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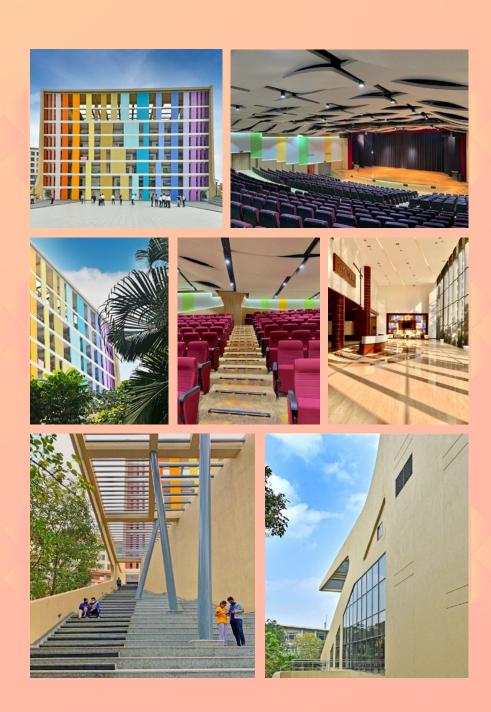
School of Project Management

MBA in Advanced Project Management (APM)

NICMAR University, Pune

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION IN ADVANCED PROJECT MANAGEMENT (MBA APM)

Programme Brochure

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INTRODUCTION

Projects are undertaken in the public and private sectors to meet the economic needs of industry and society. It offers immense potential for project businesses all over the world. Managing projects of large scale is a vital key to successful project delivery in a variety of sectors. Achieving excellence and innovations in the infrastructure, industrial, financial and service sectors requires skills and sound knowledge of advanced project management theory and practice.

The focus of the Programme is on large and complex engineering and non-engineering projects, which require specialised human resources. Competent project professionals are required to manage and lead the project successfully. The Programme adopts a multidisciplinary approach comprising project management and systems engineering so that budding project managers are prepared to work in different sectors of the industry. Industry-ready project professionals are employed in oil and gas, software development, manufacturing, energy, infrastructure and construction including clients, contracting and consulting organizations. Such trained manpower is also required by various organizations for education, health care and management of rural projects. The MBA APM addresses the techno-managerial needs of various projects in different sectors of the industry. Graduates from different streams like Engineering, Planning, Architecture, Computer & IT, Science, Commerce, Arts, Pharmaceutical and Agriculture after completing this Programme gain a multidisciplinary exposure for the working of modern projects.

MBA APM is a unique course and hardly any other reputed institute offers this course in India. The curriculum has been reviewed and updated from time-to-time to incorporate the latest advances in project management to build competencies in diverse areas.

VISION AND MISSION

Vision

To provide world class advanced project management education to develop personnel to lead & manage sustainable projects in diversified sectors with highest level of ethics & professionalism.

Mission

School of Project Management strives to achieve its vision by:

- Developing project management professionals with contemporary and industry-oriented curriculum with focus on sustainability integrated with state of art tools
- Developing faculty to soar to new academic heights through global collaboration, faculty exchange programmes etc.and use innovative pedagogy to foster lifelong learning skills of students
- Enhancing employability prospects globally by exploring firms and project management profiles to lead and manage projects with highest levels of ethics and professionalism
- Attracting international students for enrollments to the programme through outreach & student exchange programmes

OBJECTIVES

The MBA APM aims to transform graduates into dynamic and knowledgeable project managers. The curriculum enables them to lead functions in project-based organisations. The key objectives of MBA APM are:

- Pursue successful career in diversified sectors of the global industry by acquiring contemporary knowledge in projectmanagement.
- Design, plan, and execute complex engineering & non- engineering projects with sensitivity towards social & environmental issues.
- Maintain ethics & professionalism in their career anddevelop a lifelong learning attitude
- Work for sponsoring firms, consulting firms, NGOs and financial institutions in positions of responsibility in Indian and abroad.

PROGRAMME HIGHLIGHTS

This Programme is based on the concepts and practices of project management and combines subject knowledge with related practices.

The first-year curriculum includes various General Core and Programme Core courses to improve students' understanding of key aspects in business management. During the second year, General Electives, Programme Electives and Domain Electives are offered to develop in-depth knowledge of project management in different sectors and domains. Practical experience is also gained by the students through site visits and summer internships. Project work under the supervision of a faculty guide, develops skills in scientific analysis of problems and report writing. Computer application skills along with knowledge of quantitative methods create an analytical edge for managerial decision making that is vital for managing complex projects. The students are trained on a suite of software required for project management and analysis.

PROGRAMME SPECIFIC OUTCOMES

PSO1. Use contemporary ICT tools and digitization technologies for project applications.

PSO2. Plan and execute engineering as well as non-engineering projects globally.

PROGRAMME OUTCOMES

PO1. Have a strong theoretical and practical project management inputs.

PO2. Conduct investigation of multidimensional business problems using research-based knowledge and research methods to arrive at data-driven decisions.

PO3. Apply project management tools and techniques to lead and manage complex projects.

PO4. Demonstrate ethical approach and professionalism to work in project teams in India and abroad.

PO5. Communicate with various project stakeholders to ensure their effective engagement in complex project execution.

PO6. To imbibe and sustain lifelong learning and develop the mindset to drive innovation in the project management arena.

DURATION AND ORGANISATION

The duration of the programme is of two years. It is conducted in four semesters with suitable breaks. Semesters I, II, III and IV are devoted to classroom learning, acquiring hands-on experience in software, managerial skills, research techniques and presentation skills. Summer internship is scheduled after Semester II and then electives are covered in Semester III and Semester IV.

ELIGIBILITY

Candidates with a regular bachelor's degree in Engineering / Architecture / Planning / Interior Designing / Science / Arts / Commerce / Finance / Banking / Management / Economics / Mathematics / Statistics / Agriculture / Pharmacy / Information Technology from a recognised Institution / University are eligible. Candidates seeking admission are required to have secured minimum 50% aggregate marks (45% for the candidates from reserved category) at graduation level. Final year eligible graduating students can also apply. However, such candidates must have completed (passed) their Graduation before the commencement of programme.

ADMISSION PROCEDURE

Selection of students is made by the selection committee. Those interested in admission to the programmes offered by the NICMAR University, Pune may apply online, pay fees and upload documents through our website. All specified documents must be submitted. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Application Fee:

PG Programmes:
Single programme preference: INR 2,000/-
Two programme preferences: INR 2,200/-
Three programme preferences: INR 2,400/-

Candidates' preference of programme will be considered, but the allotment will be done at the sole discretion of the admission department, NICMAR University. Candidates should appear for the selection procedure on the given dates.

Admission process will be conducted online and candidates can attend online PG-NCAT and PI from their residence or any suitable place as per their convenience.

Applications are scrutinised and eligibility is established on the basis of the documents submitted. Eligible candidates will be invited to appear for the selection procedure, which comprises Post Graduate NICMAR Common Admission Test (PG-NCAT), Personal Interview (PI) and Rating of Application (RA).

Valid scores of the aspirants appearing for CUET PG / MH-CET / CAT / MAT / ATMA will be considered as an alternative for PG-NCAT (Written Test) for MBA & PGD programmes. Scores of GATE (Architecture & Planning / Civil Engineering) will be considered as an alternative for PG-NCAT (Written Test) for M.Plan programme.

For candidates appearing in NCAT & other additional entrance exams (as mentioned above), the highest score among such exams will be considered for final merit.

Details	Total Marks
Post Graduate NICMAR Common Admission Test (PG-NCAT)	**150 marks**
a) Quantitative and Analytical Ability b) Data Interpretation c) Verbal and General Ability	60 marks 30 marks 60 marks
Personal Interview (PI)	**50 marks**
Rating of Application (RA)	**50 marks**
Total	**250 Marks**

The RA is calculated on the basis of weighted scores of the cumulative academic performance along with work experience (wherever applicable) obtained from the documents submitted to NICMAR University by the candidates.

Selection of candidates is done on the basis of merit. Admission offer letters are issued in the order of merit.

RESERVED CATEGORY

Description of Caste/Tribe/Category/Class of Reserved Category	Percentage of Reservation
Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Castes Converts to Buddhism	13.0%
Scheduled Tribes	7.0%
De-notified Tribes (A)	3.0%
Nomadic Tribes (B)	2.5%
Nomadic Tribes (C)	3.5%
Nomadic Tribes (D)	2.0%
Other Backward Classes	19.0%
Total	**50.0%**

DOMICILE

Out of the total approved intake capacity, forty percent of the seats are reserved for the students having domiciled in the State of Maharashtra.

FEES AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE

The details of the total amount of fees payable with payment schedule for this programme are given below:

1. At the time of admission
   a. Tuition Fee   : Rs. 2,90,000/-
   b. Security Deposit   : Rs. 10,000/-
      Total   **: Rs. 3,00,000/-**
2. Within 7 days of the commencement of Semester II   **: Rs. 2,90,000/-**
3. Within 7 days of the commencement of Semester III   **: Rs. 2,90,000/-**
4. Within 7 days of the commencement of Semester IV   **: Rs. 2,90,000/-**
   Grand Total   **: Rs.11,70,000/-**

Note: Hostel and mess charges are additional.

The tuition fee includes classroom teaching, workshops as per the programme structure and other charges i.e. fees for examinations, evaluation, project work and assessments, library and students' welfare fund. The University provides a free group accident insurance and group mediclaim policy that covers all students.

The security deposit (Rs. 10,000/-) is refundable on completion of the programme (after adjustment of dues, if any from the student).

The following conditions apply for the payment of fees and other dues.

For 1st Instalment (at the time of admission):

- The fees and other dues payable at the time of admission are as mentioned in the admission offer letter.

For 2nd Instalment Onwards:

- Fees are payable as per the notification given to the students by the department concerned.
- The fees are payable as per the schedule given, failing which, fees paid after this schedule will be subject to a late fine of Rs.100/- per day for First one Month, Rs. 200/- per day for Second Month, Rs. 300/- per day for Third Month. However, after Third Month, the University may cancel the registration of the student in his/her programme if no valid ground is established for the delay.

The fee above includes the cost of course material, two 'NICMAR University T-Shirts' and one tie.

The NICMAR University reserves the right to revise any/all of the components of the above policy, including payment schedule and refund policy without any prior notice.

POLICY FOR CANCELLATION OF ADMISSION AND REFUND OF FEE

The NICMAR University, Pune has a policy of considering refund of the first instalment of tuition fee paid by the student at the time of acceptance of offer, against cancellation of admission. The University strictly follows UGC guidelines in respect of refund of fees. All request applications duly signed by the student must necessarily be received by the Admission Department, NICMAR University, Pune. All such requests in writing must be sent by hand/post/courier only. Any request for refund by e-mail/telephone/fax, etc. if not accompanied by a formal request in writing in the hard copy format within the time stipulated below will not be considered.

If a student chooses to withdraw from the programme of study in which he/she is enrolled, the University shall follow the following five-tier system for the refund of fees remitted by the student.

Sr. No.	Percentage of Refund of Fees	Point of time when notice of withdrawal of admission is received in the University	Deadline
(1)	100%	15 days or more before the formally-notified commencement of the academic session.	on or before 30.06.2024
(2)	90%	Less than 15 days before the formally-notified commencement of the academic session.	01.07.2024 to 14.07.2024

(3)	80%	15 days or less after the formally-notified commencement of the academic session.	15.07.2024 to 29.07.2024
(4)	50%	30 days or less, but more than 15 days, after the formally-notified commencement of the academic session.	30.07.2024 to 13.08.2024
(5)	0%	More than 30 days after the formally-notified commencement of the academic session.	14.08.2024 onwards

*The security deposit, which is not part of the fees chargeable, shall be refunded in full (after adjustment of dues, if any from the student).

Note 1: In case of (1) in the table above, Processing Charges of Rs.5,000/- will be deducted from the refundable amount (as per refund policy of UGC).

Note 2: The refund policy will be strictly followed by NICMAR University, time to time as per UGC guidelines and updates.

HOSTEL AND LIVING EXPENSES [2024-25]

Hostel accommodation is available at NICMAR University, Pune. There is a separate hostel for girl students. All students have to abide by the Code of Conduct issued by NICMAR University, Pune.

The hostel accommodation within the campus is allotted purely on the first paid, first served basis (on the basis of hostel & food fees received in the NICMAR University, Pune). However, taking into the account the limited number of rooms available in the campus hostels, students requiring accommodation, who could not be accommodated inside the campus hostels, will be assisted in search of appropriate accommodation in the vicinity of the campus, if requested by the students and subject to availability of such accommodation.

The campus has four hostels which altogether provide 1139 single occupancy rooms for boys and 194 shared occupancy rooms for girl students. The details are as follows:

Sr. No.	Hostel	Capacity	Type of Occupancy	Charges (Rupees Per Month)	Remark
1.	Millennium Hostel	502	Single	7000/-	For boys
2.	Silver Jubilee Hostel	323	Single	7000/-	For boys
3.	Ultima Hostel	314	Single	7000/-	For boys
4.	Millennium Hostel	194	Shared (Double)	5880/-	For girls only

Note: Single occupancy in a two-bedded room for girls (if available) - Rs. 7000/- per month.

Food package charge is Rs. 350/- per head per day. The package includes breakfast with tea, buffet lunch, evening snacks with tea and buffet dinner.

The mess facilities are run by a Contractor hired by NICMAR University, Pune under the supervision of the Sr. Manager – Estate Administration. The Senior Manager according to the suggestions by the Students' Mess Co-ordinator prepares the menu on weekly basis.

Payment Schedule

Hostel and food fees are payable semester-wise within 7 days of the commencement of the semester. In case of delay, a fine of Rs. 75/- per day will be payable for the first 7 days, after which, the fine will be Rs. 125/- per day. The hostel and food fees once paid are non-transferable. Mess facility is mandatory for all students staying in NICMAR University, Pune.

Typically, the total living expenses including hostel & food fees expenses at Pune are approximately Rs. 18,000/- to Rs. 20,000/- per month.

Note: Hostel Accommodation and Food charges are inclusive of all taxes applicable.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

NICMAR University, Pune extends merit scholarships to students aspiring to undertake full-time PG and UG Programmes. A student is eligible **for only one award or scholarship** as

applicable. These merit scholarships are designed to recognize and motivate high-performing students, providing financial support based on their academic performance, as well as any other achievements or results in National Level/State Level entrance exams, which includes the NICMAR University, Pune Common Admission Test (PG-NCAT & UG-NCAT).

The brief details of Merit Scholarship categories are provided below:

1. **"Outstanding Performance Scholarships": Applicable for entire duration of the programme**:

   A. **"100% Fee Waiver Under the Exemplary Merit Scholarship": Available to the 2% (Upto 27 students) of Approved Intake Students (at least 1 student).**
   100% tuition fee waiver throughout the entire duration of the programme, exclusively accessible to the **2**% of students within the approved intake. *The availability of this benefit is contingent upon meeting the specified conditions outlined in the respective policy.*

   B. **"75% Fee Waiver Under the Distinguished Merit Scholarship": Available to the 3% (Upto 40 students) of Approved Intake Students (at least 1 student).**
   75% tuition fee waiver throughout the entire duration of the programme, exclusively accessible to the **3**% of students within the approved intake. *The availability of this benefit is contingent upon meeting the specified conditions outlined in the respective policy.*

   C. **"25% Fee Waiver Under the Meritorious Grant": Available to the 5% (Upto 67 students) of Approved Intake Students.**
   25% tuition fee waiver throughout the entire duration of the programme, exclusively accessible to the **5**% of students within the approved intake. *The availability of this benefit is contingent upon meeting the specified conditions outlined in the respective policy.*

   D. **"5% Fee Waiver Under the Commendable Assistance Grant": Available to the 30% (Upto 399 students) of Approved Intake Students.**
   5% tuition fee waiver throughout the entire duration of the programme, exclusively accessible to **30%** of students within the approved intake. *The availability of this benefit is contingent upon meeting the specified conditions outlined in the respective policy.*

2. **"Economically Weaker Section* [EWS] Scholarship": Applicable for entire duration of the programme:**

   • **100% Fee Waiver: Available for up to 5 Students.**
   We are excited to introduce a merit-cum-means scholarship opportunity for students with an annual family income of up to **Rs. 5 lakhs or less.** The scholarship entails a full tuition fee waiver for up to 5 students based on their outstanding performance in the admission process. To qualify for this fee waiver, candidates should have 80% & above in SSC & HSC for UG programmes; and 80% & above in SSC, HSC and 60% & above in Graduation for PG programmes.

   • **50% Fee Waiver: Available to the 10% (Upto 145 students) of Approved Intake Students.**
   50% fee waiver scholarships are awarded to **10%** of students within the approved intake falling within the **Economically Weaker Section (EWS),** encompassing individuals with an annual family gross income of up to **Rs. 8 lakhs or less**.

   The availability of this benefit is contingent upon meeting the specified conditions outlined in the respective policy.

   *Eligibility will also depend on exceptional performance as specified in the respective policy.

3. **"Rising Talent Scholarship": Applicable for entire duration of the programme**
   Up to Rs. 20,000/- (Per Year) Tuition Fee Relief for the 10% (Upto 145 students) of Approved Intake Students through Extra-curricular / Co-curricular Accomplishments.
   A tuition fee waiver of up to Rs. 20,000 per year for the entire duration of the programme is exclusively accessible to 10% of students within the approved intake. *The availability of this benefit is contingent upon meeting the specified conditions outlined in the respective policy.*

4. **Scholarships Offered by Sponsors:**
   (i). "International Education Foundation (IEF)* Scholarship" (for the students of minority community): Applicable for entire duration of the programme*.
   International Education Foundation is **offering tuition fee for the shortlisted students**, for the entire duration of the full time Post Graduate Programmes. This scholarship is available for the students of minority community, admitted to NICMAR University, Pune for the full-time programmes. The details are as follows:

   - **Scholarship is available for the students of minority community.**

   *Subject to approval and as per the scholarship & selection policy of IEF.

   (ii). "thyssenkrupp Uhde India Private Limited* Scholarship": Applicable for entire duration of the programme.

   - **Scholarship for Special Category** for SoEE Programmes**

   Scholarship for a **female candidate** (Offering full tuition fee).
   • Candidate must be from Economically Weaker Section.
   • Having an Engineering degree (only) at Undergraduate (UG) level
   *Subject to approval and as per the scholarship & selection policy of thyssenkrupp Uhde India Private Limited.
   **As per thyssenkrupp Uhde India Private Limited policy.

5. **Scholarship for wards of Defence Personnel: Applicable for entire duration of the programme:** ** Limited to 1% (Upto 18 students) of the total intake.*
   - **Wards of Defence and Para-military personnel, both currently serving and retired, are eligible for this scholarship.**
     The percentage of scholarship varies based on the rank of the personnel:
   - Non-Commissioned Officers (NCOs): 25% Scholarship.
   - Junior Commissioned Officers (JCOs): 15% Scholarship.
   - Senior Commissioned Officers (SCOs): 10% Scholarship.

General Terms and Conditions

Students with any type of scholarship *must comply* with the following requirements *for the continuance of the scholarship* in *the subsequent academic term / year.* Breach of any one of these conditions shall render them liable to disqualification of the scholarship award.
Scholarships will not be offered to any student who postpones or seeks deferment to the University's full-time programmes for any reason whatsoever. Students with scholarship must comply with the following requirements for continuance of scholarship in subsequent academic term / year. Breach of any of these conditions will disqualify the student for the same and will make the student forfeit the scholarship. In such a case, the student will have to pay the necessary fees for the next academic year. The scholarship will be restored in subsequent term / year, depending on the fulfilment of the conditions stated below:

i. The awardees' **attendance** in any course of study **shall not be less than 75%.**
ii. Awardees **should pass** the **academic term/ year** in the **first attempt**.
iii. The Awardee **must have minimum CGPA** as per below table:

Batch Size	Minimum CGPA			
	▶ Exemplary Merit Scholarship	▶ Distinguished Merit Scholarship	▶ Meritorious Grant ▶ Commendable Assistance Grant ▶ EWS Scholarship ▶ IEF Scholarship ▶ tkIS Scholarship	▶ Rising Talent Scholarship ▶ Scholarship for wards of Defence Personnel
≥ 300	7.5	7.3	7.2	7
≥ 60 and < 300	8	7.8	7.6	7.2
< 60	8.5	8.3	8	7.5

iv. The awardees should have no adverse comments/grading on record from the disciplinary committee for any reason whatsoever.

v. **No gap/break** in semester whatsoever during the entire programme is permissible*.

vi. The awardees shall maintain high standards of conduct and behaviour and conform to the discipline of the NICMAR University, Pune as laid down in the 'Code of Conduct' of the NICMAR University, Pune.

vii. In the event of admission cancellation, students are obligated to reimburse the entire fee waiver granted by the University up to the point of admission cancellation.

* Exceptional cases like serious medical conditions, family emergencies, or other unforeseen circumstances etc. may be considered with subject to approval of Vice Chancellor.

1. **"Outstanding Performance Scholarships":**

    A. **"100% Fee Waiver Under the Exemplary Merit Scholarship": Available to the 2% (Upto 27 students) of Approved Intake Students (at least 1 student) - Applicable for entire duration of the programme**

    B. **"75% Fee Waiver Under the Distinguished Merit Scholarship": Available to the 3% (Upto 40 students) of Approved Intake Students (at least 1 student) - Applicable for entire duration of the programme**

    C. **"25% Fee Waiver Under the Meritorious Grant": Available to the 5% (Upto 67 students) of Approved Intake Students - Applicable for entire duration of the programme**

    D. **"5% Fee Waiver Under the Commendable Assistance Grant": Available to the 30% (Upto 399 students) of Approved Intake Students - Applicable for entire duration of the programme**

The availability of this benefit is contingent upon meeting the specified conditions mentioned below.

- **Eligibility is determined by exceptional performance as per the details mentioned in the respective policy.**
- Aspirants need to undergo the admission process, which includes the NICMAR Common Admission Test (NCAT) or an equivalent score, and a Personal Interview (PI) or Counseling Session (for B.Arch.). Furthermore, they should qualify in the admission process according to the prescribed cut-off.
- Selected candidates for the Outstanding Performance Scholarships **will receive an offer letter** for admission **based on their scholarship eligibility.**
- **Programme Fee Waiver:** Students awarded this scholarship benefit from a comprehensive 100% tuition fee waiver (for A) / 75% tuition fee waiver (for B) / 25% tuition fee waiver (for C) / 5% tuition fee waiver (for D).
- **Exclusive Opportunity:** The scholarship is exclusively accessible to 2% (for A), 3% (for B), 5% (for C), 30% (for D) of students within the approved intake. This exclusivity enhances the prestige and value of the scholarship, making it a coveted opportunity and it cannot be clubbed with each other and/or any other scholarships declared.
- *First Come-First Served Basis (A, B, C & D): The scholarship will be awarded on a First Come-First Served basis, emphasizing the importance of prompt action by eligible students. Early applicants have a higher likelihood of securing this valuable financial assistance.*
- **Financial Pre-requisites for Eligibility:** To qualify for the Outstanding Performance Scholarships and have the tuition fee waived, students meeting the criteria must submit the first installment of the programme fee as per the offer letter. This requirement ensures commitment from the student and facilitates the efficient processing of the scholarship.

A. "100% Fee Waiver Under the Exemplary Merit Scholarship": Available to the 2% of Approved Intake Students (at least 1 student).

PG Programmes	Maximum Eligible Students	Best of Any One				
		CAT	MHT- CET	MAT	GMAT	NCAT
MBA ACM	14	90 percentile & above	92 percentile & above	95 percentile & above	650 & above	115 & above
MBA APM	3					
MBA REUIM	3	88 percentile & above	90 percentile & above	94 percentile & above	630 & above	110 & above
MBA	1					
M.Plan*	1	NA	NA	NA	NA	110 & above
MBA ENS	1	86 percentile & above	88 percentile & above	92 percentile & above	620 & above	105 & above
MBA SEM	1					

GATE (Architecture & Planning / Civil Engineering) Qualified students will get scholarship benefit based upon their Ranking.

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students	Best of Any One		
		JEE Main	MHT-CET	NCAT
B.Tech. in Civil	1	87 & Above	88 & Above	90 & above

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students	NCAT
Integrated MBA (BBA + MBA)	1	90 & above

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students	Best of Any One	
		NATA	JEE Paper 2 (NTA)
B.Arch.	1	*NATA / JEE Paper 2 (NTA) Qualified students will get scholarship benefit based upon their Ranking.*	

Note: If the quota for candidates eligible for a 100% fee waiver has been reached, further eligible candidates will be considered for scholarships in the subsequent category due to limited availability of scholarship seats.

B. "75% Fee Waiver Under the Distinguished Merit": Available to the 3% of Approved Intake Students (at least 1 student).

PG Programmes	Maximum Eligible Students	Best of Any One				
		CAT	MHT- CET	MAT	GMAT	NCAT
MBA ACM	22	>=88	>=90	>=93	>=640	>=112
MBA APM	4					
MBA REUIM	4	>=87	>=88	>=92	>=620	>=107
MBA (NBS)	2					
M.Plan*	1	NA	NA	NA	NA	>=107
MBA ENS	1	>=85	>=86	>=91	>=610	>=103
MBA SEM	1					

GATE (Architecture & Planning / Civil Engineering) Qualified students will get scholarship benefit based upon their Ranking.

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students	Best of Any One		
		JEE Main	MHT-CET	NCAT
B.Tech. in Civil	2	>=86	>=87	>=88

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students	NCAT
Integrated MBA (BBA + MBA)	2	>=88

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students	Best of Any One	
		NATA	JEE Paper 2 (NTA)
B.Arch.	1	NATA / JEE Paper 2 (NTA) Qualified students will get scholarship benefit based upon their Ranking.	

Note: If the quota for candidates eligible for a 75% fee waiver has been reached, further eligible candidates will be considered for scholarships in the subsequent category due to limited availability of scholarship seats.

C. "25% Fee Waiver Under the Meritorious Grant Scholarship": Available to the 5% of Approved Intake Students

PG Programmes	Maximum Eligible Students (both categories)	Best of Any One				
		CAT	MHT- CET	MAT	GMAT	NCAT
MBA ACM	36	>=85	>=87	>=91	>=630	>=109
MBA APM	7					
MBA REUIM	7	>=82	>=85	>=90	>=610	>=104
MBA (NBS)	3					
M.Plan*	2	NA	NA	NA	NA	>=104
MBA ENS	2	>=78	>=83	>=90	>=600	>=100
MBA SEM	2					

GATE (Architecture & Planning / Civil Engineering) Qualified students will get scholarship benefit based upon their Ranking.

OR
Candidates having minimum 80 percent and above in Grade 10, Grade 12 / Diploma and Graduation Degree are also eligible for "Meritorious Grant Scholarship"

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students (both categories)	Best of Any One		
		JEE Main	MHT-CET	NCAT
B.Tech. in Civil	3	>=84	>=85	>=85

OR
Candidates having minimum 80 percent and above in Grade 10 and Grade 12 / Diploma are also eligible for "Meritorious Grant Scholarship"

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students (both categories)	NCAT
Integrated MBA (BBA + MBA)	3	>=85

OR

Candidates having minimum 85 percent and above in Grade 10 and Grade 12 / Diploma are also eligible for "Meritorious Grant Scholarship"

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students (both categories)	Best of Any One	
		NATA	**JEE Paper 2 (NTA)**
B.Arch.	2	*NATA / JEE Paper 2 (NTA) Qualified students will get scholarship benefit based upon their Ranking.*	

OR

Candidates having minimum 80 percent and above in Grade 10 and Grade 12 / Diploma are also eligible for "Meritorious Grant Scholarship"

Note: If the quota for candidates eligible for a 25% fee waiver has been reached, further eligible candidates will be considered for scholarships in the subsequent category due to limited availability of scholarship seats.

D. **"5% Fee Waiver Under the Commendable Assistance Grant": Available to the 30% of Approved Intake Students**

PG Programmes	Maximum Eligible Students (both categories)	Best of Any One				
		CAT	**MHT- CET**	**MAT**	**GMAT**	**NCAT**
MBA ACM	216	>=83	>=85	>=89	>=620	>=107
MBA APM	45					
MBA REUIM	45	>=80	>=83	>=88	>=600	>=102
MBA (NBS)	18					
M.Plan*	9	NA	NA	NA	NA	>=102
MBA ENS	9	>=75	>=81	>=88	>=590	>=98
MBA SEM	9					

*GATE (Architecture & Planning / Civil Engineering) Qualified students will get scholarship benefit based upon their Ranking.

OR

Candidates having minimum 75 percent and above in Grade 10, Grade 12 / Diploma and Graduation Degree are also eligible for "Commendable Assistance Grant".

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students (both categories)	Best of Any One		
		JEE Main	**MHT-CET**	**NCAT**
B.Tech. in Civil	18	>=82	>=83	>=83

OR

Candidates having minimum 75 percent and above in Grade 10 and Grade 12 / Diploma are also eligible for "Commendable Assistance Grant".

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students (both categories)	NCAT
Integrated MBA (BBA + MBA)	18	>=83

OR

Candidates having minimum 80 percent and above in Grade 10 and Grade 12 / Diploma are also eligible for "Commendable Assistance Grant".

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students (both categories)	Best of Any One	
		NATA	**JEE Paper 2 (NTA)**
B.Arch.	12	*NATA / JEE Paper 2 (NTA) Qualified students will get scholarship benefit based upon their Ranking.*	

OR

Candidates having minimum 75 percent and above in Grade 10 and Grade 12 / Diploma are also eligible for "Commendable Assistance Grant".

2. Economically Weaker Section [EWS] Scholarships: Applicable **for entire duration of the programme**:

- **100% Fee Waiver: Available for up to 5 Students.**
  We are excited to introduce a merit-cum-means scholarship opportunity for students with an annual family income of up to **Rs. 5 lakhs or less** belonging to the **Economically Weaker Sections (EWS)**. The scholarship entails a full tuition fee waiver for up to 5 students based on their outstanding performance in the admission process. To qualify for this fee waiver, candidates should have 80% & above in SSC & HSC for UG programmes; and 80% & above in SSC, HSC and 60% & above in Graduation for PG programmes.

- **50% Fee Waiver: Available to the 10% of Approved Intake Students.**
  These scholarships are awarded to 10% of students within the approved intake who are Economically Weaker encompassing individuals with an annual family gross income of up to Rs. 8 lakhs or less. If there are more than 10% of students who belong to EWS category, then this concession will be given on the basis of their merit.

PG Programmes	Maximum Eligible Students
MBA ACM	72
MBA APM	15
MBA REUIM	15
MBA (NBS)	6
M.Plan	3
MBA ENS	3
MBA SEM	3
MBA FB & E	3
PGD QSCM	9

UG Programmes	Maximum Eligible Students
B.Tech. in Civil	6
Integrated MBA (BBA + MBA)	6
B.Arch.	4

Aspirants need to undergo the admission process, which includes the NICMAR Common Admission Test (NCAT) or an equivalent score, and a Personal Interview (PI) or Counseling Session (for B.Arch.). Furthermore, they should qualify in the admission process according to the prescribed cut-off.

Eligibility Criteria:
- Students whose family has gross annual income below Rs. 8.00 lakh* (Rupees eight lakh only) are to be identified as EWSs for benefit of scholarship. Income shall also include income from all sources i.e. salary, wages, agriculture, business, profession, etc. for the financial year prior to <u>first academic year</u>.

- Also, student whose family owns or possesses any of the following assets shall be excluded from being identified as EWS, irrespective of the family income: -
    a. 5 Acres of Agricultural land and above,
    b. Residential flat of 1000 square feet and above,
    c. Residential plot of 100 square yards and above in notified Municipalities and
    d. Residential plot of 100 square yards and above in any other area.
- The property held by a "Family" in different locations or different places/cities would be clubbed while applying the land or property holding test to determine EWS status.
- The family for this purpose includes Self, Parents, Siblings below the age of 18 years, Spouse and children below 18 years.

Procedure for scrutiny of application:
- Income certificate issued by tehsil/collector will be collected.
- An affidavit will be taken from student applicants with respect to asset declaration. Additionally, asset verification will be done by a third-party agency.
- After scrutiny of documents, scholarship will be awarded on the basis of merit.

* Rs. 5.00 lakh for 100% fee waiver criteria.

3. "Rising Talent Scholarship": Applicable **for entire duration of the programme**

Up to Rs. 20,000/- (Per Year) Tuition Fee Relief for the 10% of Approved Intake Students through Extra-curricular / Co-curricular Accomplishments.

- The "Rising Talent Scholarship" is designed to provide fee relief of up to Rs. 20,000/- per year for the entire duration of the programme at NICMAR University, Pune.
- This scholarship is exclusively accessible to the 10% of students within the approved intake who demonstrate exceptional accomplishments in extracurricular / co-curricular activities.
- The primary objective of this policy is to acknowledge and incentivize students who actively engage in and excel at extracurricular / co-curricular pursuits.
- The scholarship aims to contribute to a comprehensive and enriching educational experience by recognizing and rewarding exceptional accomplishments in extracurricular / co-curricular activities.

PG Programmes	Maximum Eligible Students
MBA ACM	72
MBA APM	15
MBA REUIM	15
MBA (NBS)	6
M.Plan	3
MBA ENS	3
MBA SEM	3
MBA FB & E	3
PGD QSCM	9

UG Programmes	Maximum Eligible Students
B.Tech. in Civil	6
Integrated MBA (BBA + MBA)	6
B.Arch.	4

Eligibility:
- Students who exhibit exceptional skills in extracurricular activities such as sports, fine arts, Performing Arts, Literary Competitions, Quizzes, Hackathons, or likewise are eligible to apply for these scholarships.
- Aspirants need to undergo the admission process, which includes the NICMAR Common Admission Test (NCAT) or an equivalent score, and a Personal Interview (PI) or Counseling

Session (for B.Arch.). Furthermore, they should qualify in the admission process according to the prescribed cut-off.

Details of Extracurricular / Co-curricular Activities:

- Extracurricular / Co-curricular activities are often referred to as after-school activities that students participate in outside their regular academic curriculum. These include sports, fine arts, Performing Arts, Literary Competitions, Quizzes, Hackathons, and other pursuits that allow students to explore their interests and develop new skills.
- Engaging in such activities provides students with opportunities to enhance their social, physical, creative, and leadership abilities. Additionally, these endeavours hold substantial importance in college admissions, as they demonstrate a student's interests, dedication, and enthusiasm beyond their academic accomplishments.
- Extracurricular / Co-curricular activities are defined as activities that fall outside the regular academic curriculum but contribute to the overall development and well-rounded education of individuals.
- Activities can take place within or outside the university and include, but are not limited to:
  - Sports & Athletics
    - Winning / Participating in Inter-school/ Inter-college/ Varsity/ Recognized Sports Associations / Federations Sports competitions
  - Arts & Culture
    - Winning / Participating in drama, theatre, dance, singing, musical instrument, painting, drawing, pottery, sculpturing, etc.
    - Art exhibitions or gallery displays
  - Academic Competitions
    - Winning / Participating in quizzes, debates, academic/research writing, composing poetries/stories etc.
    - Winning / participating in Research projects and presentations
    - Winning / participating in science fairs, innovation competitions, or Hackathons
  - Technology & Coding
    - Coding competitions & hackathons.
    - Developing and implementing e-sports games. Winning and Participating in software development/testing projects etc.

Scholarship Selection Process:

- Selection is based on a combination of academic achievements and demonstrated excellence in extracurricular activities.
- The 10% of students within the approved intake who meet the eligibility criteria will be considered. Students will have to apply for this scholarship.
- The Scholarship Committee will evaluate candidates based on their achievements/ involvement and impact in the specified extracurricular areas in last 3 years. Committee shall call for required evidences in form of certificates/ medals/ photographs during participation/ performances/ newspaper media archives etc.

Combination of Activities:

- The university may consider a combination of these activities when awarding scholarships to well-rounded individuals.
- The selection process aims to reward students who positively contribute to the campus community in various aspects.

Criteria Alignment:

- The university may specify certain criteria or focus areas aligned with its institutional values and goals.
- These criteria will be communicated transparently to applicants and considered during the scholarship selection process.

Communication and Transparency:

- All information regarding the "Rising Talent Scholarship" and the extracurricular activities policy will be communicated transparently to eligible students.
- Clear guidelines and instructions will be provided for the application process.

4. **Scholarships Offered by Sponsors:**

   (i) International Education Foundation [IEF] Scholarship (for the students of minority community): Applicable for entire duration of the programme.

   International Education Foundation is **offering tuition fee for the shortlisted students**, for the entire duration of the full time Post Graduate Programmes. This scholarship is available for the students of minority community, admitted to NICMAR University, Pune for the full-time programmes. The details are as follows:

   - **Scholarship is available for the students of minority community.**

   *Subject to approval and as per the scholarship & selection policy of IEF.

   (ii) thyssenkrupp Uhde India Private Limited* Scholarship: Applicable for entire duration of the programme
   - **Scholarship for Special Category** for SoEE Programmes**
   Criteria:
     - Scholarship for a **female candidate**.
     - **100% tuition fee waiver**
     - Candidate must be from Economically Weaker Section.
     - Having an Engineering degree (only) at Undergraduate (UG) level.

   This is applicable for Admission to School of Energy and Environment (SoEE) programmes ONLY:

   1. MBA in Sustainable Energy Management (first preference) or
   2. MBA in Environmental Sustainability (second preference)

   *Subject to approval and as per the scholarship & selection policy of thyssenkrupp Uhde India Private Limited.

   **As per thyssenkrupp Uhde India Private Limited policy.

If the student is found to be meritorious and is able to clear thyssenkrupp Uhde India Private Limited selection requirements, she may be absorbed in thyssenkrupp Uhde India Private Limited upon successful completion of MBA programme. Scholarship is applicable only if the student clears exams as per the examination ordinance of NICMAR University, Pune.

5. **Scholarship for wards of Defence personnel**
   - **Wards of Defence and Para-military personnel, both currently serving and retired, are eligible for this scholarship.**

   * Limited to 1% of the total intake (at least 1).

PG Programmes	Maximum Eligible Students
MBA ACM	7
MBA APM	1
MBA REUIM	1
MBA (NBS)	1
M.Plan	1
MBA ENS	1
MBA SEM	1
MBA FB & E	1
PGD QSCM	1

UG Programmes	Maximum Eligible Students
B.Tech. in Civil	1
Integrated MBA (BBA + MBA)	1
B.Arch.	1

The Defence Scholarship Opportunity is a programme designed to provide financial assistance for the education of wards (dependents) of currently serving and retired Defence and Para-military personnel. The scholarship offers varying percentages of financial support based on the rank of the personnel. The eligibility criteria and scholarship percentages are as follows:

- Non-Commissioned Officers (NCO's): Eligible candidates who are wards of NCOs can avail a 25% scholarship for their education.
- Junior Commissioned Officers (JCO's): Wards of Junior Commissioned Officers are eligible for a 15% scholarship to support their educational endeavors.
- Senior Commissioned Officers: Those who are dependents of Senior Commissioned Officers can benefit from a 10% scholarship to assist them in pursuing their education.

Applicants meeting the eligibility criteria are strongly encouraged to apply for this scholarship opportunity. The programme aims to empower and support the education of deserving individuals associated with the defence and para-military services. By taking advantage of this scholarship, eligible candidates can advance their education and contribute to their personal and professional development.

The availability of this benefit is contingent upon meeting the specified conditions mentioned below.

- Aspirants need to undergo the admission process, which includes the NICMAR Common Admission Test (NCAT) or an equivalent score, and a Personal Interview (PI) or Counseling Session (for B.Arch.). Furthermore, they should qualify in the admission process according to the prescribed cut-off.
- Selected candidates for the Outstanding Performance Scholarships **will receive an offer letter** for admission **based on their scholarship eligibility.**
- ***First-Come-First Served Basis:*** *The scholarship will be awarded on a First Come-First Served basis, emphasizing the importance of prompt action by eligible students. Early applicants have a higher likelihood of securing this valuable financial assistance.*

Scholarship Disclaimer:
- *Valid scores of Entrance Exams (other than NCAT) must have been obtained after 1st July, 2023.*
- *All admissions and scholarships granted by the university are contingent upon approval by the Admissions/Scholarship Committee and the competent authority of the University.*
- *NICMAR University retains the right to modify any or all components of the aforementioned policy without prior notice. Additionally, the University reserves the right to amend the terms of the scholarship periodically without prior notification. All matters are subject to the jurisdiction of NICMAR University, Pune.*

ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS

The curriculum is organised into four semesters. In each semester, students are exposed to a variety of theory courses and practicals meant for hands-on practical training. The semester-wise distribution of courses and workshops is given in programme details.

i. Courses

Courses may be of two or three credits depending upon the requirement for effective coverage. Different pedagogical tools are used to make the course interesting and useful.

a. General Core (GC)

These are the courses drawn from General Management area and are intended to provide students with transferable insights to offer a "generalist's view" that may be useful in managing complex projects.

b. Programme Core (PC)

These are the courses that are specific to Project Management area and provide students with an in-depth understanding of concepts and tools that are vital for managing projects across their life cycles. State of art project management software is also included in the curriculum.

c. General Elective (GE)

These courses are intended to provide a detailed understanding of courses belonging to other Schools and offer a multi-disciplinary approach to managing projects. The diverse schools in the NICMAR University make it possible to offer these electives.

d. Programme Elective (PE)

These electives are designed to provide an in-depth understanding of project management in different contexts such as global, digital transformations and advances in the area of project management.

e. Domain Elective (DE)

Domain-specific courses provide deep insights in project management in different domains such as MEP, Oil and Gas, IT, NPD, BIM, Energy, Rural, Education and Healthcare.

ii. Practical

Exercises in the form of practicals provide an opportunity to the students to learn through practice and it forms an integral part of the academic learning of the students. A variety of practicals are conducted to develop relevant skills important to manage projects efficiently.

a. Computer Practice Laboratory (CPL)

Computer Practice Laboratories integrate information technology and software applications relevant to various management functions. The software used in projects worldwide such as MSP, Oracle Primavera, Palisade @Risk, BIM, Lynx, Candy, Microsoft Dynamics and SPSS are practiced during the laboratory sessions. Efficient and creative application of IT tools is the USP of NICMAR University.

b. Business Communication Lab

Business Communication Labs are an important part of the curriculum. These labs equip students with managerial communication, presentation, team management, career management and other soft skills. They gain hands-on practical experience so as to acquire the following skills:

- Managerial communication and people skills.
- Cross-cultural communication and communication at work.
- Interview skills, group discussion and career development skills.
- Team management, negotiation, problem solving and other essential soft skills.

Group assignments, audio-visual presentations, role-plays, group discussions, language lab sessions and case studies are some of the elements of the pedagogy used for these labs. Students are trained in Business English through Orel Digital Language Lab, interactive language learning software. It enhances communication skills of students and enables them to communicate confidently.

The University organises visits to various project sites. Attendance is compulsory for these visits. Students are encouraged to take the initiative in organising these visits. Students pay for their expenses on tours. The University provides them with the bus facility for site visits.

iii. Project Work

Project Work is an independent and individual requirement that consists of 10 credits. The student is expected to select a live problem in the industry or a major issue impacting the performance of projects. The topic should be researchable in the given time period and approved by the University. This should include a description of the problem statement, review of the literature, scientific design of the study, collection and analysis of data and preparing a project report in an acceptable academic style. The student will be allotted a guide by the University. If the student chooses to have a guide from outside, the University will nominate one of the internal faculty members as a co-guide. Following are the major components of the project work:

a. Project Seminar

Students are required to conceptualise a research idea for further study on it at the beginning of the second semester. The student makes a presentation of the work in the form of a seminar.

b. Project Work – Interim

In the third semester, students develop the instrument for data collection and complete the data collection process. This is followed by an interim assessment. This phase is known as Project work – Interim.

c. **Project Work – Final**

In the final phase of project work in fourth semester students complete the data analysis and project thesis preparation. This is followed by Viva Voce assessment.

iv. **Summer Internship**

As part of the curriculum, each student undergoes supervised field training with a reputed project firm for 8 to 10 weeks. During this period, they may be trained in project management practices such as planning, execution, progress assessment, site management, reporting etc. While the training is on-the-job, the student is expected to perform certain regular duties on the project as may be felt fit by the concerned organisation.

Organisations for practical training are carefully selected from amongst reputed firms. Based on their performance, students may receive a Pre-Placement Offer (PPO). Essentially, the University looks for meaningful and supervised work experience for the students. Students may also opt for working on an assignment-based project topic. A committee of students assists the University in arranging for their summer internship. At the end of the summer internship, students are required to submit a report and make a presentation to the faculty assigned.

PEDAGOGY

NICMAR University, Pune believes that the method of instruction to maximise learning varies from course-to-course, and therefore, uses a host of pedagogical approaches in different courses such as case studies, lectures, group and individual exercises, class projects and simulation of business environment to enrich the overall Programme delivery. Site visits are organised as and when required.

The curriculum of MBA APM comprises course work, practice workshops, summer internship and project work. The relative weightage for each component in the total package of 85 credit points is shown below.

Course work comprises 62% of total inputs while the practice workshops, summer internship and the project work cover the rest.

Item	Total Credits	Weightage (%)
Course Work	62.00	72.94
Lab/Tutorial Work	07.00	8.25
Project Work	10.00	11.76
Summer Internship	6.00	7.05
Total	**85.00**	**100%**

ASSESSMENT

i. **Course Examination**

The course examination comprises two parts: Semester end examination and Internal assessment. The weightage for the same is given below.

Evaluation	Weightage (%)
Term End Examination	50
Internal Assessment	50

The semester end examination carries 50 marks, and is of two hours duration. The examination may have the following components:

a. Essay type questions.
b. Structured or short answer questions.
c. Questions involving computations and derivations.
d. Case analysis.

ii. **Internal Assessment**

Internal Assessment is done on a continuous basis by the instructors. Internal assessment can be based on Midterm Exam and one or more of the following: (a) Case Analysis and presentation, (b)

an assignment (c) presentation on a selected and relevant topic and (d) quiz based on multiple choice questions.

iii. Workshops

Managerial skills workshop is a Mandatory Non-Graded (MNG) course. The workshop includes group discussions, role plays, presentation and assignment. Different software such as MSP, Primavera, @Risk etc. will be taught in the computer labs.

iv. Summer internship and project work

Summer internship is assessed by the internal faculty only. Summer internship carries 50 marks and is assessed during the third semester. The weightage assigned is 50% each for report writing and presentation.

Students' project work consists of three parts: Project seminar, Project work – 1 & Project work – 2. Project seminar is evaluated by the assigned guide and an internal faculty (this is done at the end of the second semester). Then project work -1 serves as a mid-thesis assessment by the end of third semester and then the final viva voce is evaluated by the guide and an expert from industry or faculty members from other institutes at the end of fourth semester.

AWARD

On successful completion of two years, the eligible student will be awarded MBA in Advanced Project Management. After successful completion of one-year, eligible student may be entitled for Post Graduate Diploma in Project Management. Student needs to fulfil all the requirements as per University academic regulations.

REGULAR TEACHING FACULTY

Faculty is the foundation on which programmes of NICMAR University are designed to grow and develop. Therefore, careful attention is paid to attract the best talent from the academic world as well as the industry. The courses are taught by expert faculty members of the University, eminent practicing managers from leading firms from all over the country, and visiting experts from Indian and foreign universities and international organisations. NICMAR University has following categories of faculty:

- Core Faculty
- Adjunct Faculty
- Visiting Faculty
- Guest Faculty
- Professor of Practice

STUDENT DEVELOPMENT

NICMAR University has a number of schemes to provide full or partial financial support to a variety of student activities. The University strongly believes that co- and extra-curricular activities significantly contribute to the all-round development of its students.

ABOUT NICMAR UNIVERSITY, PUNE

NICMAR University, Pune is established under State Private University Act. (Government of Maharashtra Act. No. XXXVI of 2022). University is situated at Balewadi, 14 kilometres away from the Pune Central Railway Station and 7 kilometres from the Savitribai Phule Pune University and along the Mumbai-Bangalore expressway. It has over 4,71,853 square feet built up area and more 1,25,000 square feet area under construction on a 10-acre plot of land built using the latest materials and technologies and is equipped with state-of-the-art facilities. The campus buildings blend harmoniously with the landscaped greenery all around.

The University is having barrier-free environment for the independence, convenience and safety of all persons including people with disabilities. The physical infrastructure of the campus includes classrooms, seminar rooms, tutorial rooms, mini auditorium, workshops, engineering laboratories, student common room, multi-purpose hall, placement GD room, placement PI room, placement corporate room, faculty cabins, offices, placement office, student lounge, boys' and girls' hostels, executive hostel, warden and lady warden residence, a library with stack areas, reference section and documentation centre, scholar's cabins, computerised catalogues, inter-campus online library, computer centres, 24-hour internet and e-mail facility, a guest house, a modern and well-equipped kitchen, students, faculty and staff dining halls.

Other facilities include a photocopying centre, solar water heating, sewage treatment plant, vermiculture, rain water harvesting system, lift facilities for all hostels, cafeteria, generator backup to all the buildings, doctor, dispensary, first-aid kits, community hall, indoor and outdoor recreation infrastructure i.e., football ground, basketball court, tennis court, badminton court, volleyball court, gymnasium (separate for boys & girls), recreation hall with table tennis, carrom boards, chess boards, T.V. with dish connection, students' parking facility (two wheeler), stationery and general store, xerox services, laundry facility, multipurpose open court (students' play area of 10000 sq.ft. approx.), auditorium having 1000 seating capacity, classroom, syndicate room, computer lab, amphitheatre, and basement parking etc. The campus is equipped with CCTV and round the clock security services.

ANTI-RAGGING POLICY OF NICMAR UNIVERSITY, PUNE

As per the directives issued by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India and the University Grants Commission (UGC), ragging is a cognizable and punishable offence and is totally banned in or out of the University. The University shall take necessary action in accordance with the UGC Regulations for Curbing the Menace of Ragging in Higher Educational Institutions, 2009, against those found guilty of ragging and/or abetting ragging, actively or passively, or being part of a conspiracy to promote ragging.

The University gives paramount importance to the safety and security of every student and follows a zero-tolerance policy against Ragging. Helpline Numbers: 020–66859248/9322069331/1800-180-5522. Any student found indulging in ragging or any related activity will be dealt with strictly by appropriate disciplinary action as prescribed under Clause 9 of the Anti-Ragging Regulation of UGC.

Please visit: https://www.antiragging.in/ for UGC regulations against ragging.

SUPPORT SERVICES

i. Department of Information Technology

Computer centre at NICMAR University Pune, has sufficient number of computers with a state-of-the-art AR VR studio (Augmented Reality and Virtual Reality), Learning Management System(LMS), leading application packages like Microsoft Project Management, Oracle suite of Project Management packages including Contract Management, Enterprise Portfolio Project Management, Professional Project Management, and Contractor and Risk Analysis; Autodesk suite of Building Information Modeling comprising 24 software products including, AutoCAD, Revit, Navisworks, Infraworks etc.; Project Wise 365 and 15 software products from Bentley Systems India Pvt. Ltd., Risk Management Software packages including, @Risk, Evolver, Stat Tools, Top Rank, Neural Tools, Precision Tree, CANDY, Microsoft Dynamics ERP, Highrise Construction ERP; Orell Digital Language Software package is available for students to develop proficiency in English; TURNITIN for plagiarism check, Prochain for Critical Chain Project Management, VisiLean for Lean Construction & BIM Management, CalQuan for quantity calculation and cross section drawing for linear projects and HDM-4 for checking engineering and economic viability of road projects, etc.; Internet and e-mail facilities are to all students. The centres are open from 9.00 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. Students get hands on practice under the able guidance of qualified and experienced faculty members. The campus of NICMAR University at Pune is equipped with Video Conferencing System, interactive screens, Construction 4.0 lab and virtual classroom platforms such as MS Teams, Webex and Zoom to run online classes and other online activities. Biometric Attendance.

ii. Library

The NICMAR University library is designed to support the students, faculty & research scholars. It is a specialized library in the area of Construction Management, Project Management, Real Estate Management & Infrastructure Development. In addition, the library provides knowledge resources in a variety of Management & Engineering subjects such as: Information Technology, Engineering, Environment, Social Sciences, all areas of Management, Smart Cities, Entrepreneurship, Architecture, Planning, Taxation, Law etc.

The Library is the hub of the academic life of the NICMAR University campus. Housed in spacious halls on the first floor of academic block, the library is well stocked with textbooks, technical journals, periodicals and electronic resources. It holds a collection of more than 28000 titles, comprising over 25700 Books, Periodicals, Standards, Cases, Technical Notes, Bound Volumes of Periodicals, Theses & Audio-Visual Materials. It also subscribes to electronic resources which include Scopus – The Citation Database, PROQUEST ABI Inform Complete (9800+ Titles), ASCE Journals (41 Titles), ASCE Proceedings (875 Titles), SCIENCEDIRECT – Business Management & Accounting (121 Journals), TAYLOR & FRANCIS Online (80 Journals), SAGE – Urban Studies &

Planning (42 Journals), SAGE – Management (22 Journals), PROQUEST e-Book Central – Business & Engineering (68,500+ Books), ELSEVIER E-Books (155 Titles), PEARSON E-Books (54 Titles), and McGRAW HILL E-Books (35 Titles). Other titles include 'All India Reporter', 'Economic & Political Weekly' and Economic & Business databases of M/s CENTRE FOR MONITORING INDIAN ECONOMY (CMIE) including ProwessIQ, Industry Outlook, Economic Outlook, States of India and the CapEx. It also subscribes to the Anti-plagiarism software 'Turnitin – Originality Check' for the faculty.

iii. Internet and E-mail

Dedicated 1+ Gbps Internet bandwidth for 24X7 is provided to students through Wired LAN & WiFi with a backup provision. Each student is provided with the University e-mail ID for academic communications alongwith Office 365 Access.

iv. Classrooms

NICMAR University has large, medium and syndicate capacity classrooms which are well-equipped with public audio system, Interactive Display Panel, LCD projectors, computers with internet connections and are fully air-conditioned.

v. Extra-curricular Activities

Students' training at NICMAR University, Pune goes beyond the confines of classroom and curriculum. In order to foster a holistic development of students, the University supports and encourages its students to plan, organise and participate in various co & extracurricular activities. The Student Council represents the general body of students and organises various techno-managerial, sports and cultural events, and celebrates all the major festivals throughout the year, involving the student clubs and student volunteers.

Some salient features are as follows:
- Well-equipped, state-of-the-art facilities exist for indoor and outdoor sports such as badminton, table tennis, basketball and football etc.
- Students are encouraged to participate in intra and inter-college co-curricular, cultural and sports competitions.
- Various intra and inter-college events like Udbhav, Sanskriti, Chakraview, Technikala, NICMAR Premier League, Spardha, E-Summit, Academic Conclave, and Reverbs, etc. are organised for the development of co & extra-curricular skills of students.
- Students also bring out in-house magazines, newsletters and similar publications.
- Students of NICMAR University pursue their varied hobbies and interests after academic hours through different special interest clubs actively functional on the campus. Various activities are organised by the Music club, Photography club, Dance club, Technical club, Movies and Dramatics club, Sports club, Literary club, R & D club, Start-up club, Design club and Fashion club throughout the year. All these clubs are managed by students.
- Separate well-equipped gymnasia are available for girls and boys, assisted by qualified sports supervisors.
- An international sports stadium is just across the road and students can access swimming pools, gymnasia, field tracks and other facilities on payment basis.

Thus, the University leaves no stone unturned to ensure that the students have a memorable and enriching campus life contributing to their all round development.

NICMAR UNIVERSITY EDUCATIONAL LOAN PARTNERS

The banks/financial organisations mentioned below offer educational loans to the students desirous of pursuing NICMAR University's programmes.
- **HDFC Credila Financial Services Ltd.** [Toll Free No.: 1800-209-3636/Ph. No.: 9765491467]
- **ICICI Bank** [Ph. No.: 8956019228 Or SMS ELOAN to 5676766]
- **Saraswat Co-operative Bank Ltd.** [Ph. No.: 020-27292957/58 OR Give a missed call on this number: 9029050027]
- **IDFC First Bank Ltd.** [Toll Free No.: 1860-500-9900/Ph. No.: 9096923798/9049873109]
- **State Bank of India, SPBB, Baner, Pune** [Email: sbi.13295@sbi.co.in]
- **Bank of Baroda** [Give a missed call on this number 8467001122 Or Toll free number 1800223344/45 Or Ph. No.: 7709977826/8007352007/9948505144]
- **Canara Bank** [Email: rahcopne@canarabank.com]

- **Bank of Maharashtra** [Ph.No.: 89992 15408/96232 93296/8888969602]
- **Credenc Web Technologies Pvt. Ltd.** [Website: https://www.credenc.com/, Ph. No.: 7738486004, Email: contact@credenc.com]
- **propelld** [Website: https://www.propelld.com/, Mr. Sagar Kaushik, Ph. No.: 8147495172]
- **kuhoo** [Website: https://www.kuhoo.com/, WhatsApp No.: 74000 03839, Ph.No.: 74000 03940]

Applicants may contact the branches of these banks/financial organisations for further details and information.

DISCIPLINE AND CODE OF CONDUCT

Students shall be courteous and formal in conduct with faculty and staff at all times, failing which appropriate disciplinary action shall be taken against the erring student. A Code of Conduct for the students is issued at the time of admission and it is mandatory for all students to abide by.

MBA APM
PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

MBA in Advanced Project Management Programme

Course Code	Course Type	Course Name	L	T	P	C*
		Semester I				
247011ACF	General Core	Accounting and Finance	2	1	0	3
247011LAR	General Core	Legal Aspects and Industrial Relations	2	0	0	2
247011MDA	General Core	Statistical Methods and Data Analysis	1	0	1	2
247011BPM	General Core	Business Development and Project Marketing	2	0	0	2
247011FOB	General Core	Fundamentals of Organisational Behaviour	1	0	0	1
247011PSM	Programme Core	Project Stakeholders and Communication Management	1	0	0	1
247011PMP	Programme Core	Project Management Principles and Practices	2	0	0	2
247011PPS	Programme Core	Project Planning and Scheduling	2	0	0	2
247011HEM	Programme Core	Health, Safety and Environment Management	2	0	0	2
247011MSP	Programme Core	Project Management Lab (MSP)	0	0	1	1
247011MOC		MOOC (Ethics/ or Similar)				2
247011SIP		Social Immersion				2
		Semester I Total				**22**
		Semester II				
247012OMG	General Core	Operations Management	2	0	0	2
247012HRM	General Core	Fundamentals of Human Resource Management	1	0	0	1
247012FOR	General Core	Fundamentals of Operations Research	1	0	0	1
247012ECO	General Core	Managerial Economics	2	0	0	2
247012ERM	Programme Core	Enterprise Risk Management	2	1	0	3
247012PFA	Programme Core	Project Formulation and Appraisal	2	0	0	2
247012PMW	Programme Core	Project Management Lab (Primavera)	0	0	1	1
247012PCM	Programme Core	Procurement and Contract Management	3	0	0	3
247012QMG	Programme Core	Project Quality Management	2	0	0	2
247012PCE	Programme Core	Project Cost Engineering	2	1	0	3
247012CMN		Business Communication Lab	0	0	1	1
247012RMS		Research Methodology and Project Seminar	1	0	1	2
247012IED		Entrepreneurship Methodology and Innovation, Entrepreneurship and Venture (IEV) Development Project: Idea Development	1	0	1	2
247012MOC		MOOC (Indian Knowledge System)				2
		Semester II Total				**25**
247012SMI		**Summer Internship (8 – 10 weeks)**				**6**

		Semester III				
247013SCM	General Core	Supply Chain Management	2	0	0	2
247013GEP	Programme Core	Sustainable Project Governance, Ethics and Professionalism	2	0	0	2
		Choose any 2 General Electives (GE) from the list				
247013SCB	General Elective	Social Cost Benefit Analysis	2	0	0	2
247013RPL	General Elective	Enterprise Resource Planning	1	1	0	2
247013ENT	General Elective	Entrepreneurship	2	0	0	2
247013OPM	General Elective	Advanced Operations Research	2	0	0	2
		Choose any 1 Programme Elective (PE) from the list				
247013PAT	Programme Elective	Project Analytics	1	1	0	2
247013APM	Programme Elective	Advances in Project Management	2	0	0	2
247013BDT	Programme Elective	Building Information Modelling and Digital Transformations in Projects	1	1	0	2
		Choose any 2 Domain Electives (DE) from the list				
247013PME	Domain Elective	Project Management for Education	2	0	0	2
247013MIP	Domain Elective	Management of Infrastructure Projects	2	0	0	2
247013PHC	Domain Elective	Project Management in Health and Community services	2	0	0	2
247013SAC	Domain Elective	Site Administration and Control	2	0	0	2
247013SBP	Domain Elective	Management of Launching Systems in Bridge Projects	2	0	0	2
247013OGP	Domain Elective	Management of Oil and Gas Projects	2	0	0	2
247013MEP	Domain Elective	Fundamentals of MEP Projects	2	0	0	2
247013PWI		Project Work: Interim	0	0	3	3
247013IEP		Innovation, Entrepreneurship & Venture (IEV) Development Project: Prototype	0	0	3	3
		Semester III Total				**17**

		Semester IV				
247014STM	General Core	Strategic Management	2	0	0	2
		Choose any 1 Programme Elective (PE) from the list				
247014MGP	Programme Elective	Management of Global Projects	2	0	0	2
247014FIN	Programme Elective	Project Finance	2	0	0	2
		Choose any 3 Domain Electives (DE) from the list				
247014PSC	Domain Elective	Project Management for Smart Cities	2	0	0	2
247014PPP	Domain Elective	Public Private Partnership	2	0	0	2
247014PRD	Domain Elective	Project Management for Rural development	2	0	0	2
247014SDP	Domain Elective	Project Management in Software Development Projects	2	0	0	2
247014NPD	Domain Elective	Management of New Product Development Projects	2	0	0	2
247014REE	Domain Elective	Management of Renewable Energy Projects	2	0	0	2
247014MMP	Domain Elective	Management of MEP Projects	2	0	0	2
247014BME	Domain Elective	BIM for MEP Projects	1	1	0	2
247014PWF		Project Work: Final	0	0	5	5
247014IEB		Innovation, Entrepreneurship & Venture (IEV) Development Project: Business Model	0	0	5	5
		Semester IV Total				**15**
		TOTAL PROGRAMME CREDITS				**85**

* Credit(C) = 15 hours for theory and tutorial and 30 hours for Practical.

L: Lectures - In these sessions the students are familiarised with the concepts, theories, methods and essential skills

T: Tutorial sessions comprises sessions that will support the individual learning of the student. It may comprise presentations, report writing, case analysis, hands on practices, etc.

P: Practical sessions comprises sessions dedicated for hands on training only.

Notes:
1. Students have to choose two subjects of General Electives, one subject of Programme Electives and two subjects of Domain Electives in Semester III.
2. Students have to choose one subject of Programme elective and three subjects of Domain Electives in Semester IV.
3. Summer Internship is to be started and completed after the end of Semester II
4. The seminar and project work are to be undertaken and completed during Semester III and Semester IV.

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