Department of Metallurgical Engineering and Materials Science Indian Institute of Technology Bombay

PhD Admission (Spring) 2024-2025 Process

- 1. Candidates are advised to frequently monitor https://www.iitb.ac.in/mems/en/phd-admission for any update(s), announcements etc. pertaining to PhD Admission (Spring) 2024-2025 for the Department of Metallurgical Engineering and Materials Science (MEMS).
- 2. There will be no change in the eligibility criterion for shortlisting purposes. The shortlisted candidates who satisfy the eligibility criteria will be called for the interview.
- 3. Technical interviews will be held via Video Conference (VC) mode only (via MS Teams / Zoom / Webex). The availability of the shortlisted applicants over VC mode for the online interview is mandatory, else it will be considered as absent/withdrawn. The interview is scheduled to be held between December 4 6, 2024 (Wednesday to Friday). The exact candidate-specific schedule for the online interviews will be announced at least one day prior to the interview date. For such announcements please frequently check the above-mentioned webpage, as mentioned in point #1. Rescheduling the interview date or time will not be possible. Recommendations for the admission offer will be made with a merit list prepared based on the interview performance of all candidates and the availability of seats in respective categories/number of projects in the respective research domains.
- 4. Details of the research domains and the topics available for PhD research for the current academic period will be available on the above webpage, as mentioned in point #1. Candidates are advised to familiarize themselves with their preferred research domains. Note that the availability of topics in each research domain may be subject to change with time. Therefore, the candidates are requested to keep visiting the Department website for the latest updates.

A Google form will be circulated among the shortlisted applicants for the interview to fill in the preference(s) for the research topic/domain (for all admission category candidates) and TAP projects (by TA and RA admission category candidates only, if interested) via the email address provided by the applicant in the application form. If there are no RA seats in this admission round, the candidates who applied for the RA category will be considered under the TA category. In addition, it is to be noted that the <u>submission of the Google form is mandatory</u> and the applicants who submit the duly filled-in Google form within the stipulated time will only be the ones considered for the interviews of the PhD admission (Spring) 2024-2025 process. Candidates are advised to do due diligence in selecting the research domain/topic in the Google form, as they are expected to be interviewed in that domain/topic.

5. For any assistance, information, and help, the shortlisted candidates are requested to contact us preferably via email address phdadmission@mems.iitb.ac.in. For any urgent matter on the dates of the interview, a few phone numbers of relevant personnel will be provided/shared to get in touch.

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