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Admission to Ph.D. and M.S. (By Research) Programmes
for August 2020 Batch





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Schools for Research

- School of Marine Engineering & Technology
- School of Nautical Studies
- School of Naval Architecture and Ocean Engineering
- School of Maritime Management



Eligibility Criteria - Ph.D.

The eligibility criteria for admission to the Ph.D programme shall be **one among** the following :

1. Candidates who have passed SSLC (10th or 11th class/grade and PUC or higher secondary (12th grade) before joining undergraduate (UG) programme (3 or more years) and UG before joining PG degree programme, **i.e.** 10+2+UG Degree (3 or more years) or 11+1+ UG Degree (3 or more years)

AND

The Post Graduate (P.G) shall be in the respective areas of research in the Schools mentioned in previous slide or a relevant discipline with at least 55% marks or equivalent Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA). For SC/ ST/ OBC(NCL)/ PwD Candidates, the minimum marks shall be 50% (or equivalent CGPA).

2. M.S (by Research) or M.Phil degree in the respective areas of research in the Schools mentioned in previous slide or a relevant discipline.
3. Mariners with Master or MEO Class I Certificate of Competency or PGDMOM qualification with 2 years of continuous teaching experience at degree level as faculty in IMU / IMU Affiliated Institutes/DG(S) approved institutes.

Note: The Board of Research Studies shall decide whether a particular discipline is relevant to the particular area of research or not.



Eligibility Criteria - M.S. (By Research)

- Under Graduate (U.G) degree with 10+2+(3 or 4) pattern in a relevant discipline with at least 55% marks or equivalent Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA), except in the case of Mariners for whom a Master or MEO Class I Certificate of Competency would suffice. For SC/ST/OBC(NCL)/PwD Candidates, the minimum marks shall be 50% (or equivalent CGPA).

Note: The Board of Research Studies shall decide whether a particular discipline is relevant to the particular Area of Research or not.



Admission Process

- The Written Test (Stage I) in Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ) to test a Candidate's General Mental Ability, knowledge on the Maritime sector, and knowledge on the relevant discipline/area of research in which the Candidate proposes to do the Ph.D or M.S (By Research). This shall have 40% weightage. This test will have 120 Questions and the time duration is **2 hours**.
- Descriptive writing Test (Stage II) to assess proficiency in technical writing & English will be in the general area in which the Candidate is interested to do research. This shall have 30% weightage. Time duration for this will be **1 hour**.
- Personal Interview (Stage III) by the Departmental Committee which will be conducted at IMU Headquarters for the qualifying Candidates at a later date shall have 30% weightage.
- To qualify to the Stage II, the Candidate should secure minimum 50% in Stage I. To qualify to the Stage III, the Candidate should secure minimum 50% in Stage II.
- For the convenience of the Candidates, Descriptive Writing Test (Stage II) will be conducted immediately after the Written Test (Stage I) at the same test venue. However the answer scripts of those Candidates who secure 50% or more in Stage I will be evaluated to finalize the list of Candidates eligible for Personal Interview (Stage III).
- Candidate may choose to join the programme in Full time or Part time.
- **The Date/Venue of the Entrance Test will be uploaded on IMU Website/Portal. Candidates are advised to visit IMU Portal/Website regularly.**



Important Dates

- Online registration is open from **01.07.2020**
- Last date for Basic Registration and Payment of Registration Fees for Written Test (Common Entrance Test) - Wednesday, **21.08.2020**.
- Last date for submission of detailed Application Form for Written Test (Common Entrance Test) - Wednesday, **21.08.2020**.
- Written Test (Stage I) and Descriptive writing Test (Stage II) – **Date will be uploaded on IMU Portal/IMU Website**
- Personal Interview – Qualified Candidates will be notified of the date, time and venue, to their registered email address. The date of commencement of programme will depend on the **entrance exam conduct dates**. The candidates will be required to visit website for regular updates.



For Programme Regulations for Ph.D and M.S (By Research), [Click here](#)

Disclaimer - These regulations are subject to change. Candidates are requested to keep themselves abreast of the changes. IMU will not be responsible for any loss which a Candidate may suffer due to their ignorance of the latest regulations.



Best Wishes to all aspiring Candidates

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