NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
TIRUCHIRAPPALLI – 620 015, TAMIL NADU

Admission to M.Tech. / M.Arch. Programmes under Sponsored Category for the academic year 2018 – 2019

Applications are invited from the eligible candidates for admission to M.Tech./M.Arch. programmes **under sponsored category.** The candidates may download the application form and guidelines from the institute website (www.nitt.edu). The filled-in application form along with required enclosures and a non-refundable registration fee of Rs.500/- (Rupees five hundred only) by means of Demand Draft drawn not earlier than 5th April, 2018 in favour of **"The Director, National Institute of Technology, Tiruchirappalli- 620 015"** payable at **Tiruchirappalli** should reach **"The Chairperson (PG Admissions), Office of the Dean (Academic), National Institute of Technology, Tiruchirappalli- 620015, Tamil Nadu"** on or before **16th May, 2018** in a sealed cover super-scribing "**Application for M.Tech. / M.Arch. under Sponsored Category**"

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1. **Eligibility**

   a. In qualifying degree, the candidates should have passed and secured at least 6.5 CGPA (on a 10-point scale) or 60% for OC/OBC, 6.0 CGPA (on a 10-point scale) or 55% in case of SC/ST/PwD candidates. The award of this degree should be from a recognized University/Institute.

   b. Conversion from CGPA to percentage or vice versa given by individual Institute/university will not be considered / allowed.

2. **Work experience**

   a. Sponsored candidates should have a minimum experience of two years in the relevant field from the same organization and must be sponsored by their employers.

3. **Tuition fee for sponsored candidates**

   a. Sponsoring industry shall make a payment of Rs 70,000/- per semester per candidate as institute fee. Hostel / Mess fees will be extra.

   b. Sponsored candidates are not eligible for any financial assistance from the Institute.

   c. Half-time Teaching Assistantship (HTTA) requirement (applicable for candidates admitted through CCMT) shall not be applicable for sponsored candidates.

4. **Profile of sponsoring organization**

   a. Central/State Govt. organizations, Public Sector Organizations and Private Industries (approved by Scrutiny Committee of NIT Tiruchirappalli) will be considered in this category.

   b. Sponsoring organizations belonging to private sector shall provide the balance sheet for the last three years for considering their candidates under sponsored category.

   c. Candidates will need to identify a potential guide in the parent organization.

5. **Short-listing / selection criteria**

   a. The admission to M.Tech. / M.Arch. Programmes under Sponsored category will be based on written test and Interview by the respective departments. The written test will be conducted to examine their knowledge in the discipline of their qualifying degree, which forms the prerequisite for admission to the corresponding specialization of the M.Tech. / M. Arch. Programme.

      i. Admission is subject to satisfying the eligibility requirements and the performance of the candidate in the test and interview. Mere call for Test and Interview does not guarantee admission.

      ii. Candidates called for the written test and interview have to make their own arrangements for travel and accommodation etc.

6. **Declaration from the Sponsoring organization**

   a. The employer shall give a prior undertaking that the sponsorship for the candidate will not be withdrawn midway.

   b. Sponsored candidates are required to submit a sponsorship certificate and relieving order from the parent organization at the time of admission.

7. **Residential requirement and Project work**

   a. Minimum residential period is one year, for the completion of course work.

   b. Sponsored candidates may be permitted to carry out the Phase I & II Project work at their parent organization/industry. There shall be a guide from the sponsoring organization for each sponsored student apart from the internal guide (from NIT-T). The candidates are expected to appear for all the project reviews and viva-voce examination as and when they are conducted by the department.

8. **Publications / patents**

   a. Sponsored candidates are encouraged to publish at least one paper in web of science / Scopus indexed journals. Publication in paid journals shall not be considered.

   b. A joint patent in the name of institute and industry can also be filed.

9. **Placement**

   a. The sponsored candidates are not eligible for campus interviews conducted by Training and Placement department of NIT-T.