

UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION
DISTANCE EDUCATION BUREAU

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Additional List of Entitled HEIs - for offering full-fledged online programmes
(Academic session beginning January- February 2023)

Reference:

1. This list is in addition to already uploaded lists of Higher Educational Institutions (HEIs) entitled to start full-fledged Online Programmes without prior approval of the UGC, as per provisions stipulated under regulation 3(B)(a) of the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments.
2. The Programmes mentioned in this list are from academic session beginning January- February 2023.
3. The list as uploaded on UGC WEB portal is available at: <https://deb.ugc.ac.in/Home/Recognition?Year=2022-23&Type=OLE>

- (I) As mandated by the Regulations, online applications were submitted by the entitled HEIs willing to offer programmes under online mode for academic session beginning January- February 2023. Further, each HEI submitted affidavit for ensuring compliance to all the provisions of the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments and also deposited prescribed fee as notified by the Commission.
- (II) The duly certified information submitted by the HEI, was to ascertain conformity to the following **four provisions only**:
 1. Entitlement eligibility criteria of the HEI.
 2. Permissibility of proposed programmes to be offered under online mode.
 3. Adherence to UGC Notification of Specification of Degrees, 2014 & its amendments.
 4. Prior approval of Regulatory Authority, wherever applicable.
- (III) The HEIs are entitled to offer online programmes, till they are complying NAAC or NIRF ranking requirements as per Regulation 3(B)(a) of University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments and on non-compliance, they shall discontinue the programmes and accordingly, inform the same to UGC. The learners already enrolled in the current entitled programmes shall be allowed to complete the programmes in the laid down manner as per the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments.
- (IV) **Programmes under the ambit of Regulatory Authorities have been considered on the basis of communication/recommendation received from respective Regulatory Authority. The HEI shall abide by the conditions such as number of seats, recognition period, etc. mentioned in the relevant Regulatory Authority letter.**

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- (V) **The Regulations also mandate that the programme wise recognized/entitled HEIs shall not offer online programmes under any franchise arrangement and shall have complete ownership of these programmes.**
- (VI) The name of entitled HEIs, which have submitted the affidavit to ensure compliance to University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments and have been found complying with above mentioned provisions (as per (II) above), for academic session beginning January- February, 2023 is enclosed herewith.



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Secretary

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| S. No. | STATE | TYPE OF HEI | HEI NAME | NUMBER OF PROGRAMMES | ACADEMIC SESSION | NAME OF PROGRAMMES | LINKS FOR HEI'S APPLICATION & AFFIDAVIT |
|--------|------------------|-------------|--|----------------------|---|---|--|
| 1. | HIMACHAL PRADESH | PRIVATE | SHOOLINI UNIVERSITY OF BIOTECHNOLOGY AND MANAGEMENT SCIENCES | 01 | ACADEMIC SESSION BEGINNING FROM JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2023 | 1. MASTERS OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • APPLICATION • AFFIDAVIT • REG AUTH APP ROVAL |
| 2. | RAJASTHAN | PRIVATE | VIVEKANANDA GLOBAL UNIVERSITY | 03 | ACADEMIC SESSION BEGINNING FROM JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2023 | 1. BACHELOR OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS 2. BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 3. MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • APPLICATION • AFFIDAVIT • REG AUTH APP ROVAL |
| 3. | UTTAR PRADESH | PRIVATE | GALGOTIAS UNIVERSITY | 05 | ACADEMIC SESSION BEGINNING FROM JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2023 | 1. MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 2. MASTER OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS 3. BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 4. BACHELOR OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS 5. MASTER OF COMMERCE | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • APPLICATION • AFFIDAVIT • REG AUTH APP ROVAL |

Note:

1. The HEIs shall comply with all provisions of the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments.
2. The last date for admission shall be as notified by the Commission for each academic session and HEIs shall upload the admission details within fifteen days thereafter. For academic session January- February 2023, the last date of admission is **31st March, 2023**.
3. The list shall be updated from time to time, as required. Accordingly, the stakeholders are requested to refer to the various public notices on UGC DEB website (<https://deb.ugc.ac.in/Notices>), which are updated from time to time.