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**And, whenever you make a career decision, make  
The ICFAI University Sikkim your first choice.**

You will join a supportive, diverse, and positive community that will make you feel valued throughout your time with us at ICFAI, for who you are now and what you may become in your life.

Our students are the base of our university, and your success begins with feeling at ease and confident in your surroundings.

Assuring you that it is OK to:

PUT UP QUESTIONS,  
SEEK FOR HELP,  
LOOK FOR CLARITY,  
WANT SUPPORT,  
MAKE MISTAKES,  
SAY “I DON’T KNOW”,  
FEEL NERVOUS,  
JOIN IN,  
SHARE WHAT YOU FEEL,  
WORK TOGETHER,  
PUSH THE RESTRICTIONS,  
And REMEMBER JUST

# BE YOU



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# MESSAGE FROM THE VICE CHANCELLOR



**Dr. Jagannath Patnaik**  
Vice Chancellor

Dear Students, Parents, and Esteemed Stakeholders,

Welcome to The ICFAI University, Sikkim

It is with immense pride and a profound sense of purpose that I extend a warm welcome to you all through the 2025 Prospectus of The ICFAI University, Sikkim. The ICFAI University, Sikkim stands as a beacon of academic excellence in the serene and vibrant state of Sikkim. Our sprawling campus at Lower Sichey, Gangtok, spanning 6.5 acres with a built-up area of 65,500 square feet, is equipped with modern facilities to foster an enriching educational experience. Additionally, our upcoming 17-acre campus at Lingdok, Gangtok, promises to enhance our infrastructure further, focusing on skill-building initiatives in collaboration with industry partners to provide hands-on learning opportunities for our students.

Our diverse portfolio of undergraduate, postgraduate, and doctoral programs spans disciplines such as Management, Information Technology, Hotel and Tourism Management, Law, and Liberal Arts. These programs are designed with a forward-thinking curriculum that integrates cutting-edge technology, practical training, and soft skills development. Recognized by the

University Grants Commission (UGC) under Section 2(f) and empowered to award degrees under Section 22 of the UGC Act, 1956, we take pride in our affiliations with prestigious bodies like the Association of Indian Universities (AIU), the Association of Commonwealth Universities (UK), and the United Nations Global Compact.

Our achievements speak volumes about the dedication of our exceptional faculty, staff, and students. We are proud to be ranked 9th among the Top 10 Private Emerging Hotel Management Colleges in India and 8th among the 10 Hotel Management Colleges with the Lowest Fees by leading surveys. The ICFAI Law School, Sikkim, has been recognized as the best law college in the state, earning an AA+ rating for two consecutive years (2021 and 2022) by Careers 360 Magazine. Furthermore, 80% of our graduate's secure placements in reputed multinational banks, advertising agencies, human resource sectors, and the thriving tourism and hospitality industry—a testament to our focus on employability and career readiness. The University has bagged Diamond category in Green Ranking 2025 & Gold Band in India's Finest B School Ranking 2025.

As we look ahead to 2025, our vision remains rooted in empowering society with competent, compassionate, and responsible professionals. The university's state-of-the-art facilities—including a well-stocked library with over 8,000 volumes, advanced computer labs with 60 workstations, and a dedicated soft skills lab—ensure that our students are equipped with the tools they need to succeed. Beyond academics, we nurture a vibrant campus life through cultural events, webinars, talent hunts, and community outreach initiatives, fostering an environment where creativity and leadership thrive.

I extend my heartfelt gratitude to our faculty, staff, alumni, and industry partners for their unwavering support in helping us reach these heights. Together, let us embrace the opportunities of 2025 and beyond, inspired by Swami Vivekananda's timeless words: "Arise, awake, and stop not till the goal is reached."

**Wishing you all a future filled with success, purpose, and fulfillment. Welcome to The ICFAI University, Sikkim—where your journey to greatness begins!**





# MESSAGE FROM

# President Student Council



**Arpan Sharma**

President Student Council  
The ICFAI University, Sikkim

**Leadership in education is not merely about guiding others; it's about growing alongside them, embracing diversity, and fostering a community where every voice matters.**

Greetings to All!

I, Arpan Sharma, a student of BA-LL.B 9th Semester and The President of the Student Council at The ICFAI University, Sikkim, proudly share my journey of growth and learning. Hailing from Jaigaon, West Bengal, my five years at this esteemed institution have been nothing short of transformative.

When I first joined The ICFAI University, Sikkim, I was welcomed into a vibrant community that champions equality among students from diverse departments. This university not only prioritizes academic excellence but also emphasizes holistic development. Here, I have significantly enhanced my communication and networking skills, laying a strong foundation for my future endeavors.

My journey as a student leader has been enriched by remarkable experiences. Representing the University at the National Law Conference in Lok Sabha, New Delhi, offered me immense exposure and broadened my perspective. As an active member of the National Service Scheme (NSS), I had the privilege of participating in the National Integration Camp, Assam fostering a sense of unity and national pride.

The ICFAI University, Sikkim is dedicated to nurturing talent and equipping students with skills relevant to the real world. It provides numerous opportunities for experiential learning, helping students develop expert skills like marketing and become job-ready professionals. The University is committed



to supporting students' aspirations by offering various scholarships and financial aid programs, ensuring that no student's educational journey is hindered.

Under the guidance of the most professional faculty members, the university emphasizes interactive learning, ensuring students receive the attention and engagement they deserve. I am particularly grateful for the opportunity to be part of the Legal Aid Clinic under the Sikkim Government Legal Aid Authority, where I received specialized training and hands-on experience.

One of the most remarkable aspects of The ICFAI University, Sikkim is its diverse student community, representing states like Nepal, Bhutan, Northeast India, Bihar, West Bengal, Jharkhand, Bangladesh, and other parts of India. This cultural diversity fosters an enriching environment for cross-cultural exchange and understanding.

I express my heartfelt gratitude to Dr. Jagannath Patnaik (Honorable Vice Chancellor) and Dr. Rohit Rathi (Registrar) for their unwavering support and visionary leadership. Their commitment to academic excellence and student well-being has been instrumental in maintaining a dynamic learning environment. They have truly embodied the vision of The ICFAI University, Sikkim to be a premier center of education and research, nurturing talent, fostering creativity, and promoting innovation.

As the President of the Student Council, my focus has been on maintaining harmonious relationships across all dimensions of the university. Collaborating with unions such as the Sikkim Arunachal Student Union (SASU) has enabled us to work collectively and maintain a peaceful campus environment.

I am profoundly grateful for the opportunities and experiences this university has offered me. The ICFAI University, Sikkim has not only shaped my career but also my character, preparing me to face the future with confidence and integrity.

*Thank you.*



# The ICFAI Group

Pioneering professional education for over 35 years

ICFAI was established in 1984 as a not-for-profit society with the broad objective of empowering citizens through world class quality education. The Institute announced its arrival into the Indian education arena by launching a high end, innovative professional program in financial analysis in 1985. The Program was first-of-its-kind in India, aimed at equipping students and working professionals with latest trends with knowledge in contemporary areas of finance. Since its establishment, ICFAI Group has made a significant mark in the Indian educational arena with a Pan-Indian network and presence.

Innovation has been the mainstay of ICFAI Group with its prevalence in its programs and even its culture. Subsequently, there was a big leap when ICFAI Group started its chain of business schools (IBS) across India in 1995 to offer management program. Since its inception, ICFAI Business School (IBS) has been consistently ranked among the top ranked B-Schools of India providing excellent academic delivery and infrastructure to its students and transforming them into leaders for the future.

Another example that is a testimony to the culture of innovation is the introduction of Case Study methodology at IBS. The Case Research Center at IBS has become a center of excellence and has won several accolades across the world.

ICFAI Group has 2 Strategic Institutional Units, the ICFAI Universities and the ICFAI Business Schools. In all the programs offered across these units, the emphasis is on adherence to academic rigor and differentiated curriculum that bridges the industry-academia gap.

ICFAI Group focuses on learning rather than instruction. In addition, the institute is engaged in important areas of research covering environmental sustainability, agricultural economics, health policy, financial economics, banking, intellectual property rights etc. There have been path-breaking research and good quality publications in these areas.

Flexible and tech enabled learning also plays an important role in ICFAI's teaching methodology. The delivery takes place with the use of hi-tech learning management system at campus programs and content delivery for distance learning through online medium.

ICFAI Group practices the value of academic integrity at all levels. As a policy, admissions are purely based on merit and there is nothing like capitation fee et al. The fee payable is published in the application material and that remains unchanged.

The ICFAI Group's culture of teaching and learning supports and fosters intellectual and personality development among its graduating students. They carry an attitude of ownership of their work. ICFAI Group strives to make the students - DOERS. The programs are designed such that the students & professionals graduating from the institution have the ability to take risks, make decisions and own the work. ICFAI Group system, strongly believes in developing an 'entrepreneurial mindset' among its graduating students.

At ICFAI, students inculcate research and analytical orientation due to its institutional strength and support for the research and development activities. Holistically, the student undergoes a transformative change.

The alumni of ICFAI Group are working in renowned companies world-wide. Collectively, ICFAI Group alumni contribute significantly to the growth story of India.

## Awards won by The ICFAI Group





# The ICFAI Universities



ICFAI Foundation for Higher Education, Hyderabad



The ICFAI University, Jaipur



The ICFAI University, Raipur



The ICFAI University, Meghalaya



The ICFAI University, Sikkim



The ICFAI University, Jharkhand



The ICFAI University, Nagaland



The ICFAI University, Tripura



The ICFAI University, Mizoram



The ICFAI University, Himachal Pradesh (Baddi)



The ICFAI University, Dehradun



**N J Yasaswy**  
(1950-2011)

## Founder's Profile

Mr. N. J. Yasaswy (1950-2011), founder of the ICFAI Group of educational institutions and a pioneer in promoting higher education in the private sector had a brilliant academic career: B.Com (Andhra University 1969 – First Rank), CA Inter (May 1971 – First Rank), CA Final (May 1973 – First Rank), ICWA Inter (July 1970 – First Rank) and ICWA Final (July 1972 – First Rank). He was the recipient of the Basu Foundation Award for the Best Student of the Year from both – The Institute of Cost and Works Accountants of India (in 1972) and The Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (in 1973).

During 1974-1980, Mr. Yasaswy was associated with the Administrative Staff College of India as a Faculty Member. In 1981, he started his consultancy firm, Yasaswy Management Associates Private Limited. Hyderabad.

Mr. Yasaswy was appointed by the Government of Andhra Pradesh as Chairman, Andhra Pradesh State Trading Corporation (1985-88), and Vice-Chairman, Public Enterprises Management Board (1986-88). He was a visiting faculty member at the Indian Institute of Management-Ahmedabad (1986-88) and was nominated as a Member on the SEBI Committee on Accounting Standards. He was a member of the Board of Directors of the Association of Certified International Investment Analysts (ACIIA), Switzerland. He authored several books on finance and investments.

Mr. Yasaswy set up the ICFAI as a single institute in 1985 without governmental sops or institutional funding, in an era where government support was the norm. He chose to spend all his energy on the fledgling institution which over the years grew to become a monument to what ambition can deliver. He was instrumental in building several business schools and universities in the developing states of India, particularly in the North-East region. He stood for professional management, excellence in the quality of education offered in the ICFAI institutions, and absolute discipline.

He was charismatic, a great teacher, an institution builder, a visionary and a genius who was years ahead of his time. His vision will continue to guide ICFAI forever.



# SIKKIM IS OUR CAMPUS

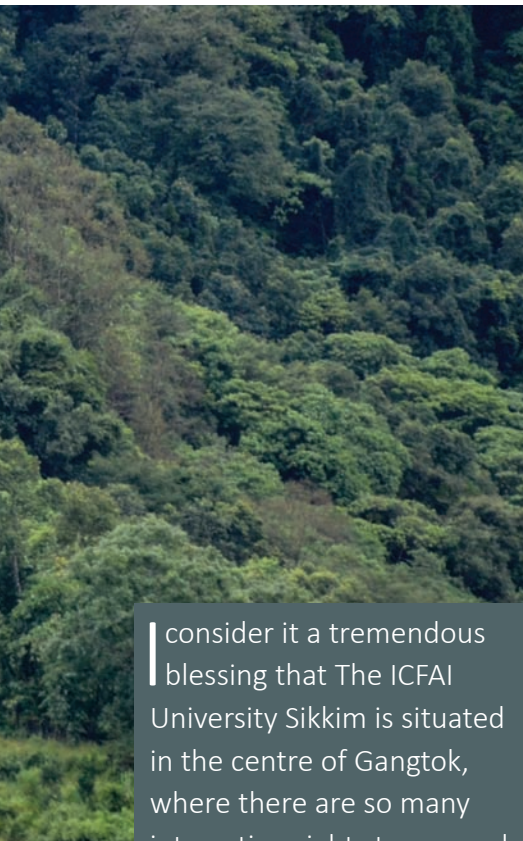


One of the biggest and best multifunctional institutions of higher education in the nation is the ICFAI University, Sikkim, which is part of the active ICFAI Foundation for Higher Education. In accordance with the laws of each state, ICFAI has already established ICFAI Universities in the following states: Uttarakhand, Tripura, Sikkim, Mizoram, Meghalaya, Jharkhand, Nagaland, Rajasthan, Chhattisgarh, Himachal Pradesh, and a Hyderabad-based recognised institution. Together, the 11 universities, 9 business schools, 8 law schools, 7 technical schools and three decades of flexible learning offered by our ICFAI Group are dispersed around the nation, with the majority of them located in India's north-eastern region.

The Sikkim campus of ICFAI University is dedicated and driven to promoting both the provision of high-quality education and the overall development of society. Due to our location, which makes SIKKIM the best education hub in the Northeast, there are a ton of opportunities for you to go on adventures and learn new things outside of the classroom. We invited our students to share their favorite aspects of studying and living in Sikkim because of the state's lively culture, countless opportunities, diverse flora and wildlife, and famous entertainment.







I consider it a tremendous blessing that The ICFAI University Sikkim is situated in the centre of Gangtok, where there are so many interesting sights to see and fantastic shops. I purchase my favorite sweets and savory items from the shop close to where I stay. I really feel at home here. My friends and I enjoy picnics in the lovely parks close to our university on the weekends and throughout the summer while studying for examinations. I like the holiday bars with live music and food stalls in the winter. Since I began studying at ICFAI, eating hot momos that are so deliciously produced in Sikkim has been a tradition for me.

**Lhamu Tshring Tamang**



I like Sikkim, and it has always been a desire of mine to continue my education there. Sikkim has many attractions that residents can take advantage of while residing here. Beautiful Gardens, home to some of the state's most unique plants and animals, and with a view of the towering Mount Kanchenjunga, is without a doubt one of my favorite places in Gangtok. Nobody leaves Sikkim without a truckload of fun and priceless memories.

**Sange Dondrup**



A multicultural centre, SIKKIM is home to people from all walks of life. I was born and raised in SIKKIM, and I enjoy learning about this unique State. South Sikkim is one of my favorite destinations to travel, where I enjoy touring the numerous Temples and Monasteries as well as other cities in different districts to taste new delicacies and cuisines. Dussehra and Diwali are fantastic times to travel since they are celebrated with beautiful decorations. Chardham, Namchi, in SIKKIM, is my favorite station. It is an incredibly unusual location because it is surrounded by historical structures and statues. No matter how many times I go along Tsongmo Lake and take in the scenery, I never cease to be in awe of the beauty when it is snowing.

**Gungun Sharma**

Visit [www.iusikkim.edu.in](http://www.iusikkim.edu.in) to see more photos of our students having fun at The ICFAI University, Sikkim.



# STUDENTS' COUNCIL

## Increase the experience of your students

Leadership development encompasses not only academic activities and community service projects, but also the in-depth discussions and teamwork that go into making a student council success possible. Your ability to collaborate and operate as a team with the ICFAI Student Council is your Unity. Join and volunteer to support the advancement of the university. We have a general Student Council Representatives made up of the President, Vice President, General Secretary, Sports Secretary, Cultural Secretary, Literary Secretary, and Grievance Cell Secretary who contribute to the overall educational growth of all students in the school in all spheres of assistance and serving as a voice for all University students.

There is also a chance to get involved right away at ICFAI to provide a forum for student opinions, interests, and desires so that these may be understood by the entire student body, faculty, administration, and community of ICFAI. This will help each person develop a sense of personal responsibility and earned self-respect by fostering harmonious relationships between faculty, administration, and the student body and working together in the interest of the greater good.

We want to improve students' life at the Students' Union. In order to improve your student experience, we reflect your opinions and needs while cooperating with the university.

Everyone can find something to do in the Students' Union. We look forward to having you join one of our clubs or society, help with our environmental team, or simply have a cup of tea in the Union. President Arpan Sharma.





# EMPLOYMENT AND VOLUNTEERING

There are numerous volunteer and career options available at ICFAI, so you can benefit from your time at school in ways beyond earning a degree. Take up a student staff position to expand your knowledge and experience. For example, you may join Digital Crew to learn how to create social media material, or you could become an academic representative to develop your leadership abilities and influence how your course is run. We provide our pupils internship opportunities, so they can benefit from incentives there. When a blood drive is taking place, good Samaritans can also donate blood in an emergency to help the less fortunate.

## THE HUB OF IT ALL : THE ICFAI HAS

- State – of- the – art Infrastructure
- Wi-Fi enabled campus and e-library
- Multi-Cuisine Food Court
- Extensive Internship Programs
- Case based pedagogy
- Moot Court
- Workshops/ Seminars on latest technologies
- Industry- Academic Partnerships
- Computer labs
- Industrial Visits for real time experience
- Industry Embedded Course Curriculum
- Soft Skills Training

Our campus, which is in a nice, clean environment, includes meeting rooms and amenities for students. Spaces for hospitality and group learning that are practical. With separate boys' and girls' hostels, one may relax into our student housing, which has something cosy and ideal for everyone.

## Come hear some of the opinions the students have:

"ICFAI was the best decision I could have made because the teachers and community there were so helpful in removing my obstacle and making me achieve more than a degree. "I was worried about picking the wrong subject and studies started becoming boring to me, but as I soon realized, coming to ICFAI was the best decision I could have made. I'm now overjoyed to be a member of the ICFAI family, and I'll always be proud of it!"

**Deesha Ghosh**

"I am the first person to travel from my hometown of Arunachal to study in Sikkim. I initially experienced a great deal of anxiety because the surroundings were unfamiliar to me, but my university community provided me with a ton of support. I now have a lot of self-confidence and assist freshmen when they enroll in the university."

**Sakshi Kumari**



# IT ALL STARTS IN SIKKIM

## A fusion of possibilities and potential:

In Sikkim, there are numerous universities that provide education. The ICFAI University is built on ambition, with members who are modest and who have higher expectations for both the academic and general advancement of the students. Sikkim is the epicenter of numerous industries, including business, finance, technology, law, politics, media, design, culture, science, and creativity. Our university allows students to take advantage of this by providing placement and internship opportunities as well as guest lectures from relevant industry experts.

We will provide you with chances, such as local and national travel and your employability, to help you improve and progress along the road. to offer you an advantage after your studies are finished.

It is the finest venue to meet potential employers and obtain worthwhile experiences that will jump-start your career because of the endless options. Spend money on your academic career and make the most of your time at The ICFAI University.



### GRADUATION FOR ALL

Firsts happen at ICFAI. The majority of our students are from the Northeast and come from local, national, and international backgrounds. They adore the university's diversity. This is so that we may successfully provide transformational education to individuals from various backgrounds.

Because we place a strong emphasis on practical experience, where you may develop connections and complete your degree with a job, we recognize that degrees are a substantial investment for you and are committed to ensuring that you benefit from them.

### MORE THAN A DEGREE

We encourage practical experience that will provide you the know-how, contacts, and connections to build the profession you want by preparing you for the future. You can be certain of the direction your career will follow or unsure of where it will lead. We'll support you every step of the way as you face your concerns, uncover your goals, and explore your prospects.







### Personal instruction

We assign you a private tutor who will get to know you well and help you all the way through your degree. Our Careers and Employability Service collaborates with a substantial, continuously expanding network of outside organizations that offer employment possibilities, options for work-based learning, events, and industry insights. They can assist you in navigating the working world and determining what kind of profession would be best for you.

### YOUR POSSIBILITIES

- Develop your professional skills with our network of companies and recruiters.
- Connect with our professionals and get mentored by those in the know. • Volunteer locally and internationally through one of our academic and industrial partnership programs.
- Participate in our skill-building workshops.
- Take advantage of all the chances that are offered to you to extend your personal and intellectual horizons, explore national and international opportunities, and more.
- Take advantage of possibilities for work-based learning to get priceless experience.

I've learned from my studies at ICFAI that I am more than what the world expects of me. It is beyond great for my academic development to witness positive outcomes and increased topic understanding. I can now rest well knowing that The ICFAI University will benefit greatly from my efforts.

**Gyamar Ayo**

**Every journey is unique.  
At ICFAI, there are  
numerous options to  
obtain a degree.**

All applications from applicants worldwide are accepted at ICFAI. You can complete the degree to help mould you and your job once you've applied.

# NATIONAL EDUCATION POLICY 2020

The NEP 2020 is founded on the five guiding pillars of Access, Equity, Quality, Affordability, and Accountability. It will prepare our youth to meet the diverse national and global challenges of the present and the future.

The NEP 2020 is reshaping higher education, and The ICFAI University Sikkim is embracing innovative approaches to provide students with practical, future-ready learning experiences. The course curriculum is as per the NEP 2020 at The ICFAI University Sikkim.

## Salient Features of NEP 2020

- Revised undergraduate and postgraduate curricula based on the National Credit Framework (NCrF).
- Learner-centric and outcome-based curricula.
- Multiple Entry/Exit Policy:
- Introduction of the four-year undergraduate courses, allowing students to exit and re-enter their educational journey.
- Provides flexibility, especially for women, minimizing dropouts.
- Fourth-year honors and research graduates can directly apply for Ph.D. Students who secure 75% marks and above in the first six semesters and wish to undertake research at the undergraduate level can choose a research stream in the fourth year.
- **Industry-Relevant Curriculum:** The ICFAI University, Sikkim, has revamped its UG and PG programs to align with industry standards and emerging trends. The curriculum emphasizes practical applications of theoretical concepts, ensuring students are well-prepared for professional roles upon graduation.
- **Interdisciplinary Approach:** The university promotes an interdisciplinary approach by offering diverse elective courses and specializations. This allows students to customize their academic journey, exploring various subjects and gaining a comprehensive understanding of their chosen field.
- **Experiential Learning Opportunities:** The ICFAI University, Sikkim, provides ample opportunities for experiential learning through internships, industry projects, and field visits. By engaging students in real-world scenarios, the university enhances their practical skills and fosters a deeper understanding of the subject matter.
- **Technological Integration:** Recognizing the significance of technology in modern education, the university integrates digital tools and platforms into its teaching methodologies. This not only enhances the learning experience but also prepares students for the digital-centric nature of today's workforce.





# Get the World Class Experience

**We provide a variety of experience choices, such as:**

- Faculty field trips;
- ICFAI Working Cultures: a brief opportunity to explore working cultures in several of the world's largest cities;
- National and international internships; volunteering; semester- and year-long local and national work- and study-related placements

ICFAI strives to provide every student with the education they desire on a genuinely global scale.



## IMPLEMENT WHAT YOU LEARN

We put a lot of focus on practical learning along with theoretical components, ensuring that students have access to and can use facilities that are up to industry standards to put their learning into effect. In order to maximize your experience at ICFAI, we are constantly investing in and improving our facilities. What to expect is shown here in a nutshell:

A wide variety of books, periodicals, DVDs, and other specialized materials are available in our libraries. Across all of our library locations, there are many different possibilities for study spaces. To suit your needs for study and research and to assist you in using them, our specialized team collaborates with academic partners to create physical and online collections.

## LABORATORIES

Access our cutting-edge research facilities. The newest technology and tools have just been added to the computer laboratories. Experience firsthand our facilities.

## Auditorium in the Theater Style

We have an auditorium designed in the theatre style that is utilized for all forms of formal assemblies, including lectures, award presentations, plays, musical theatre shows, concerts, dance contests, and more for our students.



## Accommodations for students

The first time you live away from home can be intimidating, but living with other students close to the institution can make you feel completely at home. We provide separate dorms for boys and females next to our university campus, complete with the security and amenities required. For admission to hostel, please email to [hostel@iusikkim.edu.in](mailto:hostel@iusikkim.edu.in)



# Get the World Class Experience

## ALTERNATIVES

ICFAI collaborates with a number of top-notch private hostel and paying guest providers who provide lodging for its visitors around Sikkim. Therefore, there are numerous living options available to suit the needs and preferences of students.

## THE ICFAI IS A WARM PLACE FOR EVERYONE!

No matter where you are from, feel welcome: Whether you've moved to Sikkim from another state or nation to attend ICFAI for your studies, or you've lived in Sikkim your entire life. We do everything we can to make you feel at home and supported in the vibrant centre of life that is ICFAI.



## PROGRAM FOR WELCOME

New students will learn about studying and living at ICFAI through a varied schedule of events. It gives the opportunity to get to know the ICFAI staff and family as well as other new students. In addition to learning about our facilities and goals, one can navigate the University and Sikkim.

## ASSISTANCE FOR GLOBAL STUDENTS

You can enroll in a variety of extra classes to help you with your academics, such as Academic English, study skills training, and training. If you need more time to prepare before starting your studies at ICFAI, we offer a pre-session English program and an international foundation course.

Visit [www.iusikkim.edu.in](http://www.iusikkim.edu.in) for additional details



"I've never gone on a trip or lived apart from my folks. If I said I hadn't doubted my ability more often than I'd care to admit, I'd be lying. I really enjoy studying at ICFAI because of how warm and friendly the environment is. It's nice that everyone is so supportive and friendly, and our vice chancellor and the professors make a strong team."

— (Diwakar Pradhan)



# ICFAI UNIVERSITY AND YOU

## GOOD HEALTH AND SUPPORT

While we hope you enjoy your stay at ICFAI, we are aware that sometimes life interferes. Because of this, we have a fantastic support system that can assist you when you need it the most. Whether it be counselling, financial guidance, or assistance with learning.

The University implements a Mentor-Mentee Program that provides students with the opportunity to openly share both personal and academic concerns with faculty members, who serve as mentors during these sessions. This initiative plays a significant role in supporting the mental well-being of students.



## STUDENT HEALTH

Our goal is to provide you with the support you need to perform well, be engaged, and enjoy your academic and personal journey. On a variety of subjects, including general well-being, homelessness, better lifestyles, accessing university resources, and outside support services including mental health, counselling, and sexual health services, our wellbeing consultants can offer private information and assistance.

## SPIRITUALITY AND BELIEF

We continue to support our students' spiritual growth and regularly offer yoga and meditation programs. We provide a supportive setting where people can reflect together in an atmosphere of candor and transparency. We regularly or occasionally offer possibilities for private communication, especially during trying times.

## OCCUPATIONS AND CAREERS

You can get assistance from our Careers and Employability Service both during your academic career and for up to three years following graduation. Additionally, we can help you network with employers and find on-campus part-time jobs, internships, work placements, and volunteer opportunities.



## EDUCATION SKILLS

Through one-on-one sessions and skill seminars, our experts can help you build academic skills like essay writing or public speaking. Additionally, we give our students free access to Microsoft Office and Adobe program training.

## ADVICE ON COUNSELING AND MENTAL HEALTH

If you are having problems with your personal life or your studies, talk in confidence to our trained counsellors and mental health specialists. You can get support both individually and in groups, and sessions are offered all year long to assist you in managing university life.





#### GRADUATE TO ATTEND OUR ALUMNI CLUB

You will be eligible for a number of advantages and services as an alumnus, such as:

- Discounts on additional education.
- Committed career help from the university
- Invitations to events.
- Use of online workshops and webinars.
- Mentorship from experts in your field.
- A free Alumni Card that grants access to campus libraries and university facilities, among other privileges.

#### OUR COMMUNITIES

ICFAI undergraduate degrees are just the start of what you can mention on your resume. Additionally, you will be able to gain experience and professional abilities that will make you stand out from the competition.

Because of Sikkim's excellent position, you may network with both international and domestic businesses, many of whose headquarters and branches are there.

Recent career prospects for our graduates have included:

- Amazon,
- HDFC,
- Reliance,
- Microsoft,
- Pearson,

## Visit ICFAI for more information!



# Student Clubs at The ICFAI University, Sikkim

## Fostering Growth, Leadership & Community

At The ICFAI University, Sikkim, we believe that learning extends beyond the classroom. Our diverse range of student clubs plays a vital role in shaping well-rounded individuals by providing a platform for intellectual, cultural, and personal development. These clubs foster creativity, teamwork, and leadership, allowing students to explore their interests, engage with peers, and contribute to meaningful initiatives.

From academic and professional clubs that enhance subject knowledge to cultural and social clubs that celebrate diversity, each student finds a space to grow, express themselves, and build lifelong connections. Participation in these clubs not only enriches campus life but also prepares students to face real-world challenges with confidence and innovation.

At The ICFAI University, Sikkim, we encourage every student to be an active part of this vibrant community, where learning meets passion and friendships turn into lifelong networks.

### UPC Club

Universal Peace Club (UPC) will be nation-wide network of University of students voluntarily dedicated to building peace in the campus and expand to society & nation.

### Eco Club

To spread awareness about environmental problems and promote activities related to social contributions to the environment, to prepare and organize students' participation for protection and conservation of environment.

### Cultural Club (Dance, Art, Music & IUS Band)

To foster cultural awareness, organize cultural events, showcase dance, music, cuisine and performances.

### Literary Club

The Literary Club members to organise activities/events that would enhance the analytical, communication, interpersonal, creative thinking, writing and oratory reading skills of our students under the guidance of Club Heads

### Entrepreneurship, Incubation & Innovation Club

- To cultivate a dynamic and forward-thinking student community of aspiring entrepreneurs and innovators within University.

- To assist the Incubation in-charge with mentorship, networking, workshops, and support the collaborative start-up projects.

### Sports Club

To promote physical fitness, teamwork, and sportsmanship among the University students by offering wide range of sports activities and to instil a passion for sports. The student members shall also support the Club Heads with all the sport events.

### Energy Club

To find innovative ideas and techniques to reduce the energy consumptions, explore on clean and renewable sources of energy, and create awareness on the energy conservation and environmental protection.

### Tourism YUVA Club

To develop practice to learn and enhance our understandings about our rich and diverse cultural & heritage values.

### Client Counselling Club

Client counselling involves the practice of engaging with a client when they seek legal guidance. Basic aim of the counselling is that students learn to guide clients in such a way to bring about a voluntary change in the client. Client counselling clubs help law students develop their skills in interviewing, planning, and analysing client matters

### Arbitration Club

Students will know how to get a fair resolution of disputes within a reasonable time frame without wasting time or money. They will also learn how to provide access to justice to the parties involved in such disputes so as to ensure that their rights are protected.

### Legal Literacy Club

A legal literacy club is a group that educates students about their rights and duties, and how to access justice for vulnerable populations. The goal of these clubs is to help students become law-abiding citizens and advocates for human rights.



# The ICFAI University, Sikkim

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## National Service Scheme (NSS) and National Cadet Corps (NCC) at The ICFAI University Sikkim



**The ICFAI University Sikkim takes pride in fostering an environment that nurtures not only academic excellence but also the holistic development of its students through impactful extracurricular initiatives like the National Service Scheme (NSS) and the National Cadet Corps (NCC). These programs embody the university's commitment to shaping socially responsible, disciplined, and patriotic citizens who contribute meaningfully to society and the nation.**

### National Service Scheme (NSS)

The National Service Scheme (NSS) at The ICFAI University Sikkim, launched in 2023, is a vibrant platform that channels the energy of youth toward community service and nation-building. Operating under the aegis of the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India, NSS aligns with the university's vision of instilling social responsibility and leadership among students. With a unit strength of over 70 members the NSS has quickly emerged as a cornerstone of student engagement.

#### Activities and Impact:

The NSS unit organizes a diverse range of activities aimed at addressing societal challenges and fostering personal growth. These include:

- **Community Service:** Cleanliness drives under Swachh Bharat Abhiyan, blood donation camps, and upliftment initiatives for nearby communities.
- **Environmental Conservation:** Tree plantation and waste management programs to promote sustainability.
- **Disaster Preparedness:** Training in disaster management and first aid, alongside participation in relief efforts during natural calamities.
- **Educational Outreach:** Literacy campaigns and skill development workshops for rural and underprivileged areas.
- **Awareness Programs:** Celebrating significant days like National Youth Day and International Women's Day through seminars, rallies, and street plays on issues like gender equality and road safety.
- **Leadership Development:** Opportunities to lead projects and participate in regional and national NSS camps.



### Why NSS Matters:

NSS equips students with essential life skills—teamwork, empathy, and problem-solving—while enhancing their employability through a demonstrated commitment to social causes. The unit's active participation in state and national-level programs has earned it recognition, positioning it as a bridge between the university and the local community. Aspiring to be one of the top NSS units in the region, it continues to inspire students to become compassionate and proactive citizens.

### National Cadet Corps (NCC)

The ICAFI University Sikkim has proudly established an NCC platoon under the 3 Sikkim Battalion, marking a significant milestone in promoting discipline, leadership, and patriotism among its students. As a tri-services organization encompassing the Army, Navy, and Air Force wings, the NCC offers a structured training program designed to groom young individuals into responsible and capable leaders.

### Activities and Training:

The NCC platoon engages students in a variety of transformative experiences, such as:

- **Drills and Parade Training:** Building discipline and coordination.
- **Weapon Training and Shooting Practice:** Teaching safe handling of firearms.
- **Adventure Activities:** Trekking, mountaineering, and survival training to foster resilience.
- **Camps and Leadership Programs:** Annual Training Camps (ATC), National Integration Camps (NIC), and Republic Day Camps.
- **Social Service Initiatives:** Cleanliness drives, blood donation camps, and disaster management efforts.

### Benefits for Students:

The NCC offers a wealth of opportunities, including:

- **Personality Development:** Enhancing confidence, discipline, and a positive outlook.
- **Career Advantages:** NCC certification provides a competitive edge in defense services, police, and paramilitary forces, with 'C' certificate holders eligible for direct entry benefits in the Indian Armed Forces.
- **Scholarships and Incentives:** Financial support for higher education.
- **Social Responsibility:** Encouraging volunteerism and community engagement.

### A Commitment to Holistic Development

Through NSS and NCC, The ICAFI University Sikkim ensures that its students graduate not only with academic credentials but also with a strong sense of purpose, discipline, and social consciousness. These programs empower students to contribute to nation-building while preparing them for leadership roles in their careers and communities. Whether through community service with NSS or disciplined training with NCC, students are equipped to make a lasting impact. We invite all eligible students to join these transformative initiatives and become part of a legacy of excellence and service.



*A standout achievement in 2025 was the participation of Ms. Preeti Sharma, one of only two representatives from Sikkim, in the prestigious Republic Day Parade at New Delhi. Her accomplishment exemplifies the calibre of leadership and dedication nurtured through the NSS at ICAFI University Sikkim. She was felicitated by Shri Laxman Prasad Archarya, the Hon'ble Governor of Assam.*



# OUR COURSES

The pages that follow provide a brief overview of our courses, but they don't tell the complete story.

On our website, [www.iusikkim.edu.in](http://www.iusikkim.edu.in), you can find more information about the course content, opportunities, and the most recent entry requirements.

You can find opportunities built into your program, such as job placements and study abroad options, by using the key below. However, subject to course leader clearance, all ICFAI students do have access to overseas opportunities and placements.





# Courses Offered

| #                                    | Program   | Duration         |
|--------------------------------------|---|------------------|
| School of Management Studies         | <b>BBA / BBA (Hons.) / BBA (Hons. with Research)</b><br>(Specialization In: Marketing, Finance, Business Analytics, Family Business, Digital Marketing & HR)  | 3 Years/4 Years  |
|                                      | <b>B.Com / B.Com (Hons.) / B.Com (Hons. with Research)</b><br>(Specialization In: Accounting & Finance, Accounting & Taxation, Banking & Insurance, Accounting & International Business)                                    | 3 Years/4 Years  |
|                                      | <b>MBA for Working Professionals</b><br>(Specialization In: Marketing, Finance, IT, Healthcare Management & HR)   | 2 Years          |
|                                      | <b>MBA</b> (Specialization In: Marketing, Finance & HR)   | 1/2 Years        |
|                                      | <b>M.Com</b> (Specialization In: Accounting & Finance)  | 1/2 Years        |
|                                      | <b>Ph.D.</b> (Full Time/Part Time)  | 3 Years          |
| School of Hotel & Tourism Management | <b>BHM / BTM</b>  | 4 Years          |
|                                      | <b>MTTM</b>   | 1/2 Years        |
| School of Information Technology     | <b>BCA / BCA (Hons.) / BCA (Hons. with Research)</b><br>(Specialization In: AI & DS, Cloud Computing, Full Stack Development & Cyber Security)  | 3 Years/ 4 Years |
|                                      | <b>MCA</b> (Specialization In: AI & DS, Cloud Computing, Full Stack Development & Cyber Security)   | 1/2 Years        |
| School of Liberal Arts               | <b>BA / BA (Hons.) / BA (Hons.) with Research in</b><br>(Political Science / English / Sociology / Economics / Public Administration / International Relations / Mass Communication & Journalism / Civil Services (3 Years) | 3 Years/ 4 Years |
|                                      | <b>MA</b> in Political Science / Economics  | 1/2 Years        |
|                                      | <b>Ph.D.</b> (Full Time/Part Time)  | 3 Years          |
| School of Legal Studies              | <b>BBA-LL.B (Hons.) / BA-LL.B (Hons.)</b>   | 5 Years          |
|                                      | LL.B  | 3 Years          |
|                                      | LL.M  |                  |
|                                      | (Specialization In: Corporate and Commercial Laws, Constitutional and Administrative Law, Cyber Law and Cyber Security, Criminal Laws & Tax Laws)   | 1 Year           |
|                                      | <b>Ph.D.</b> (Full Time/Part Time)  | 3 Year           |



# School of Management Studies

**About the School:** The School of Management Studies is committed to focusing on academic excellence, practical learning, and ethical leadership, we prepare students for a bright future in the ever-evolving world of business.

- Our curriculum is designed to provide students with a solid management theory and practice foundation.
- From internships and industry projects to case studies and simulations, we provide students with hands-on experience that prepares them for the challenges of the real world.
- Our strong ties with industry leaders give students access to valuable networking opportunities and insights into the latest trends and developments. In an increasingly interconnected world, understanding global markets and cultures is essential.
- Integrity and ethics are at the core of everything we do. We strive to instill in our students a strong sense of ethical responsibility and leadership, ensuring that they make positive contributions to society throughout their careers.

## Programs offered:

| School of Management Studies | Programs Offered (As per NEP 2020) |
|------------------------------|------------------------------------|
|                              | B Com                              |
|                              | B Com (Hons.)                      |
|                              | B Com (Hons. with Research)        |
|                              | BBA                                |
|                              | BBA (Hons.)                        |
|                              | BBA (Hons. with Research)          |
|                              | MBA                                |
|                              | MBA for Working Professionals      |
|                              | M Com                              |
|                              | Ph.D. (Full Time/Part Time)        |

## Bachelor of Commerce (B. Com)

**Specialization in:** Accounting & Finance | Accounting & Taxation | Banking & Insurance | Accounting & International Business

B Com                                      Duration: 3 Years

B Com (Hons.)                              Duration: 4 Years

B Com (Hons. with Research)      Duration: 4 Years

**About the B Com Program:** The Bachelor of Commerce (BCom) program at The ICFAI University Sikkim is designed to provide students with a strong foundation in commerce, business, and financial management. This three-year undergraduate program offers specializations in Accounting & Finance, Accounting & Taxation, Banking & Insurance, and International Business, catering to the diverse career aspirations of students in the corporate and financial sectors. The curriculum blends theoretical knowledge with practical applications, ensuring that students develop essential analytical, problem-solving, and decision-making skills. With a focus on industry-oriented learning, the program prepares graduates for careers in banking, taxation, financial services, insurance, and global trade, while also equipping them for higher studies and professional certifications.

**Eligibility:** Pass in 10+2 in any discipline with 50% and above aggregate marks. Students awaiting their final examination results can also apply.

- Scores of CUET UG will be an added advantage.



## COURSE STRUCTURE

| Sem  | Discipline<br>Specific Courses-Core   | Minor                                   | Interdisciplinary<br>courses                            | Ability Enhancement<br>Course (languages)      | Skill Enhancement Course<br>/ Internship / Dissertation | Common value-added<br>courses          | Total<br>Credit |
|--|---|---|---|--|---|--|-----------------|
| I  | <b>C1:4:</b> Financial Accounting<br><b>C2:4:</b> Indian Financial System         | <b>Min1:4:</b> Principles of Management | <b>IDC1:3:</b> Introduction to Psychology               | <b>AEC1:2:</b> Effective English Communication | <b>SEC1:3:</b> Information & Communication Technology   |  | 20              |
| II   | <b>C3:4:</b> Cost Accounting<br><b>C4:4:</b> Introduction to Financial Management | <b>Min2:4:</b> Principles of Economics  | <b>IDC2:3:</b> Introduction to Indian Economy (3Credit) | <b>AEC2:2:</b> Academic Reading and Writing    |   | <b>VAC1:3:</b> Understanding India     | 20              |
| <b>Exit Option:</b><br>Students who complete two semesters of 40 credits including Internship I of 4 credits will be awarded “Undergraduate Certificate” of one year, in Commerce.<br>Students who wish to continue second year will be exempted from undergoing the internship program.<br><b>Program Outcome:</b><br>1. Students will acquire the general knowledge of Commerce.<br>2. Students can use their accounting and management skills in any business or financial organization.<br>3. Students will be ready for employment opportunities such as account clerk, managers, accountant, etc.  |   |   |   |  |   |  |                 |
| III  | <b>C5:4:</b> Corporate Law<br><b>C6:4:</b> Corporate Accounting                   | <b>Min3:4:</b> Organizational Behavior  | <b>IDC3:3:</b> Consumer Rights and Protection           | <b>AEC3:2:</b> Soft Skill                      | <b>SEC2:3:</b> Sustainable Development                  |  | 20              |
| IV   | <b>C7:4:</b> Management Accounting<br><b>C8:4:</b> Auditing                       | <b>Min4:4:</b> Business Mathematics     |   | <b>AEC4:2:</b> General Aptitude                | <b>SEC3:3:</b> Tally: Financial Solution                | <b>VAC2:3:</b> Indian Knowledge System | 20              |
| <b>Exit Option:</b><br>Students who complete four semesters of 80 credits including Internship II of 4 credits will be awarded “Undergraduate Diploma” of two years in Commerce.<br>Students who wish to continue third year should go for Internship of at least 2 credits.<br><b>Program Outcome:</b><br>1. Students will acquire the advance knowledge of Commerce<br>2. Students will be prepared for jobs as managers, accountants in the business sector, assistants at CA firms, etc.<br>3. Students can work in the corporate sector using their auditing, accounting, and managerial abilities. |   |   |   |  |   |  |                 |
| <b>Summer Internship – 2 Credits will evaluate under V Sem. (SEC4:3)</b>   |   |   |   |  |   |  |                 |

| Sem   | Discipline<br>Specific Courses-Core   | Minor  | Interdisciplinary<br>courses | Ability Enhancement<br>Course (languages) | Skill Enhancement Course<br>/ Internship / Dissertation | Common value-added<br>courses           | Total<br>Credit |
|-------|---|--|------------------------------|---|---|---|-----------------|
| V     | <b>C9:4:</b> International Business<br><b>C10:4:</b> Banking Theory and Practice<br><b>C11:4:</b> Direct Tax Law and Practice/<br>Financial Market & Institutions<br>/ Fintech and Digital Banking /<br>International Laws and Practices  | <b>Min5:4:</b> Marketing<br>Management         |                              |   | <b>SEC4:3:</b>  | <b>VAC3:2:</b> Environmental<br>Studies | 20              |
| VI    | <b>C12:4:</b> Business Strategies<br><b>C13 :4:</b> Financial Statement analysis<br>and Reporting<br><b>C14:4:</b> Business Ethics and Corporate<br>Governance<br><b>C15:4:</b> Introduction to GST/ Security<br>Analysis & Portfolio Management<br>/ Predictive Analytics and Actuarial<br>Modelling / International Trade<br>Operations & Documentation | <b>Min6:4:</b> Human<br>Resource<br>Management |                              |   |   |   | 20              |
| Total | 60Credit  | 24Credit                                       | 9Credit                      | 8Credit                                   | 11Credit  | 8credit                                 | 120             |

**Exit Option:**

Students who complete six semesters of 120 credits will be awarded “Bachelor’s Degree” of three years in Commerce.

Students securing 75% and above in Bachelor of B.Com may go for B.Com with Research in fourth year.

**Program Outcome:**

1. Students will be able to demonstrate their ability in their respective fields.
2. Students may appear for different competitive examinations such as civil service, banking and may join corporate sectors too.
3. Students can opt for higher studies or choose to embark a career as an insurance agent, tax consultant, stock broker, etc.



| Sem  | Discipline<br>Specific Courses-Core   | Minor                                       | Interdisciplinary<br>courses | Ability Enhancement<br>Course (languages) | Skill Enhancement Course<br>/ Internship / Dissertation                         | Common value-added<br>courses | Total<br>Credit |
|------|---|---|------------------------------|---|---|-------------------------------|-----------------|
| VII  | <b>C-16:4:</b> Accounting Information System<br><b>C-17:4:</b> Research Methodology I.<br><b>C-18:4:</b> International Financial Management<br><b>C-19:4:</b> Personal Tax Planning & E-Filing/ Insurance and Risk Management / Retail Banking/ International Logistics & Supply Chain Management | <b>Min7:4:</b> Business Environment         |                              |   | Research Dissertation will Start  |                               | 20              |
| VIII | <b>C-20: 4:</b> Research methodology II (Statistical Tools)<br><b>C-21: 4:</b> Forensic Accounting<br><b>C-22: 4:</b> E-Commerce<br><b>C-23: 4:</b> Financial Derivatives/ Corporate Tax Planning / Corporate Banking/Global Strategic Management   | <b>Min8:4:</b> Entrepreneurship Development |                              |   | <b>RP:12:</b><br>Research Project/ Dissertation (12)<br>OR<br>C-21, C-22 & C-23 |                               | 20              |

**Exit Option:**

Students who completed eight semesters of 160 credits will be awarded “Bachelor’s Degree with Honours” of four years in Commerce. OR “Bachelor’s Degree with Research” of four years in Commerce.

**Program Outcome:**

1. Students may start their own enterprises.
2. Students may appear for PhD.
3. Student can able to publish journal paper, book chapter, articles, etc.

# Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA)

**Specialization in:** HR | Finance | Marketing | Business Analytics | Family Business | Digital Marketing

|                           |                   |
|---------------------------|-------------------|
| BBA                       | Duration: 3 Years |
| BBA (Hons.)               | Duration: 4 Years |
| BBA (Hons. with Research) | Duration: 4 Years |

**About the BBA Program:** The Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) program at The ICFAI University Sikkim is a dynamic and industry-oriented undergraduate program that equips students with essential managerial and entrepreneurial skills. This program offers specializations in Human Resource Management, Finance, Marketing, Business Analytics, Family Business, and Digital Marketing, allowing students to tailor their education to their career aspirations. The marketing specialization remains common for all the students, however, the student can choose the other specializations of their choice. The curriculum integrates theoretical concepts with practical applications, fostering leadership, critical thinking, and strategic decision-making abilities. With a strong emphasis on experiential learning, the program prepares graduates for diverse career opportunities in corporate management, entrepreneurship, consulting, and digital business landscapes, while also serving as a steppingstone for higher studies and professional certifications.

**Eligibility:** Pass in 10+2 in any discipline with 50% and above aggregate marks. Students awaiting their final examination results can also apply.

- Scores of CUET UG will be an added advantage.

## COURSE STRUCTURE

| Sem | Discipline Specific Courses – Core   | Minor                                  | Interdisciplinary Courses                       | Ability Enhancement Courses (Languages)          | Skill Enhancement Course / Internship / Dissertation    | Common Value-Added Courses           | Total Credit |
|-----|--|--|---|--|---|--------------------------------------|--------------|
| I   | <b>C1:</b> Principles of Management (4)<br><b>C2:</b> Business Environment (4) | <b>M1:</b> Financial Accounting (4)    | <b>IDC1:</b> Introduction to Psychology (3)     | <b>AEC1:</b> Effective English Communication (2) | <b>SEC1:</b> Information & Communication Technology (3) |                                      | 20           |
| II  | <b>C3:</b> Marketing Management (4)<br><b>C4:</b> Retail Management (4)        | <b>M2:</b> Principles of Economics (4) | <b>IDC2:</b> Introduction to Indian Economy (3) | <b>AEC2:</b> Academic Reading and Writing (2)    |   | <b>VAC1:</b> Understanding India (3) | 20           |



| Sem  | Discipline Specific Courses – Core  | Minor                               | Interdisciplinary Courses                       | Ability Enhancement Courses (Languages) | Skill Enhancement Course / Internship / Dissertation | Common Value-Added Courses               | Total Credit |
|--|---|-------------------------------------|---|---|--|--|--------------|
| <b>Exit Option:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students who complete two semesters of 40 credits including an Internship of 4 credits will be awarded a UG Certificate in Management.</li> <li>Students continuing the second year will be <b>exempted</b> from undergoing an internship program.</li> </ul> <b>Entry option shall be according to University Norms</b> <b>Program Outcomes:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Demonstrate the understanding and ability to apply professional standards, theory, and research to address business problems within specific concentrations.</li> <li>Understand and imbibe information related to global business models, brands, and strategies and thereby assess global practices against localized customization to better global presence within local settings and vice versa.</li> <li>By the end of the program students are expected to possess the necessary skills to become highly employable in different industries.</li> </ul> |   |                                     |   |   |  |  |              |
| III  | <b>C5:</b> Organizational Behaviour (4)<br><b>C6:</b> Consumer Behaviour (4)    | <b>M3:</b> Business Law (4)         | <b>IDC3:</b> Consumer Rights and Protection (3) | <b>AEC3:</b> Soft Skill (2)             | <b>SEC2:</b> Sustainable Development (3)             |  | 20           |
| IV   | <b>C7:</b> Human Resource Management (4)<br><b>C8:</b> Financial Management (4) | <b>M4:</b> Quantitative Methods (4) |   | <b>AEC4:</b> General Aptitude (2)       | <b>SEC 3:</b> Digital Marketing (3)                  | <b>VAC2:</b> Indian Knowledge System (3) | 20           |
| <b>Exit Option:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students who complete four semesters of 80 credits including an Internship of 4 credits will be awarded a UG Diploma in Management.</li> <li>Students continuing the third year will have to undergo an internship program for 2 credits.</li> </ul> <b>Entry option shall be according to University Norms</b> <b>Program Outcomes:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students will have outstanding team skills needed to create synergy in society and at the workplace.</li> <li>Take initiative and demonstrate leadership skills required for self, social, and organization.</li> <li>Demonstrate mastery in terms of analytical skills.</li> </ul>   |   |                                     |   |   |  |  |              |
| <b>Summer Internship Program (SIP) – 2 Credit</b>  |   |                                     |   |   |  |  |              |

| Sem   | Discipline Specific Courses – Core  | Minor   | Interdisciplinary Courses | Ability Enhancement Courses (Languages) | Skill Enhancement Course / Internship / Dissertation | Common Value-Added Courses | Total Credit |
|-------|---|---|---------------------------|---|--|----------------------------|--------------|
| V     | <b>C9:</b> Service Marketing (4)<br><b>C10:</b> International Business (4)<br><b>C11:</b> Recruitment Selection, Training and Development / Money Banking and Financial Markets / Predictive Business Analytics using R / Foreign Trade Procedure & Documentation / Advertising and Brand Management in Digital Era (4)                           | <b>M5:</b> Project Management (4)               |                           |   |  | Environmental Studies (2)  | 18           |
| VI    | <b>C12:</b> Sales Management(4)<br><b>C13:</b> Business Strategy (4)<br><b>C14:</b> Business Ethics and Corporate Governance (4)<br><b>C15:</b> Compensation Management / Security Analysis and Portfolio Management / Fundamentals of Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning / Working Capital Management / Search Engine Optimization (4) | <b>M6:</b> Fundamentals of Entrepreneurship (4) |                           |   |  |                            | 20           |
| Total | 60 Credits  | 24 Credits                                      | 9 Credits                 | 8 Credits                               | 9 Credits  | 8 Credits                  | 120          |

**Exit Option:**

- Students who complete six semesters of 120 credits will be awarded a UG Degree in Bachelors in Business Administration (BBA).
- Students securing 75% and above in Bachelors in Business Administration may opt for BBA with Research in the fourth year.

**Program Outcomes:**

- Students will be able to make informed decisions through the analysis of ideas and decisions from different perspectives.
- By the end of the program students will possess the required skills to become employable / self-employable in the industry of their own choice.
- Students will understand the ethical implications and maintain ethical standards concerning their work and social responsibilities.



| Sem  | Discipline Specific Courses – Core   | Minor  | Interdisciplinary Courses | Ability Enhancement Courses (Languages) | Skill Enhancement Course / Internship / Dissertation                | Common Value-Added Courses | Total Credit |
|--|--|--|---------------------------|---|---|----------------------------|--------------|
| VII  | <b>C16:</b> Supply Chain Management (4)<br><b>C17:</b> Business Research Methods (4)<br><b>C18:</b> Customer Relationship Management (4)<br><b>C19:</b> Performance Management System/Insurance and Risk Management/Data Mining and Warehousing/Public Private Partnership/Web Analytics (4) | <b>M7:</b> Management Information System (4)         |                           |   | *   |                            | 20           |
| VIII   | <b>C20:</b> Operations Management (4)<br><b>C21:</b> E-Commerce (4)<br><b>C22:</b> Brand Management (4)<br><b>C23:</b> Industrial Relations and Labour Law/Financial Derivatives/ Time Series and Forecasting/ Partnership and HUF/Affiliate and Influencer Marketing (4)                    | <b>M8:</b> Statistical Analysis- using SPSS/JASP (4) |                           |   | Research Project / Dissertation (12 Credits)<br>OR<br>C21, C22, C23 |                            | 20           |
| <b>Students who complete eight semesters of 160 credits will be awarded a UG Degree in Bachelors in Business Administration with Research/ Honors</b><br><b>Program Outcomes:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>At the end of the program the students will be able to cope with the dynamic socio-technological changes and will be motivated to learn and contribute towards self, social, and national development.</li> <li>Students will be able to make informed decisions through analysis and interpretation using different analytical tools and the analysis of different perspectives.</li> <li>By the end of the program students will possess the required skills to become employable / self-employable in the industry of their own choice.</li> <li>Recognize the need and imbibe capabilities to adapt business practices to the evolving global socio-economic dynamics.</li> </ul> |  |  |                           |   |   |                            |              |

\* Preparation for the Research Dissertation will start.

# Master of Business Administration (MBA)

**Specialization in:** HR | Finance | Marketing

MBA

Duration: 1/2 Years

**About the MBA Program:** The MBA program at The ICFAI University Sikkim is designed to provide flexibility and academic rigor in line with the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, with specializations in Marketing, Human Resource Management, and Finance. The program is offered in both 2-year and 1-year durations, catering to students with different academic backgrounds. The marketing specialization remains common for all the students, however, the student can choose the other specializations of their choice. Students entering the 2-year MBA program after completing a 3-year undergraduate degree have the option to: (i) pursue only coursework in the third and fourth semesters, (ii) undertake coursework in the third semester and research in the fourth semester, or (iii) focus entirely on research in both the third and fourth semesters. Similarly, students enrolling in the 1-year MBA program after completing a 4-year undergraduate degree can opt to: (i) complete only coursework in the first and second semesters, (ii) pursue coursework in the first semester and research in the second semester, or (iii) engage exclusively in research throughout both semesters. This flexible structure ensures that students can tailor their MBA journey based on their academic interests and career aspirations while specializing in key areas of business management.

**Eligibility:** Pass in Graduation in any discipline with 50% and above aggregate marks; Students awaiting their final examination results can also apply.

Scores of MAT, ATMA & CUET PG will be an added advantage.

Students entering a 2-year PG after a 3-year UG programme can choose to do

## I. Only coursework in the third and fourth semester

|   | Semester I                                      | Credit    | Semester II                                   | Credit    |
|---|---|-----------|---|-----------|
| Year-I  | Management Process and Organizational Behaviour | 4         | Marketing Management                          | 4         |
|   | Financial Management                            | 4         | Human Resource Management                     | 4         |
|   | Accounting for Managers                         | 4         | Research Methodology                          | 4         |
|   | Management Information System                   | 4         | Production and Operations Management          | 4         |
|   | Managerial Economics                            | 4         | Professional Communication                    | 4         |
|   | Business Environment                            | 2         | Human and Moral Value                         | 4         |
|   | <b>Total Credits</b>                            | <b>22</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>22</b> |
| Summer Internship Program (4 to 6 Weeks)  |   |           |   | <b>4</b>  |
| Exit option: Students who complete two semesters of 44 credits including internship will be awarded Postgraduate Diploma in Management. |   |           |   |           |
|   | Semester III                                    | Credit    | Semester IV                                   | Credit    |
| Year-II   | Strategic Management                            | 4         | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |
|   | Business Ethics and Corporate Governance        | 4         | Elective- III                                 | 4         |
|   | Research Ethics in Publication                  | 4         | Elective- IV                                  | 4         |
|   | Elective- I                                     | 4         | Elective-V                                    | 4         |
|   | Elective- II                                    | 4         | Elective-VI                                   | 4         |
|   | <b>Total Credits</b>                            | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> |

## II. Coursework in the third semester and Research in the fourth semester

|   | Semester I                                      | Credit    | Semester II                          | Credit    |
|---|---|-----------|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| Year-I  | Management Process and Organizational Behaviour | 4         | Marketing Management                 | 4         |
|   | Financial Management                            | 4         | Human Resource Management            | 4         |
|   | Accounting for Managers                         | 4         | Research Methodology                 | 4         |
|   | Management Information System                   | 4         | Production and Operations Management | 4         |
|   | Managerial Economics                            | 4         | Professional Communication           | 4         |
|   | Business Environment                            | 4         | Human and Moral Value                | 4         |
|   | <b>Total Credits</b>                            | <b>22</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                 | <b>22</b> |
| Summer Internship   |   |           |                                      | <b>4</b>  |
| Exit option: Students who complete two semesters of 44 credits including internship will be awarded Postgraduate Diploma in Management. |   |           |                                      |           |



|         | Semester III                             | Credit    | Semester IV                                   | Credit    |
|---------|--|-----------|---|-----------|
| Year-II | Strategic Management                     | 4         | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |
|         | Business Ethics and Corporate Governance | 4         | Elective- III                                 | 4         |
|         | Research Ethics in Publication           | 4         | Elective- IV                                  | 4         |
|         | Elective- I                              | 4         | Major Research                                | 8         |
|         | Elective- II                             | 4         |   |           |
|         | <b>Total Credits</b>                     | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> |

### III. Research in third semester and fourth semester

|  | Semester I                                      | Credit    | Semester II                                   | Credit    |
|--|---|-----------|---|-----------|
| Year-I   | Management Process and Organizational Behaviour | 4         | Marketing Management                          | 4         |
|  | Financial Management                            | 4         | Human Resource Management                     | 4         |
|  | Accounting for Managers                         | 4         | Research Methodology                          | 4         |
|  | Management Information System                   | 4         | Production and Operations Management          | 4         |
|  | Managerial Economics                            | 4         | Professional Communication                    | 4         |
|  | Business Environment                            | 4         | Human and Moral Value                         | 2         |
|  | <b>Total Credits</b>                            | <b>22</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>22</b> |
| <b>Summer Internship</b>   |   |           |   | <b>4</b>  |
| <i>Exit option: Students who complete two semesters of 44 credits including internship will be awarded Postgraduate Diploma in Management.</i> |   |           |   |           |
|  | Semester III                                    | Credit    | Semester IV                                   | Credit    |
| Year-II  | Strategic Management                            | 4         | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |
|  | Business Ethics and Corporate Governance        | 4         | Major Research                                | 16        |
|  | Research Ethics in Publication                  | 4         |   |           |
|  | Research Synopsis Development                   | 4         |   |           |
|  | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis   | 4         |   |           |
|  | <b>Total Credits</b>                            | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> |

| ELECTIVES |   |        |  |        |
|-----------|---|--------|--|--------|
|           | Sem III   | Credit | Sem IV                                       | Credit |
| Marketing | Consumer Behaviour                              | 4      | Services Marketing                           | 4      |
|           | Integrated Marketing Communication              |        | Digital Marketing                            | 4      |
|           | Marketing Research                              | 4      | Brand Management                             | 4      |
|           | Customer Relationship Management                |        | Sales and Distribution Management            | 4      |
| HR        | Strategic Human Resource Management             | 4      | Compensation Management                      | 4      |
|           | Recruitment, Selection, Training & Development  |        | Industrial Relations and Labour Laws         | 4      |
|           | Talent Acquisition and Development              | 4      | Leadership Skills and Change Management      | 4      |
|           | Performance Management System                   |        | Employer Branding                            | 4      |
| Finance   | Financial Markets and Services                  | 4      | Investment Analysis and Portfolio Management | 4      |
|           | Credit Risk Management                          |        | Financial Technology                         | 4      |
|           | Mergers Acquisition and Corporate Restructuring | 4      | Financial Derivatives                        | 4      |
|           | Financial Statement Analysis & Reporting        |        | Insurance and Risk Management                | 4      |

\*The program structure is tentative, subject to change (if required).

\*\*Specialization will be offered on attainment of a minimum specified number of students.

# Master of Business Administration (MBA)

**Specialization in:** HR | Finance | Marketing

MBA

Duration: 1 Years

Students entering a 1-year PG after a 4-year UG programme can choose to do

## I. Only coursework in the first and second semester

|        | Semester I                               | Credit    | Semester II                                   | Credit    |
|--------|--|-----------|---|-----------|
| Year-I | Strategic Management                     | 4         | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |
|        | Business Ethics and Corporate Governance | 4         | Elective- III                                 | 4         |
|        | Research Ethics in Publication           | 4         | Elective- IV                                  | 4         |
|        | Elective- I                              | 4         | Elective-V                                    | 4         |
|        | Elective- II                             | 4         | Elective-VI                                   | 4         |
|        | <b>Total Credits</b>                     | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> |

## II. Coursework in the first semester and Research in the second semester

|        | Semester I                               | Credit    | Semester II                                   | Credit    |
|--------|--|-----------|---|-----------|
| Year-I | Strategic Management                     | 4         | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |
|        | Business Ethics and Corporate Governance | 4         | Elective- III                                 | 4         |
|        | Research Ethics in Publication           | 4         | Elective- IV                                  | 4         |
|        | Elective- I                              | 4         | Major Research                                | 8         |
|        | Elective- II                             | 4         |   |           |
|        | <b>Total Credits</b>                     | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> |

## III. Research in first semester and second semester

|        | Semester I                                    | Credit    | Semester II                                | Credit    |
|--------|---|-----------|--|-----------|
| Year-I | Strategic Management                          | 4         | Review Writing & Seminar in Research Topic | 4         |
|        | Business Ethics and Corporate Governance      | 4         | Major Research                             | 16        |
|        | Research Ethics in Publication                | 4         |  |           |
|        | Research Synopsis Development                 | 4         |  |           |
|        | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |  |           |
|        | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                       | <b>20</b> |

|           | Sem I   | Credit | Sem II                                       | Credit |
|-----------|---|--------|--|--------|
| Marketing | Consumer Behaviour                              | 4      | Services Marketing                           | 4      |
|           | Integrated Marketing Communication              |        | Digital Marketing                            | 4      |
|           | Marketing Research                              | 4      | Brand Management                             | 4      |
|           | Customer Relationship Management                |        | Sales and Distribution Management            | 4      |
| HR        | Strategic Human Resource Management             | 4      | Compensation Management                      | 4      |
|           | Recruitment, Selection, Training & Development  |        | Industrial Relations and Labour Laws         | 4      |
|           | Talent Acquisition and Development              | 4      | Leadership Skills and Change Management      | 4      |
|           | Performance Management System                   |        | Employer Branding                            | 4      |
| Finance   | Financial Markets and Services                  | 4      | Investment Analysis and Portfolio Management | 4      |
|           | Credit Risk Management                          |        | Financial Technology                         | 4      |
|           | Mergers Acquisition and Corporate Restructuring | 4      | Financial Derivatives                        | 4      |
|           | Financial Statement Analysis & Reporting        |        | Insurance and Risk Management                | 4      |

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\*\*Specialization will be offered on attainment of a minimum specified number of students.

# Master of Business Administration (MBA) for Working Professionals

**Specialization in:** HR | Finance | Marketing | IT | Healthcare Management

**Duration:** 2 Years

**About the program:** The MBA program for working professionals offers a strategic pathway to career advancement, personal development, and professional success. By leveraging flexibility, practical relevance, networking opportunities, and specialized expertise offered by MBA programs, working professionals can enhance their competitive edge and position themselves for long-term success in the dynamic business landscape.

The MBA for working professionals is designed to accelerate career growth by providing advanced business knowledge and leadership skills. Through specialized coursework, participants enhance their ability to take on managerial roles and pursue higher-level positions within their organizations.

The programs provide a valuable platform for working professionals to expand their professional network and connect with peers, faculty members, alumni, and industry experts. Networking opportunities include group projects, guest lectures, networking events, and alumni associations, fostering collaboration and knowledge exchange.

The MBA programs tailored for working professionals offer flexible scheduling options, including weekend sessions, and online learning modules. This flexibility allows participants to balance their academic pursuits with professional and personal responsibilities, making it accessible to busy professionals.

For working professionals seeking to transition to a new industry, role, or function, an MBA program provides valuable support and resources to facilitate the transition. Career services, mentorship programs, and internship opportunities help participants explore new career paths and gain practical experience in their desired fields.

## Eligibility Criteria:

- Graduate (any discipline) with 50% and above marks (as calculated by respective University) with medium of instruction as English.
- Applicants must have work experience in managerial or supervisory positions for at least 2 years.
- All applicants should have completed a minimum of 15 years of education (on 10+2+3 or 10+2+4 basis). Candidates not meeting the eligibility criteria of English medium in graduation have to submit the TOEFL/ NELT/ IELTS score by Sep 19, 2024

## COURSE STRUCTURE

|                            | Semester I   | Credit | Semester II                           | Credit |
|----------------------------|--|--------|---------------------------------------|--------|
| Year I                     | New Age leadership and Managerial Principles                   | 4      | Understanding Financial Statements    | 4      |
|                            | Business Economics   | 4      | Marketing Insights                    | 4      |
|                            | Financial Management   | 4      | Professional Communication            | 4      |
|                            | Statistics for Managers  | 4      | Business Research                     | 4      |
|                            | Talent Management  | 4      | Business Law                          | 4      |
| Minor Project (6 Credits)  |  |        |                                       |        |
|                            | Semester III   | Credit | Semester IV                           | Credit |
| Year II                    | Corporate Governance, Sustainability and Social Responsibility | 4      | Developing an Entrepreneurial Mindset | 4      |
|                            | Digital Innovation in Business                                 | 4      | International Business                | 4      |
|                            | Corporate and Business Strategy                                | 4      | Elective- III                         | 4      |
|                            | Elective- I  | 4      | Elective- IV                          | 4      |
|                            | Elective- II   | 4      |                                       |        |
| Major Project (12 Credits) |  |        |                                       |        |



| Students can opt electives from any two specializations given below in Semesters III & IV |  |  |
|---|--|--|
|   | Semester III                                     | Semester IV                                  |
| <b>Marketing</b>  | Consumer Behaviour                               | Services Marketing                           |
|   | Marketing Research                               | Digital Marketing                            |
|   | Integrated Marketing Communication               | Brand Management                             |
|   | Customer Relationship Management                 | Sales and Distribution Management            |
| <b>HR</b>   | Recruitment, Selection, Training and Development | Compensation Management                      |
|   | Performance Management System                    | Industrial Relations and Labour Laws         |
|   | Human Resource Planning                          | Leadership Skills and Change Management      |
|   | Talent Acquisition and Development               | Employer Branding                            |
| <b>Finance</b>  | Financial Markets and Services                   | Investment Analysis and Portfolio Management |
|   | Credit Risk Management                           | Financial Technology                         |
|   | Financial Statement Analysis and Reporting       | Financial Derivatives                        |
|   | Mergers Acquisition and Corporate Restructuring  | Insurance and Risk Management                |
| <b>IT</b>   | Python Programming                               | Cloud Computing                              |
|   | Data Communication and Computer Networks         | Enterprise Resource Planning                 |
|   | Artificial Intelligence                          | Cyber Security                               |
|   | Database Management System                       | Data Analytics                               |
| <b>Healthcare Management</b>  | Healthcare Analytics                             | Medical Records Management                   |
|   | Health services Informatics                      | Health Insurance Management                  |
|   | Patient Care Management                          | Indian Health Systems                        |
|   | Healthcare Quality Management                    |  |

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\*\*Specialization will be offered on attainment of a minimum specified number of students.



# Master of Commerce (M.Com in Accounting & Finance)

**Specialization in:** Accounting & Finance

M.Com

Duration: 1/2 Years

**About the program:** The Master of Commerce (MCom) program is designed to equip students with advanced knowledge and practical skills in finance, commerce, and business management. By integrating cutting-edge subjects such as Financial Analytics, FinTech, Blockchain Technology, and Digital Marketing, the program offers a comprehensive learning experience that aligns with industry demands. Emerging topics like Sustainable Finance, Artificial Intelligence in Business, and Data Analytics further enhance analytical and decision-making capabilities. Through a blend of theoretical insights and hands-on applications, the MCom program prepares students to tackle complex financial challenges and excel in a dynamic global business environment. Graduates will be well-positioned to become future-ready finance and commerce professionals, driving innovation and contributing to economic growth.

**Eligibility:** Pass in Graduation in any discipline with 50% and above aggregate marks; Students awaiting their final examination results can also apply.

Students entering a 2-year PG after a 3-year UG programme can choose to do

## I. Only coursework in the third and fourth semester

|   | Semester I                          | Credit    | Semester II                                   | Credit    |
|---|-------------------------------------|-----------|---|-----------|
| Year-I  | Income Tax Law & Practices          | 4         | Security Analysis & Portfolio Management      | 4         |
|   | Financial Management                | 4         | Management Accounting                         | 4         |
|   | Quantitative Methods                | 4         | Research Methodology                          | 4         |
|   | Advanced Cost Accounting            | 4         | Human Resource Management                     | 4         |
|   | Advanced Financial Accounting       | 4         | Professional Communication                    | 4         |
|   | Business Environment                | 2         | Human and Moral Value                         | 2         |
|   | <b>Total Credits</b>                | <b>22</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>22</b> |
| Summer Internship   |                                     |           |   | <b>4</b>  |
| Exit option: Students who complete two semester of 44 credits including internship will be awarded Postgraduate Diploma in Accounting & Finance |                                     |           |   |           |
|   | Semester III                        | Credit    | Semester IV                                   | Credit    |
| Year-II   | Indian Financial Systems            | 4         | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |
|   | Entrepreneurship and Innovation     | 4         | Digital Marketing and E-commerce              | 4         |
|   | Research Ethics in Publication      | 4         | GST Law & Practises                           | 4         |
|   | Business Analytics and Data Science | 4         | International Business                        | 4         |
|   | Corporate Law and Governance        | 4         | Auditing                                      | 4         |
|   | <b>Total Credits</b>                | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> |

## II. Coursework in the third semester and Research in the fourth semester

|   | Semester I                    | Credit    | Semester II                              | Credit    |
|---|-------------------------------|-----------|--|-----------|
| Year-I  | Income Tax Law & Practices    | 4         | Security Analysis & Portfolio Management | 4         |
|   | Financial Management          | 4         | Management Accounting                    | 4         |
|   | Quantitative Methods          | 4         | Research Methodology                     | 4         |
|   | Advanced Cost Accounting      | 4         | Human Resource Management                | 4         |
|   | Advanced Financial Accounting | 4         | Professional Communication               | 4         |
|   | Business Environment          | 2         | Human and Moral Value                    | 2         |
|   | <b>Total Credits</b>          | <b>22</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                     | <b>22</b> |
| Summer Internship   |                               |           |  | <b>4</b>  |
| Exit option: Students who complete two semester of 44 credits including internship will be awarded Postgraduate Diploma in Accounting & Finance |                               |           |  |           |

|         | Semester III                        | Credit    | Semester IV                                   | Credit    |
|---------|-------------------------------------|-----------|---|-----------|
| Year-II | Indian Financial Systems            | 4         | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |
|         | Entrepreneurship and Innovation     | 4         | GST Law & Practises                           | 4         |
|         | Research Ethics in Publication      | 4         | International Business                        | 4         |
|         | Business Analytics and Data Science | 4         | Major Research                                | 8         |
|         | Corporate Law and Governance        | 4         |   |           |
|         | <b>Total Credits</b>                | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> |

### III. Research in third semester and fourth semester

|  | Semester I                                    | Credit    | Semester II                                | Credit    |
|--|---|-----------|--|-----------|
| Year-I   | Income Tax Law & Practices                    | 4         | Security Analysis & Portfolio Management   | 4         |
|  | Financial Management                          | 4         | Management Accounting                      | 4         |
|  | Quantitative Methods                          | 4         | Research Methodology                       | 4         |
|  | Advanced Cost Accounting                      | 4         | Human Resource Management                  | 4         |
|  | Advanced Financial Accounting                 | 4         | Professional Communication                 | 4         |
|  | Business Environment                          | 2         | Human and Moral Value                      | 2         |
|  | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>22</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                       | <b>22</b> |
| <b>Summer Internship</b>   |   |           |  | <b>4</b>  |
| <i>Exit option: Students who complete two semester of 44 credits including internship will be awarded Postgraduate Diploma in Accounting &amp; Finance</i> |   |           |  |           |
|  | Semester III                                  | Credit    | Semester IV                                | Credit    |
| Year-II  | Indian Financial Systems                      | 4         | Review Writing & Seminar in Research Topic | 4         |
|  | GST Law & Practises                           | 4         | Major Research                             | 16        |
|  | Research Ethics in Publication                | 4         |  |           |
|  | Research Synopsis Development                 | 4         |  |           |
|  | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |  |           |
|  | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                       | <b>20</b> |

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\*\*Specialization will be offered on attainment of a minimum specified number of students.





# Master of Commerce

M.Com

Duration: 1 Years

Students entering a 1-year PG after a 4-year UG programme can choose to do

## I. Only coursework in the first and second semester

|        | Semester I                          | Credit    | Semester II                                   | Credit    |
|--------|-------------------------------------|-----------|---|-----------|
| Year-I | Indian Financial Systems            | 4         | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |
|        | Entrepreneurship and Innovation     | 4         | Digital Marketing and E-commerce              | 4         |
|        | Research Ethics in Publication      | 4         | GST Law & Practises                           | 4         |
|        | Business Analytics and Data Science | 4         | International Business                        | 4         |
|        | Corporate Law and Governance        | 4         | Auditing                                      | 4         |
|        | <b>Total Credits</b>                | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> |

## II. Coursework in the first semester and Research in the second semester

|        | Semester I                          | Credit    | Semester II                                   | Credit    |
|--------|-------------------------------------|-----------|---|-----------|
| Year-I | Indian Financial Systems            | 4         | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |
|        | Entrepreneurship and Innovation     | 4         | GST Law & Practises                           | 4         |
|        | Research Ethics in Publication      | 4         | International Business                        | 4         |
|        | Business Analytics and Data Science | 4         | Major Research                                | 8         |
|        | Corporate Law and Governance        | 4         |   |           |
|        | <b>Total Credits</b>                | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> |

## III. Research in first semester and second semester

|        | Semester I                                    | Credit    | Semester II                                | Credit    |
|--------|---|-----------|--|-----------|
| Year-I | Indian Financial Systems                      | 4         | Review Writing & Seminar in Research Topic | 4         |
|        | GST Law & Practises                           | 4         | Major Research                             | 16        |
|        | Research Ethics in Publication                | 4         |  |           |
|        | Research Synopsis Development                 | 4         |  |           |
|        | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |  |           |
|        | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                       | <b>20</b> |



# Doctor of Philosophy

Ph.D.

Duration: 3 Years

Students entering a 1-year PG after a 4-year UG programme can choose to do

## The Ph.D. Program

Pursuing a Ph.D. from The ICFAI University, Sikkim is a commitment to advancing knowledge and contributing to scholarly research in a chosen field. It represents the highest level of academic achievement and equips scholars with the skills necessary for rigorous research, critical thinking, and innovative problem-solving. A Ph.D. program provides a unique opportunity for individuals to engage deeply with their area of study, pushing the boundaries of existing knowledge and developing new insights. At The ICFAI University Sikkim, our Ph.D. programs are designed to foster an environment of academic excellence and intellectual growth, enabling scholars to emerge as experts and thought leaders in their respective domains.

## Ph.D. in Management

The Ph.D. program in Management at The ICFAI University Sikkim is designed for individuals aspiring to achieve scholarly excellence in the field of business and management. This program provides an opportunity for candidates to develop a deep understanding of management theories, practices, and research methodologies. It aims to cultivate a scholarly approach to complex business challenges, preparing graduates to contribute to the advancement of management knowledge and practices. Pursuing a Ph.D. in Management allows candidates to specialize in areas such as organizational behavior, human resource management, finance, marketing, and strategic management. Graduates are well-positioned for careers in academia, research, consulting, and leadership roles in various sectors. The program empowers scholars to innovate and lead in their respective fields, contributing significantly to the global business landscape.

*Note: For Ph.D. guidelines, please visit [www.iusikkim.edu.in](http://www.iusikkim.edu.in)*



# School of Information Technology

**About the School:** Our school is dedicated to providing a dynamic learning environment that prepares students for successful careers in various domains of information technology.

Our primary objective is to deliver high-quality education in information technology disciplines. Through innovative teaching methods and a comprehensive curriculum, we ensure that our students gain a strong foundation in core IT principles and practices.

Our faculty and students engage in cutting-edge research that contributes to advancements in areas such as artificial intelligence, cybersecurity, data science, and software engineering.

The School of Information Technology is committed to bridging the gap between academia and industry that providing students with hands-on experience, internship opportunities, and real-world projects that prepare them for the demands of the job market.

The importance of ethical conduct and social responsibility in the practice of technology. Our curriculum includes discussions on ethical issues in IT, and we encourage students to consider the societal implications of their work.

## Programs offered:

| School of Information Technology<br>(Specialization in AI & Data Science, Cloud Computing, Cyber Security, Full Stack Development) | Programs offered (As per NEP 2020) |
|--|------------------------------------|
|  | BCA                                |
|  | BCA (Hons.)                        |
|  | BCA (Hons. with Research)          |
|  | MCA                                |

## Bachelor of Computer Application (BCA)

**Specialization in:** Artificial Intelligence & Data Science | Cloud Computing | Full Stack Development | Cyber Security

|                           |                   |
|---------------------------|-------------------|
| BCA                       | Duration: 3 Years |
| BCA (Hons.)               | Duration: 4 Years |
| BCA (Hons. with Research) | Duration: 4 Years |

**About BCA Program:** Our BCA program provides students with a comprehensive understanding of computer science principles and practical skills necessary for success in the field of information technology. Through a balanced curriculum encompassing programming, database management, web development, and networking, the program strives to equip students with the technical expertise and problem-solving abilities required to thrive in the dynamic IT industry.

The program's objectives are to produce skilled and ethical IT professionals who are well-prepared to meet the challenges of the ever-evolving technology sector.

**Eligibility:** Pass in 10+2 (any discipline) from a recognized board with aggregate marks 50% and above. Students awaiting their final examination results can also apply.

Students who have studied IT, Mathematics or Commerce as a subject in 10+2 level will have an added advantage.

Scores of CUET UG will be an added advantage.



### COURSE STRUCTURE

| Sem   | Discipline<br>Specific Courses- Core                       | Minor   | Interdisciplinary courses  | Ability<br>Enhancement Course<br>(languages) | Skill Enhancement<br>Course/Internship/<br>Dissertation | Common<br>value- added<br>courses | Total<br>Credit |
|---|--|---|----------------------------|--|---|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| I   | C1: Programming in C<br>C2: Web Technology                 | Min1: Mathematics I                           | Introduction to Psychology | Effective English Communication              | Information and<br>Communication<br>Technology          |                                   | 20              |
| II  | C3: Programming in C++<br>C4: JavaScript                   | Min2: Mathematics II                          | Principles of Management   | Academic Reading and Writing                 |   | Understanding<br>India            | 20              |
| <b>Entry and Exit Option:</b><br>Students exiting the programme after securing 40 credits will be awarded UG Certificate in the relevant Discipline /Subject provided they secure 4 credits in work based vocational courses offered during summer term or internship / Apprenticeship. Students who completes two semesters including Internship Program-I will be awarded as Certificate in Computer Application. Students who wish to continue for Second year is exempted from doing Internship Program-I |  |   |                            |  |   |                                   |                 |
| <b>Program Outcome:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students will be able to understand and write program using programming languages like C, C++ and JavaScript</li> <li>Students will be able to design website.</li> <li>Students will be able to solve numerical problems.</li> <li>Students will get knowledge in other Inter Disciplinary Subject and about India.</li> <li>Students can also improve their ability with knowledge acquired from Ability Enhanced Courses.</li> </ul>        |  |   |                            |  |   |                                   |                 |
| III   | C5: Data Structure and Algorithms<br>C6: OOPS with Java    | Min3: Data Communication and Computer Network | Fundamentals of Accounting | Soft Skills                                  | Sustainable Development                                 |                                   | 20              |
| IV  | C7: Database Management System<br>C8: Software Engineering | Min4: Probability and Statistics / PHP        |                            | General Aptitude                             | Cyber Security  | Indian Knowledge System           | 20              |
| <b>Entry and Exit Option:</b><br>Students exiting the programme after securing 80 credits will be awarded UG Diploma in the relevant Discipline/Subject provided they secure additional 4 credit in skill based vocational courses offered during first year or second year summer term. Students who completes two semesters including Internship Program-II will be awarded as Diploma in Computer Application. Students who wish to continue for Third year is exempted from doing Internship Program-II   |  |   |                            |  |   |                                   |                 |

| Sem  | Discipline<br>Specific Courses- Core  | Minor  | Interdisciplinary courses | Ability<br>Enhancement Course<br>(languages) | Skill Enhancement<br>Course/Internship/<br>Dissertation | Common<br>value- added<br>courses | Total<br>Credit |
|--|---|--|---------------------------|--|---|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| <b>Program Outcome:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students will be able to understand and write program using Java programming language.</li> <li>Students will be able to identify which data structure based on circumstances.</li> <li>Students will be able to understand how to store, manage and access data from databases.</li> <li>Students will get familiar about how operating system and computer network works.</li> <li>Students will be able to understand the process in which Software is developed.</li> <li>Students will get familiarized with basic of accounting.</li> <li>Student based on their choices can get familiarized with Probability and Statistics basics concepts or can work further in developing web application using PHP.</li> <li>Students will be able to understand the concept behind cyber security and legal literacy.</li> <li>Students can enhance their ability and their personality.</li> </ul> |   |  |                           |  |   |                                   |                 |
| <b>Summer Internship – 2 Credits</b>   |   |  |                           |  |   |                                   |                 |
| V  | C 9 : Computer Organization and Architecture<br>C10: Operating System<br>C11: Programming in Python                   | Min5: ASP.NET / Big Data / Distributed System / Network Security               |                           |  |   | Environmental Studies             | 20              |
| VI   | C12: Mobile Application Development<br>C13: Artificial Intelligence<br>C14: Cloud Computing<br>C-15: Software Testing | Min 6: Data Analysis / Information and Storage Management / Kali Linux / UI/UX |                           |  |   |                                   | 20              |
| <b>Total</b>   | <b>60 Credit</b>  | <b>24 Credit</b>   | <b>9 Credit</b>           | <b>8 Credit</b>                              | <b>11 Credit</b>  | <b>8 credit</b>                   | <b>120</b>      |
| <b>Entry and Exit Option:</b> <p>Students who want to undertake 3-year UG programme will be awarded UG Degree in the relevant Discipline /Subject upon securing 120 credits. Students who complete six semesters will be awarded as Bachelor in Computer Application. Students after completing Bachelor can either go for BCA Honors or Honors with Research if they maintain 7.5 CGPA till third year.</p>   |   |  |                           |  |   |                                   |                 |
| <b>Program Outcome:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students will be able to understand how the OS and how different components in the system works together.</li> <li>Students will get familiarized to understand and write code in python programming language.</li> <li>Students will have overview on understanding what is AI and Cloud Computing.</li> <li>Students will be able to design and develop mobile applications.</li> <li>Students will be aware about the sustainable development to protect the environment.</li> <li>Based on their selection students will be able to understand concept on Big Data and analyzing data or developing application using ASP.NET and design interface with better user experiences or how distributed system works and how information can be stored and managed or providing network security and how to use Kali Linux.</li> </ul>   |   |  |                           |  |   |                                   |                 |

| Sem          | Discipline<br>Specific Courses- Core  | Minor   | Interdisciplinary courses | Ability<br>Enhancement Course<br>(languages) | Skill Enhancement<br>Course/Internship/<br>Dissertation                     | Common<br>value- added<br>courses | Total<br>Credit |
|--------------|---|---|---------------------------|--|---|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| VII          | C-16: Design and Analysis of Algorithm<br>C-17: Numerical Analysis<br>C-18: 4 Research Methodology<br>C-19: Theory of Computation   | Min 7: Cloud Platform and Services / Ethical Hacking / Machine Learning / Single Page Application |                           |  |   |                                   | 20              |
| VIII         | C-20: Internet of Things (4)<br>C-21 - IT Project (8)<br>C-22: * Ethics and Social Implication of AI / Ethics and Social Implication of CC / Ethics and Social Implication of CS / Object Oriented Design and Analysis (4 Credit) | Min8: Deep Learning / Digital Forensic / Project Management / Mobile Computing                    |                           |  | Research project (12 Credit)<br>Or<br>C 21 & C 22 ( Any one specialization) |                                   | 20              |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>80 Credit</b>  | <b>32 Credit</b>  | <b>9 Credit</b>           | <b>8 Credit</b>                              | <b>23 Credit</b>  | <b>8 Credit</b>                   | <b>160</b>      |

**Program Outcome:**

- Students will be able to understand how to develop and analyze algorithm, solve some complex real-world problem.
- Students will be able to understand how to analyze numerical problems.
- Students will have understanding on theory behind the computation.
- Students will be able to understand how different devices are interconnected via internet.
- Students will be able to understanding about research and how to conducted research.
- Based on their selection students will be able to understand concept on managing clouds and mobile computing or how to perform hacking and investigating digital records or applying machine learning and deep learning algorithms to solve problem like humans or create a single page application and how to manage projects.
- Students will be also provided with the knowledge considering the ethics and best practices in their domain.
- Student also on their choices make project or research.

**Note:**

- 1.Students pursuing BCA Hons. without research has to study three subjects along with Capstone project while students pursuing BCA Hons with research has to study two subjects with minor Research project.
- 2.The program structure is tentative, subject to change (if required).
- 3.Specialization will be offered on attainment of a minimum specified number of students.



# Master of Computer Application (MCA)

**Specialization in:** Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning | Cloud Computing | Full Stack Development | Cyber Security

MCA

Duration: 1/2 Years

**About MCA Program:** The Master of Computer Applications (MCA) program at The ICFAI University Sikkim is designed to provide flexibility and academic rigor in line with the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020. The program is offered in both 2-year and 1-year durations, catering to students with different academic backgrounds. Students entering the 2-year MCA program after completing a 3-year undergraduate degree have the option to: (i) pursue only coursework in the third and fourth semesters, (ii) undertake coursework in the third semester and research in the fourth semester, or (iii) focus entirely on research in both the third and fourth semesters. Similarly, students enrolling in the 1-year MCA program after completing a 4-year undergraduate degree can opt to: (i) complete only coursework in the first and second semesters, (ii) pursue coursework in the first semester and research in the second semester, or (iii) engage exclusively in research throughout both semesters. The program offers specializations in Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning, Cloud Computing, Full Stack Development, and Cyber Security, equipping students with cutting-edge technical skills and industry knowledge. Graduates of this program are well-prepared for high-demand careers in software development, IT consulting, cybersecurity, cloud architecture, and data analytics, making them valuable assets in the rapidly evolving tech industry.

**Eligibility:** Pass in Graduation in any discipline with 50% and above aggregate marks; Students awaiting their final examination results can also apply.

Scores of CUET PG will be an added advantage

Students entering a 2-year PG after a 3-year UG programme can choose to do

## I. Only coursework in the third and fourth semester

|   | Semester I                         | Credit    | Semester II                                   | Credit    |
|---|------------------------------------|-----------|---|-----------|
| Year-I  | Advance Computer Network           | 4         | Advance Software Engineering                  | 4         |
|   | Advance Database Management System | 4         | Artificial Intelligence                       | 4         |
|   | Numerical Analysis                 | 4         | Cyber Security                                | 4         |
|   | Programming in Python              | 4         | Cloud Computing                               | 4         |
|   | Elective I                         | 4         | Elective II                                   | 4         |
|   | Soft Skills                        | 2         | Human and Moral Value                         | 2         |
|   | <b>Total Credits</b>               | <b>22</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>22</b> |
| Summer Internship (4-6 weeks)   |                                    |           |   | 4         |
| Exit option: Students who complete two semesters of 48 credits including internship will be awarded Postgraduate Diploma in Computer Application. |                                    |           |   |           |
|   | Semester III                       | Credit    | Semester IV                                   | Credit    |
| Year-II   | Design and Analysis of Algorithms  | 4         | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |
|   | Mobile Application Development     | 4         | Theory of Computation                         | 4         |
|   | Data Analysis                      | 4         | Internet of Things                            | 4         |
|   | Research Ethics in Publication     | 4         | Project                                       | 8         |
|   | Elective III                       | 4         |   |           |
|   | <b>Total Credits</b>               | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> |

## II. Coursework in the third semester and Research in the fourth semester

|                   | Semester I                         | Credit    | Semester II                  | Credit    |
|-------------------|------------------------------------|-----------|------------------------------|-----------|
| Year-I            | Advance Computer Network           | 4         | Advance Software Engineering | 4         |
|                   | Advance Database Management System | 4         | Artificial Intelligence      | 4         |
|                   | Numerical Analysis                 | 4         | Cloud Computing              | 4         |
|                   | Programming in Python              | 4         | Cyber Security               | 4         |
|                   | Elective I                         | 4         | Elective II                  | 4         |
|                   | Soft Skills                        | 2         | Human and Moral Value        | 2         |
|                   | <b>Total Credits</b>               | <b>22</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>         | <b>22</b> |
| Summer Internship |                                    |           |                              | 4         |

Exit option: Students who complete two semesters of 48 credits including internship will be awarded Postgraduate Diploma in Computer Application.

|         | Semester III                      | Credit    | Semester IV                                   | Credit    |
|---------|-----------------------------------|-----------|---|-----------|
| Year-II | Design and Analysis of Algorithms | 4         | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |
|         | Mobile Application Development    | 4         | Theory of Computation                         | 4         |
|         | Data Analysis                     | 4         | Internet of Things                            | 4         |
|         | Research Ethics in Publication    | 4         | Project                                       | 8         |
|         | Elective III                      | 4         |   |           |
|         | <b>Total Credits</b>              | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> |

### III. Research in third semester and fourth semester

|   | Semester I                                    | Credit    | Semester II                                | Credit    |
|---|---|-----------|--|-----------|
| Year-I  | Advance Computer Network                      | 4         | Advance Software Engineering               | 4         |
|   | Advance Database Management System            | 4         | Artificial Intelligence                    | 4         |
|   | Numerical Analysis                            | 4         | Cloud Computing                            | 4         |
|   | Programming in Python                         | 4         | Cyber Security                             | 4         |
|   | Elective I                                    | 4         | Elective II                                | 4         |
|   | Soft Skill                                    | 2         | Human and Moral Value                      | 2         |
|   | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>22</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                       | <b>22</b> |
| Summer Internship   |   |           |  | <b>4</b>  |
| Exit option: Students who complete two semesters of 48 credits including internship will be awarded Postgraduate Diploma in Management. |   |           |  |           |
|   | Semester III                                  | Credit    | Semester IV                                | Credit    |
| Year-II   | Data Analysis                                 | 4         | Review Writing & Seminar in Research Topic | 4         |
|   | Design and Analysis of Algorithms             | 4         | Major Project                              | 16        |
|   | Research Ethics in Publication                | 4         |  |           |
|   | Research Synopsis Development                 | 4         |  |           |
|   | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |  |           |
|   | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                       | <b>20</b> |

## Electives

| Students can opt for any one elective given below |                             |           |
|---|-----------------------------|-----------|
|   | Subject Name                | Credit    |
| Elective I  | PHP                         | 4         |
|   | Network Security            | 4         |
|   | Cloud Security              | 4         |
|   | Probability and Statistics  | 4         |
| Elective II                                       | Machine Learning            | 4         |
|   | ASP.NET                     | 4         |
|   | Kali Linux                  | 4         |
|   | Cloud Platform and Services | 4         |
| Elective III                                      | OOAD                        | 4         |
|   | Deep Learning               | 4         |
|   | Mobile Computing            | 4         |
|   | Digital Forensic            | 4         |
|   | <b>Total Credits</b>        | <b>20</b> |

\*The program structure is tentative, subject to change (if required).

\*\*Specialization will be offered on attainment of a minimum specified number of students.

# Master of Computer Application (MCA)

**Specialization in:** Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning | Cloud Computing | Full Stack Development | Cyber Security

MCA

Duration: 1 Years

Students entering a 1-year PG after a 4-year UG programme can choose to do

## I. Only coursework in the first and second semester

|        | Semester I                         | Credit    | Semester II                       | Credit    |
|--------|------------------------------------|-----------|-----------------------------------|-----------|
| Year-I | Advance Computer Network           | 4         | Advance Software Engineering      | 4         |
|        | Advance Database Management System | 4         | Artificial Intelligence           | 4         |
|        | Mobile Application Development     | 4         | Cloud Computing                   | 4         |
|        | Research Ethics in Publication     | 4         | Cyber Security                    | 4         |
|        | Elective I                         | 4         | Design and Analysis of Algorithms | 4         |
|        | Elective II                        | 4         | Elective III                      | 4         |
|        | <b>Total Credits</b>               | <b>24</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>              | <b>24</b> |

## II. Coursework in the first semester and Research in the second semester

|        | Semester I                        | Credit    | Semester II                                   | Credit    |
|--------|-----------------------------------|-----------|---|-----------|
| Year-I | Advance Software Engineering      | 4         | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |
|        | Data Analysis                     | 4         | Major Project                                 | 16        |
|        | Design and Analysis of Algorithms | 4         |   |           |
|        | Research Ethics in Publication    | 4         |   |           |
|        | Elective I                        | 4         |   |           |
|        | Elective II                       | 4         |   |           |
|        | <b>Total Credits</b>              | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> |

## III. Research in first semester and second semester

|        | Semester I                                    | Credit    | Semester II                                | Credit    |
|--------|---|-----------|--|-----------|
| Year-I | Data Analysis                                 | 4         | Review Writing & Seminar in Research Topic | 4         |
|        | Design and Analysis of Algorithms             | 4         | Major Project                              | 16        |
|        | Research Ethics in Publication                | 4         |  |           |
|        | Research Synopsis Development                 | 4         |  |           |
|        | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |  |           |
|        | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                       | <b>20</b> |

## Electives

| Students can opt for any one elective given below |                             |        |
|---|-----------------------------|--------|
|   | Subject Name                | Credit |
| Elective I  | PHP                         | 4      |
|   | Network Security            | 4      |
|   | Cloud Security              | 4      |
|   | Probability and Statistics  | 4      |
| Elective II                                       | ASP.NET                     | 4      |
|   | Machine Learning            | 4      |
|   | Kali Linux                  | 4      |
|   | Cloud Platform and Services | 4      |
| Elective III                                      | OOAD                        | 4      |
|   | Deep Learning               | 4      |
|   | Mobile Computing            | 4      |
|   | Digital Forensic            | 4      |

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\*\*Specialization will be offered on attainment of a minimum specified number of students.



# School of Hotel and Tourism Management

**About the School:** We offer comprehensive programs tailored to meet the dynamic needs of the hospitality and tourism industries. Our courses are designed to equip students with the knowledge, skills, and practical experience necessary to excel in these exciting and diverse fields of the hotel and tourism sectors. Whether you aspire to manage luxury hotels, plan unforgettable travel experiences, or shape the future of tourism policy, the School of Hotel and Tourism Management is committed to helping you achieve your goals and succeed in these dynamic and rewarding industries.

- To provide students with a comprehensive understanding of the hospitality and tourism industries.
- To equip students with practical skills and knowledge relevant to their chosen field of study.
- To foster critical thinking, problem-solving, and leadership abilities among students.
- To prepare students for successful careers in the hospitality and tourism sectors.

## Programs offered:

| School of Hotel and Tourism Management | Programs offered (As per NEP 2020) |
|--|------------------------------------|
|  | BTTM                               |
|  | BHM                                |
|  | MTTM                               |

## Bachelor of Travel and Tourism Management (BTTM)

BTTM

Duration: 4 Years

**About BTTM Program:** The program is tailored for students passionate about exploring the world of travel and tourism. This program covers a wide range of topics, including tourism marketing, destination management, sustainable tourism practices, and tour operations. Students gain insights into the complexities of the tourism industry and develop the skills needed to thrive in roles such as travel consultant, tour operator, destination manager, and event planner.

The program objectives aim for the students to gain a deep understanding of the fundamental concepts and practices of tourism management, including tourism marketing, destination management, sustainable tourism, and tour operations.

**Eligibility:** Pass in 10+2 with aggregate marks of 50% and above (any discipline). Students awaiting their final examination results can also apply.

Scores of CUET UG will be an added advantage.

### COURSE STRUCTURE

| Sem   | Discipline<br>Specific Courses-Core  | Minor   | Interdisciplinary<br>Courses             | Ability Enhancement<br>Course(languages)  | Skill Enhancement<br>Course/Internship/Dissertation      | Common value-<br>added courses                  | Total<br>Credits |
|---|--|---|--|---|--|---|------------------|
| I   | C1: Travel Services Management (4 Credit)<br>C2: Introduction to Tourism (4 Credit)      | Min1: Introduction to Hospitality (4 Credit)      | Introduction to Psychology (3Credit)     | Effective English Communication (2Credit) | SEC: Information and Communication Technology (3 Credit) |   | 20               |
| II  | C3: Resort and Homestay Management (4 Credit)<br>C4: Natural Tourism Products (4 Credit) | Min2: Emerging Forms of Tourism (4 Credit)        | Principles of Management (3Credit)       | Academic Reading and Writing (2Credit)    |  | Understanding India/ Tourism Software (3Credit) | 20               |
| <b>Program Outcome-</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students will learn about the latest trends in tourism Industry.</li> <li>Students will be able to familiarize themselves with the concepts and principles of Tourism.</li> <li>Students will be able to develop basic skills required in the Tourism Industry.</li> <li>Students may opt for entry level jobs in the Tourism Industry.</li> </ul> <b>Exit Option- Student who completes two semesters including Internship Program I which is 4 credits will be awarded as UG Certificate in Tourism.</b> If a student wishes to continue further after exit, then he/she has to join within three years of exit from Third Semester. For example, if a student exits in June 2023, then he / she can rejoin the course within Aug-2026 session.                              |  |   |  |   |  |   |                  |
| <b>Continue Option-</b> Students who wish to continue for Second Year is exempted from doing Internship Program I.  |  |   |  |   |  |   |                  |
| III   | C5: Itinerary and Costing (4 Credit)<br>C6: Man-made Tourism Products (4 Credit)         | Min3: Travel Documentation & E Tourism (4 Credit) | Consumer Rights and Protection (3Credit) | Soft Skills (2Credit)                     | SEC: Sustainable Development (3Credit)                   |   | 20               |
| IV  | C7: Tourism Geography (4 Credit)<br>C8: Accessibility in Tourism (4 Credit)              | Min4: Entrepreneurship in Tourism (4 Credit)      |  | French / German Language (2Credit)        | SEC: Digital Marketing (3Credit)                         | Indian Knowledge System (3Credit)               | 20               |
| <b>Program Outcome-</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students will be able to prepare an itinerary and do costing.</li> <li>Students will be familiarized with the concepts of documentation in tourism Industry.</li> <li>Students will develop basic theoretical expertise and managerial skills required in Tourism Industry</li> <li>Students may opt for jobs in Travel Agency, Tour Operators, MICE companies, DMC's.</li> </ul> <b>Exit Option- Student who completes four semesters including Internship Program II which is 4 credits will be awarded as UG Diploma in Tourism.</b> If a student wishes to continue further after exit, then he/she has to join within three years of exit from Fifth Semester. For example, if a student exits in June 2023, then he / she can rejoin the course within Aug-2026 session. |  |   |  |   |  |   |                  |
| <b>Continue Option-</b> Students who wish to continue for Third Year is exempted from doing Internship Program II.  |  |   |  |   |  |   |                  |

| Sem          | Discipline<br>Specific Courses-Core  | Minor                                     | Interdisciplinary<br>Courses | Ability Enhancement<br>Course(languages) | Skill Enhancement<br>Course/Internship/Dissertation | Common value-<br>added courses     | Total<br>Credits |
|--------------|--|---|------------------------------|--|---|------------------------------------|------------------|
| V            | C9: Economic Dynamics of Tourism (4 Credit)<br>C10: Discovering Northeast India (4 Credit)<br>C11: Tourism Planning & Policies (4 Credit)  | Min5: Bleisure Tourism<br>(4 Credit)      |                              |  | Field Project (2 Credit)                            | Environmental<br>Studies (2Credit) | 20               |
| VI           | C12: Sustainable Tourism Development and<br>Eco Tourism (4 Credit)<br>C13: Tourism Law<br>(4 Credit)<br>C14: Tourism Marketing (4 Credit)<br>C-15: Airline Ticketing and Cargo Operation<br>(4 Credit) | Min6: Tourism<br>Accounting<br>(4 Credit) |                              |  |   |                                    | 20               |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>60Credit</b>  | <b>24Credit</b>                           | <b>9Credit</b>               | <b>8Credit</b>                           | <b>11Credit</b>                                     | <b>8credit</b>                     | <b>120</b>       |

#### Program Outcome

- Students will be aware about the holistic dynamics of the tourism industry
- Students will be familiarized with the recent policies of tourism
- Students may opt for jobs in Travel Agency, Tour Operators, MICE companies, DMC's, Event Management Companies

**Exit Option- Student who completes six semesters including Internship Program III which is 4 credits will be awarded as UG Advanced**

**Continue Option-** After completing UG Advanced Diploma, students can opt for BTTM Degree with Research if they maintain 7.5 CGPA till Third Year. Students who wish to continue for Fourth Year is exempted from doing Internship Program III.

|      |   |                                       |  |  |   |  |    |
|------|---|---------------------------------------|--|--|---|--|----|
| VII  | C-16: Research Methodology<br>(4 Credit)  | Min7: Adventure<br>Tourism (4 Credit) |  |  | Research Project/Dissertation (12<br>Credits) |  | 20 |
| VIII | Semester Long Internship – Industrial Training<br>(Logbook +Viva) (12)<br>Any Tourism or Allied Sectors project (8) |                                       |  |  |   |  | 20 |

#### Program Outcome

- Students will be able to use the theoretical concept of Tourism in a pragmatic approach.
- Students will be well versed with softwares relating to tourism industry.
- Students can get employed in airports, airlines, travel and tourism industries, tour guides and escorts.



# Bachelor of Hotel Management (BHM)

BHM

Duration: 4 Years

**About BHM Program:** Our BHM program provides students with a solid foundation in hospitality management, encompassing areas such as hotel operations, food and beverage management, guest services, and event management. Through a blend of classroom learning and hands-on training, students develop expertise in managing various aspects of hotel operations, ensuring exceptional guest experiences and operational efficiency.

The program focuses on areas such as hotel operations, food and beverage management, guest services, event management, and hospitality marketing. Upon completion of the program, graduates will be prepared to pursue rewarding careers in hotel management, resort operations, event planning, and other related fields.

**Eligibility:** Pass in 10+2 with aggregate marks 50% and above (any discipline). Students awaiting their final examination results can also apply.

Scores of CUET UG will be an added advantage.

## COURSE STRUCTURE

| Sem   | Discipline<br>Specific Courses-Core   | Minor                                   | Interdisciplinary<br>courses        | Ability<br>Enhancement<br>Course(languages) | Skill Enhancement Course//<br>Internship/Dissertation | Common value-<br>added courses | Total<br>Credit |
|---|---|---|-------------------------------------|---|---|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| I   | C1: F&B Production Foundation-I(2+2)<br>C2: F&B Service Foundation-I (2+2)                  | Min1: Food Science and<br>Nutrition (4) | Introduction to<br>Psychology (3)   | Effective English<br>Communication (2)      | Information & Communication<br>Technology (3)         |                                | 20              |
| II  | C3: Front Office –I (2+2)<br>C4: Accommodation Operation-I(2+2)                             | Min2: Hotel Accountancy<br>(4)          | Principles of<br>Management (3)     | Academic Reading<br>& Writing (2)           |   | Understanding<br>India (3)     | 20              |
| <b>Entry and Exit Option:</b><br>Students who complete two semesters of 40 credits including Internship of 4 credits will be awarded a UG Certificate.  |   |   |                                     |   |   |                                |                 |
| <b>Program Outcomes:</b><br>Overall, these courses provide a well-rounded education that prepares students for careers in the hospitality industry, combining practical skills with theoretical knowledge in areas such as food service, management, communication, and cultural understanding            |   |   |                                     |   |   |                                |                 |
| III   | C5: F&B Production Introduction to Indian<br>Cookery Pt-I (2+2)<br>C6: F&B Service- II(2+2) | Min3: F& B Controls (4)                 | Consumers Right<br>& Protection (3) | Soft Skills (2)                             | Sustainable Development (3)                           |                                | 20              |
| IV  | C7: Front Office-II(2+2)<br>C8: Accommodation Operation-II(2+2)                             | Min4: Hotel Engineering (4)             |                                     | French/ German (2)                          | Digital Marketing (3)                                 | Indian Knowledge<br>System (3) | 20              |
| <b>Entry and Exit Option:</b> Students exiting the program after securing 96 credits will be awarded UG Diploma in the relevant Discipline /Subject provided they secure additional 4 credit in skill based vocational courses offered during first year or second year summer term                       |   |   |                                     |   |   |                                |                 |
| <b>Program Outcome:</b> These program outcomes collectively prepare students for successful careers in the hospitality industry by equipping them with a diverse range of knowledge, skills, and attitudes essential for meeting the demands of the industry and providing exceptional service to guests. |   |   |                                     |   |   |                                |                 |

| Sem          | Discipline<br>Specific Courses-Core  | Minor                              | Interdisciplinary<br>courses | Ability<br>Enhancement<br>Course(languages) | Skill Enhancement Course//<br>Internship/Dissertation | Common value-<br>added courses | Total<br>Credit |
|--------------|--|------------------------------------|------------------------------|---|---|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| V            | C 9: F&B Production Introduction to Indian Cookery Pt-II (2+2)<br>C10: F& B Service- III (2+2)<br>C11: Front Office-III (2+2)  | Min5: Bakery & confectionary (4)   |                              |   | Internship: (2)<br>SIP                                | Environment Studies (2)        | 20              |
| VI           | C12: Advance course in F&B Production (2+2)<br>C13: Advance course in (2+2) F& B Service<br>C14: Advance course in Front Office (2+2)<br>C-15: Advance course in Accommodation Operation (2+2) | Min 6: Food Safety & Qualities (4) |                              |   |   |                                | 20              |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>60 Credit</b>   | <b>24Credit</b>                    | <b>9 Credit</b>              | <b>8 Credit</b>                             | <b>11 Credit</b>                                      | <b>8 Credit</b>                | <b>120</b>      |

#### Entry and Exit Option:

Students who want to undertake 3-year UG program will be awarded UG Degree in the relevant Discipline /Subject upon securing 140 credits

#### Program Outcome

These program outcomes collectively prepare students for successful careers in the hospitality industry by providing them with the knowledge, skills, and attitudes necessary to excel in F&B production, service, front office management, bakery and confectionery, and Environmental Studies..

|      |   |                             |  |  |   |  |    |
|------|---|-----------------------------|--|--|---|--|----|
| VII  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>C-20: Specialization course in Any one Department** (8)</li> <li>F&amp;B Production</li> <li>F&amp;B Service</li> <li>Front Office</li> <li>Accommodation Operation</li> </ul> | Min8: Facility Planning (4) |  |  | Research Project/Dissertation (8 Credits) |  | 20 |
| VIII | Semester Long Internship – Industrial Training (Logbook +Viva) (12)<br>Any Hospitality or Allied Sectors project (8)  |                             |  |  |   |  |    |

\*\* Specialization depends on the stipulated number of students.

Students after completing 4 years course of Bachelor with specialization department and 8 credits of dissertation will be awarded UG Degree in Hotel Management.

Program Outcome: Overall, a specialization program in Facility Planning with a research project or dissertation component offers students a unique opportunity to deepen their understanding of facility planning principles, conduct original research, and make meaningful contributions to the field while preparing for rewarding careers in hospitality facility management and design.

# Master of Travel and Tourism Management (MTTM)

MTTM

Duration: 1/2 Years

**About MTTM Program:** The Master in Travel and Tourism Management (MTTM) program at The ICFAI University Sikkim is designed to provide flexibility and academic rigor in line with the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020. The program is offered in both 2-year and 1-year durations, catering to students with different academic backgrounds. Students entering the 2-year MTTM program after completing a 3-year undergraduate degree have the option to: (i) pursue only coursework in the third and fourth semesters, (ii) undertake coursework in the third semester and research in the fourth semester, or (iii) focus entirely on research in both the third and fourth semesters. Similarly, students enrolling in the 1-year MTTM program after completing a 4-year undergraduate degree can opt to: (i) complete only coursework in the first and second semesters, (ii) pursue coursework in the first semester and research in the second semester, or (iii) engage exclusively in research throughout both semesters. This flexible structure ensures that students can tailor their MTTM journey based on their academic interests and career aspirations in the dynamic field of travel and tourism management. The program equips students with industry-relevant skills, leadership capabilities, and a strong understanding of tourism policies and sustainable practices. Graduates can explore diverse career opportunities in tourism boards, hospitality firms, airlines, travel agencies, and destination management organizations, making them well-prepared for leadership roles in the growing global tourism sector.

**Eligibility:** Graduate in any discipline from a recognized University with 50% and above aggregate marks. Students qualifying for a Bachelor's degree in Hotel Management (BHM) or Bachelor of Travel and Tourism Management (BTTM) with a minimum aggregate of 50% and above will be an added advantage. Students awaiting their final examination results can also apply.

Scores of CUET PG will be an added advantage.

Students entering a 2-year PG after a 3-year UG programme can choose to do

## I. Only coursework in the third and fourth semester

|   | Semester I  | Credit    | Semester II                                     | Credit    |
|---|---|-----------|---|-----------|
| Year-I  | Principles of Tourism Models                      | 4         | Service and Tourism Marketing                   | 4         |
|   | Finance & Accounting in Tourism                   | 4         | AI, AR, VR and E Tourism                        | 4         |
|   | Dynamics of Economics in Tourism                  | 4         | Research Methodology in Tourism                 | 4         |
|   | Tour Guiding and Visitor Interpretation           | 4         | Professional Communication                      | 4         |
|   | Advanced Itinerary & Costing                      | 4         | Tourism Business Operations                     | 4         |
|   | <b>Total Credits</b>                              | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                            | <b>20</b> |
| <b>Summer Internship (4-6 weeks)</b>  |   |           |   | <b>4</b>  |
| <i>Exit option: Students who complete two semesters of 44 credits including internship will be awarded Postgraduate Diploma in Travel &amp; Tourism Management.</i> |   |           |   |           |
|   | Semester III                                      | Credit    | Semester IV                                     | Credit    |
| Year-II   | Tourism Entrepreneurship                          | 4         | Statistical Methods and Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |
|   | Global Opportunities & Threat Analysis in Tourism | 4         | Elective III                                    | 4         |
|   | Research Ethics in Publication                    | 4         | Elective IV                                     | 4         |
|   | Elective I  | 4         | Elective V                                      | 4         |
|   | Elective II                                       | 4         | Elective VI                                     | 4         |
|   | <b>Total Credits</b>                              | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                            | <b>20</b> |

## II. Coursework in the third semester and Research in the fourth semester

|   | Semester I                              | Credit    | Semester II                     | Credit    |
|---|---|-----------|---------------------------------|-----------|
| Year-I  | Principles of Tourism Models            | 4         | Service and Tourism Marketing   | 4         |
|   | Finance & Accounting in Tourism         | 4         | AI, AR, VR and E Tourism        | 4         |
|   | Dynamics of Economics in Tourism        | 4         | Research Methodology in Tourism | 4         |
|   | Tour Guiding and Visitor Interpretation | 4         | Professional Communication      | 4         |
|   | Advanced Itinerary & Costing            | 4         | Tourism Business Operations     | 4         |
|   | <b>Total Credits</b>                    | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>            | <b>20</b> |
| <b>Summer Internship</b>  |   |           |                                 | <b>4</b>  |
| <i>Exit option: Students who complete two semesters of 44 credits including internship will be awarded Postgraduate Diploma in Travel &amp; Tourism Management.</i> |   |           |                                 |           |



|         | Semester III                                      | Credit    | Semester IV                                   | Credit    |
|---------|---|-----------|---|-----------|
| Year-II | Tourism Entrepreneurship                          | 4         | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |
|         | Global Opportunities & Threat Analysis in Tourism | 4         | Elective III                                  | 4         |
|         | Research Ethics in Publication                    | 4         | Elective IV                                   | 4         |
|         | Elective I  | 4         | Major Research                                | 8         |
|         | Elective II                                       | 4         |   |           |
|         | <b>Total Credits</b>                              | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> |

### III. Research in third semester and fourth semester

|  | Semester I  | Credit    | Semester II                                | Credit    |
|--|---|-----------|--|-----------|
| Year-I   | Principles of Tourism Models                      | 4         | Service and Tourism Marketing              | 4         |
|  | Finance & Accounting in Tourism                   | 4         | AI, AR, VR and E Tourism                   | 4         |
|  | Dynamics of Economics in Tourism                  | 4         | Research Methodology in Tourism            | 4         |
|  | Tour Guiding and Visitor Interpretation           | 4         | Professional Communication                 | 4         |
|  | Advanced Itinerary & Costing                      | 4         | Tourism Business Operations                | 4         |
|  | <b>Total Credits</b>                              | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                       | <b>20</b> |
| <b>Summer Internship</b>   |   |           |  | <b>4</b>  |
| <i>Exit option: Students who complete two semester of 44 credits including internship will be awarded Postgraduate Diploma in Travel &amp; Tourism Management.</i> |   |           |  |           |
|  | Semester III                                      | Credit    | Semester IV                                | Credit    |
| Year-II  | Tourism Entrepreneurship                          | 4         | Review Writing & Seminar in Research Topic | 4         |
|  | Global Opportunities & Threat Analysis in Tourism | 4         | Major Research                             | 16        |
|  | Research Ethics in Publication                    | 4         |  |           |
|  | Research Synopsis Development                     | 4         |  |           |
|  | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis     | 4         |  |           |
|  | <b>Total Credits</b>                              | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                       | <b>20</b> |

## Electives

| ELECTIVE     | PAPER NAME                             | CREDITS |
|--------------|--|---------|
| Elective I   | Analysis of Tourism in Northeast India | 4       |
|              | Mice Management                        | 4       |
| Elective II  | Eco – Adventure Tourism                | 4       |
|              | Tourism and Global Geography           | 4       |
| Elective III | Law & Regulatory Aspects in Tourism    | 4       |
|              | Destination Product Development        | 4       |
| Elective IV  | Special Interest Tourism (SIT)         | 4       |
|              | Conflict Resolution and Management     | 4       |
| Elective V   | Agro, Rural and Homestay Tourism       | 4       |
|              | Hospitality Services Management        | 4       |
| Elective VI  | Aviation and Cargo Management          | 4       |
|              | Assets in Travel and Leisure           | 4       |

# Master of Travel & Tourism Management

MTTM

Duration: 1 Years

Students entering a 1-year PG after a 4-year UG programme can choose to do

## I. Only coursework in the first and second semester

|        | Semester I  | Credit    | Semester II                                     | Credit    |
|--------|---|-----------|---|-----------|
| Year-I | Tourism Entrepreneurship                          | 4         | Statistical Methods and Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |
|        | Global Opportunities & Threat Analysis in Tourism | 4         | Elective III                                    | 4         |
|        | Research Ethics in Publication                    | 4         | Elective IV                                     | 4         |
|        | Elective I  | 4         | Elective V                                      | 4         |
|        | Elective II                                       | 4         | Elective VI                                     | 4         |
|        | <b>Total Credits</b>                              | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                            | <b>20</b> |

## II. Coursework in the first semester and Research in the second semester

|        | Semester I  | Credit    | Semester II                                   | Credit    |
|--------|---|-----------|---|-----------|
| Year-I | Tourism Entrepreneurship                          | 4         | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |
|        | Global Opportunities & Threat Analysis in Tourism | 4         | Elective III                                  | 4         |
|        | Research Ethics in Publication                    | 4         | Elective IV                                   | 4         |
|        | Elective I  | 4         | Major Research                                | 8         |
|        | Elective II                                       | 4         |   |           |
|        | <b>Total Credits</b>                              | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> |

## III. Research in first semester and second semester

|        | Semester I  | Credit    | Semester II                                | Credit    |
|--------|---|-----------|--|-----------|
| Year-I | Tourism Entrepreneurship                          | 4         | Review Writing & Seminar in Research Topic | 4         |
|        | Global Opportunities & Threat Analysis in Tourism | 4         | Major Research                             | 16        |
|        | Research Ethics in Publication                    | 4         |  |           |
|        | Research Synopsis Development                     | 4         |  |           |
|        | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis     | 4         |  |           |
|        | <b>Total Credits</b>                              | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                       | <b>20</b> |

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| ELECTIVE     | PAPER NAME                             | CREDITS |
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|              | Mice Management                        | 4       |
| Elective II  | Eco – Adventure Tourism                | 4       |
|              | Tourism and Global Geography           | 4       |
| Elective III | Law & Regulatory Aspects in Tourism    | 4       |
|              | Destination Product Development        | 4       |
| Elective IV  | Special Interest Tourism (SIT)         | 4       |
|              | Conflict Resolution and Management     | 4       |
| Elective V   | Agro, Rural and Homestay Tourism       | 4       |
|              | Hospitality Services Management        | 4       |
| Elective VI  | Aviation and Cargo Management          | 4       |
|              | Assets in Travel and Leisure           | 4       |

# School of Legal Studies

**About the School:** In the School of Legal Studies, we are dedicated to shaping the legal minds of tomorrow. Our primary objective is to offer a comprehensive education that covers both theoretical knowledge and practical skills. We aim to equip our students with a deep understanding of legal principles and the ability to apply them effectively in real-world scenarios.

Our rigorous curriculum, experiential learning opportunities, and professional development resources prepare students to excel in their legal careers and make meaningful contributions to society. We offer a variety of programs to suit students' interests and career goals, including BA LLB, BBA-LLB, LL.B, and LL.M, providing students with the flexibility to tailor their legal education to their specific needs.

## Programs offered:

|                         |                             |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| School of Legal Studies | BA-LL. B                    |
|                         | BBA-LL. B                   |
|                         | LL. B                       |
|                         | LL. M                       |
|                         | Ph.D. (Full Time/Part Time) |

## Bachelor of Arts

## Bachelor of Laws – BA.LL. B (Hons.)

BA-LL. B (Hons.)      Duration: 5 Years

**About BA-LL. B (Hons.) Program:** Our BA LL. B programs are designed to provide students with an integrated course that combines the study of Bachelor of Arts (BA) with Bachelor of Laws (LL. B) to provide students with a holistic understanding of humanities and the legal system.

Through a carefully crafted curriculum, the program aims to equip students with foundational knowledge in legal principles, procedures, and concepts, while fostering analytical thinking, problem-solving abilities, and legal reasoning skills. Moreover, the program seeks to instill in students a strong sense of ethical values and social responsibility, preparing them to become ethical legal professionals who uphold justice, fairness, and integrity in their practice

**Eligibility:** Pass with 50% and above aggregate marks in Class XII or equivalent in any discipline (Best of the 5 subjects including English). Scores of Common Law Admission Test (CLAT), Law School Admission Test (LSAT) and the ICFAI Law School Admission Test (ILSAT 2023) will be given weightage.

- Applicants should not be more than 21 years of age as on the day of commencement of the program. However, the changes if any made to age limitation by the BCI from time to time will be followed.
- Age relaxation for SC/ST/OBC candidates as per BCI norms

| BA-LL. B (Honors)  |                |   |        |                 |  |        |
|--------------------|----------------|---|--------|-----------------|--|--------|
| YEAR – I           | SEMESTER – I   |   | Credit | SEMESTER – II   |  | Credit |
|                    | C1             | Basic Principles of Political Theory          | 3      | C4              | Fundamentals of Sociology                    | 3      |
|                    | C2             | Intermediate Economics                        | 3      | C2              | English Language and Composition             | 3      |
|                    | M1             | Society and Social Institutions               | 3      | M2              | Constitution of India                        | 3      |
|                    | AEC 1          | Effective English Communication               | 2      | IDC2            | Economics Issue & Ideas                      | 3      |
|                    | SEC1           | Information & Communication Technology        | 3      | VAC1            | Understanding India                          | 3      |
|                    | LC 1           | Law of Torts                                  | 3      | CL 1            | Clinical-I(Professional Ethics)              | 2      |
| LIP I - 2 Credit   |                |   |        |                 |  |        |
| YEAR – II          | SEMESTER – III |   | Credit | SEMESTER – IV   |  | Credit |
|                    | SEC2           | Soft Skills                                   | 2      | CC10            | Classical Sociological Thinkers              | 3      |
|                    | CC7            | Indian Political Thought                      | 3      | CC11            | Comparative Government and Politics          | 3      |
|                    | CC8            | Family, Marriage and Kinship                  | 3      | CC12            | North East India Studies                     | 3      |
|                    | iDC3           | Eastern Himalayan Studies                     | 3      | DE 1            | General Aptitude                             | 3      |
|                    | CC9            | Meaning, Nature and Scope of Sociology        | 3      | VAC2            | Indian Knowledge System                      | 3      |
|                    | LC 2           | Constitutional Law- I                         | 3      | LC 3            | Constitutional Law- II                       | 3      |
| LIP II - 2 Credit  |                |   |        |                 |  |        |
| YEAR – III         | SEMESTER – V   |   | Credit | SEMESTER – VI   |  | Credit |
|                    | SE2            | Environmental Studies                         | 2      | LC 5            | Law of Special Contracts                     | 3      |
|                    | CC13           | International Relations                       | 3      | LC 6            | Jurisprudence                                | 3      |
|                    | CC14           | Public Administration                         | 3      | LC 7            | Company Law                                  | 3      |
|                    | CC 15          | Major Issues in Contemporary Politics         | 3      | LC 8            | Environmental Law                            | 3      |
|                    | LC4            | Law of General Contract                       | 3      | LC 9            | Family Law-I                                 | 3      |
|                    | CL2            | Clinical-II (Drafting, Pleading & Conveyance) | 2      | LC 10           | The Bharatiya Sakshya Adhiniyam, 2023        | 3      |
|                    |                |   |        | CL3             | Clinical-III (Moot Court)                    | 2      |
| LIP III - 2 Credit |                |   |        |                 |  |        |
| YEAR – IV          | SEMESTER – VII |   | Credit | SEMESTER – VIII |  | Credit |
|                    | LC 11          | Family Law-II                                 | 3      | LC 15           | Mediation and Conciliation                   | 3      |
|                    | LC 12          | Labour Law- I                                 | 3      | LC 16           | The Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 | 3      |
|                    | LC 13          | The Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023             | 3      | LC 17           | Property and Easement Law                    | 3      |
|                    | LC 14          | Civil Procedure Code                          | 3      | LC 18           | Labour Law- II                               | 3      |
|                    | LE 1           | Elective I                                    | 3      | LC 19           | Human Rights & Humanitarian Law              | 3      |
|                    | LE 2           | Elective II                                   | 3      | LC 20           | Public International Law                     | 3      |
|                    |                |   |        | CL4             | Clinical-IV (Alternate Dispute Resolution)   | 2      |
| LIP IV - 2 Credit  |                |   |        |                 |  |        |
| YEAR – V           | SEMESTER – IX  |   | Credit | SEMESTER –X     |  | Credit |
|                    | LC 21          | Law of Taxation                               | 3      | LC 22           | Administrative Law                           | 3      |
|                    | LE 4           | Elective IV                                   | 3      | LC23            | Cyber Law                                    | 3      |
|                    | LE 5           | Elective V                                    | 3      | LE 6            | Elective VI                                  | 3      |
|                    | HE 1           | I   | 3      | HE 5            | V  | 3      |
|                    | HE 2           | II  | 3      | HE 6            | VI   | 3      |
|                    | HE 3           | III   | 3      | HE 7            | VII  | 3      |
|                    |                |   |        | HE 4            | IV   | 3      |
| LIP V - 2 Credit   |                |   |        |                 |  |        |



## ELECTIVES

| Law Component (A student has to opt for one among the options)  |  |   |
|---|--|---|
| Law Elective (LE)   |  |   |
| Options   | I  | II  |
| 1   | Land Laws including Tenure and Tenancy system          | Competition Law                             |
| 2   | Agriculture Lending & Rural Infrastructure Development | Law of Bankruptcy & Insolvency              |
| 3   | Law on Micro-Finance & Micro-Insurance In India        | Law of Infrastructure Development           |
| Options   | III  | IV  |
| 1   | White Collar Crimes                                    | Private International Law                   |
| 2   | Criminal Psychology                                    | International Criminal Law & Criminal Court |
| 3   | Comparative Criminal Law                               | International Business Dispute Resolution   |
| Options   | V  | VI  |
| 1   | Citizenship & Emigration Law                           | Law on Food Safety & Security               |
| 2   | Principles of Legislation                              | NGOs & Law                                  |
| 3   | Media Law  | Public Health Law                           |
| Law Component ( A student has to opt for one among the options) |  |   |
| Honours Elective (HE)   |  |   |
| Options   | I  | II  |
| Business Law  | Law & Economics  | Law of Carriage, Transportation & Insurance |
| International Law   | Law Relating to Regional Trade Agreements (RTAs)       | Export, Import & Anti- Dumping Law          |
| Intellectual Property Rights                                    | IPR Treaties & Conventions                             | Copyright Law                               |
| Options   | III  | IV  |
| Business Law  | Law of Mergers & Governance                            | International Contracts Law                 |
| International Law   | WTO & GATT   | Maritime Law                                |
| Intellectual Property Rights                                    | Law of Patent  | Law of Trademark & Service Mark             |
| Options   | V  | VI  |
| Business Law  | Money Laundering                                       | Law of Foreign Trade & Exchange             |
| International Law   | Law of Aviation  | International Environment Law               |
| Intellectual Property Rights                                    | Traditional Knowledge, GI & Farmers' Rights            | Special Intellectual Property               |
| Options   | VII  | VIII  |
| Business Law  | E- Commerce and Law                                    | International Banking Law                   |
| International Law   | ILO & Labour Law                                       | International Criminal Law & Criminal Court |
| Intellectual Property Rights                                    | IPR Valuation & Management                             | IPR Protection & Technology                 |

# Bachelor of Business Administration

## Bachelor of Laws – BBA.LL. B (Hons.)

BBA-LL. B (Hons.)

Duration: 5 Years

**About BBA LLB (Hons.) Program:** BBA LLB program aims to blend the disciplines of business administration and law to provide students with a well-rounded understanding of both fields. Through an integrated curriculum, the program seeks to equip students with a strong foundation in legal principles and procedures, alongside essential business skills such as management, finance, marketing, and entrepreneurship.

**Eligibility:** Pass with 50% and above aggregate marks in Class XII or equivalent in any discipline (Best of the 5 subjects including English). Scores of Common Law Admission Test (CLAT), Law School Admission Test (LSAT) and the ICFAI Law School Admission Test (ILSAT 2023) will be given weightage.

- Applicants should not be more than 21 years of age as on the day of commencement of the program. However, the changes if any made to age limitation by the BCI from time to time will be followed.
- Age relaxation for SC/ST/OBC candidates as per BCI norms.

| BBA-LL. B (Honors) |                   |   |        |                 |  |        |
|--------------------|-------------------|---|--------|-----------------|--|--------|
| YEAR – I           | SEMESTER – I      |   | Credit | SEMESTER – II   |  | Credit |
|                    | AE1               | Effective English Communication               | 2      | AE2             | Academic Reading & Writing               | 2      |
|                    | CC1               | Principles of Management                      | 3      | CC4             | Marketing Management                     | 3      |
|                    | CC2               | Business Environment                          | 3      | CC5             | Retail Management                        | 3      |
|                    | SEC1              | Information & Communication Technology        | 3      | IDC2            | Introduction to Indian Economy           | 3      |
|                    | IDC1              | Introduction to Psychology                    | 3      | SEC2            | Understanding India                      | 3      |
|                    | LC 1              | Law of Torts                                  | 3      | CL-1            | Clinical-I(Professional Ethics)          | 2      |
|                    | LIP I - 2 Credit  |   |        |                 |  |        |
| YEAR – II          | SEMESTER – III    |   | Credit | SEMESTER – IV   |  | Credit |
|                    | AE3               | Soft Skills                                   | 2      | CC10            | Human Resources Management               | 3      |
|                    | CC7               | Organisational Behaviour                      | 3      | CC11            | Financial Management                     | 3      |
|                    | CC8               | Consumer Behaviour                            | 3      | M2              | Quantitative Methods                     | 3      |
|                    | M1                | Business Law                                  | 3      | GE2             | General Aptitude                         | 3      |
|                    | GE 1              | Sustainable Development                       | 3      | DE 1            | Indian Knowledge System                  | 3      |
|                    | LC 2              | Constitutional Law- I                         | 3      | LC 3            | Constitutional Law- II                   | 3      |
|                    | LIP II - 2 Credit |   |        |                 |  |        |
| YEAR – III         | SEMESTER – V      |   | Credit | SEMESTER – VI   |  | Credit |
|                    | SE2               | Environmental Studies                         | 2      | LC 5            | Law of Special Contracts                 | 3      |
|                    | CC13              | Service Marketing                             | 3      | LC 6            | Jurisprudence                            | 3      |
|                    | CC14              | International Business                        | 3      | LC 7            | Company Law                              | 3      |
|                    | DE 2              | Project Management                            | 3      | LC 8            | Environmental Law                        | 3      |
|                    | LC 4              | Law of General Contract                       | 3      | LC 9            | Family Law-I                             | 3      |
|                    | CL 2              | Clinical-II (Drafting, Pleading & Conveyance) | 2      | LC 10           | The Bharatiya Sakshya Adhiniyam, 2023    | 3      |
|                    |                   |   |        | CL 3            | Clinical-III (Moot Court)                | 2      |
| LIP III - 2 Credit |                   |   |        |                 |  |        |
| YEAR – IV          | SEMESTER – VII    |   | Credit | SEMESTER – VIII |  | Credit |
|                    | LC 11             | Family Law-II                                 | 3      | LC 15           | Mediation and Conciliation               | 3      |
|                    | LC 12             | Labour Law- I                                 | 3      | LC 16           | Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 | 3      |
|                    | LC 13             | The Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023             | 3      | LC 17           | Property and Easement Law                | 3      |
|                    | LC 14             | Civil Procedure Code                          | 3      | LC 18           | Labour Law- II                           | 3      |
|                    | LE 1              | Elective I                                    | 3      | LC 19           | Human Rights & Humanitarian Law          | 3      |
|                    | LE 2              | Elective II                                   | 3      | LC 20           | Public International Law                 | 3      |
|                    | CL 4              | Clinical-IV (Alternate Dispute Resolution)    | 2      | LE 3            | Elective III                             | 3      |
| LIP IV - 2 Credit  |                   |   |        |                 |  |        |

| YEAR – V | SEMESTER – IX    |                 | Credit | SEMESTER –X |                    | Credit |
|----------|------------------|-----------------|--------|-------------|--------------------|--------|
|          | LC 21            | Law of Taxation | 3      | LC 22       | Administrative Law | 3      |
|          | LE 4             | Elective Iv     | 3      | LC23        | Cyber Law          | 3      |
|          | LE 5             | Elective V      | 3      | LE 6        | Elective VI        | 3      |
|          | HE 1             | I               | 3      | HE 5        | V                  | 3      |
|          | HE 2             | II              | 3      | HE 6        | VI                 | 3      |
|          | HE 3             | III             | 3      | HE 7        | VII                | 3      |
|          | HE 4             | IV              | 3      | HE 8        | VIII               | 3      |
|          | LIP V - 2 Credit |                 |        |             |                    |        |

## ELECTIVES

| Law Component (A student has to opt for one among the options) |  |   |
|--|--|---|
| Law Elective (LE)  |  |   |
| Options  | I  | II  |
| 1  | Land Laws including Tenure and Tenancy system          | Competition Law                             |
| 2  | Agriculture Lending & Rural Infrastructure Development | Law of Bankruptcy & Insolvency              |
| 3  | Law on Micro-Finance & Micro-Insurance In India        | Law of Infrastructure Development           |
| Options  | III  | IV  |
| 1  | White Collar Crimes                                    | Private International Law                   |
| 2  | Criminal Psychology                                    | International Criminal Law & Criminal Court |
| 3  | Comparative Criminal Law                               | International Business Dispute Resolution   |
| Options  | V  | VI  |
| 1  | Citizenship & Emigration Law                           | Law on Food Safety & Security               |
| 2  | Principles of Legislation                              | NGOs & Law                                  |
| 3  | Media Law  | Public Health Law                           |
| Law Component (A student has to opt for one among the options) |  |   |
| Honours Elective (HE)  |  |   |
| Options  | I  | II  |
| Business Law   | Law & Economics  | Law of Carriage, Transportation & Insurance |
| International Law  | Law Relating to Regional Trade Agreements (RTAs)       | Export, Import & Anti- Dumping Law          |
| Intellectual Property Rights                                   | IPR Treaties & Conventions                             | Copyright Law                               |
| Options  | III  | IV  |
| Business Law   | Law of Mergers & Governance                            | International Contracts Law                 |
| International Law  | WTO & GATT   | Maritime Law                                |
| Intellectual Property Rights                                   | Law of Patent  | Law of Trademark & Service Mark             |
| Options  | V  | VI  |
| Business Law   | Money Laundering                                       | Law of Foreign Trade & Exchange             |
| International Law  | Law of Aviation  | International Environment Law               |
| Intellectual Property Rights                                   | Traditional Knowledge, GI & Farmers' Rights            | Special Intellectual Property               |
| Options  | VII  | VIII  |
| Business Law   | E- Commerce and Law                                    | International Banking Law                   |
| International Law  | ILO & Labour Law                                       | International Criminal Law & Criminal Court |
| Intellectual Property Rights                                   | IPR Valuation & Management                             | IPR Protection & Technology                 |

# Bachelor of Laws (LL. B)

LL. B

Duration: 3 Years

**About LL. B Program:** The LL. B program aims to prepare students for the diverse challenges of legal practice by providing practical training, moot court competitions, internships, and opportunities for interaction with legal practitioners. Our program seeks to instill in students a strong sense of ethical values and social responsibility, emphasizing the importance of upholding justice, fairness, and integrity in their practice.

**Eligibility:** Pass with 50% and above aggregate marks in Graduation or equivalent (in any discipline). Students awaiting final examination results are also eligible for admission.

- • Age limit for the LL. B Program is 30 years, as of the day of the commencement of the Semester.

**Note:** Age restriction for LL. B Program can be relaxed as per BCI guidelines.

## LL. B Program

|                                    |       | Semester I  | Credits | Semester II |  | Credits |
|------------------------------------|-------|---|---------|-------------|--|---------|
| First Year                         | AECC1 | English Language Skills                           | 2       | CC6         | Constitutional Law-II                    | 3       |
|                                    | CC1   | Jurisprudence                                     | 3       | CC7         | Law of Special Contracts                 | 3       |
|                                    | CC2   | Law of Torts and Consumer Law                     | 3       | CC8         | Company Law                              | 3       |
|                                    | CC3   | Constitutional Law- I                             | 3       | CC9         | Property and Easement Law                | 3       |
|                                    | CC4   | Law of General Contracts                          | 3       | CC10        | Family Law-I                             | 3       |
|                                    | CC5   | Environmental Law                                 | 3       | AECC2       | Environmental Science                    | 2       |
|                                    | CL1   | Clinical Law- I (Drafting, Pleading & Conveyance) | 2       | CL2         | Clinical Law- II (Moot court)            | 2       |
| Legal Internship I – (2 Credits)   |       |   |         |             |  |         |
|                                    |       | Semester III                                      | Credits | Semester IV |  | Credits |
| Second Year                        | CC11  | The Bharatiya Sakshya Adhiniyam, 2023             | 3       | CC14        | The Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023        | 3       |
|                                    | CC12  | Family Law-II                                     | 3       | CC15        | Labour Law-II                            | 3       |
|                                    | CC13  | Labour Law-I                                      | 3       | CC16        | Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 | 3       |
|                                    | EL1   | Elective I  | 3       | CC17        | Public International Law                 | 3       |
|                                    | EL2   | Elective II                                       | 3       | EL3         | Elective III(White Collar Crimes)        | 3       |
|                                    | CL3   | Clinical Law III( Professional Ethics)            | 2       | CL4         | Clinical Law IV- (ADR)                   | 2       |
|                                    | SEC1  | Introduction to Computers                         | 2       | SEC 2       | Legal Research                           | 2       |
| Legal Internship II – (2 Credits)  |       |   |         |             |  |         |
|                                    |       | Semester V  | Credits | Semester VI |  | Credits |
| Third Year                         | CC18  | Intellectual Property Rights                      | 3       | CC22        | Mediation and Conciliation               | 3       |
|                                    | CC19  | Law of Medicine and Health                        | 3       | CC23        | Human Rights & Humanitarian Law          | 3       |
|                                    | CC20  | Law of Taxation                                   | 3       | CC24        | Administrative Law                       | 3       |
|                                    | CC21  | Civil Procedure Code                              | 3       | CC25        | Cyber Law                                | 3       |
|                                    | EL4   | Elective IV                                       | 3       | CC26        | Banking and Insurance Law                | 3       |
|                                    | EL5   | Elective V  | 3       | EL6         | Elective VI                              | 3       |
| Legal Internship III – (2 Credits) |       |   |         |             |  |         |



| Law Elective (LE) |  |   |
|-------------------|--|---|
| Options           | I  | II  |
| 1                 | Land Laws including Tenure and Tenancy system          | Competition Law                             |
| 2                 | Agriculture Lending & Rural Infrastructure Development | Law of Bankruptcy & Insolvency              |
| 3                 | Law on Micro-Finance & Micro-Insurance In India        | Law of Infrastructure Development           |
| Options           | III  | IV  |
| 1                 | White Collar Crimes                                    | Private International Law                   |
| 2                 | Criminal Psychology                                    | International Criminal Law & Criminal Court |
| 3                 | Comparative Criminal Law                               | International Business Dispute Resolution   |
| Options           | V  | VI  |
| 1                 | Citizenship & Emigration Law                           | Law on Food Safety & Security               |
| 2                 | Principles of Legislation                              | NGOs & Law                                  |
| 3                 | Media Law  | Public Health Law                           |

## Master of Law (LL.M)

LL. M      Duration: 1 Year

**About LL. M Program:** The LL. M (Master of Laws) program, is a one-year intensive program designed for law graduates seeking advanced legal education and specialization. Our LL.M. program offers a comprehensive curriculum that covers a wide range of legal topics, allowing students to deepen their understanding of the law and develop expertise in specialized areas.

LLM in:

- Corporate and Commercial Laws.
- Constitutional and Administrative Law.
- Cyber Law and Cyber Security.
- Criminal Laws.
- Tax Laws

**Career prospects:** Completing an LL.M (Master of Laws) program opens up a wide array of career prospects across various sectors of the legal profession concentrates in Corporate Counsel, Government and Public Policy, Academia and Research, legal consulting, compliance and risk management, mediation and arbitration, legal journalism, or legal technology (legaltech) startups.

**Eligibility:** Graduation in Five Year Integrated / Three Year Law or equivalent Degree recognized by The Bar Council of India with a minimum of 55% Marks or equivalent CGPA

Students in their final year awaiting results can also apply.

| LL.M. (Corporate and Commercial Laws) Program Structure |         |   |         |
|---|---------|---|---------|
| Semester-I  | Credits | Semester-II   | Credits |
| • Research Methods and Legal Writing                    | 3       | • Company Law-II                                    | 2       |
| • Comparative Public Law                                | 3       | • Law on Securities and Financial Markets           | 2       |
| • Law and Justice in a Globalizing World                | 3       | • National and International Commercial Arbitration | 2       |
| • Company Law-I   |         | • Competition Law                                   | 2       |
| • Intellectual Property Law                             | 2       | • Banking and Insurance Law                         | 2       |
|   | 2       | • Dissertation                                      | 7       |

| LL.M. (Constitutional and Administrative Law) Program Structure |         |   |         |
|---|---------|---|---------|
| Semester-I  | Credits | Semester-II                                 | Credits |
| • Research Methods and Legal Writing                            | 3       | • General Principles of Administrative Law  | 2       |
| • Comparative Public Law  | 3       | • Law of Writs and Services Law             | 2       |
| • Law and Justice in a Globalizing World                        | 3       | • Comparative and Global Administrative law | 2       |
| • Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy   | 2       | • Media and Law                             | 2       |
| • Local Self-Government and Federal Governance                  | 2       | • Law on Education, Religion and Minorities | 2       |
|   |         | • Dissertation                              | 7       |

| LL.M. (Cyber Law and Cyber Security) Program Structure |         |  |         |
|--|---------|--|---------|
| Semester-I   | Credits | Semester-II  | Credits |
| • Research Methods and Legal Writing                   | 3       | • Media and Cyber                                      | 2       |
| • Comparative Public Law                               | 3       | • Global perspective on Cyber Security                 | 2       |
| • Law & Justice in a Globalizing World                 | 3       | • Cyber Security Management, Compliance and Governance | 2       |
| • Cyber Laws and Regulations in India                  | 2       | • Intellectual Property Rights and Cyberspace          | 2       |
| • E-Commerce and Consumer Protection                   | 2       | • Artificial Intelligence & Challenges                 | 2       |
|  |         | • Dissertation   | 7       |

| LL.M. (Criminal Laws) Program Structure      |         |  |         |
|--|---------|--|---------|
| Semester-I                                   | Credits | Semester-II                                  | Credits |
| • Research Methods and Legal Writing         | 3       | • International Criminal Law & Practices     | 2       |
| • Comparative Public Law                     | 3       | • Crime Investigation & Forensics            | 2       |
| • Law & Justice in a Globalizing World       | 3       | • Internal Security & Investigation Agencies | 2       |
| • Principles of Criminal Law                 | 2       | • Human Rights & Criminal Law                | 2       |
| • Criminal Justice Systems & Criminal Trials | 2       | • Victimology Restorative Justice            | 2       |
|  |         | • Dissertation                               | 7       |

| LL.M. (Tax Laws) Program Structure                    |         |  |         |
|---|---------|--|---------|
| Semester-I  | Credits | Semester-II  | Credits |
| • Research Methods and Legal Writing                  | 3       | • Indirect Tax   | 2       |
| • Comparative Public Law                              | 3       | • Corporate Taxation   | 2       |
| • Law & Justice in a Globalizing World                | 3       | • International Taxation & Transfer Pricing                  | 2       |
| • Tax Policy- Foundation of the Taxation-Tax Planning | 2       | • Tax Litigation – Procedure & Practice                      | 2       |
| • General Taxation, Direct Taxation                   | 2       | • Administration, Adjudication & Professional Responsibility | 2       |
|   |         | • Dissertation   | 7       |

*\*The program structure is tentative, subject to change (if required).*

*\*\*Specialization will be offered on attainment of a minimum specified number of students.*

# Doctor of Philosophy

Ph.D.      Duration: 3 Year

**The Ph.D. Program:** Pursuing a Ph.D. from The ICFAI University, Sikkim is a commitment to advancing knowledge and contributing to scholarly research in a chosen field. It represents the highest level of academic achievement and equips scholars with the skills necessary for rigorous research, critical thinking, and innovative problem-solving. A Ph.D. program provides a unique opportunity for individuals to engage deeply with their area of study, pushing the boundaries of existing knowledge and developing new insights. At The ICFAI University Sikkim, our Ph.D. programs are designed to foster an environment of academic excellence and intellectual growth, enabling scholars to emerge as experts and thought leaders in their respective domains.

**Ph.D. in Law:** The Ph.D. program in Law at The ICFAI University Sikkim is tailored for individuals committed to advancing legal scholarship and contributing to the development of law and justice. This program is ideal for those interested in deepening their understanding of legal principles, exploring complex legal issues, and engaging in high-quality research. The Ph.D. in Law encourages scholars to investigate a range of legal topics, from constitutional and international law to human rights, corporate law, and environmental law. By pursuing a Ph.D. in Law, candidates gain the expertise required for academic and research careers, as well as roles in policy-making, legal consultancy, and judiciary positions. The program fosters critical thinking, analytical skills, and a profound understanding of legal frameworks, empowering graduates to shape the future of law and governance.

*Note: For Ph.D. guidelines, please visit [www.iusikkim.edu.in](http://www.iusikkim.edu.in)*



# School of Liberal Arts

**About the School:** The BA Liberal Arts program offers a comprehensive and interdisciplinary education that equips students with critical thinking skills, communication abilities, and a broad understanding of various facets of society and culture. Rooted in the principles of liberal education, this program encourages exploration across multiple disciplines, fostering intellectual curiosity and versatility.

Graduates of the BA Liberal Arts program and its disciplines are well-positioned for diverse career paths in fields such as education, government, business, media, non-profit organizations, and more. Additionally, many graduates pursue advanced studies in graduate programs such as law, public policy, business administration, or social sciences.

## Programs offered (As per NEP 2020):

|                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| School of Liberal Arts | BA in Political Science                             |
|                        | BA in Political Science (Hons.)                     |
|                        | BA in Political Science (Hons. with Research)       |
|                        | BA in English                                       |
|                        | BA in English (Hons.)                               |
|                        | BA in English (Hons. with Research)                 |
|                        | BA in Sociology                                     |
|                        | BA in Sociology (Hons.)                             |
|                        | BA in Sociology (Hons. With Research)               |
|                        | BA in Economics                                     |
|                        | BA in Economics (Hons.)                             |
|                        | BA in Economics (Hons. With research)               |
|                        | BA in Public Administration                         |
|                        | BA in Public Administration (Hons.)                 |
|                        | BA in Public Administration (Hons. With research)   |
|                        | BA in International Relations                       |
|                        | BA in International Relations (Hons.)               |
|                        | BA in International Relations (Hons. With research) |
|                        | BA in Civil Services                                |
|                        | Ph.D. (Full Time/Part Time)                         |

## Bachelor of Arts in English (BA English)

BA English Duration: 3 Years

BA English (Hons.) Duration: 4 Years

BA English (Hons. with Research) Duration: 4 Years

**About BA English Program:** The BA English program immerses students in the study of literature, language, and writing, fostering a deep appreciation for the power of language and narrative. Students develop critical reading, analytical, and creative writing skills, preparing them for careers in publishing, journalism, education, and more.

The primary objectives of the BA English program is to cultivate critical thinking skills. By analyzing texts within their historical, cultural, and theoretical contexts, students learn to approach literature with a critical eye, questioning assumptions and interpreting meaning.

Graduates of the BA English program have a wide range of career opportunities available to them. Many pursue professions in fields such as publishing, journalism, education, marketing, and public relations, where strong communication skills and cultural literacy are highly valued.

**Eligibility:** Pass in 10+2 (any discipline) from a recognized board with aggregate marks 50% and above. Students awaiting their final examination results can also apply.



Scores of CUET UG will be an added advantage.

### COURSE STRUCTURE

| Sem   | Discipline<br>Specific Courses-Core  | Minor                                   | Interdisciplinary courses                          | Ability<br>Enhancement<br>Course(languages) | Skill Enhancement<br>Course//Internship/<br>Dissertation | Common<br>value-added<br>courses  | Total<br>Credit |
|---|--|---|--|---|--|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| I   | C1: Basic Principles of Political Theory (4)<br>C2: Intermediate Economics (4)     | M1: Society and Social Institutions (4) | IDC1: Approaches and Prospects of Liberal Arts (3) | AEC1: Effective English Communication (2)   | SEC1: Information & Communication Technology (3)         |                                   | 20              |
| II  | C3: English Language and Composition (4)<br>C4: Fundamentals of Sociology (4)      | M2: Constitution of India (4)           | IDC2: Economics: Issues and Ideas (3)              | AEC2: Academic Reading and Writing (2)      |  | VAC1: Understanding India (3)     | 20              |
| <b>Entry and Exit Option:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students who complete two semesters of 40 credits including Internship I of 4 credits will be awarded a UG Certificate.</li> <li>Students who wish to continue second year will be exempted from undergoing the internship program.</li> </ul> <b>Entry option shall be according to University norms.</b> <b>Program Outcome:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students will acquire a general knowledge of Liberal Arts.</li> <li>Students will be adept at using English in current technological times.</li> <li>Students will be ready for employment opportunities such as sales persons, academic counselor, content writer etc.</li> </ul>   |  |   |  |   |  |                                   |                 |
| III   | C5: Introduction to History of English Literature(4)<br>C6: Aspects of Language(4) | M3: Folklore Studies (4)                | IDC3: Eastern Himalayan Studies (3)                | AEC3: Soft Skills (2)                       | SEC2: Sustainable Development (3)                        |                                   | 20              |
| IV  | C7: Introduction to Poetry and Drama(4)<br>C8: Classical Criticism (4)             | M4: Diaspora Studies (4)                |  | AEC4: Current Affairs (2)                   | SEC3: General Aptitude (3)                               | VAC2: Indian Knowledge System (3) | 20              |
| <b>Entry and Exit Option:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students who complete four semesters of 80 credits including Internship II of 4 credits will be awarded the UG Diploma.</li> <li>Students who wish to continue the third year should go for Internship of minimum 2 credits.</li> <li>Entry option shall be according to University norms.</li> </ul> <b>Program Outcome:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students will be able to enhance their soft skills and facilitate an all-round personality development.</li> <li>Students will be able to understand foundational concepts of their core courses.</li> <li>Students can prepare for jobs in the industrial sectors such as aviation, data analysts, hospitality and tourism.</li> </ul> |  |   |  |   |  |                                   |                 |
| <b>Summer Internship – 2 Credits</b>  |  |   |  |   |  |                                   |                 |

| Sem  | Discipline<br>Specific Courses-Core   | Minor   | Interdisciplinary courses | Ability<br>Enhancement<br>Course(languages) | Skill Enhancement<br>Course//Internship/<br>Dissertation | Common<br>value-added<br>courses | Total<br>Credit |
|--|---|---|---------------------------|---|--|----------------------------------|-----------------|
| V  | C9: Elizabethan Period Literature (4)<br>C10: Augustan Period Literature (4)<br>C11: Romantic Period Literature (4)                                   | Min 5: Women's<br>Studies (4)                 |                           |   |  | Environmental<br>Studies (2)     | 20              |
| VI   | C12: Victorian Period Literature (4)<br>C13: Twentieth Century Literature (4)<br>C14: Indian English Literature (4)<br>C15: North East Literature (4) | Min 6: Creative<br>Writing (4)                |                           |   |  |                                  | 20              |
| <b>Total</b>   | <b>60 Credit</b>  | <b>24 Credit</b>                              | <b>9 Credit</b>           | <b>8 Credit</b>                             | <b>11 Credit</b>   | <b>8 credit</b>                  | <b>120</b>      |
| <b>Entry and Exit Option:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students who complete six semesters of 120 credits will be awarded a Bachelor's Degree in their major discipline.</li> <li>Students who wish to continue their fourth year will be awarded Honours or Honours with Research in their major discipline. However, students need to secure 75% and above in the first six semesters to undertake Honours with Research in their major discipline.</li> </ul> <b>Program Outcome:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students will be able to demonstrate their ability in their respective fields.</li> <li>Students may appear for different competitive examinations such as civil service, banking and may join corporate sectors too.</li> <li>Students can opt for higher studies or embark on a career in entrepreneurship.</li> </ul> |   |   |                           |   |  |                                  |                 |
| VII  | C16: Postcolonial Literature (4)<br>C17: Dalit Literature (4)<br>C18: Literary Theory and Criticism (4)<br>C19: Research Methodology (4)              | M7: Media and<br>Communication<br>Studies (4) |                           |   |  |                                  | 20              |
| VIII   | C20: Critical Theory (4)<br>C21: Literature and Environment (4)<br>C22: American Literature (4)<br>C23: Indian Literature and Translation (4)         | M8: Literatures of<br>the Diaspora (4)        |                           |   | Dissertation/Research (12)<br>Or<br>C21, C22 and C23     |                                  | 20              |
| Students who complete eight semesters with 160 credits will be awarded Honours or Honours with Research in their major discipline . <b>Program Outcome:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students will have a comprehensive understanding and expertise of their major discipline.</li> <li>Students will be eligible to apply for National Eligibility Test (NET) and State Level Eligibility Test (SLET) which will provide them an opportunity for college and university level teaching.</li> <li>Students securing 75% or 7.5 CGPA and above will be eligible to apply for PhD program in their respective discipline fulfilling the guidelines issued by the competent authority from time to time.</li> </ul>   |   |   |                           |   |  |                                  |                 |

# Bachelor of Arts in Sociology (BA Sociology)

|                                    |                   |
|------------------------------------|-------------------|
| BA Sociology                       | Duration: 3 Years |
| BA Sociology (Hons.)               | Duration: 4 Years |
| BA Sociology (Hons. with Research) | Duration: 4 Years |

**About BA Sociology Program:** Our BA Sociology program offers students a comprehensive exploration of society, social behavior, and social institutions. Through a combination of theoretical frameworks, research methodologies, and empirical analysis, students gain a deeper understanding of the complexities of human interaction and social structures. The program emphasizes critical thinking, cultural awareness, and the application of sociological principles to real-world issues, preparing students for diverse career paths and further academic pursuits.

The primary objective of the BA Sociology program is to foster a critical understanding of society. Additionally, the program aims to develop student's research skills, equipping them with the tools to conduct empirical research, collect data, and interpret findings. By engaging in research projects, internships, and experiential learning opportunities, students gain practical experience and apply sociological concepts to address contemporary social issues.

**Eligibility:** Pass in 10+2 (any discipline) from a recognized board with aggregate marks 50% and above. Students awaiting their final examination results can also apply.

Scores of CUET UG will be an added advantage.

## COURSE STRUCTURE

| Sem | Discipline<br>Specific Courses- Core   | Minor                                   | Interdisciplinary courses                          | Ability<br>Enhancement<br>Course(languages) | Skill Enhancement<br>Course//Internship/<br>Dissertation | Common value-<br>added courses | Total<br>Credit |
|-----|--|---|--|---|--|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| I   | C1: Basic Principles of Political Theory (4)<br>C2: Intermediate Economics (4) | M1: Society and Social Institutions (4) | IDC1: Approaches and Prospects of Liberal Arts (3) | AEC1: Effective English Communication (2)   | SEC1: Information & Communication Technology (3)         |                                | 20              |
| II  | C3: English Language and Composition (4)<br>C4: Fundamentals of Sociology (4)  | M2: Constitution of India (4)           | IDC2: Economics: Issues and Ideas (3)              | AEC2: Academic Reading and Writing (2)      |  | VAC1: Understanding India (3)  | 20              |

### Entry and Exit Option:

- Students who complete two semesters of 40 credits including Internship I of 4 credits will be awarded a UG Certificate.
- Students who wish to continue second year will be exempted from undergoing the internship program.

**Entry option shall be according to university norms.**

### Program Outcome:

- Students will be aware about Liberal Arts and will acquire the knowledge of the same.
- Students will become competent to understand the society and Sociology.
- Students will be able to enter into job market as an academic counsellor as well as tutors.

| Sem   | Discipline<br>Specific Courses- Core  | Minor   | Interdisciplinary courses           | Ability<br>Enhancement<br>Course(languages) | Skill Enhancement<br>Course//Internship/<br>Dissertation | Common value-<br>added courses    | Total<br>Credit |
|---|---|---|-------------------------------------|---|--|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| III   | C5: Meaning, Nature and Scope of Sociology (4)<br>C6: Family, Marriage and Kinship (4)  | M3: Sikkim Studies (4)                                | IDC3: Eastern Himalayan Studies (3) | AEC3: Soft Skills (2)                       | SEC2: Sustainable Development (3)                        |                                   | 20              |
| IV  | C7: Classical Sociological Thinkers (4)<br>C8: Social Stratifications (4)   | M4: North East India Studies (4)                      |                                     | AEC4: Current Affairs (2)                   | SEC3: General Aptitude (3)                               | VAC2: Indian Knowledge System (3) | 20              |
| <b>Entry and Exit Option:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students who complete four semesters of 80 credits including Internship II of 4 credits will be awarded the UG Diploma.</li> <li>Students who wish to continue the third year should go for Internship of minimum 2 credits.</li> </ul> <b>Entry option shall be according to university norms.</b> <b>Program Outcome:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students will be able to become social counsellor</li> <li>Students will be able to understand foundational concepts of their core courses.</li> <li>Students can prepare for jobs in the industrial sectors such as aviation, data analysts, hospitality and tourism.</li> </ul> |   |   |                                     |   |  |                                   |                 |
| <b>Summer Internship – 2 Credits</b>  |   |   |                                     |   |  |                                   |                 |
| V   | C 9: Modern Sociological Thinkers (4)<br>C10: Gender and Cultural Studies (4)<br>C11: Tribes in India (4)   | M5: Religion and Society and India (4)                |                                     |   |  | Environmental Studies (2)         | 20              |
| VI  | C12: Indian Society: Issues and Challenges (4)<br>C13: Rural and Urban Continuum in India (4)<br>C14: Population and Society (4)<br>C-15: Crime and Society (4) | Min 6: Subaltern Perspectives on Indian Community (4) |                                     |   |  |                                   | 20              |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>60 Credit</b>  | <b>24 Credit</b>                                      | <b>9 Credit</b>                     | <b>8 Credit</b>                             | <b>11 Credit</b>   | <b>8 credit</b>                   | <b>120</b>      |



| Sem  | Discipline<br>Specific Courses- Core   | Minor                          | Interdisciplinary courses | Ability<br>Enhancement<br>Course(languages) | Skill Enhancement<br>Course//Internship/<br>Dissertation         | Common value-<br>added courses | Total<br>Credit |
|--|--|--------------------------------|---------------------------|---|--|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| <b>Entry and Exit Option:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students who complete six semesters of 120 credits will be awarded a Bachelor's Degree in their major discipline.</li> <li>Students who wish to continue their 4th year will be awarded honors or honors with research in their major discipline. However, students need to secure 75% and above in the first 6th semesters to undertake honors with research in their major discipline.</li> </ul> <b>Program Outcome:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students will be able to demonstrate their ability in their respective fields.</li> <li>Students may appear for different competitive examinations such as civil service, banking and may join corporate sectors too.</li> <li>Students can opt for higher studies or embark on a career in entrepreneurship.</li> </ul> |  |                                |                           |   |  |                                |                 |
| VII  | C-16: Diaspora and Transnational Communities of India (4)<br>C-17: Social Change and Development in India (4)<br>C-18: Ethnicity and Identity in Indian Society (4)<br>C-19 : Research Methodology (4) | M7: Folk Studies of Sikkim (4) |                           |   |  |                                | 20              |
| VIII   | C20: Cultural Studies in Eastern Himalayan regions (4)<br>C21: Macro-Micro Sociological Thinkers (4)<br>C22: Society, culture and personality (4)<br>C23: Industrialization and Urbanization in India  | M8: Disaster Management (4)    |                           |   | Dissertation/<br>Research (12)<br><br>Or<br><br>C21, C22 and C23 |                                | 20              |
| Students who complete 8th semester with 160 credits will be awarded honors or honors with research in their major discipline. <b>Program Outcome:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students will have a comprehensive understanding and expertise of their respective courses.</li> <li>Students will be eligible to apply for National Eligibility Test (NET) and State Level Eligibility Test (SLET) which will provide them an opportunity for college and university level teaching.</li> <li>Students securing 75% or 7.5 CGPA and above will be eligible to apply for PhD programs in their respective discipline fulfilling the guidelines issued by the competent authority from time to time.</li> </ul>  |  |                                |                           |   |  |                                |                 |

# Bachelor of Arts in Economics (BA Economics)

|                                    |                   |
|------------------------------------|-------------------|
| BA Economics                       | Duration: 3 Years |
| BA Economics (Hons.)               | Duration: 4 Years |
| BA Economics (Hons. with Research) | Duration: 4 Years |

**About BA Economics:** Our BA Economics program offers students a comprehensive understanding of economic principles, theories, and methodologies. Through coursework in microeconomics, macroeconomics, econometrics, and economic analysis, students develop analytical skills and critical thinking abilities essential for understanding complex economic phenomena. The program emphasizes the application of economic theory to real-world issues, preparing students for diverse career paths and further academic pursuits.

The primary objective of the BA economy program is to provide students with a solid foundation in economic theory and analysis. Through the study of microeconomic principles (individual behavior and markets) and macroeconomic principles (national and global economies), students learn to analyze economic systems, understand market dynamics, and evaluate economic policies.

Graduates of the BA Economics program have a wide range of career opportunities available to them. Many pursue professions in fields such as finance, banking, consulting, government, and international development, where their analytical skills and understanding of economic principles are highly valued.

**Eligibility:** Pass in 10+2 (any discipline) from a recognized board with aggregate marks 50% and above. Students awaiting their final examination results can also apply.

Scores of CUET UG will be an added advantage.

## COURSE STRUCTURE

| Sem | Discipline<br>Specific Courses-Core  | Minor                                   | Interdisciplinary<br>courses                       | Ability<br>Enhancement Course<br>(languages) | Skill Enhancement<br>Course//Internship/<br>Dissertation | Common value-<br>added courses | Total<br>Credit |
|-----|--|---|--|--|--|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| I   | C1: Basic Principles of Political Theory (4)<br>C2: Intermediate Economics (4) | M1: Society and Social Institutions (4) | IDC1: Approaches and Prospects of Liberal Arts (3) | AEC1: Effective English Communication (2)    | SEC1: Information & Communication Technology (3)         |                                | 20              |
| II  | C3: English Language and Composition (4)<br>C4: Fundamentals of Sociology (4)  | M2: Constitution of India (4)           | IDC2: Economics: Issues and Ideas (3)              | AEC2: Academic Reading and Writing (2)       |  | VAC1: Understanding India (3)  | 20              |

### Entry and Exit Option:

- Students who complete two semesters of 40 credits including Internship I of 4 credits will be awarded a UG Certificate.
- Students who wish to continue second year will be exempted from undergoing the internship program.

### Entry option shall be according to University norms

### Program Outcome:

- Students will acquire a general knowledge of Liberal Arts.
- Students will be adept at using English in current technological times.
- Students will be ready for employment opportunities such as sales persons, academic counselor, content writer etc.

| Sem | Discipline<br>Specific Courses-Core                      | Minor   | Interdisciplinary<br>courses              | Ability<br>Enhancement Course<br>(languages) | Skill Enhancement<br>Course//Internship/<br>Dissertation | Common value-<br>added courses          | Total<br>Credit |
|-----|--|---|---|--|--|---|-----------------|
| III | C5: Micro Economics I (4)<br>C6: Macro Economics I (4)   | M3: Mathematical<br>Methods for<br>Economics I(4)   | IDC3: Eastern<br>Himalayan Studies<br>(3) | AEC3: Soft Skills (2)                        | SEC2: Sustainable<br>Development (3)                     |   | 20              |
| IV  | C7: Micro Economics II (4)<br>C8: Macro Economics II (4) | M4: Mathematical<br>Methods for<br>Economics II (4) |   | AEC4: Current Affairs (2)                    | SEC3: General<br>Aptitude (3)                            | VAC2: Indian<br>Knowledge System<br>(3) | 20              |

**Entry and Exit Option:**

- Students who complete four semesters of 80 credits including Internship II of 4 credits will be awarded the UG Diploma.
- Students who wish to continue the third year should go for Internship of minimum 2 credits.
- Entry option shall be according to University norms.

**Program Outcome:**

1. Students will be able to demonstrate their proficiency in fundamental micro and macroeconomics principles and their applications.
2. Students will be able to evaluate the efficiency in various economic systems.
3. Students can prepare for jobs in the industrial sectors such as, junior data analysts, sale assistant, market research assistant etc.

**Summer Internship – 2 Credits**

|              |   |  |                 |                 |                  |                              |            |
|--------------|---|--|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------------------|------------|
| V            | C 9: History of Economic Thought (4)<br>C10: Econometrics I(4)<br>C11: International Economics (4)                          | Min 5: Statistical<br>Methods For<br>Economics I (4) |                 |                 |                  | Environmental<br>Studies (2) | 20         |
| VI           | C12: Econometrics II (4)<br>C13: Indian Economy (4)<br>C14: Poverty and Inequality (4)<br>C-15: Environmental Economics (4) | Min 6: Statistical Methods<br>for Economics II (4)   |                 |                 |                  |                              | 20         |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>60 Credit</b>  | <b>24 Credit</b>                                     | <b>9 Credit</b> | <b>8 Credit</b> | <b>11 Credit</b> | <b>8 credit</b>              | <b>120</b> |

**Entry and Exit Option:**

- Students who complete six semesters of 120 credits will be awarded a Bachelor's Degree in their major discipline.
- Students who wish to continue their fourth year will be awarded Honours or Honours with Research in their major discipline. However, students need to secure 75% and above in the first six semesters to undertake Honours with Research in their major discipline.

**Program Outcome:**

- Students will be able to develop advance statistical skills in statistics and econometrics to analyze economic data effectively for informed prediction.
- Students will be able to explore the economic implication of environmental policies and challenges and gain understanding of global trade dynamic and policy shaping international trade.
- Students can opt for higher studies or embark on a career in entrepreneurship, cost estimator, market economist, financial planner, statistical analyst etc.

| Sem  | Discipline<br>Specific Courses-Core  | Minor                                      | Interdisciplinary<br>courses | Ability<br>Enhancement Course<br>(languages) | Skill Enhancement<br>Course//Internship/<br>Dissertation | Common value-<br>added courses | Total<br>Credit |
|------|--|--|------------------------------|--|--|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| VII  | C-16: Financial Economics (4)<br>C-17: Development Economics (4)<br>C-18: Time Series Analysis (4)<br>C-19 : Research Methodology (4)                            | Min 7:Banking and Market<br>Regulation (4) |                              |  |  |                                | 20              |
| VIII | C-20: Behavioral Economics (4)<br>C21: Public Economics (4)<br>C22: Recent Theories in Economic Growth<br>and Development (4)<br>C23: Agricultural Economics (4) | Min8: Industrial<br>Organization (4)       |                              |  | Dissertation/Research<br>(12)<br>Or<br>C21, C22 and C23  |                                | 20              |

Students who complete eight semesters with 160 credits will be awarded Honours or Honours with Research in their major discipline.

**Program Outcome:**

1. Students will be eligible to apply for National Eligibility Test (NET) and State Level Eligibility Test (SLET) which will provide them an opportunity for college and university level teaching.
2. Students securing 75% or 7.5 CGPA and above will be eligible to apply for PhD program in their respective discipline fulfilling the guidelines issued by the competent authority from time to time.
3. Student will be able to demonstrate advance proficiency in economic theory and quantitative analysis.
4. Student will possess the ability to critically evaluate complex economic issues and formulate evidence based recommendation for decision and policy making.
5. Student may choose their carrier as economic policy advisor, tax analyst, project coordinator, econometrician, corporate social responsibility analyst, economic blogger etc.



# Bachelor of Arts in Political Science (BA Political Science)

BA Political Science Duration: 3 Years

BA Political Science (Hons.) Duration: 4 Years

BA Political Science (Hons. with Research) Duration: 4 Years

**About BA Political Science:** Our BA Political Science program offers students a comprehensive understanding of political systems, theories, and institutions. Through coursework in political theory, comparative politics, international relations, and public policy, students gain insights into the dynamics of power, governance, and global affairs. The program emphasizes critical analysis, research skills, and civic engagement, preparing students for diverse career paths and further academic pursuits.

BA Political Science program is to provide students with a solid foundation in political theory and analysis. Through the study of political ideologies, systems of government, and political behavior, students learn to analyze political phenomena, understand political institutions, and evaluate public policies. Additionally, the program aims to develop students' research skills, equipping them with the tools to conduct empirical research, analyze political data, and interpret findings.

Graduates of the BA Political Science program have a wide range of career opportunities available to them. Many pursue professions in fields such as government, diplomacy, law, public administration, and advocacy, where their analytical skills and understanding of political dynamics are highly valued.

**Eligibility:** Pass in 10+2 (any discipline) from a recognized board with aggregate marks 50% and above. Students awaiting their final examination results can also apply.

Scores of CUET UG will be an added advantage.

## COURSE STRUCTURE

| Sem | Discipline Specific Courses-Core   | Minor                                   | Interdisciplinary courses                          | Ability Enhancement Course(languages)     | Skill Enhancement Course/ Internship/Dissertation | Common value-added courses    | Total Credit |
|-----|--|---|--|---|---|-------------------------------|--------------|
| I   | C1: Basic Principles of Political Theory (4)<br>C2: Intermediate Economics (4) | M1: Society and Social Institutions (4) | IDC1: Approaches and Prospects of Liberal Arts (3) | AEC1: Effective English Communication (2) | SEC1: Information & Communication Technology (3)  |                               | 20           |
| II  | C3: English Language and Composition (4)<br>C4: Fundamentals of Sociology (4)  | M2: Constitution of India (4)           | IDC2: Economics: Issues and Ideas (3)              | AEC2: Academic Reading and Writing (2)    |   | VAC1: Understanding India (3) | 20           |

### Entry and Exit Option:

- Students who complete two semesters of 40 credits including Internship I of 4 credits will be awarded a UG Certificate.
- Students who wish to continue second year will be exempted from undergoing the internship program.

**Entry option shall be according to University norms.**

### Program Outcome:

- Students will acquire a general knowledge of Liberal Arts.
- Students will be adept at using English in current technological times.
- Students will be ready for employment opportunities such as sales persons, academic counselor, content writer etc.

| Sem | Discipline Specific Courses-Core   | Minor  | Interdisciplinary courses           | Ability Enhancement Course(languages) | Skill Enhancement Course/ Internship/Dissertation | Common value-added courses        | Total Credit |
|-----|--|--|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| III | C5: Global Politics (4)<br>C6: Indian Political Thought (4)                      | M3: Human Rights (4)                               | IDC3: Eastern Himalayan Studies (3) | AEC3: Soft Skills (2)                 | SEC2: Sustainable Development (3)                 |                                   | 20           |
| IV  | C7: Western Political Thought (4)<br>C8: Comparative Government and Politics (4) | M4: Indian Foreign Policy in Globalizing World (4) |                                     | AEC4: Current Affairs (2)             | SEC3: General Aptitude (3)                        | VAC2: Indian Knowledge System (3) | 20           |

**Entry and Exit Option:**

- Students who complete four semesters of 80 credits including Internship II of 4 credits will be awarded the UG Diploma.
- Students who wish to continue the third year should go for Internship of minimum 2 credits.

**Entry option shall be according to University norms.**

**Program Outcome:**

1. Students will be able to enhance their soft skills and facilitate an all-round personality development.
2. Students will be able to understand foundational concepts of their core courses.
3. Students can prepare for jobs in the industrial sectors such as aviation, data analysts, hospitality and tourism.

**Summer Internship – 2 Credits**

|              |   |   |                 |                 |                  |                           |            |
|--------------|---|---|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|---------------------------|------------|
| V            | C9: International Relations (4)<br>C10: Public Administration (4)<br>C11: Major Issues in Contemporary Politics (4)   | Min 5: Globalization: Issues and Perspectives (4) |                 |                 |                  | Environmental Studies (2) | 20         |
| VI           | C12: United Nations and Global Conflicts (4)<br>C13: Evolution of Administration and Public Policy in India (4)<br>C14: International Political Economy (4)<br>C15: Political Sociology (4) | Min 6: Politics in Northeast India (4)            |                 |                 |                  |                           | 20         |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>60 Credit</b>  | <b>24 Credit</b>                                  | <b>9 Credit</b> | <b>8 Credit</b> | <b>11 Credit</b> | <b>8 credit</b>           | <b>120</b> |

**Entry and Exit Option:**

- Students who complete six semesters of 120 credits will be awarded a Bachelor's Degree in their major discipline.
- Students who wish to continue their fourth year will be awarded Honours or Honours with Research in their major discipline. However, students need to secure 75% and above in the first six semesters to undertake Honours with Research in their major discipline.

**Program Outcome:**

1. Students will be able to demonstrate their ability in the respective fields.
2. Students may appear for different competitive examinations such as civil service, banking and may join corporate sectors too.
3. Students can opt for higher studies or embark on a career in entrepreneurship.

| Sem  | Discipline Specific Courses-Core  | Minor                               | Interdisciplinary courses | Ability Enhancement Course(languages) | Skill Enhancement Course/ Internship/Dissertation    | Common value-added courses | Total Credit |
|------|---|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|----------------------------|--------------|
| VII  | C16: Ethics and Politics (4)<br>C17: Politics in India: Structures and Processes (4)<br>C18: Theories of International Relations (4)<br>C19: Research Methodology (4) | M7: International Organizations (4) |                           |                                       |  |                            | 20           |
| VIII | C20: Political Theory: Concepts and Debates (4)<br>C21: Political Geography (4)<br>C22: International Security Studies (4)<br>C23: Global Environmental Politics (4)  | M8: Gender and Politics (4)         |                           |                                       | Dissertation/Research (12)<br>Or<br>C21, C22 and C23 |                            | 20           |

Students who complete eight semesters with 160 credits will be awarded Honours or Honours with Research in their major discipline.

**Program Outcome:**

- Students will have a comprehensive understanding and expertise of their major discipline.
- Students will be eligible to apply for National Eligibility Test (NET) and State Level Eligibility Test (SLET) which will provide them an opportunity for college and university level teaching.
- Students securing 75% or 7.5 CGPA and above will be eligible to apply for PhD program fulfilling the guidelines issued by the competent authority from time to time.



# Bachelor of Arts in Public Administration (BA Public Administration)

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|--|-------------------|
| BA Public Administration                       | Duration: 3 Years |
| BA Public Administration (Hons.)               | Duration: 4 Years |
| BA Public Administration (Hons. with Research) | Duration: 4 Years |

**About Bachelor of Arts in Public Administration:** The Bachelor of Arts in Public Administration is an undergraduate degree program that focuses on the management and operation of government agencies, non-profit organizations, and public sector institutions. The program equips students with the knowledge and skills needed to effectively manage public resources, understand government policies, and navigate the complexities of public governance.

Students in this program study subjects such as political science, public policy, management theory, ethics, economics, and law, all of which are essential for working in the public sector. The curriculum typically emphasizes leadership, organizational behavior, decision-making processes, and public service ethics, preparing students for roles in government administration and public affairs.

Graduates of the program are prepared for careers in local, state, and federal government positions, as well as in non-governmental organizations (NGOs) or international organizations. They may pursue roles in public policy analysis, city planning, public relations, or public finance, with the goal of improving public systems and services.

**Eligibility:** Pass in 10+2 (any discipline) from a recognized board with aggregate marks 50% and above. Students awaiting their final examination results can also apply.

Scores of CUET UG will be an added advantage.

## COURSE STRUCTURE

| Sem | Discipline Specific Courses-Core   | Minor                                   | Interdisciplinary courses                          | Ability Enhancement Course(languages)     | Skill Enhancement Course/ Internship/Dissertation | Common value-added courses    | Total Credit |
|-----|--|---|--|---|---|-------------------------------|--------------|
| I   | C1: Basic Principles of Political Theory (4)<br>C2: Intermediate Economics (4) | M1: Society and Social Institutions (4) | IDC1: Approaches and Prospects of Liberal Arts (3) | AEC1: Effective English Communication (2) | SEC1: Information & Communication Technology (3)  |                               | 20           |
| II  | C3: English Language and Composition (4)<br>C4: Fundamentals of Sociology (4)  | M2: Constitution of India (4)           | IDC2: Economics: Issues and Ideas (3)              | AEC2: Academic Reading and Writing (2)    |   | VAC1: Understanding India (3) | 20           |

### Entry and Exit Option:

- Students who complete two semesters of 40 credits including Internship I of 4 credits will be awarded a UG Certificate.
- Students who wish to continue second year will be exempted from undergoing the internship program.

**Entry option shall be according to University norms.**

### Program Outcome:

- Students will acquire a general knowledge of Liberal Arts.
- Students will be adept at using English in current technological times.
- Students will be ready for employment opportunities such as sales persons, academic counselor, content writer etc.



| Sem | Discipline Specific Courses-Core  | Minor                         | Interdisciplinary courses           | Ability Enhancement Course(languages) | Skill Enhancement Course/ Internship/Dissertation | Common value-added courses        | Total Credit |
|-----|---|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| III | C5: Introduction to Public Administration (4)<br>C6: Indian Political Thought (4) | M3: Human Rights (4)          | IDC3: Eastern Himalayan Studies (3) | AEC3: Soft Skills (2)                 | SEC2: Sustainable Development (3)                 |                                   | 20           |
| IV  | C7: Western Political Thought (4)<br>C8: Comparative Government and Politics (4)  | M4: Indian Administration (4) |                                     | AEC4: Current Affairs (2)             | SEC3: General Aptitude (3)                        | VAC2: Indian Knowledge System (3) | 20           |

**Entry and Exit Option:**

- Students who complete four semesters of 80 credits including Internship II of 4 credits will be awarded the UG Diploma.
- Students who wish to continue the third year should go for Internship of minimum 2 credits.

**Entry option shall be according to University norms.**

**Program Outcome:**

1. Students will be able to enhance their soft skills and facilitate an all-round personality development.
2. Students will be able to understand foundational concepts of their core courses.
3. Students can prepare for jobs in the industrial sectors such as aviation, data analysts, hospitality and tourism.

**Summer Internship – 2 Credits**

|              |   |  |                 |                 |                  |                           |            |
|--------------|---|--|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|---------------------------|------------|
| V            | C9: International Relations (4)<br>C10: Public Policy and Governance (4)<br>C11: Major Issues in Contemporary Politics (4)  | Min 5: Comparative Public Administration (4) |                 |                 |                  | Environmental Studies (2) | 20         |
| VI           | C12: Administrative Theory (4)<br>C13: Evolution of Administration and Public Policy in India (4)<br>C14: Public Administration and Human Resource Management (4)<br>C15: Political Sociology (4) | Min6: Public Finance (4)                     |                 |                 |                  |                           | 20         |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>60 Credit</b>  | <b>24 Credit</b>                             | <b>9 Credit</b> | <b>8 Credit</b> | <b>11 Credit</b> | <b>8 credit</b>           | <b>120</b> |

**Entry and Exit Option:**

- Students who complete six semesters of 120 credits will be awarded a Bachelor's Degree in their major discipline.
- Students who wish to continue their fourth year will be awarded Honours or Honours with Research in their major discipline. However, students need to secure 75% and above in the first six semesters to undertake Honours with Research in their major discipline.

**Program Outcome:**

1. Students will be able to demonstrate their ability in the respective fields.
2. Students may appear for different competitive examinations such as civil service, banking and may join corporate sectors too.
3. Students can opt for higher studies or embark on a career in entrepreneurship.

| Sem  | Discipline Specific Courses-Core   | Minor  | Interdisciplinary courses | Ability Enhancement Course(languages) | Skill Enhancement Course/ Internship/Dissertation    | Common value-added courses | Total Credit |
|------|--|--|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|----------------------------|--------------|
| VII  | C16: Administrative Ethics and Accountability (4)<br>C17: Politics in India: Structures and Processes (4)<br>C18: Theories of International Relations (4)<br>C19: Research Methodology (4) | M7: Administration at the Grassroots Level (4) |                           |                                       |  |                            | 20           |
| VIII | C20: Political Theory: Concepts and Debates (4)<br>C21: Political Geography (4)<br>C22: Global Public Administration (4)<br>C23: Administrative Reforms and Innovations (4)                | M8: E-Governance (4)                           |                           |                                       | Dissertation/Research (12)<br>Or<br>C21, C22 and C23 |                            | 20           |

Students who complete eight semesters with 160 credits will be awarded Honours or Honours with Research in their major discipline.

**Program Outcome:**

1. Students will have a comprehensive understanding and expertise of their major discipline.
2. Students will be eligible to apply for National Eligibility Test (NET) and State Level Eligibility Test (SLET) which will provide them an opportunity for college and university level teaching.
3. Students securing 75% or 7.5 CGPA and above will be eligible to apply for PhD program fulfilling the guidelines issued by the competent authority from time to time.



# Bachelor of Arts in International Relations (BA International Relations)

BA International Relations

Duration: 3 Years

BA International Relations (Hons.)

Duration: 4 Years

BA International Relations (Hons. with Research)

Duration: 4 Years

**About Bachelor of Arts in International Relations:** The BA in International Relations program offers students a comprehensive understanding of the political, economic, social, and cultural interactions between countries and international actors. This Program is a broad interdisciplinary undergraduate degree program encompassing general education, electives and major area of study courses, a range of disciplines, from English language and history to Philosophy and Psychology, enabling you to deepen your understanding of Arts and Humanities.

A B.A. in International Relations offers a comprehensive understanding of global affairs, prepares students for diverse career opportunities, fosters intercultural competence, and encourages critical engagement with pressing global challenges. It is an ideal choice for students interested in pursuing careers with an international focus and making a positive impact on the world. political systems, theories, and institutions. Through coursework in political theory, comparative politics, international relations, and public policy, students gain insights into the dynamics of power, governance, and global affairs. The program emphasizes critical analysis, research skills, and civic engagement, preparing students for diverse career paths and further academic pursuits.

A BA in International Relations offers a broad scope, preparing graduates for careers in government, diplomacy, NGOs, journalism, academia, and international organizations, with opportunities in fields like policy analysis, intelligence, and public relations.

**Eligibility:** Pass in 10+2 (any discipline) from a recognized board with aggregate marks 50% and above. Students awaiting their final examination results can also apply.

Scores of CUET UG will be an added advantage.

## COURSE STRUCTURE

| Sem | Discipline Specific Courses-Core   | Minor                                   | Interdisciplinary courses                          | Ability Enhancement Course(languages)     | Skill Enhancement Course/ Internship/Dissertation | Common value-added courses    | Total Credit |
|-----|--|---|--|---|---|-------------------------------|--------------|
| I   | C1: Basic Principles of Political Theory (4)<br>C2: Intermediate Economics (4) | M1: Society and Social Institutions (4) | IDC1: Approaches and Prospects of Liberal Arts (3) | AEC1: Effective English Communication (2) | SEC1: Information & Communication Technology (3)  |                               | 20           |
| II  | C3:English Language and Composition (4)<br>C4:Fundamentals of Sociology (4)    | M2: Constitution of India (4)           | IDC2: Economics: Issues and Ideas (3)              | AEC2: Academic Reading and Writing (2)    |   | VAC1: Understanding India (3) | 20           |

### Entry and Exit Option:

- Students who complete two semesters of 40 credits including Internship I of 4 credits will be awarded a UG Certificate.
- Students who wish to continue second year will be exempted from undergoing the internship program.

**Entry option shall be according to University norms.**

### Program Outcome:

- Students will acquire a general knowledge of Liberal Arts.
- Students will be adept at using English in current technological times.
- Students will be ready for employment opportunities such as sales persons, academic counselor, content writer etc.

| Sem   | Discipline Specific Courses-Core   | Minor   | Interdisciplinary courses           | Ability Enhancement Course(languages) | Skill Enhancement Course/ Internship/Dissertation | Common value-added courses        | Total Credit |
|---|--|---|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| III   | C5: Global Politics (4)<br>C6: Fundamental Theories in International Relations (4)   | M3: Introduction to Cyberspace in the Realm of International Security (4) | IDC3: Eastern Himalayan Studies (3) | AEC3: Soft Skills (2)                 | SEC2: Sustainable Development (3)                 |                                   | 20           |
| IV  | C7: International Law and Human Right (4)<br>C8: Comparative Politics (4)  | M4: Indian Foreign Policy in Globalizing World (4)                        |                                     | AEC4: Current Affairs (2)             | SEC3: General Aptitude (3)                        | VAC2: Indian Knowledge System (3) | 20           |
| <b>Entry and Exit Option:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students who complete four semesters of 80 credits including Internship II of 4 credits will be awarded the UG Diploma.</li> <li>Students who wish to continue the third year should go for Internship of minimum 2 credits.</li> </ul> <b>Entry option shall be according to University norms.</b> <b>Program Outcome:</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students will be able to enhance their soft skills and facilitate an all-round personality development.</li> <li>Students will be able to understand foundational concepts of their core courses.</li> <li>Students can prepare for jobs in the industrial sectors such as aviation, data analysts, hospitality and tourism.</li> </ol> |  |   |                                     |                                       |   |                                   |              |
| <b>Summer Internship – 2 Credits</b>  |  |   |                                     |                                       |   |                                   |              |
| V   | C9: Core Concept of Diplomacy in International Relations (4)<br>C10: Migration, Refugees, Diaspora and Global Politics (4)<br>C11: Media and Global Affairs (4)  | Min 5: Globalization: Issues and Perspectives (4)                         |                                     |                                       |   | Environmental Studies (2)         | 20           |
| VI  | C12: Foreign Policy of Major Powers: USA, Russia, China, EU (4)<br>C13: Contemporary Issues in World Politics (4)<br>C14: International Political Economy (4)<br>C15: India and the International Institutions (4) | Min 6: Diplomacy and Foreign Affairs (4)                                  |                                     |                                       |   |                                   | 20           |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>60 Credit</b>   | <b>24 Credit</b>  | <b>9 Credit</b>                     | <b>8 Credit</b>                       | <b>11 Credit</b>                                  | <b>8 credit</b>                   | <b>120</b>   |



| Sem  | Discipline Specific Courses-Core  | Minor  | Interdisciplinary courses | Ability Enhancement Course(languages) | Skill Enhancement Course/ Internship/Dissertation    | Common value-added courses | Total Credit |
|--|---|--|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|----------------------------|--------------|
| <b>Entry and Exit Option:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students who complete six semesters of 120 credits will be awarded a Bachelor's Degree in their major discipline.</li> <li>Students who wish to continue their fourth year will be awarded Honours or Honours with Research in their major discipline. However, students need to secure 75% and above in the first six semesters to undertake Honours with Research in their major discipline.</li> </ul> <b>Program Outcome:</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students will be able to demonstrate their ability in the respective fields.</li> <li>Students may appear for different competitive examinations such as civil service, banking and may join corporate sectors too.</li> <li>Students can opt for higher studies or embark on a career in entrepreneurship.</li> </ol> |   |  |                           |                                       |  |                            |              |
| VII  | C16: Ethics and Politics (4)<br>C17: Foreign Policy Analysis (4)<br>C18: Advanced Theoretical Aspects of International Relations (4)<br>C19: Research Methodology (4)         | M7: International and Regional Organization (4)                    |                           |                                       |  |                            | 20           |
| VIII   | C20: Globalization and the Neoliberal Economic Order (4)<br>C21: Political Geography (4)<br>C22: International Security Studies (4)<br>C23: Global Environmental Politics (4) | M8: Global Dynamics: Understanding Non-State in World Politics (4) |                           |                                       | Dissertation/Research (12)<br>Or<br>C21, C22 and C23 |                            | 20           |
| Students who complete eight semesters with 160 credits will be awarded Honours or Honours with Research in their major discipline. <b>Program Outcome:</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students will have a comprehensive understanding and expertise of their major discipline.</li> <li>Students will be eligible to apply for National Eligibility Test (NET) and State Level Eligibility Test (SLET) which will provide them an opportunity for college and university level teaching.</li> <li>Students securing 75% or 7.5 CGPA and above will be eligible to apply for PhD program fulfilling the guidelines issued by the competent authority from time to time.</li> </ol>   |   |  |                           |                                       |  |                            |              |

# Bachelor of Arts in Civil Services (BA Civil Services)

BA Civil Services

Duration: 3 Years

**About Bachelor of Arts in Civil Services:** The Bachelor of Arts in Civil Services is an undergraduate degree program designed to prepare students for a career in public administration, government, and civil service roles. The program typically combines general education in the humanities and social sciences with specialized courses focused on governance, policy-making, law, and public management.

Students in this program study subjects such as political science, economics, sociology, public administration, and ethics, equipping them with the knowledge and skills needed to work in governmental organizations or pursue civil service exams. The degree is often a stepping stone for those aiming to join prestigious institutions like the Indian Administrative Service (IAS) or the Indian Police Service (IPS) through competitive exams.

Key benefits of the program include the development of strong analytical, communication, and leadership skills, as well as an understanding of the complex dynamics of government functions and public welfare. Graduates of the program are typically prepared for a wide range of roles in the public sector, including administrative, regulatory, and policymaking positions. The University will bring on board key Retd. IAS / IPS officers for special classes and also will tie up with prominent centres of education to impart special classes to the students. The students need to pay an extra sum to undertake such classes conducted only by the prominent centres of education.

**Eligibility:** Pass in 10+2 (any discipline) from a recognized board with aggregate marks 50% and above. Students awaiting their final examination results can also apply.

Scores of CUET UG will be an added advantage.

## COURSE STRUCTURE

| Sem | Discipline Specific Courses-Core   | Minor                                   | Interdisciplinary courses                          | Ability Enhancement Course(languages)            | Skill Enhancement Course/ Internship/Dissertation | Common value-added courses    | Total Credit |
|-----|--|---|--|--|---|-------------------------------|--------------|
| I   | C1: Basic Principles of Political Theory (4)<br>C2: Intermediate Economics (4) | M1: Society and Social Institutions (4) | IDC1: Approaches and Prospects of Liberal Arts (3) | AEC1: Effective English Communication (2)        | SEC1: Information & Communication Technology (3)  |                               | 20           |
| II  | C3:English Language and Composition (4)<br>C4:Fundamentals of Sociology (4)    | M2: Constitution of India (4)           | IDC2: Economics: Issues and Ideas (3)              | AEC2: Civil Services Examination Preparation (2) |   | VAC1: Understanding India (3) | 20           |

### Entry and Exit Option:

- Students who complete two semesters of 40 credits including Internship I of 4 credits will be awarded a UG Certificate.
- Students who wish to continue second year will be exempted from undergoing the internship program.

**Entry option shall be according to University norms.**

### Program Outcome:

1. Students will acquire a general knowledge of Civil Service Examination.
2. Students will be adept at using English in current technological times.
3. Students will be ready for employment opportunities such as government jobs related to administrative services in ministries, public sector enterprises, and regulatory bodies like RBI, SEBI, and the Election Commission.

| Sem | Discipline Specific Courses-Core                        | Minor  | Interdisciplinary courses           | Ability Enhancement Course(languages) | Skill Enhancement Course/ Internship/Dissertation | Common value-added courses        | Total Credit |
|-----|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| III | C5: Global Politics (4)<br>C6: Microeconomics (4)       | M3: Family Marriage and Kinship in India (4)       | IDC3: Eastern Himalayan Studies (3) | AEC3: Soft Skills (2)                 | SEC2: Sustainable Development (3)                 |                                   | 20           |
| IV  | C7: Macroeconomics (4)<br>C8: Social Stratification (4) | M4: Indian Foreign Policy in Globalizing World (4) |                                     | AEC4: Current Affairs (2)             | SEC3: General Aptitude (3)                        | VAC2: Indian Knowledge System (3) | 20           |

**Entry and Exit Option:**

- Students who complete four semesters of 80 credits including Internship II of 4 credits will be awarded the UG Diploma.
- Students who wish to continue the third year should go for Internship of minimum 2 credits.

**Entry option shall be according to University norms.**

**Program Outcome:**

1. Students will be able to enhance their soft skills and facilitate an all-round personality development.
2. Students will be able to understand foundational concepts of their core courses.
3. Students can prepare for jobs in the administrative positions in the government at both the state and central levels.

**Summer Internship – 2 Credits**

|              |  |  |                 |                 |                  |                           |            |
|--------------|--|--|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|---------------------------|------------|
| V            | C9: International Relations (4)<br>C10: Public Administration (4)<br>C11: History of India: Ancient and Medieval (4)   | Min 5: Psychology for Civil Services (4) |                 |                 |                  | Environmental Studies (2) | 20         |
| VI           | C12: Indian Society Issues and Challenges (4)<br>C13: Evolution of Administration and Public Policy in India (4)<br>C14: Modern Indian History (4)<br>C15: Political Geography (4) | Min6: Indian Economy (4)                 |                 |                 |                  |                           | 20         |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>60 Credit</b>   | <b>24 Credit</b>                         | <b>9 Credit</b> | <b>8 Credit</b> | <b>11 Credit</b> | <b>8 credit</b>           | <b>120</b> |

**Entry and Exit Option:**

- Students who complete six semesters of 120 credits will be awarded a Bachelor's Degree in their major discipline.
- Students who wish to continue their fourth year will be awarded Honours or Honours with Research in their major discipline. However, students need to secure 75% and above in the first six semesters to undertake Honours with Research in their major discipline.

**Program Outcome:**

1. Students will be able to demonstrate their ability in the respective fields.
2. Students may appear for different competitive examinations such as civil service, public sector enterprises, and regulatory bodies.
3. Students can opt for higher studies or embark on a career in entrepreneurship.

# Bachelor of Arts in Mass Communication and Journalism (BA Mass Communication and Journalism)

|  |                   |
|--|-------------------|
| BA Mass Communication and Journalism                       | Duration: 3 Years |
| BA Mass Communication and Journalism (Hons.)               | Duration: 4 Years |
| BA Mass Communication and Journalism (Hons. with Research) | Duration: 4 Years |

**About BA Mass Communication and Journalism:** Our BA Mass Communication and Journalism is dedicated to the creation, dissemination, and analysis of information. Mass Communication focuses on the transmission of messages through various platforms, including television, radio, print media, and digital spaces, aiming to inform, educate, and entertain large audiences. Journalism, a core component of Mass Communication, involves the collection, verification, and presentation of news and information. Journalists play a crucial role in ensuring that the public receives accurate, timely, and relevant content. The practice includes different formats such as news reporting, investigative journalism, feature writing, and commentary.

Together, these fields shape public opinion, promote transparency, and influence societal change by providing people with vital information about the world around them.

**Eligibility:** Pass in 10+2 (any discipline) from a recognized board with aggregate marks 50% and above. Students awaiting their final examination results can also apply.

Scores of CUET UG will be an added advantage.

## COURSE STRUCTURE

| Sem | Discipline Specific Courses-Core  | Minor  | Interdisciplinary courses                 | Ability Enhancement Course(languages)       | Skill Enhancement Course/Internship/Dissertation | Common value-added courses    | Total Credit |
|-----|---|--|---|---|--|-------------------------------|--------------|
| I   | C1: Introduction to Mass Communication (4)<br>C2: Communication Theory(4)     | M1: Media and Society (4)                    | IDC1: Introduction to Journalism (3)      | AEC1: Effective English Communication (2)   | SEC1: Digital Tools for Content Creation (3)     |                               | 20           |
| II  | C3:Media History and Evolution (4)<br>C4:Introduction to Print Journalism (4) | M2: Introduction to Visual Communication (4) | IDC2: Radio and Television Journalism (3) | AEC2: Practical Lab: Newsroom Practices (2) |  | VAC1: Understanding India (3) | 20           |

### Entry and Exit Option:

- Students who complete two semesters of 40 credits including Internship I of 4 credits will be awarded a UG Certificate.
- Students who wish to continue second year will be exempted from undergoing the internship program.

**Entry option shall be according to University norms.**

### Program Outcome:

1. Students will acquire a general knowledge of Mass Communication and Journalism.
2. Students will be adept at using English in current technological times.
3. Students will be ready for employment opportunities such as Journalist/Reporter,Content Writer, Editor, Public Relations Specialistetc.



| Sem | Discipline Specific Courses-Core   | Minor                                       | Interdisciplinary courses                  | Ability Enhancement Course(languages) | Skill Enhancement Course/Internship/Dissertation | Common value-added courses        | Total Credit |
|-----|--|---|--|---------------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| III | C5: Advanced Journalism Writing (4)<br>C6: Media Laws and Ethics(4)                      | M3: Digital Media and Online Journalism (4) | IDC3: Public Relations and Advertising (3) | AEC3: Social Media Communication(2)   | SEC2: Sustainable Development (3)                |                                   | 20           |
| IV  | C7: Broadcast Journalism: Radio & TV Production (4)<br>C8: Media and Cultural Studies(4) | M4: Investigative Journalism (4)            |  | AEC4: Current Affairs (2)             | SEC3: General Aptitude (3)                       | VAC2: Indian Knowledge System (3) | 20           |

**Entry and Exit Option:**

- Students who complete four semesters of 80 credits including Internship II of 4 credits will be awarded the UG Diploma.
- Students who wish to continue the third year should go for Internship of minimum 2 credits.

**Entry option shall be according to University norms.**

**Program Outcome:**

1. Students will be able to enhance their soft skills and facilitate an all-round personality development.
2. Students will be able to understand foundational concepts of their core courses.
3. Students can prepare for jobs in the industrial sectors such as media, public relations, advertising, and digital platforms.

**Summer Internship – 2 Credits**

|              |  |                                   |                 |                 |                  |                           |            |
|--------------|--|-----------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|---------------------------|------------|
| V            | C9: Media and Political Communication (4)<br>C10: Data Journalism and Infographics (4)<br>C11: Documentary and Film Production (4)   | Min 5: Media Entrepreneurship (4) |                 |                 |                  | Environmental Studies (2) | 20         |
| VI           | C12: Global Journalism and Media Systems (4)<br>C13: Freelance Journalism and Entrepreneurship (4)<br>C14: Corporate Communication (4)<br>C15: Advanced Media Production (4) | Min6: Political Journalism (4)    |                 |                 |                  |                           | 20         |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>60 Credit</b>   | <b>24 Credit</b>                  | <b>9 Credit</b> | <b>8 Credit</b> | <b>11 Credit</b> | <b>8 credit</b>           | <b>120</b> |

**Entry and Exit Option:**

- Students who complete six semesters of 120 credits will be awarded a Bachelor's Degree in their major discipline.
- Students who wish to continue their fourth year will be awarded Honours or Honours with Research in their major discipline. However, students need to secure 75% and above in the first six semesters to undertake Honours with Research in their major discipline.

**Program Outcome:**

1. Students will be able to demonstrate their ability in their respective fields.
2. Students may work within an organization to manage internal and external communication strategies, including corporate messaging.
3. Students can opt for higher studies or embark on a career in Mass Communication and Journalism.

| Sem  | Discipline Specific Courses-Core   | Minor                             | Interdisciplinary courses | Ability Enhancement Course(languages) | Skill Enhancement Course/In-ternship/Dissertation    | Common value-added courses | Total Credit |
|------|--|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|----------------------------|--------------|
| VII  | C16: Ethics and Future of Journalism (4)<br>C17: Development of Media in India (4)<br>C18: Media and human rights (4)<br>C19: Research Methodology (4) | M7: Media management (4)          |                           |                                       |  |                            | 20           |
| VIII | C20: Global Media and Politics (4)<br>C21: Folk and Community Media (4)<br>C22: Development Communication (4)<br>C23: Cyber Journalism (4)             | M8: Media and Northeast India (4) |                           |                                       | Dissertation/Research (12)<br>Or<br>C21, C22 and C23 |                            | 20           |

Students who complete eight semesters with 160 credits will be awarded Honours or Honours with Research in their major discipline.

**Program Outcome:**

1. Students will have a comprehensive understanding and expertise of their major discipline.
2. Students will be eligible to apply for National Eligibility Test (NET) and State Level Eligibility Test (SLET) which will provide them an opportunity for college and university level teaching.
3. Students securing 75% or 7.5 CGPA and above will be eligible to apply for PhD program fulfilling the guidelines issued by the competent authority from time to time.

# Master of Arts in Political Science

MA Political Science      Duration: 2 Years

**About the Program:** The MA in Political Science at The ICFAI University Sikkim is a two-year program with 19 courses, offering flexible tracks—coursework, coursework with research, or intensive research—leading to a degree or Postgraduate Diploma. Integrating trends like digital politics, cyber diplomacy, and environmental policy, it prepares students for careers in government, diplomacy, academia, and NGOs, with Placement Cell support. Set in Sikkim’s geopolitical context, the curriculum equips graduates to tackle contemporary issues effectively.

**Eligibility:** Graduate in any discipline | Graduation in Political Science is preferable | CUET PG Scores are preferable.

Students entering a 2-year PG after a 3-year UG programme can choose to do

## I. Only coursework in the third and fourth semester

|  | Semester I                                     | Credit    | Semester II                           | Credit    |
|--|--|-----------|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| Year-I   | Political Theory                               | 4         | Western Political Thought             | 4         |
|  | Comparative Politics: Systems & Structures     | 4         | India and its Neighbours              | 4         |
|  | International Relations: Theory and Approaches | 4         | Research Methodology                  | 4         |
|  | Indian Politics and Administration             | 4         | Political Behavior and Public Opinion | 4         |
|  | Ethics and Politics                            | 4         | Professional Communication            | 4         |
|  | Business Environment                           | 2         | Human and Moral Value                 | 2         |
|  | <b>Total Credits</b>                           | <b>22</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                  | <b>22</b> |
| Summer Internship (4-6 weeks)  |  |           |                                       | <b>4</b>  |
| Exit option: Students who complete two semesters of 44 credits including internship will be awarded Postgraduate Diploma in Political Science. |  |           |                                       |           |
|  | Semester III                                   | Credit    | Semester IV                           | Credit    |
| Year-II  | International Political Economy                | 4         | Field Work and Survey Techniques      | 4         |
|  | Conflict and Security Studies                  | 4         | Modern Political Philosophy           | 4         |
|  | Research Ethics in Publication                 | 4         | Human Rights and Global Justice       | 4         |
|  | Elective- I                                    | 4         | Elective- III                         | 4         |
|  | Elective- II                                   | 4         | Elective- IV                          | 4         |
|  | <b>Total Credits</b>                           | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                  | <b>20</b> |

## II. Coursework in the third semester and Research in the fourth semester

|  | Semester I                                     | Credit    | Semester II                           | Credit    |
|--|--|-----------|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| Year-I   | Political Theory                               | 4         | Western Political Thought             | 4         |
|  | Comparative Politics: Systems & Structures     | 4         | India and its Neighbours              | 4         |
|  | International Relations: Theory and Approaches | 4         | Research Methodology                  | 4         |
|  | Indian Politics and Administration             | 4         | Political Behavior and Public Opinion | 4         |
|  | Ethics and Politics                            | 4         | Professional Communication            | 4         |
|  | Business Environment                           | 2         | Human and Moral Value                 | 2         |
|  | <b>Total Credits</b>                           | <b>22</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                  | <b>22</b> |
| Summer Internship  |  |           |                                       | <b>4</b>  |
| Exit option: Students who complete two semester of 44 credits including internship will be awarded Postgraduate Diploma in Management. |  |           |                                       |           |
|  | Semester III                                   | Credit    | Semester IV                           | Credit    |
| Year-II  | International Political Economy                | 4         | Field Work and Survey Techniques      | 4         |
|  | Conflict and Security Studies                  | 4         | Elective- III                         | 4         |
|  | Research Ethics in Publication                 | 4         | Elective- IV                          | 4         |
|  | Elective- I                                    | 4         | Major Research                        | 8         |
|  | Elective- II                                   | 4         |                                       |           |
|  | <b>Total Credits</b>                           | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                  | <b>20</b> |

### III. Research in third semester and fourth semester

|   | Semester I                                     | Credit    | Semester II                                | Credit    |
|---|--|-----------|--|-----------|
| Year-I  | Political Theory                               | 4         | Western Political Thought                  | 4         |
|   | Comparative Politics: Systems & Structures     | 4         | India and its Neighbours                   | 4         |
|   | International Relations: Theory and Approaches | 4         | Research Methodology                       | 4         |
|   | Indian Politics and Administration             | 4         | Political Behavior and Public Opinion      | 4         |
|   | Ethics and Politics                            | 4         | Professional Communication                 | 4         |
|   | Business Environment                           | 2         | Human and Moral Value                      | 2         |
|   | <b>Total Credits</b>                           | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                       | <b>20</b> |
| <b>Summer Internship</b>  |  |           |  | <b>4</b>  |
| <i>Exit option: Students who complete two semesters of 44 credits including internship will be awarded Postgraduate Diploma in Political Science.</i> |  |           |  |           |
|   | Semester III                                   | Credit    | Semester IV                                | Credit    |
| Year-II   | International Political Economy                | 4         | Review Writing & Seminar in Research Topic | 4         |
|   | Conflict and Security Studies                  | 4         | Major Research                             | 16        |
|   | Research Ethics in Publication                 | 4         |  |           |
|   | Research Synopsis Development                  | 4         |  |           |
|   | Field Work and Survey Techniques               | 4         |  |           |
|   | <b>Total Credits</b>                           | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                       | <b>20</b> |

### Electives

|                                | Sem III   | CREDITS | Sem IV                                  | CREDITS |
|--------------------------------|---|---------|---|---------|
| <b>State and Politics</b>      | Feminism and Gender Studies                       | 4       | Social Exclusion Theory and Practice    | 4       |
|                                | Social Movements and Revolutions                  | 4       | Critical Traditions in Political Theory | 4       |
|                                | Environment and Development – Policy and Politics | 4       | Political Ideologies in 21st Century    | 4       |
| <b>International Relations</b> | International Organisations and Global Governance | 4       | International Relations and Diplomacy   | 4       |
|                                | Cultural Diplomacy                                | 4       | Cyber Politics and Digital Democracy    | 4       |
|                                | Geo-Politics and Strategic Studies                | 4       | Emerging Trends in IR                   | 4       |





# Master of Arts in Political Science

MA Political Science

Duration: 1 Year

**About the Program:** The MA in Political Science at The ICFAI University Sikkim is a two-year program with 19 courses, offering flexible tracks—coursework, coursework with research, or intensive research—leading to a degree or Postgraduate Diploma. Integrating trends like digital politics, cyber diplomacy, and environmental policy, it prepares students for careers in government, diplomacy, academia, and NGOs, with Placement Cell support. Set in Sikkim’s geopolitical context, the curriculum equips graduates to tackle contemporary issues effectively.

**Eligibility:** Graduate in any discipline | Graduation in Political Science is preferable | CUET PG Scores are preferable.

Students entering a 1-year PG after a 4-year UG programme can choose to do

## I. Only coursework in the first and second semester

|        | Semester I                      | Credit    | Semester II                      | Credit    |
|--------|---------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-----------|
| Year-I | International Political Economy | 4         | Field Work and Survey Techniques | 4         |
|        | Conflict and Security Studies   | 4         | Modern Political Philosophy      | 4         |
|        | Research Ethics in Publication  | 4         | Human Rights and Global Justice  | 4         |
|        | Elective- I                     | 4         | Elective- III                    | 4         |
|        | Elective- II                    | 4         | Elective- IV                     | 4         |
|        | <b>Total Credits</b>            | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>             | <b>20</b> |

## II. Coursework in first semester and Research in the second semester

|        | Semester I                      | Credit    | Semester II                      | Credit    |
|--------|---------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-----------|
| Year-I | International Political Economy | 4         | Field Work and Survey Techniques | 4         |
|        | Conflict and Security Studies   | 4         | Elective- III                    | 4         |
|        | Research Ethics in Publication  | 4         | Elective- IV                     | 4         |
|        | Elective- I                     | 4         | Major Research                   | 8         |
|        | Elective- II                    | 4         |                                  |           |
|        | <b>Total Credits</b>            | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>             | <b>20</b> |

## III. Research in first semester and second semester

|        | Semester I                       | Credit    | Semester II                                | Credit    |
|--------|----------------------------------|-----------|--|-----------|
| Year-I | International Political Economy  | 4         | Review Writing & Seminar in Research Topic | 4         |
|        | Conflict and Security Studies    | 4         | Major Research                             | 16        |
|        | Research Ethics in Publication   | 4         |  |           |
|        | Research Synopsis Development    | 4         |  |           |
|        | Field Work and Survey Techniques | 4         |  |           |
|        | <b>Total Credits</b>             | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                       | <b>20</b> |

|                         | Sem I   | CREDITS | Sem II                                  | CREDITS |
|-------------------------|---|---------|---|---------|
| State and Politics      | Feminism and Gender Studies                       | 4       | Social Exclusion Theory and Practice    | 4       |
|                         | Social Movements and Revolutions                  | 4       | Critical Traditions in Political Theory | 4       |
|                         | Environment and Development – Policy and Politics | 4       | Political Ideologies in 21st Century    | 4       |
| International Relations | International Organisations and Global Governance | 4       | International Relations and Diplomacy   | 4       |
|                         | Cultural Diplomacy                                | 4       | Cyber Politics and Digital Democracy    | 4       |
|                         | Geo-Politics and Strategic Studies                | 4       | Emerging Trends in IR                   | 4       |

# Master of Arts in Economics

**Specialization in:** Econometrics/Development Economics

MA Economics

Duration: 2 Years

**About the Program:** The MA Economics program at The ICFAI University Sikkim offers a rigorous curriculum with specializations in Econometrics and Development Economics. Designed to equip students with strong analytical and quantitative skills, the program covers core economic theories, statistical methods, and real-world applications. The Econometrics specialization focuses on statistical modeling and data analysis for economic decision-making, while the Development Economics track explores policies and strategies for economic growth and social progress. With a blend of theoretical knowledge and practical insights, this program prepares graduates for careers in research, policymaking, banking, and academia.

**Eligibility:** Graduate in any discipline | Graduation in Economics is preferable | CUET PG Scores are preferable.

Students entering a 2-year PG after a 3-year UG programme can choose to do

## I. Only coursework in the third and fourth semester

|   | Semester I  | Credit    | Semester II                                   | Credit    |
|---|---|-----------|---|-----------|
| Year-I  | Advanced Microeconomics                           | 4         | Advanced Macroeconomics                       | 4         |
|   | Economics Theory in Growth & Development          | 4         | Statistical Economics                         | 4         |
|   | Mathematical Economics                            | 4         | Research Methodology                          | 4         |
|   | History of Economic Thoughts                      | 4         | Introductory Econometrics                     | 4         |
|   | Public Economics                                  | 4         | Professional Communication                    | 4         |
|   | Business Environment                              | 2         | Human and Moral Value                         | 2         |
|   | <b>Total Credits</b>                              | <b>22</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>22</b> |
| Summer Internship (4-6 weeks)   |   |           |   | <b>4</b>  |
| Exit option: Students who complete two semester of 44 credits including internship will be awarded Postgraduate Diploma in Economics. |   |           |   |           |
|   | Semester III                                      | Credit    | Semester IV                                   | Credit    |
| Year-II   | Concept and Measurement of Poverty and Inequality | 4         | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |
|   | International Economics                           | 4         | Elective- III                                 | 4         |
|   | Research Ethics in Publication                    | 4         | Elective- IV                                  | 4         |
|   | Elective- I                                       | 4         | Elective-V                                    | 4         |
|   | Elective- II                                      | 4         | Elective-VI                                   | 4         |
|   | <b>Total Credits</b>                              | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> |

## II. Coursework in the third semester and Research in the fourth semester

|   | Semester I  | Credit    | Semester II                                   | Credit    |
|---|---|-----------|---|-----------|
| Year-I  | Advanced Microeconomics                           | 4         | Advanced Macroeconomics                       | 4         |
|   | Economic Theory in Growth & Development           | 4         | Statistical Economics                         | 4         |
|   | Mathematical Economics                            | 4         | Research Methodology                          | 4         |
|   | History of Economic Thoughts                      | 4         | Introductory Econometrics                     | 4         |
|   | Public Economics                                  | 4         | Professional Communication                    | 4         |
|   | Business Environment                              | 2         | Human and Moral Value                         | 2         |
|   | <b>Total Credits</b>                              | <b>22</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>22</b> |
| Summer Internship   |   |           |   | <b>4</b>  |
| Exit option: Students who complete two semester of 44 credits including internship will be awarded Postgraduate Diploma in Economics. |   |           |   |           |
|   | Semester III                                      | Credit    | Semester IV                                   | Credit    |
| Year-II   | Concept and Measurement of Poverty and Inequality | 4         | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |
|   | International Economics                           | 4         | Elective- III                                 | 4         |
|   | Research Ethics in Publication                    | 4         | Elective- IV                                  | 4         |
|   | Elective- I                                       | 4         | Major Research                                | 8         |
|   | Elective- II                                      | 4         |   |           |
|   | <b>Total Credits</b>                              | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> |

### III. Research in third semester and fourth semester

|  | Semester I  | Credit    | Semester II                                | Credit    |
|--|---|-----------|--|-----------|
| Year-I   | Advanced Microeconomics                           | 4         | Advanced Macroeconomics                    | 4         |
|  | Economics Theory in Growth & Development          | 4         | Statistical Economics                      | 4         |
|  | Mathematical Economics                            | 4         | Research Methodology                       | 4         |
|  | History of Economic Thoughts                      | 4         | Introductory Econometrics                  | 4         |
|  | Public Economics                                  | 4         | Professional Communication                 | 4         |
|  | Business Environment                              | 2         | Human and Moral Value                      | 2         |
|  | <b>Total Credits</b>                              | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                       | <b>20</b> |
| <b>Summer Internship</b>   |   |           |  | <b>4</b>  |
| <i>Exit option: Students who complete two semester of 44 credits including internship will be awarded Postgraduate Diploma in Economics.</i> |   |           |  |           |
|  | Semester III                                      | Credit    | Semester IV                                | Credit    |
| Year-II  | Concept and Measurement of Poverty and Inequality | 4         | Review Writing & Seminar in Research Topic | 4         |
|  | International Economics                           | 4         | Major Research                             | 16        |
|  | Research Ethics in Publication                    | 4         |  |           |
|  | Research Synopsis Development                     | 4         |  |           |
|  | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis     | 4         |  |           |
|  | <b>Total Credits</b>                              | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                       | <b>20</b> |

### Electives

|   | Sem III                | CREDITS | Sem IV                  | CREDITS |
|---|------------------------|---------|-------------------------|---------|
| <b>Econometrics / Development Economics</b> | Applied Econometrics   | 4       | Time Series Analysis    | 4       |
|   |                        |         | Political Economy       | 4       |
|   | Health Economics       | 4       | Behavioural Economics   | 4       |
|   |                        |         | Labour Economics        | 4       |
|   | Agricultural Economics | 4       | Environmental Economics | 4       |
|   |                        |         | Demography              | 4       |
|   | Social Choice Theory   | 4       | Indian Economy          | 4       |
|   |                        |         | Economics of Gender     | 4       |



# Master of Arts in Economics

**Specialization in:** Econometrics/Development Economics

MA Economics

Duration: 1 Year

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**Eligibility:** Graduate in any discipline | Graduation in Economics is preferable | CUET PG Scores are preferable.

Students entering a 1-year PG after a 4-year UG programme can choose to do

## I. Only coursework in the first and second semester

|        | Semester I  | Credit    | Semester II                                   | Credit    |
|--------|---|-----------|---|-----------|
| Year-I | Concept and Measurement of Poverty and Inequality | 4         | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |
|        | International Economics                           | 4         | Elective- III                                 | 4         |
|        | Research Ethics in Publication                    | 4         | Elective- IV                                  | 4         |
|        | Elective- I                                       | 4         | Elective-V                                    | 4         |
|        | Elective- II                                      | 4         | Elective-VI                                   | 4         |
|        | <b>Total Credits</b>                              | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> |

## II. Coursework in first semester and Research in the second semester

|        | Semester I  | Credit    | Semester II                                   | Credit    |
|--------|---|-----------|---|-----------|
| Year-I | Concept and Measurement of Poverty and Inequality | 4         | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis | 4         |
|        | International Economics                           | 4         | Elective- III                                 | 4         |
|        | Research Ethics in Publication                    | 4         | Elective- IV                                  | 4         |
|        | Elective- I                                       | 4         | Major Research                                | 8         |
|        | Elective- II                                      | 4         |   |           |
|        | <b>Total Credits</b>                              | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                          | <b>20</b> |

## III. Research in first semester and second semester

|        | Semester I  | Credit    | Semester II                                | Credit    |
|--------|---|-----------|--|-----------|
| Year-I | Concept and Measurement of Poverty and Inequality | 4         | Review Writing & Seminar in Research Topic | 4         |
|        | International Economics                           | 4         | Major Research                             | 16        |
|        | Research Ethics in Publication                    | 4         |  |           |
|        | Research Synopsis Development                     | 4         |  |           |
|        | Statistical Methods & Tools for Data Analysis     | 4         |  |           |
|        | <b>Total Credits</b>                              | <b>20</b> | <b>Total Credits</b>                       | <b>20</b> |

|                                      | Sem I                  | CREDITS | Sem II                  | CREDITS |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------|---------|-------------------------|---------|
| Econometrics / Development Economics | Applied Econometrics   | 4       | Time Series Analysis    | 4       |
|                                      |                        |         | Political Economy       | 4       |
|                                      | Health Economics       | 4       | Behavioural Economics   | 4       |
|                                      |                        |         | Labour Economics        | 4       |
|                                      | Agricultural Economics | 4       | Environmental Economics | 4       |
|                                      |                        |         | Demography              | 4       |
|                                      | Social Choice Theory   | 4       | Indian Economy          | 4       |
|                                      |                        |         | Economics of Gender     | 4       |

# Doctor of Philosophy

Ph.D.

Duration: 3 Year

## The Ph.D. Program

Pursuing a Ph.D. from The ICFAI University, Sikkim is a commitment to advancing knowledge and contributing to scholarly research in a chosen field. It represents the highest level of academic achievement and equips scholars with the skills necessary for rigorous research, critical thinking, and innovative problem-solving. A Ph.D. program provides a unique opportunity for individuals to engage deeply with their area of study, pushing the boundaries of existing knowledge and developing new insights. At The ICFAI University Sikkim, our Ph.D. programs are designed to foster an environment of academic excellence and intellectual growth, enabling scholars to emerge as experts and thought leaders in their respective domains.

## Ph.D. in Liberal Arts

A Ph.D. in Liberal Arts at The ICFAI University offers a multidisciplinary research platform that enables scholars to explore a wide array of subjects, including literature, history, sociology, philosophy, cultural studies, and more. The program is designed to foster critical thinking, analytical skills, and in-depth understanding of complex social, cultural, and intellectual phenomena. Scholars are guided by experienced faculty and benefit from a rigorous academic framework that emphasizes both theoretical and applied research. With access to extensive resources and a supportive research environment, the program prepares candidates for careers in academia, research, and leadership roles in various sectors.

*Note: For Ph.D. guidelines, please visit [www.iusikkim.edu.in](http://www.iusikkim.edu.in)*

## Annual Convocation Ceremony

The ICFAI University, Sikkim holds its Convocation Ceremony annually (generally during the month of October or November) to celebrate the academic accomplishments of its graduating students. This prestigious event marks a significant milestone in the lives of the students as they formally receive their degrees in the presence of esteemed dignitaries, faculty members, and their families. Eligible students are required to register in advance to participate in the ceremony.

As part of the convocation, the University honors academic excellence by conferring Gold and Silver medals to the toppers of various programs. These medals serve as a recognition of outstanding scholastic performance and dedication. The convocation stands as a proud tradition of the University, symbolizing both achievement and new beginnings for its graduates.

The Gold & Silver Medals will be conferred as per the rules framed which is mentioned below:

### a) Gold Medal

Gold Medal is awarded to the topper of the graduating class provided the student has scored a CGPA of 9.00 and above.

### b) Silver Medal

Silver Medal is awarded to the second topper of the graduating class provided the student has scored not less than 8.00 CGPA.

*Please Note:*

1. Re-evaluated candidates shall not be eligible for the award of prizes or medals. The student must have cleared all examinations in a single attempt.
2. In case two or more students enrolled in the same program and batch obtain the same CGPA, the University will verify the total marks obtained during the course.
3. If both the CGPA and total marks are identical, the matter shall be referred to the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, whose decision shall be final and binding.
4. Any student who has faced disciplinary action or has been found guilty of misconduct shall not be eligible for any medals or prizes, even if they meet the above mentioned criteria.
5. The University reserves the right to reschedule or defer the convocation due to unforeseen circumstances.

**"The University reserves the right to amend its rules and regulations. Students are advised to regularly check the University notice board or website for the latest updates."**



# ESSENTIAL INFORMATION

We are here to help.

In this section, you will find information on:

- How to Apply
- Fees and Funding
- Advice for the students
- Our Policies, terms and Student Charter
- Support we can offer (before and during your studies)
- How to find us

Any Further questions? Please contact us at

**admissions@iusikkim.edu.in** or visit us at our campus.

## GUIDE FOR ADMISSION

The University has an Admissions office where you can visit physically for admissions or for any other admissions related queries. Additionally, you can visit [www.iusikkim.edu.in](http://www.iusikkim.edu.in) to fill the Online Application Form for Admissions 2025. There may be instances when you decide to withdraw from the program due to personal, academic, or professional reasons. In such cases, the University adheres strictly to the refund policies and guidelines prescribed by the University Grants Commission (UGC) to process any fee refund requests which are uploaded on the University website.

## Entry Requirements:

On the relevant course page of this prospectus, you may find an overview of the entry requirements for each course. Please visit our website at [www.iusikkim.edu.in](http://www.iusikkim.edu.in) for further details.

We will consider additional evidence of your suitability for a course in addition to your credentials; if we determine that you would be better suited for a Foundation Level Course at ICFAI or a partner institution, we will let you know.

## LANGUAGE NEEDS

English is used as the language of instruction at ICFAI.

## RULES AND POLICY FOR ADMISSIONS

Our website contains our admissions policy and guidelines. The purpose of the instructions is to inform applicants about how we handle applications and render judgements, as well as, for example, how to file a complaint if something goes wrong during the pre-application or application process. The terms and conditions for students who have been accepted into the University are also available.

Know more at: **admissions@iusikkim.edu.in**

## INTERVIEWS

Many courses will base their decisions solely on your application form. A campus or online interview with the students may be part of the selection process for various courses.





#### FOR APPLICANTS NOTES

Despite the fact that many of your questions will already be addressed in this Prospectus, on our website, or in the Guide for Applicants, we will gladly respond to any inquiries you may have regarding applications, fees, registration, or transfers from other institutions. Although courses are presented exactly as they were described before going to print, adjustments are occasionally made, mostly to guarantee that our courses are maintained current. A course will only be cancelled if it is unavoidable, and we will advise candidates of any significant modifications.

#### TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Our Terms and Conditions are available on our website's course pages. As part of your offer of a place at the University, you will also be given a link to download these terms.

#### SAFETY AND HEALTH

The University meets the requirements for student health and safety. The University has a responsibility to the student and the general public who visit the site, but the student has a responsibility to conduct himself/herself in a way that does not jeopardise his/her own or others' health and safety. The University is required by law to keep a record of all accidents that occur on its premises, and students involved in any accident, no matter how minor, are required to immediately report the circumstances to a first aider, safety contact, or their supervisor.

#### INFORMATION ACCESS

We take precautions to keep your application information private. All information is stored on the University computer system for internal administrative purposes and statistical compilation. We may, however, provide information to students, local education authorities, police forces, and government departments if requested.

Please contact us if you want to know what personal information we have a few file for you.

You can also write to the office of the Registrar for the details of personal information stored on file.

**If you are concerned about university costs, we can assist you in funding travel, tuition, IT equipment, and other expenses through scholarships and support funds.**

**We understand that money is a major consideration for all students who choose to study in Sikkim. At ICFAI, we care about you and your living expenses.**



# Why study in Gangtok, Sikkim?



**Serene Natural Beauty:** Nestled in the lap of the Himalayas, Gangtok, Sikkim, offers breathtaking views of snow-capped mountains, lush green valleys, and cascading waterfalls. The serene natural surroundings provide an ideal backdrop for focused study and relaxation.

**Peaceful Environment:** Gangtok is renowned for its tranquility and peaceful atmosphere, making it conducive to academic pursuits. The clean air, minimal pollution, and absence of urban chaos create a conducive environment for learning and personal growth.

**Rich Cultural Heritage:** Sikkim is a melting pot of diverse cultures and traditions, with influences from Tibetan, Nepalese, and Bhutanese communities. Studying in Gangtok offers the opportunity to immerse oneself in this rich cultural tapestry, fostering cross-cultural understanding and appreciation.

**Adventure Opportunities:** For adventure enthusiasts, Gangtok and its surrounding areas offer a plethora of outdoor activities, including trekking, mountaineering, paragliding, and river rafting. Students can indulge in these adrenaline-pumping experiences during breaks from their academic pursuits.

**Educational Excellence:** Gangtok is home to esteemed educational institutions, including our university, which uphold high academic standards and offer quality education across various disciplines. Students benefit from experienced faculty, state-of-the-art facilities, and a rigorous curriculum designed to prepare them for success in their chosen fields.

**Sustainable Living:** Sikkim is India's first fully organic state, committed to sustainable development and environmental conservation. By studying in Gangtok, students can engage with initiatives promoting eco-friendly practices and contribute to a greener, more sustainable future.

**Vibrant Community Life:** Despite its small size, Gangtok boasts a vibrant community life, with bustling markets, cultural festivals, and social gatherings. Students have ample opportunities to interact with locals, participate in community service projects, and forge lifelong friendships.

**Gateway to the Himalayas:** Gangtok serves as a gateway to explore the majestic Himalayan range, with easy access to iconic destinations like Nathu La Pass, Tsomgo Lake, and Yumthang Valley. Students can embark on enriching excursions to these scenic locales, expanding their horizons beyond the classroom.

**Safe and Welcoming Environment:** Sikkim is known for its hospitality and friendly demeanor towards visitors. Gangtok provides a safe and welcoming environment for students from diverse backgrounds, offering peace of mind to both students and their families.

**Unique Cultural Experiences:** From traditional dance performances to local cuisine, Gangtok offers a plethora of unique cultural experiences that enrich the student experience. By studying in Gangtok, students have the opportunity to broaden their cultural horizons and create lasting memories.













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