

ANNEXURE IX

PWD CERTIFICATE FORMAT

DISABILITY CERTIFICATE FORMAT-I

(In cases of amputation or complete permanent paralysis of limbs and in cases of blindness)
(NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE MEDICAL AUTHORITY ISSUING THE CERTIFICATE)

No.: _____ Date: ___/____/____

Signature/LTI/RTI of the Candidate

Passport size photograph of the candidate

This is to certify that I have carefully examined Shri/Smt/Kum. _____, son/wife/daughter of Shri_____ Date of Birth ___/____/_____ [Age - ____years], male/female, Registration No._____ permanent resident of House No.- _____, Ward/Village/Street _____ Post Office _____District State_____, whose photograph is affixed above, and am satisfied that

1. he/she is a case of (Please tick as applicable):
    a. locomotor disability
    b. blindness

2. the diagnosis in his/her case is_____.

3. He/She has _____ % (in figure) _____ percent (in words) permanent physical impairment/blindness in relation to his/her_____ (part of body) as per guidelines (to be specified).

4. The applicant has submitted the following document as proof of residence:-

Nature of Document	Date of Issue	Details of authority Issuing the certificate

Official Seal:

[Authorized Signatory of notified Medical Authority]

Name: _____

DISABILITY CERTIFICATE FORMAT-II

{In cases of multiple disabilities}

(NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE MEDICAL AUTHORITY ISSUING THE CERTIFICATE)

No.-_____ Date - _____/___/_____

Signature /LTI/RTI of the Candidate

Passport size photograph of the candidate

This is to certify that I have carefully examined Shri/Smt./Kum. _____, son/wife/daughter of Shri _____ Date of Birth of __ /__ / _____ [Age -____ years], male/female, Registration No. _____ Permanent resident of House No.- _____ Ward/Village/Street _____ Post Office _____ District _____ State _____, whose photograph is affixed above, and am satisfied that

1. He/she is a Case of Multiple Disability. His/her extent of permanent physical impairment/ disability has been evaluated as per guidelines (to be specified) for the disabilities ticked below, and shown against the relevant disability in the table below:

S.No.	Disability	Affected Part Of body	Diagnosis	Permanent physical impairment/mental disability (in %)
1.	Locomotor disability	@		
2.	Low vision	#		
3.	Blindness	Both Eyes		
4.	Hearing impairment	£		
5.	Mental retardation	X		
6.	Mental-illness	X		

Continued…

2. In the light of the above, his/her overall permanent physical impairment as per guidelines (to be specified), is as follows:

   In figures: _____ %

   In words: _____ percent

3. The above condition is progressive/ non-progressive/ likely to improve/ not likely to improve.

4. Reassessment of disability is:
   (i) Not Necessary [or]
   (ii) is recommended/after _____years _____ months, and therefore this certificate shall be valid till (DD/MM/YY) _____

   @ - e.g. Left/Right/botharms/legs

   # - e.g. Single eye/botheyes

   £- e.g. Left/Right/both ears

5. The applicant has submitted the following document as proof of residence:

Nature of Document	Date of Issue	Details of authority issuing the certificate

6. Signature and seal of the Medical Authority:

Name and Seal of Member	**Name of Seal of Member**	**Name and Seal of the chairperson**

DISABILITY CERTIFICATE FORMAT-III

{In cases of any other case not covered in Format - 1 & II}
(NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE MEDICAL AUTHORITY ISSUING THE CERTIFICATE)

No.-_____ Date - ____/____/_____

Signature /LTI/RTI of the Candidate

Passport size photograph of the candidate

This is to certify that I have carefully examined Shri/Smt./Kum. _____
son/wife/daughter of Shri _____ Date of Birth of ____ /____ / _____
[Age ____ years], male/female, Registration No. _____ Permanent resident of
House No.- _____ Ward/ Village /Street _____ Post Office_____ District _____ State _____ , whose photograph is affixed above, and am satisfied that

1. He/she is a Case of Multiple Disability. His/her extent of permanent physical impairment/ disability has been evaluated as per guidelines (to be specified) for the disabilities ticked below, and shown against the relevant disability in the table below:

S. No.	Disability	Affected Part Of body	Diagnosis	Permanent physical impairment/mental disability (in %)
1.	Locomotor disability	@		
2.	Low vision	#		
3.	Blindness	Both Eyes		
4.	Hearing impairment	£		
5.	Mental retardation	X		
6.	Mental-illness	X		

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2. In the light of the above, his/her overall permanent physical impairment as per guidelines (to be specified), is as follows:

   In figures: _____ %

   In words: _____ percent

3. The above condition is progressive/ non-progressive/ likely to improve/ not likely to improve.

4. Reassessment of disability is:

   (i) Not Necessary [or]

   (ii) is recommended/after _____ years_____ months, and therefore this certificate shall be valid till (DD/MM/YY) _____

   @ - e.g. Left/Right/botharms/legs

   # - e.g. Single eye/botheyes

   £- e.g. Left/Right/both ears

5. The applicant has submitted the following document as proof of residence:

Nature of Document	Date of Issue	Details of authority issuing the certificate

Official Seal: **[Authorized Signatory of notified Medical Authority*]**

Name: _____

* In case this certificate is issued by a medical authority who is not a government servant, it shall be valid only if countersigned by the Chief Medical Officer of the District. Note: The principal rules were published in the Gazette of India vide notification number S.0. 908(E), dated the 31st December, 1996.

Countersigned^

Official Seal: **[CMO/Medical Superintendent/Head of Govt. Hospital]**

Name: _____

^Countersignature and seal of the CMO /Medical Superintendent/Head of Government Hospital is essential in case the certificate is issued by a medical authority who is not a government servant.

ANNEXURE X

DECLARATION FORM

Id. No.	
Programme:	**Ph.D.**
Department	
Name	
Son/Daughter/Wife of	

I declare that:

1. I shall not receive any salary, scholarship, stipend or any other financial benefit from any other source except the institute assistantship during the period of my study at IIIT Kota. (except top up grants from Institute Project/Industry and income from participating in consultancy projects of faculty of the Institute)

2. I shall not accept and join any job without obtaining prior permission of the institute.

3. I understand that I shall not be permitted to leave the programme midway and shall complete my programme successfully. Failing which I shall pay back entire assistantship received from the institute by me.

4. I also understand that in case I withdraw from the enrolled programme, the caution money shall not be refunded to me.

5. I am not currently enrolled in any other Institute/University for any degree program.

Signature of the student Dated:
Email Address
Mobile No.

ANNEXURE XI

INCOME & ASSET CERTIFICATE TO BE PRODUCED BY ECONOMICALLY WEAKER SECTIONS

Government of _____

(Name & Address of the authority issuing the certificate)

[This certificate MUST have been issued on or after 1" April 2025]

Certificate No. _____ Date: _____

VALID FOR THE YEAR _____

1. This is to certify that Shri/Smt./Kumari _____, son/daughter/wife of _____ permanent resident of _____ Village/Street _____ Post Office _____ District in the State/Union Territory _____ Pin Code _____ whose photograph is attested below belongs to Economically Weaker Sections, since the gross annual incomes* of his/her family** is below Rs. 8 lakh (Rupees Eight Lakh only) for the financial year _____. His/her family does not own or possess any of the following assets***:

   i. 5 acres of agricultural land and above;
   ii. Residential flat of 1000 sq. ft. and above;
   iii. Residential plot of 100 sq. yards and above in notified municipalities;
   iv. Residential plot of 200 sq. yards and above in. areas other than the notified municipalities.

2. Shri/Smt./Kumari _____ belongs to the caste which is not recognized as a Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe and Other Backward Classes (Central List)s.

Passport size photograph of the candidate

Signature with seal of Office_____

Name _____

Designation _____

The Income *and* assets of the families as mentioned would be required to be certified by an officer not below the rank of Tehsildar in the States/UTs.

* Income covered all sources i.e. salary, agriculture, business, profession, etc.

** The term 'Family" for this purpose includes the person, who seeks benefit of reservation, his/her parents and siblings below the age of 18 years as also his/her spouse and children below the age of 18 years.

*** The property held by a "Family' in different locations or different places/cities have been clubbed while applying the land or property holding test to determine EWS status.

ANNEXURE XII

Contact Details of PG Admission Incharge

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Contact Details of DPGC Conveners

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2	Electronics and Communication Engineering	dpgc.ece@iiitkota.ac.in	9549650758