



PHD ADMISSION NOTIFICATION

For VISVESVARAYA PhD scheme under Chip to Start-up (C2S) programme, MeitY

Applications are invited from eligible candidates for admission to PhD programme on Full Time basis for **Academic Session 2026-27** in the Department of Electrical Engineering (01 no. under C2S Project of MeitY) under the VISVESVARAYA PhD Scheme for Electronics and IT: Phase- II'. The interested candidates can submit the application form along with relevant enclosures as per the guidelines available on the website of the Institute.

Important Dates:

Closing date for submission of applications is up to: **15.10.2026**

The major features of the scheme for the full-time scholars are given below:

- **Fellowship:** ₹46,250/- per month in 1st and 2nd year and ₹52,550 per month in 3rd, 4th and 5th years of PhD (support till PhD completion or 5 years whichever is earlier).
- **Reimbursement of Rent (RoR):** This component is linked with the fellowship of PhD Candidate. The rate of RoR is 8% (of fellowship) for the Indian Institute of Technology Ropar, respectively. The classification of the cities is as per the notification issued by the Ministry of Finance for the reimbursement of HRA.
- **Research contingency Grant Support:** An amount of ₹1,20,000/Year for Full-time PhD candidate.
- **Support for attending International conferences:** Support upto ₹1.5 lakhs/Full-time PhD candidate.
- **Visit to Labs abroad:** A support for each selected Full-Time PhD candidate upto ₹10.5 lakhs for a visit to labs abroad.

For more details visit: <https://phd.dic.gov.in/>

Research area:

Analog integrated circuit design (Knowledge of Bandgap Reference, Low-Dropout Regulator, Phase-Locked Loop, data converters and/or other related topics of VLSI is desirable.)

Eligibility Criteria Essential:

The Minimum Qualifications for students to take admission into the PhD. Programs in Engineering Departments must satisfy one of the following criteria:

- **M.Tech./M.E or equivalent / 5-year Integrated Master's degree in engineering:** Minimum of 60% marks or 6.00 CGPA on a 10-point scale for General/OBC (Non-Creamy Layer)/EWS category candidates (55% marks or 5.5 CGPA on a 10-point scale for SC/ST/PwD category candidates). National level examination requirement is Nil.
- **B.E./B.Tech. or equivalent four-year program:** Minimum of 60% marks or 6.00 CGPA on a 10-point scale for General/OBC (Non-Creamy Layer)/EWS category candidates (55% marks or 5.5 CGPA on a 10-point scale for SC/ST/PwD category candidates), along with qualification through a national level examination (Qualified GATE/CSIR/UGC-NET/DST-INSPIRE/JEST/NBHM or other national fellowship).
- **B.E./B.Tech. from IITs/NITs** with an excellent academic record and with a CGPA/CPI of at least 8.0 (on a 10-point scale) or equivalent (75% of marks). For SC/ST candidates, there is a relaxation of 0.5 CGPA/CPI or 5% of marks.

For more details visit: <https://www.iitrpr.ac.in/admissions/phd>



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Application Procedure

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Selection Process for Admission

A written test and/or interview will be conducted for all shortlisted candidates.

General Terms & Conditions:

1. The decision of the Indian Institute of Technology Ropar shall be final in all matters related to the Admission Process.
2. The Institute reserves its right to cancel/postpone/hold the Admission Process at any stage without citing any reason thereof.
3. Mere eligibility doesn't ensure selection.
4. The list of short-listed candidates shall be displayed on the Institute's Website. Candidates are advised to visit the Indian Institute of Technology Ropar website regularly. No correspondence regarding reasons for not shortlisting the candidate shall be entertained.
5. The candidates are required to have at least one working email address and a mobile number, which will be used throughout the admission process for communication, if required.
6. IIT Ropar PhD admission brochure https://www.iitrpr.ac.in/api/admission-file/PhD%20Admission%20Brochure%202026-27_EED.pdf

Department website:

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