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# INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR POPULATION SCIENCES

(DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY)

AN AUTONOMOUS ORGANIZATION UNDER THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE  
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

## Admission for International Students Academic Year 2023-2024

- Master of Arts/Science in Population Studies (MA/M.Sc.)-  
Two Years Programme
- Master of Science in Bio-statistics and Demography (MBD)-  
Two Years Programme
- Master of Population Studies (MPS)- One Year Programme
- Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)

**Click to Apply:** <https://forms.gle/oxMPif9w3jXpH4q66>

**Last Date of Online Application: February 28, 2023**

**Date of Commencement of Academic Session: July 01, 2023**

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## MISSION STATEMENT

The Institute will strive to be a center of excellence on all population and related issues through high-quality education, teaching and research. This will be achieved by-

- (a) Creating competent professionals,
- (b) Generating and disseminating scientific knowledge and evidence,
- (c) Collaboration and exchange of knowledge and
- (d) Advocacy and awareness.

## VISION STATEMENT

To position IIPS as a premier teaching and research institution in population sciences responsive to emerging national and global needs based on values of inclusion, sensitivity and rights protection.

## ABOUT THE INSTITUTE

The International Institute for Population Sciences (IIPS) Mumbai, formerly known as the Demographic Training and Research Centre (DTRC) till 1970, was established in July 1956 under the joint sponsorship of Sir Dorabji Tata Trust, the Government of India, and the United Nations. The Institute serves as a regional centre for Training and Research in Population Studies for the ESCAP region. The Institute was re-designated to its present title in 1985 to facilitate the expansion of its academic activities and was declared as a 'Deemed University' on August 14, 1985, under Section 3 of the UGC Act, 1956 by the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India. The recognition has facilitated the award of recognized degrees by the Institute itself and paved the way for further expansion of the Institute as an academic Institution. The faculty members and the supporting staff belong to a diverse interdisciplinary background with specialization in core areas of population sciences, trained in India and abroad.

The Institute is the hub of population and health related teaching and research in India, playing a vital role for planning and development of the country. During the past years, students from different countries of Asia and the Pacific region, Africa and North America have been trained at the Institute. The alumni of the Institute are occupying prestigious positions in reputed national and international organizations, universities, research Institutes, and non-governmental organizations.

The Institute offers various different Post-Graduate, Doctoral, and the Post-Doctoral courses. After completing the course, students of all programmes will be prepared for; (i) admission to higher degree programmes in the best universities of the world; (ii) a good career in teaching and research; (iii) a multi-disciplinary professional career; or (iv) working as Independent consultant and specialist in health and development sectors.

## International Students trained by IIPS



## ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES

### 01. Two years - Master of Arts/Science in Population Studies (MA/MSc)

Applications are invited from International students for admission to MA/MSc in Population studies for the Academic Session 2023-2024. The classes for the course will commence from July 2023.

#### ABOUT THIS COURSE:

This course provides rigorous training in Population Studies and its interrelationship with other related disciplines. The two-years course curriculum comprises of demographic theory and methods, gender and reproductive health, research methodology, statistics demographic and statistical software, and data analysis. This course equips students with necessary skills to understand and analyse the different components of population change to understand the consequences of population change, to track the population changes for understanding the future population, interrelationship between population, development and health, gender issues in the population, etc.

**DURATION:** Two years (Full-Time)

#### ELIGIBILITY:

Candidates with a Bachelor's degree from a recognized university in any subject with a minimum of 55 percentage or equivalent grade in any subject are eligible to apply.

#### SELECTION CRITERIA:

Admission shall be offered to those students who fulfil the eligibility criteria and able to secure two recommendation letters from academic working in the area of Population Studies. As the medium of instruction is English, the candidates applying for admission to this course should be able to demonstrate their fluency in working in English.

#### COURSE FEES:

The total fee for this course is USD 2000 in a year. Students from SAARC countries are eligible for 50% waiver of the proposed fees.

#### **ACCOMMODATION:**

The Institute have limited accommodation for International students in the Campus.

#### **02. Two - years Master of Science in Bio-statistics and Demography (MBD)**

Applications are invited from International students for admission to Master of Science in Bio-Statistics and Demography (MBD) during the academic session 2023-24. The classes for the course will commence from July 2023.

#### **ABOUT THIS COURSE:**

This course provides rigorous training in Population Studies and its interrelationship with other related disciplines. The two-year course curriculum comprises of demographic theory and methods, gender and reproductive health, research methodology, statistics demographic and statistical software, and data analysis. This course equips students with necessary skills to understand and analyze the different components of population change to understand the consequences of population change, to track the population changes for understanding the future population, interrelationship between population, development and health, gender issues in the population, etc.

**DURATION:** Two years (Full-Time)

#### **ELIGIBILITY:**

Candidates with a Bachelor's degree from a recognized university in Bio-statistics or Health Statistics or Mathematics or Statistics or having B.A./B.Sc. degree with two full papers on Mathematics or Statistics from a recognized university with a minimum of 55 percentage or equivalent grade in any subject are eligible to apply.

#### **SELECTION CRITERIA:**

Admission shall be offered to those students who fulfil the eligibility criteria and able to secure two recommendation letters from academic working in the area of Population Studies. As the medium of instruction is English, the candidates applying for admission to this course should be able to demonstrate their fluency in working in English.

#### **COURSE FEES:**

The total fee for this course is USD 2000 in a year. Students from SAARC countries are eligible for 50% waiver of the proposed fees.

#### **ACCOMMODATION:**

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#### **03. One-year Master of Population Studies (MPS)**

Applications are invited from international students for admission to the Master of Population Studies (MPS) during the academic session 2023-24. The classes for the course will commence from July 2023.

#### **ABOUT THIS COURSE:**

This course provides rigorous training in Population Studies and its interrelationship with other related disciplines. The one-year course curriculum comprises of demographic theory and methods, gender and reproductive health, research methodology, statistics demographic and statistical software, and data analysis. This course equips students with necessary skills to understand and analyze the different components of population change to understand the consequences of population change, to track the population changes for understanding the future population, interrelationship between population, development and health, gender issues in the population, etc.

**DURATION:** One year (Full-Time)

#### **ELIGIBILITY:**

Candidates having a MA/MSc degree from a recognized university with a minimum of 55 percentage or equivalent grade in the subjects, such as Anthropology, Bio-statistics, Development Studies, Economics, Geography, Health Statistics, Mathematics, Population Studies, Political Science, Population Education, Psychology, Rural Development, Social Work, Sociology and Statistics are eligible to apply.

#### **SELECTION CRITERIA:**

Admission shall be offered to those students who fulfil the eligibility criteria and able to secure two recommendation letters from academic working in the area of Population Studies. As the medium of instruction is English, the candidates applying for admission to this course should be able to demonstrate their fluency in working in English.

#### **COURSE FEES:**

The total fee for this course is USD 2000 in a year. Students from SAARC countries are eligible for 50% waiver of the proposed fees.

#### **ACCOMMODATION:**

The Institute have limited accommodation for international students on the Campus.

#### **04. Four-year Doctor of Philosophy in Population Studies (Ph.D.)**

Applications are invited from International students for admission to Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D) in Population Studies during the academic session 2023-24. The classes for the course will commence from July 2023.

**DURATION:** Four years (Full-Time)

#### **ELIGIBILITY:**

Candidates having a MA/MSc degree in Population Studies from any recognized university with a minimum of 55 percentage or equivalent grade are eligible to apply.

#### **SELECTION CRITERIA:**

Admission shall be offered to those students who fulfil the eligibility criteria and able to secure two



recommendation letters from academic working in the area of Population Studies. As the medium of instruction is English, the candidates applying for admission to this course should be able to demonstrate their fluency in working in English.

#### **COURSE FEES:**

The total fee for this course is USD 3000 in a year. Students from SAARC countries are eligible for 50% waiver of the proposed fees.

#### **ACCOMMODATION:**

The Institute has limited accommodation for international students in the Campus.

#### **FINANCIAL SUPPORT**

Limited number of fellowships are available for Master degree students.

Moreover, The Institute shall provide all necessary assistance to the international students for securing financial support from various national and International organizations.

#### **INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CELL**

The Institute has a fully functional International Relations Cell (IRC) that facilitates the International students in securing Indian visa, finding, shared/PG accommodation in the neighborhood, completing other formalities and addressing any pressing issue that requires Institute's intervention.

#### **HOW TO APPLY:**

Interested candidates may click the below link to submit online application for any of the above programme.

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