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CORRIGENDUM

Advertisement for Admission to the PhD Programme 2025-26 (regular full-time mode) in the School of Physical Sciences, IIT Mandi, for August- December 2025 semester

IIT Mandi seeks application for the **Regular Ph.D. program** in the School of Physical Sciences (SPS) for the Odd semester (August- December 2025), Academic session 2025-26 in the following areas:

Sr. No	Research Areas	Eligibility & Minimum Qualification	Remarks
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Experimental Condensed Matter Physics• Experimental High Energy Physics• Theoretical quantum optics• Perovskite Electronics and Optoelectronics• Soft Matter Physics• Experimental Nonlinear dynamics and active matter Physics	<p><u>CATEGORY A:-</u></p> <p>M.Sc. in Physical Sciences with at least 60% marks for Gen/Gen EWS & 55% for SC/ST/OBC-NCL, along with at least any one of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Valid GATE Score Card/Valid JEST (Joint Entrance Screening Test) Score2. CSIR/UGC-JRF/NET certificate with validity.3. DST-INSPIRE fellowship4. Minimum of TWO years of professional experience (acquired after obtaining the qualifying degree and completed before the starting of the semester in which admission is sought)	<p>In online application select the research areas of Physical Sciences.</p> <p>(Candidate can select more than one area according to their preference).</p>



		<p><u>Exemptions from mandatory requirements of Valid GATE score:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. B.Tech/B.E./B.S. or equivalent degree from CFTI (Centrally Funded Technical Institute)/ any of the top 100 institutes according to NIRF ranking (overall category) at the time of application/ any Himachal Pradesh Govt. institution or universities with a CGPA/CPI of at least 7.5 (on a scale of 10) or equivalent (for General/EWS categories) and a CGPA/CPI of at least 7.0 (on a scale of 10) or equivalent (for OBC-NCL category) and a CGPA/CPI of at least 6.5 (on a scale of 10) or equivalent (for SC/ST/PWD categories). 2. BS-MS/M.Sc. or equivalent degree from IITs, IISERs, IISc, IIMs/ any of the top 100 institutes according to NIRF ranking (overall category) at the time of application with a CGPA/CPI of at least 7.5 (on a scale of 10) or equivalent (for General/EWS categories) and a CGPA/CPI of at least 7.0 (on a scale of 10) or equivalent (for OBC-NCL category) and a CGPA/CPI of at least 6.5 (on a scale of 10) or equivalent (for SC/ST/PWD categories). 3. NIRF Ranking (within the top 100) should be in the overall category granted for the year during which 	
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		<p>admission is sought.</p> <p><u>CATEGORY B:- For Project to Ph.D.:-</u></p> <p>➤ This category includes project staff working on research projects in the Institute who have worked on such projects for a period of 6 months or more. They may be considered for admission to the Ph.D. Program (guided by the same PI only) with strong support from the PI. The selection procedure will be the same as for the regular Ph.D. The minimum educational qualifications are the same as mentioned in Category A (regular full-time scholar), except that the GATE/NET (or any other national qualifying examinations) qualifications are waived.</p>	
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- **For more details about Ph.D. Programme at IIT Mandi, please visit:**

https://www.iitmandi.ac.in/pdf/ordinances//Ordinances_Ph.D.pdf

- **How to Apply :**

Interested candidates are encouraged to fill the online application form available in the following link: <https://iitmandiadm.samarth.edu.in/aug24/index.php/>

- **Application Fee for Ph.D. Admission:**

Category	Amount in ₹
General/EWS/OBC/OBC (NCL)/Transgender/Foreign Nationals	200/-
Women/SC/ST/PD	100/-

- **Mode of Payment: Online.**

- Applicants should submit a fee Online on the Samarth Portal of the IIT Mandi, and submit the generated transaction number to the Samarth admission application portal. One application fee is valid for the single application. The application fee is non-refundable.
- For any problems regarding filling-up of online application, please contact it_helpdesk@iitmandi.ac.in
- For any other queries regarding Ph.D. program in SPS, please contact the SPS office via following email spsoffice1@iitmandi.ac.in
- Employed candidates seeking admission to Ph.D. program must have to submit a “**No Objection Certificate**” from their current employer at the time of interview.

- **Important Dates:**

Starting date for filling online application	4 th April, 2025
Last date for filling online application	7 th May, 2025 till 5:00 PM

Note: IIT Mandi reserves the right to select / not select for any of the advertised areas and apply appropriate criteria for shortlisting.

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