



## **Admission Policy for Overseas Candidates: PGPM 2020-22**

### **Definition of “Overseas Candidates”**

Indian and foreign nationals living, working or studying outside India during the period January 1, 2019 to February 15, 2020 will be considered as ‘Overseas Candidates’ for admission to IIM Tiruchirappalli for the 2020-22 batch. However, an overseas candidate who is expected to be in India during CAT 2019 scheduled on November 24, 2019 will not be eligible to apply under overseas category. Candidates residing in neighboring countries like Nepal from where there are no entry restrictions to India will also not be considered as ‘Overseas Candidates’.

### **Eligibility**

In order to be eligible to apply for the Post Graduate Programme in Management (PGPM), a candidate must have a Bachelor’s degree with at least 50% marks or equivalent CGPA, awarded by any of the Universities incorporated by an act of the central or state legislature in India or other educational institutions established by an act of Parliament or declared to be deemed as a University under Section 3 of the UGC Act, 1956, or possess an equivalent qualification recognized by the Ministry of HRD, Government of India. For foreign degrees, the equivalence of the degree needs to be certified by the Association of Indian Universities. The percentage of marks obtained by the candidate in the bachelor’s degree would be calculated based on the practice followed by the university/institution from which the candidate has obtained the degree. In case the candidates are awarded grades/CGPA instead of marks, the conversion of grades/CGPA to percentage of marks would be based on the procedure certified by the university/ institution from where they have obtained the bachelor’s degree. In case the university/ institution does not have any scheme for converting CGPA into equivalent marks, the equivalence would be established by dividing the candidate’s CGPA by the maximum possible CGPA and multiplying the result with 100.

Candidates appearing for the final year of bachelor’s degree/equivalent qualification examination and those who have completed degree requirements and are awaiting results can also apply. If selected, such candidates will be allowed to join the programme provisionally, only if they submit a certificate at the time of joining from the Principal / Registrar of their College/Institute stating that the candidate has completed all the requirements for obtaining the bachelor’s degree/equivalent qualification as on the date of the issue of the certificate.

A candidate who has not received his/her graduation results at the time of registration will have to produce certificates and mark sheets in original together with photocopies as soon as the respective University/Institute publishes the results, but NOT LATER THAN 30<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2020, failing which his/her registration as a student of IIM Trichy will be automatically cancelled and he/she will be required to withdraw from the PGPM forthwith.

Any candidate who submits University Mark sheets which do not clearly indicate that he/she has passed the Bachelor's Degree course or equivalent, and also submits Provisional Certificate from an affiliated College/Institute would, in addition, be required to produce an authorization certificate from the University stating that such an affiliated College/Institute is authorized/empowered to issue such a certificate on behalf of the University.

### **How to Apply**

Overseas candidates seeking admission to the two-year residential Post Graduate Programme in Management should take GMAT and apply in the prescribed form available on our website. **Completed Application Form along with the following must reach IIM Trichy latest by March 02, 2020.**

- a. Copy of the latest GMAT score certificate (not older than 2 years as on March 02, 2020).
- b. Copies of the relevant academic mark sheets and certificates (Class X, Class XII, Graduation, Post-Graduation if applicable)
- c. Copy of passport pages of applicant that have official entries
- d. Two recommendation letters from two academic referees (preferably from professors/teachers/academics who have taught the candidate in the recent past). Candidates who are working presently and are not able to submit recommendation letters from two academic referees, may submit at least one recommendation letter from an academic referee and the other from a referee in industry.
- e. An application fee of US\$ 200 or equivalent amount in Indian currency (by bank draft in favour of Indian Institute of Management Tiruchirappalli payable at Tiruchirappalli).

### **Application Form**

Please send the filled-in Application Form, available on our website, along with the relevant documents and application fee by way of a bank draft in favour of "Indian Institute of Management Tiruchirappalli" payable at Tiruchirappalli to:

Admissions Office  
Indian Institute of Management Tiruchirappalli  
Pudukkottai Main Road  
Tiruchirappalli - 620 024.

## **Shortlisting and Interview**

Candidates will be shortlisted based on GMAT score, academic performance, relevant work experience and letters of reference. Shortlisted candidates will be required to appear for WAT & PI, during March or April 2020. Candidate is required to participate in WAT & PI process at IIM Trichy campus (only in some exceptional case, Admissions Committee may decide to have an interview whether telephonically or through virtual media such as Skype). The Institute will inform the candidate regarding the interview at least a week in advance. The final selection of the candidate will be based on multiple criteria such as academic performance, relevance and quality of work experience, GMAT scores, letters of recommendation and overall suitability for admission to the PGPM.

## **Fees and Expenses**

**(Note: We will update the fee structure, once it is finalized)**

The fee covers Tuition, IT and Infrastructure, Library, books and study materials, Student Welfare, Medical Insurance, Admissions and Orientations, Placement, and Hostel Accommodation. The fee payment is to be made in INR. In addition, admitted students will be required to pay boarding expenses and refundable caution deposit in INR, as applicable to non-Overseas students admitted through CAT. All personal expenses including boarding are to be borne by the student and will be over and above the fee charged by the Institute.

We will update the fee details later.