

GRADUATE ADMISSION POLICY

Policy Statement

Iqra University shall offer admission to all applicants irrespective of their domicile, caste, creed, board/University from which they got eligibility education subject to the condition that the applicant(s) shall meet the minimum threshold set by IU and the Higher Education Commission of Pakistan.

The number of admissions may vary from semester to semester subject to the availability of seats in compliance with HEC minimum space and student-teacher ratio. In any manner it should not go beyond the stipulated limits set by the regulating bodies.

All admissions will remain provisional and subject to verification of relevant academic documents.

For MS / M.Phil.:

The minimum requirements for admission in an MS / M.Phil. degree program are:

- 16 (sixteen) years of schooling from any HEC recognized university / DAIs or 4 (four) years of education after HSSC / F.A. / F.Sc. / Grade-12 or Equivalent
- An applicant must have a minimum division or CGPA on a scale of 4.0 as prescribed by the HEC.

Admission Test:

- The admission department shall conduct the admissions test for admission in MS / M.Phil. program with the passing score of 50%.
- OR*
- The GRE (General) or equivalent conducted by testing bodies accredited by HEC, with a passing score of 50%.

For Ph.D.:

The minimum requirements for admission in a PhD degree program are

- A degree earned after 18 years of education in the relevant discipline from recognized university/degree awarding institution.
- At least CGPA of 3.0 (on a scale of 4.0) or 60% Marks (in the annual system).
 - The students having strong demonstrated interest in obtaining PhD degree, but their CGPA is below 3.0 (on a scale of 4.0) or 60% marks (in the annual system) in the most recent degree obtained, may be admitted to a PhD program after fulfilling the following requirements:
 - The candidate shall study additional courses of 9-12 credit hours of level 7 (taking a zero semester) and score minimum 3.0 GPA,
 - AND*
 - These requirements shall be in addition to any other requirements set by the Iqra University for the admission to a PhD program.

Admission Test:

- The admission department shall conduct the subject test for admission in PhD program with the passing score of 60%.
OR
- The admission test which is equivalent to GRE/HAT (Subject) conducted by testing bodies accredited by HEC, with a passing score of 60%.

Statement of Purpose:

As part of the application for admission to PhD programs, the applicant is required to submit a statement of purpose, which shall form an integral part of the application.

A statement of purpose shall, at least, include the following:

- Title of the potential research proposal
 - Clear articulation of the current understanding of the intended field and ideas for potential research
 - Explanation of the intended impact of the proposed research
 - The statement should demonstrate passion and enthusiasm for the area of research
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