

Admissions Notice for Integrated PhD 2021 program - Update

The Integrated PhD (I-PhD) program at IISER Tirupati is for highly motivated students, who wish to pursue a career in research. Students with an excellent academic record can apply for the I-PhD program upon completion of Bachelor's degree in any branch of science. The course combines curricula for Master's and Doctorate degrees into a single integrated program with a blend of course work and research project.

IISER Tirupati offers modern research laboratories and computational facilities as well as hostel facilities for students. Students will also have the opportunity to participate in a broad range of seminars, meetings and workshops, giving them a chance to interact with researchers and experts from other research organizations within the country and abroad.

Overview of the I-Ph.D. program:

The I-PhD program is offered in the disciplines of Biological, Chemical, Mathematical and Physical Sciences. The research program is a blend of course work and research. The first four semesters of the program consists of core courses, elective courses and advanced courses specializing in one subject and is combined with project/research work. On successful completion of the course work, related project/research work and a comprehensive examination, the student continues with the research leading to a PhD. On successful completion of the doctoral research project, students are awarded an MS degree and a PhD degree.

Institute has started processing the applications for 2021 admissions. All shortlisted candidates will soon receive interview call letter from IISER Tirupati as per the schedule below. Selected students will join the program on September 20.

Important Dates: Revised

Announcement of Shortlisted Candidates for the Interview: **September 5**
Interview of Shortlisted Candidates: **September 10 – 12, 2021 (Tentative)**
Announcement of Interview Results: **September 13, 2021 (Tentative)**
Joining in I-PhD Program: **September 20, 2021**

Financial assistance:

All selected students will receive an amount of Rs 6000 per month as scholarship from IISER Tirupati for the first two years, after which they will be eligible for JRF fellowship.

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