

Instructions to the Candidates

The Teaching & Non-Teaching faculty members from University Departments, Our Affiliated Colleges, Autonomous Institutions, Employees of Approved Research Centres, Polytechnic Colleges and the Government employees from TNEB,PWD,DRDO,etc., under our jurisdiction .,(Coimbatore, Dharmapuri, Erode, Karur, Krishnagiri, Namakkal, Salem, Tirupur & The Nilgiris), are only eligible to apply.

Full time (Internal) & Part time (Internal) - Candidates from University Departments

Full time (External) & Part time (External) - Candidates from Affiliated Colleges, Autonomous Institutions, Employees of Approved Research Centres, Polytechnic Colleges and Government employees from TNEB,PWD,DRDO,etc., under our jurisdiction

- Application fee will not be refunded.

- Cost of application : Rs. 750 /- (For SC/ST Candidates Rs. 375/-)

- 1 The duration of the programme and the time for submission of Thesis are counted from the date of provisional registration.
- 2 The minimum duration of the programme in Engineering, Technology, Architecture and Planning, Agriculture, Medicine and allied programmes for Full-time/Part-time shall be two/three years respectively.
- 3 The minimum duration of the programme in Science & Humanities and Applied Sciences for Full-time/Part-time shall be three/four years respectively. However, for M.Phil. Degree holders, the minimum duration shall be reduced by one year, if the M.Phil. Degree relates to the field of Ph.D.research programme.
- 4 The minimum duration of the programme in Management Studies for Full-time/Part-time shall be as in 2 / 3 years for scholars with Engineering and Technology and 3 / 4 years for scholars with Science and Humanities and Applied Science background respectively.

- Full time scholars should work in the supervisor's **Approved Research Departments / Institutions. (Refer list of Approved Research Departments / Institution Annexure - IV)**
- Separate attendance register has to be maintained by the supervisor for Full time / Part Time scholars and has to be produced whenever asked.
- Admitted to M.Tech.(By Research) should attend regular classes along with PG students for minimum 24 Credits i.e., 8 Course Works.

- The Ph.D. Scholars should attend regular classes for minimum 2 subjects along with PG students (for further details refer Ph.D.regulation 2010)

Fee Structure

	First year		Second Year		Third Year	
	Jan 2012	July 2012	Jan 2013	July 2013	Jan 2014	July 2014
Internal	18000	8000	8000	8000	8000	8000
External	20000	10000	10000	10000	10000	10000

- The fee structure will continue upto the submission of the Synopsis.

Submission of the Application

Completed application form with all enclosures securely stitched to it should be sent to
 “The Director, Centre for Research, Anna University of Technology, Coimbatore,
 Jothipuram Post, Veerapandi pirivu, Coimbatore – 641 047”

Note : Incomplete Applications and applications without proof of documents for Qualification will not be considered and no correspondence will be made in this regard.

Dates to be Remember

Downloading the Application forms	26-10-2011
Receipt of Completed Applications	11.11.2011 before 5.30 pm
Entrance Examination	First week of December, 2011(Tentatively)
Interview	Fourth week of December,2011(Tentatively)
Admission	Third week of January, 2012(Tentatively)

1. Ph.D. GENERAL ELIGIBILITY

- 1.1 Master's Degree of this University or any other qualification recognized as equivalent thereto in the fields of study notified from time to time by the University. Specific educational qualifications are given in Clause 2.
- 1.2 A minimum of 55% marks or CGPA of 5.5 on a 10 point scale in the qualifying examination (50% marks or CGPA of 5.0 on a 10 point scale for SC/ST candidates).
 For M.A. (English) Degree holders including SC/ST candidates, a minimum of 50% marks or CGPA of 5.0 on a 10 point scale.
- 1.3 The Clause 1.2 does not apply, if the qualifying degree is M.Tech.(By Research) of the University or recognized as equivalent.
- 1.4 As per the AICTE Norms, the Engineering Degree Acquired through distance Education Mode is Not Eligible.
- 1.5 Do not apply for Second Ph.D.

2. EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Programme		Qualification for Admission
(i)	Ph.D. Degree in Engineering/ Technology	M.E. / M.Tech. / M.S. (By Research) / M.Pharm in therelevant branch of Engineering or Technology
(ii)	Ph.D. Degree in Science and Humanities	M.Sc. / M.A. / M.S. (By Research) M.Pharm.,(Pharmaceutical Technology) in the relevant branch of Science and Humanities / M.C.A.
(iii)	Ph.D. Degree in Management Sciences	MBA / Post Graduate Diploma in Business Management or Administration awarded by Indian Institute of Management (IIM) / M.S. (By Research) in Management Sciences and equivalent
(iv)	Ph.D. Degree in Architecture and Planning	M.Arch. / M.Plan. / M.S. (By Research) in Architecture and Planning

3. M.Tech (By Research) GENERAL ELIGIBILITY

3.1 Bachelors Degree in Engineering and Technology

3.2 A minimum of 55% marks or CGPA of 5.5 on a 10 point scale in the qualifying examination (50% marks or CGPA of 5.0 on a 10 point scale for SC/ST candidates).

ANNEXURE – I (Faculty code)

ANNEXURE – II (College code)

ANNEXURE – III (Approved Research Centres)

ANNEXURE – IV (Approved Research Departments / Institution)