

GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB
DEPARTMENT OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND INDUSTRIAL TRAINING
(TECHNICAL EDUCATION BRANCH - II)

NOTIFICATION

No. TECH-TE-2013/1/2020-STE1/ I/59905/2020

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1.0 The Governor of Punjab is pleased to appoint the I. K. Gujral Punjab Technical University, Jalandhar as the authority competent to conduct the Online Centralized Counseling for admission to various degree levels Engineering and Architecture Courses being run in the Institutions and Universities located in the State of Punjab on the basis of inter- se- merit in qualifying examination and NATA respectively for the Academic Session 2020-21. The admission shall be made in the colleges affiliated to Universities/campuses of the Universities mentioned below:-

- A. I. K. GUJRAL PUNJAB TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY, JALANDHAR**
- B. MAHARAJA RANJIT SINGH PUNJAB TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY, BATHINDA**
- C. PUNJAB AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY, LUDHIANA**

Note: The number of colleges, branches in each college and the number of seats will be as given in the letter of approval issued by AICTE for the year 2020-21.

As per All India Council for Technical Education, New Delhi letter No. AICTE/Adv-I/AB/2016/86 dated 08.12.2016 and letter dated 07/07/2020.

- In no eventuality, a Technical Institution without prior approval of the AICTE, and Affiliating University shall be allowed to participate in the counseling and admission process and to admit students. Affiliating University shall not enroll students admitted in such Technical Institutions, which do not have requisite approval of the AICTE.
- University shall not grant affiliation to a technical Institution approved by AICTE after 15August, 2020.
- Affiliating University shall not permit any Technical Institution to admit students without requisite prior approval of the AICTE.
- University/Institution shall not permit admissions of students to Technical Programs which are not approved by the AICTE.

2.0 The Governor of Punjab is also pleased to further issue the following criteria for making admissions:-

A. Eligibility Criteria (Educational Qualifications and Resident Status) for admission

- (i) For admission to the Engineering / Architecture Courses, 85% seats shall be open for the candidates from within the State and 15% will be open for the candidates from outside the State.
- (ii) Admission shall be made on the basis of inter- se-merit in qualifying examination for both 85% quota for residents of Punjab and 15% quota for outside Punjab.

a) For Engineering & Technology Courses

All those candidates who have passed the 10+2 examination from a board recognized or established by central/state government through a legislation and a member of Council of Boards of School Education (COBSE), New Delhi with Physics and Mathematics as compulsory subjects along with one of the following subjects:

Chemistry / Biotechnology / Biology / Computer Science / Technical Vocational Subject / Information Technology / Informatics Practices / Agriculture / Engineering Graphics / Business Studies.

Obtained at least 45% marks (40% marks in case of candidates belonging to reserved category) in the above subjects taken together.

If the seats of B.Tech. (Bio-Technology) remain vacant after the central counseling the seats may be filled with the candidates having following qualification also:-

10+2 with Physics and Chemistry as compulsory subjects along with one of the following subjects:

- Mathematics
- Bio-Technology
- Biology
- Computer Science
- Technical Vocational Subject

OR

Those candidates who have passed diploma in any Engineering Trade from Punjab State Board of Technical Education & Industrial Training, Chandigarh or Sant Longowal Institute of Engineering and Technology, Longowal (SLIET), or any such examination from any other recognized State Board of Technical Education with at least 45% marks (40% marks in case of candidates belonging to reserved category).

OR

The candidates who have passed two years certificate course from Sant Longowal Institute of Engineering and Technology, Longowal (SLIET) shall be eligible.

Eligibility for PAU, Ludhiana

In addition to conditions enumerated above for admission to Engineering courses run by Punjab Agricultural University, Ludhiana, the eligibility criteria of the concerned university shall be applicable.

In case of any dispute, decision of the competent authority conducting the counseling shall be final and binding on all.

b) For Architecture Course

- I. No candidate shall be admitted to architecture course unless she/he has passed an examination at the end of the 10+2 scheme of examination with at least 50% aggregate marks in Physics, Chemistry & Mathematics and also at least 50% marks in aggregate of the 10+2 level examination from a board recognized or established by central/state government through a legislation or passed 10+3 Diploma Examination with Mathematics as compulsory subject with at least 50% marks in aggregate.
- II. Merit List will be prepared as following:
 - a) The candidates who have scored ranks in aptitude test in Architecture conducted by Council of Architecture (NATA).
 - b) Those who have scored ranks in aptitude test conducted by National Testing Authority (NTA) JEE Paper II (Arch) followed by

- c) Those who have cleared Any other Aptitude test conducted on the directions of State Govt. (Ref. Section 4.3 of CoA regulations 1983 which authorizes an institution to conduct such test).

(Note: The weightage of Marks secured in the Test and qualifying examination will be counted in the ratio of 50:50)

- III. Vacant seats (if any) may be filled on the basis of inter-se-merit of Qualifying Examination mentioned above on the directions of Government/Courts.

B. GENERAL ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO DEGREE LEVEL ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY COURSES:

Apart from the basic educational qualifications prescribed above, the general eligibility criteria shall be as contained in Punjab Government, Department of Technical Education & Industrial Training, Punjab Memo No. 35/44/95-1T(2)/978 dated 21st March, 2003, which is attached as Annexure. This communication shall be treated as a part and parcel of this notification, for all purposes, and all the provisions of this notification shall be read along with the contents of the said communication.

Exemption under above Para

Children/wards/dependent (whose parent are not alive) of all those regular Punjab Government employees, members of All India Service borne on Punjab cadre, Serving judges and the employees of the Punjab and Haryana High Court, employees of Boards/ Corporations/Statutory Bodies established by an act of the state of Punjab who have been holding post outside Punjab on or before 1st January of the year of entrance test that is on or before 1st January, 2020 and their children/wards/dependents may have done 10+1 and/or 10+2 outside Punjab.

C. RESERVATION:

- (i) The reservation of seats shall be as per Punjab Government, Department of Technical Education and Industrial Training Memo. No. 13 / 2/ 05 -1TE2/1987 dated 2nd July, 2013 and Memo. No. 8/41/2019 - 4 TE2/53 dated 13.09.2019 which are attached as Annexure. This communication shall be treated as a part and parcel of this notification, for all purposes, and all the provisions of this notification shall be read along with the contents of the said communication.
- (ii) The attention of the applicants desirous of claiming reservation under any category whatsoever is especially drawn to the condition and stipulation that only the certificates that have been produced at the time of admission shall be considered. The candidates are accordingly advised, in their own interest, to get the requisite certificates issued well before the date of admission, otherwise, claim for reservation shall be summarily rejected. Candidates are required to claim reservation at the time of registering for online counseling. If no reservation is claimed the candidates shall be treated and considered as a "General Candidate".
- (iii) The I.K. Gujral Punjab Technical University shall make a provision in the online application form for a candidate to indicate the category, if any, under which he/she is seeking reservation. There shall also be a provision to indicate the sub-category of the category, if any, under which reservation is being sought, so that *inter se* gradation can be facilitated. These sub-categories have been elucidated in the Punjab Government, Department of Technical Education and Industrial Training Memo. No. 13 / 2/ 05 -1TE2/1987 dated 2nd July, 2013 and Memo. No. 8/41/2019 - 4 TE2/53 dated 13.09.2019 which are attached as Annexure. Punjab Government may also set up a committee to effect *inter se* gradation of candidates claiming reservation under certain categories, as indicated in the aforesaid memo dated 2nd July, 2013.
- (iv) A candidate shall be eligible to make a claim for reservation in any of the reserved category. However, the procedure for a counseling shall be as per

D. GENERAL CONDITIONS:

- (i) There shall be online counseling by I.K. Gujral Punjab Technical University. The procedure for online counseling shall be decided by the I.K. Gujral Punjab Technical University. However, the following category of seats shall be filled through direct Counseling other than Online Counseling:

Sub categories, Priority for making admission under Defence Category, Para-Military and TA/RA Category & ICAR Nomination seats, Disabled Person Category of PAU, Ludhiana.

For the above categories, counseling shall be done by I. K. Gujral Punjab Technical University, Jalandhar, whereas for other categories, counseling shall be done by the concerned Universities/Institutions, but the nominee of I. K. Gujral Punjab Technical University, Jalandhar, shall be associated for these counseling.
- (ii) The students shall be liable to pay fee / development fee and other charges as per the rates of fee / development fee and other charges to the concerned college as fixed by the Government of Punjab/AICTE/Concerned University, from time to time.
- (iii) The management quota shall be as per Punjab Govt., Department of Technical Education and Industrial Training Memo no. 13/129/2003-1TE2/1247 dated 25th April 2008 and Partial notification no. 13/129/2003-1TE2/1892 dated 20th June 2008 and partial notification no. 13/129/2003-1TE2/171 dated 18th January, 2011 which are attached as Annexure.
- (iv) Appearing in qualifying examination shall be compulsory for students claiming seats under 85% quota reserved for Punjab residents and also to students claiming seats under 15% quota reserved for those outside Punjab i.e. All India. If a candidate is not able to produce his residence certificate, he / she shall be considered for 15% quota only.
- (v) Admissions to the Engineering courses, both for 85% seats for resident of Punjab and 15% seats for outsiders shall be made strictly on the basis of merit of marks obtained in qualifying examination.
- (vi) Counseling for 85% seats for Punjab residents and 15% outside Punjab candidates shall be taken up simultaneously. However, the reserved category candidates shall be considered in general category first before being considered in respective reserved category.
- (vii) The College / University will issue a public notice on official website to this effect indicating clearly the number of seats vacant in each reserve category and general category and fill the seats in that very particular category in all the rounds of counseling.
- (viii) After following the above said procedure, if still the seats remain vacant in reserve category, the college / university can fill these from candidates belonging to general category in a subsequent step at the end of online counseling. Admission to such unfilled/vacant seats as well as management quota shall be furnished to the I. K. Gujral Punjab Technical University and details thereof shall be finalized within 15 days of the last date of counseling.
- (ix) 85% seats would be reserved for the candidates from within the state of Punjab and 15% will be open to all candidates from outside the State. The eligibility criteria for 85% seats will be that the candidates should be a resident of Punjab State in terms of Punjab Govt., Department of Personnel and Administrative Reforms (PP II Branch) letter no. 1/3/95-3PP II/9619 dated 6th June 1996 and

letter no. 1/3/95-3PP II / 81 dated 1st Jan 1999, or have passed 10+1 and 10+2 examination as a regular candidate from recognized institutions situated in Punjab. However Children of Defence Personnel posted in Punjab are exempted from this condition to the extent that they should have passed only qualifying examination i.e. 10+2 from a recognized institution situated in Punjab. Each candidate would be required to submit a certificate to this effect from the Principal / Head of Institution last attended in the prescribed Performa.

- (x) There shall be a joint online counseling by I.K. Gujral Punjab Technical University with representatives from all the other Universities.
- (xi) There shall be two rounds of Centralized counseling by I. K. Gujral Punjab Technical University, Jalandhar. The procedure of centralized online counseling will be decided by the I. K. Gujral Punjab Technical University, Jalandhar. Thereafter the direct admissions at the college level shall be allowed for vacant seats. The I. K. Gujral Punjab Technical University, Jalandhar will issue necessary instructions to the Institutions / University in this regard.
- (xii) Any seat falling vacant after counseling or any drop out vacancy will be filled by the concerned private institute/college on the criteria of admission under management quota. A seat once accepted shall not be changed.
- (xiii) The information about the eligibility for admission to degree courses in Engineering Colleges and Departments of Universities and also about the institution/ discipline/ category-wise availability of seats and reservation of seats for various categories shall be made available by I. K. Gujral Punjab Technical University, Jalandhar on website www.ptu.ac.in.
- (xiv) As per All India Council for Technical Education circular published on its website on dated 07/07/2020 under heading "Revised Academic Calender for A/Y 2020-21", which is attached as Annexure, the last date upto which students can be admitted against vacancies arising due to any reason (no student should be admitted in any institution after the last date under any quota) is 20 October, 2020. Hence admission to various degree courses shall be allowed only once in an academic session.
- (xv) If any new Institution is approved or seats are increased/alterd in the existing institutions by the AICTE and such approval is received before the commencement of that particular round of counseling, I.K. Gujral Punjab Technical University will publish on the official website, invite additional preference from the candidates, at the till end of their original choices, without, however, altering the previous choice. These new institutes as well as existing Institutes having addition / alteration in seats shall be taken into consideration before the start of choice filling of that particular round.
- (xvi) The fee structure for Foreign Nationals/PIO shall be the same as was in vogue for NRI candidates.
- (xvii) The guidelines for admission of Foreign Nationals / PIO shall be as per Punjab Government Notification No. 13/75/2001-ITE2/296 dated Chandigarh the 23rd January, 2002.
- (xviii) The guidelines for admission of Kashmiri migrants shall be as per Notification of Punjab Government in this regard.
- (xix) The guidelines for admission of Sikh minority community students to Guru Nanak Dev Engineering College, Ludhiana and Baba Banda Singh Bahadur Engineering College, Fatehgarh Sahib shall be as per Punjab Government Notification No.18/33/2001- GC(6)/4513 dated Chandigarh, the 3rd April, 2001.
- (xx) Non refundable counseling fee of Rs. 2000/- (Rupees Two Thousand only) will be collected by the University as counseling fee from each student one time only.

- (xxi) In case a student changes his / her / college / University allotted during centralized counseling conducted by I. K. Gujral Punjab Technical University his / her fee shall be refunded by the previous Institution after deduction of Rs. 1000/- only and the original documents will be returned immediately. However, in case of up-gradation of seats during subsequent counseling no deduction shall be made.
- (xxii) In case a student surrenders his / her seat within 7 days of the end of the online counseling, he / she must submit application to the college and register online on I. K. Gujral Punjab Technical University website www.ptu.ac.in. I. K. Gujral Punjab Technical University shall only forward such cases to the concerned colleges / Universities and colleges must refund his / her full fee after deduction of Rs. 1000/- only.
- (xxiii) In keeping with the direction of Ministry of Human Resource Development Department, Govt. of India all Institutions and Universities shall in public interest, maintain a waiting list of students/ candidates. In the event of a student/ candidate withdrawing before the starting of the course, the wait listed candidates should be given admissions against the vacant seat. The entire fees collected from the student, after a deduction of the processing fee of not more than Rs. 1000/- (Rupees One Thousand only) shall be refunded and returned by the Institution/ University to the student/ candidate withdrawing from the programme. It would not be permissible for institutions and universities to retain the certificates in original. Should a student leave after joining the course and if the seat consequently falling vacant gets filled by another candidate by the last date of admission, the institution must return the fees collected with proportionate deductions of monthly fee and proportionate hostel rent, where applicable.
- (xxiv) All Institutions affiliated to I. K. Gujral Punjab Technical University and Maharaja Ranjit Singh Punjab Technical University shall follow 'Fee Waiver Scheme' as prescribed by AICTE and notified by Government of Punjab vide its notification No. 13/60/08-1TE2/1797, dated 23rd May, 2011, Notification No. 13/60/08-1TE2/2007 dated 31.5.2012, Letter no. 751-752/S-I/ECC/2015 dated 13.05.2015 and letter no.428-430 dated 04.04.2019. Other Institutions/ Universities may notify their respective fee waiver scheme separately.

E. OVER-RIDING PROVISION

Nothing in this notification shall be operative in so far as it is inconsistent with the law of the land as laid down in the judgment of the honorable Supreme Court of India in the case of TMA Pai Foundation and others vs. State of Karnataka and others (2002) 8SCC 481: AIR 2003 SC 355). Any such inconsistency may be brought to the notice of the Department of Technical Education, Government of Punjab, for immediate rectification.

Dated, Chandigarh the
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A copy is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:-

1. The Director, Technical Education & Industrial Training, Punjab, Chandigarh.
2. The Vice Chancellor, I. K. Gujral Punjab Technical University, Jalandhar
3. The Vice Chancellor, Maharaja Ranjit Singh Punjab Technical University, Bathinda

4. The Vice Chancellor, Punjab Agricultural University, Ludhiana
5. The System Analyst, Computer Section, Office of the Director, Technical Education & Industrial Training, Punjab, Chandigarh.
6. Sh.Umesh Chander, Superintendent Grade-1, O/o Director, Technical Education & Industrial Training, Punjab Chandigarh for uploading on the portal of Controller, Printing and Stationary, Punjab, Chandigarh for requested that the notification may be published in the State Government ordinary Gazette and 20 copies of the notification may be supplied to Government for record.


Under Secretary