

Specimen copy for Admission Offer Letter (Post Interview)

INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY BOMBAY

Academic Office
Date: 20.05.2026

Name : _____ Reg. No _____

Sub: Admissions to MA BY Research Programme in Department of Humanities and Social Sciences - 1st Offer

Dear Candidate,

Congratulations! I am glad to inform you that you have been **PROVISIONALLY** selected for **MA BY Research Programme** in the **Department of Humanities & Social Sciences** under **Teaching Assistantship (TA)** category

To "CONFIRM" your admission, you NEED to accept your offer and pay fees online from **20th May, 2026 to 31st May, 2026 (23:59hours)** by Online Internet Banking using IIT Bombay admission portal. However, NO CLAIM for this offer will be entertained after the last date of payment of fees **{i.e. by 31st May, 2026 (23:59 hours) (12:00 midnight)}**).

Please remember that it is your responsibility to check your results and comply instructions strictly given on this web-link <https://acad.iitb.ac.in/admissions/masters/mares>

Fees for all categories (GN / GN-EWS) / OBC / OBC-NC / SC / ST / PwD):(subject to revision as per MoE/BoG decision)

(a) For GN /GN-EWS) / OBC /OBC-NC category (TA/TAP/RA/RAP)	(b) For SC / ST / PwD catg. (TA/TAP/RA/RAP)
With Hostel Accommodation = Rs. 72,400/-	With Hostel Accommodation = Rs. 54,400/-
Without Hostel Accommodation = Rs.52,150/-	Without Hostel Accommodation= Rs. 34,150/-

*To know more about financial assistance please visit <https://acad.iitb.ac.in/academics/education-loan>

If you have opted for Hostel Accommodation then you are required to submit the Mess Advance of Rs. 27,000/- by ONLINE payment/Net Banking as per the link provided in the online admission portal. The candidate shall directly contact The Deputy Registrar, Hostel Co-ordinating Unit(HCU), Ground Floor, Main Building, IIT Bombay on 022-25768900/8901 or email at arhcu@iitb.ac.in/incharge.hcu@iitb.ac.in/hcu.office@iitb.ac.in, for all hostel related queries. Please note that the Institute provides accommodation on campus strictly for the stipulated duration of Programme under which one is admitted. Hostel accommodation facility is extended to FA/TA/RA/TAP/RAP/SW (Monash) category students of all PG programmes. However, please note that due to the extreme paucity of hostel rooms at IIT Bombay the initial two years of accommodation will be in double occupancy.

It may please be noted that the admission is provisional subject to following,

1. Subject to having qualifying degree as per the institute norms (GN/ EWS/OBC-NC 60% and SC/ ST/ PwD 55%; or a minimum Cumulative Grade Point Average CGPA)/Cumulative Performance Index (CPI) of 6.0 on the scale of 0-10; or an equivalent to 6.0 or Other corresponding proportional requirements when the scales are other than 0-10.)
2. Candidates belonging to OBC-Non Creamy Layer (OBC-NC) **MUST** submit valid OBC-NC certificate Issued on or after April 01, 2026 at the time of joining, as per the given format.
3. Candidates belonging to PwD category may submit the PwD certificate at the time of joining (if applicable).
4. Economically Weaker Sections(EWS) candidates needs to submit valid EWS certificate issued by the Competent Authority in the prescribed format.
5. Subject to submission of 'copy of Resignation letter and Relieving Certificate' (original) from the present employer (applicable to candidates who are working/employed).
6. Subject to submission of valid GATE/qualification in the GATE-XH paper..

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The Orientation and Registration Programme is scheduled from July 22 2026(at 8.30 am onwards) at Convocation Hall. You are advised to refer <https://acad.iitb.ac.in/admissions/masters/mares> for more details on Registration and Orientation Programme.

Verification of documents / certificates will be held on in the concerned academic unit. You are required to show self-attested copies of your Educational qualification, Date of Birth, Migration, Caste / Tribe / Non-Creamy Layer / Disability / EWS certificates, etc. along with ORIGINALS for verification. The OBC-NC candidates needs to submit the latest OBC-NC certificate issued on or after **1st April, 2026**, as per the given format. You are advised to refer <https://acad.iitb.ac.in/admissions/masters/mares> for more details about verification of documents in the month of **July, 2026**.

You will be required to complete the vaccination during the first semester. Registration for the second semester will be subject to complete vaccination as required. Please refer to <https://acad.iitb.ac.in/admissions/masters/mares> for proforma of "Vaccination Certificate/Vaccination Exemption Certificate".

Candidate whose qualifying degree (B.E. / B.Tech. / M.Sc. etc.) is not yet completed or results are awaited, shall email to concerned HOD / office of the academic unit a certificate from the Head / Principal of the Institute / College about the status of the final examination. Emails and other details of academic units are available at https://acad.iitb.ac.in/files/Details_regarding_PG_Ph.D._admissions_2026-27_%20Contact_Email_details.pdf . However, they must submit the passing certificate and a proof for having First Class or 60% marks (55% for SC/ST) in qualifying degree examination by **31st August, 2026**, failing which the admission will stand cancelled (please refer to MA By Research Information Brochure 2026-27).

A student holding Teaching Assistantship (TA) / Research Assistantship (RA)/ Teaching Assistantship through Project (TAP) / Research Assistantship through Project (RAP) shall not accept or hold any appointment paid or otherwise or receive any emoluments, salary, stipend from any other source during the tenure of their programme.

IIT Bombay reserves the right to withdraw the admission at any stage / time in case a candidate does not fulfil the requisite qualifications and/or percentage of marks in qualifying degree or supplies any false information.

The details about the refund of deposits are given__under *Refund policy* https://acad.iitb.ac.in/files/Details_about_Refund_policy_for_the_PG_Ph.D._Programme_for_2026_27.pdf .

Candidates wishing to cancel/withdraw admission after paying the requisite fees MUST communicate the same by an email given in the application form to pgadm@iitb.ac.in stating subject "Canellation of MA By Research Admission 2026-27 WI (1st offer)" by specifying the department/ specialization and application ID. E-mail regarding cancellation/withdrawal of admission will be entertained, ONLY IF, the request is made through E-mail ID given in the Application form.

To process the refund you need to visit the IIT Bombay ONLINE application portal for cancellation request and to enter your own/Self Bank Account No., IFSC Code, Bank and Branch information and upload a proof of this account information. *The refund will be send to the respective candidate's Bank account from receipt of such e-mail/ request, and following the due process of refund, after verifying the details, within 8/10 weeks.*

Motorized vehicle of any type for the students on the Institute campus is strictly prohibited, except medical cases as required.

You are advised to check the Institute webpage <https://acad.iitb.ac.in/admissions/masters/mares> and ONLINE application portal for all updates/offers periodically.

With best wishes,
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Joint Registrar (Academic)