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MBA in Advanced Construction Management (ACM)



NICMAR University, Pune



**MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION IN
ADVANCED CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT
(MBA ACM)**

Programme Brochure
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INTRODUCTION

ACM is an interdisciplinary MBA program offered by the School of Construction that builds on the concepts and practices of management, engineering, architecture, planning, law, information technology, and social and behavioural sciences. It also combines theory with application.

The program helps technically qualified engineers, architects, and planners develop the managerial skills required to manage and execute large, complex construction engineering projects and further sharpen their technical skills. The curriculum is a judicious blend of theoretical and applied courses in general management and construction management, complemented by practical experience and project work. The theoretical courses aim to improve the students' understanding of fundamental concepts and relationships that characterize the changing world in which managers must operate. Applied courses, which account for the bulk of students' time, connect theoretical studies to practical problems in construction, infrastructure, and real estate development. Research-oriented courses develop the ability to analyze a problem and develop report-writing skills scientifically. Computer application skills and knowledge in managerial decision-making are imparted through special classes and workshops/seminars.

The program is designed to prepare NICMAR University graduates to undertake professional responsibilities that demand high proficiency in the application of the latest information technology, people management, project finance, and international markets in construction projects. The curriculum is reviewed periodically to incorporate the latest advances in the Construction, Real Estate, Infrastructure, and Project (CRIP) industry and to build strong competence across diversified areas.

VISION OF SCHOOL OF CONSTRUCTION

To be a globally recognized leader in construction management education and research, shaping the construction industry's future by producing highly skilled, value-driven professionals and entrepreneurs who excel in the built environment.

MISSION OF SCHOOL OF CONSTRUCTION

- Empowering students with state-of-the-art knowledge and practices to become effective construction managers and entrepreneurs, facilitating them to adapt evolving industry trends and remain at the forefront of their profession.
- Delivering rigorous and industry-relevant curriculum, fostering critical thinking, complex problem-solving, and hands-on learning through real-world projects and internships
- Emphasizing sustainable construction practices and environmental stewardship, preparing students to address the challenges of the built environment by hands-on training.
- Developing a strong sense of ethical and professional responsibility, encouraging students to uphold the highest standards of integrity and safety in their work.

PROGRAMME OUTCOMES

PO1: Able to write and present a substantial technical report/document, enabling them to interact with the stakeholders of construction projects.

PO2: Demonstrate an understanding of legal and ethical considerations in conducting research/investigation and construction work to solve complex practical problems in the construction Industry.

PO3: Recognize the need, and have the ability to engage in independent and life-long learning in the broadest context of technological changes in the construction sector.

PO4: Able to apply modern tools, techniques and procedures for optimal construction solutions.

PO5: Demonstrate professionalism, leadership qualities, and interpersonal skills to work collaboratively in multi-disciplinary project teams.

PO6: Relate various digital technologies for collaborative execution and management of construction projects.

PO7: Develop proficiency in people, planet, and profit management skills for sustainable and responsible business conduct.

PO8: Develop domain expertise in construction planning, procurement, execution, and digitalization to design innovative solutions to challenging complex issues.

PROGRAMME HIGHLIGHTS

The program imbibes the concepts and practices of advances in construction engineering and management. The first-year curriculum, aside from specific construction management courses, includes general management courses to enhance students' understanding of critical aspects of the construction business. This unfolds the basic phenomena and relationships that characterize the changing world in which a techno-manager operates.

During the second year, the specialized construction areas, such as planning, procurement, digitalization, and technology, are introduced to develop in-depth knowledge of the advances in construction through core and elective courses.

The students also gain practical experience through site visits and summer internships. Project work under the supervision of a guide develops skills in scientific problem analysis and report writing. Computer application skills, clubbed with knowledge of quantitative methods, create an analytical edge for managerial decision-making in complex construction projects. The students are trained on a suite of software required for project management and analysis.

DURATION AND ORGANISATION

The program duration is two years. It is organized into four semesters with suitable breaks. Semesters are devoted to classroom learning, hands-on software practice, managerial skills, practical construction workshops, an estimation and tendering lab, site visits, and learning research techniques and presentation skills. The summer internship is scheduled after semester II, and electives are offered in semesters III and IV.

ELIGIBILITY

Candidates with a regular Bachelor's degree in Engineering / Architecture / Planning from a recognised Institution / University are eligible. Candidates seeking admission are required to have secured minimum 50% aggregate marks (45% for the candidates from reserved category) at graduation level. Final year eligible graduating students can also apply. However, such candidates must have completed (passed) their Graduation before the commencement of programme.

ADMISSION PROCEDURE

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

Application Fee:

PG Programmes: INR 2,500/-

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

Admission process will be conducted online and the detailed Information will be shared with the applicants.

SELECTION PROCEDURE FOR PG PROGRAMMES

Applications are scrutinised and eligibility is established on the basis of the documents submitted. Eligible candidates will be invited to appear for the selection procedure, i.e., Composite Score which comprises 1. Post Graduate NICMAR Common Admission Test (PG-NCAT), Personal Interview (PI) and Rating of Application (RA). PG-NCAT and Personal interview is mandatory for all aspirants applying to MBA and PGD programmes.

In addition to PG-NCAT, valid scores of the aspirants appearing for CUET PG / MH-CET / CAT / XAT / MAT / NMAT / GRE / GMAT will be considered for MBA & PGD programmes. For M.Plan and M.Tech programmes, GATE scores (in Architecture & Planning / Civil Engineering for M.Plan, and Civil Engineering for M.Tech) will be accepted as an alternative to the PG-NCAT

Candidates who appear for both PG-NCAT and any of the approved entrance examinations mentioned above will have their best score considered, wherever applicable.

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

Details	Total Marks
Post Graduate NICMAR Common Admission Test (PG-NCAT)	150 marks
a) Quantitative and Analytical Ability	60 marks
b) Data Interpretation	30 marks
c) Verbal Ability	40 marks
d) Industry Awareness and Current Affairs	20 marks
Personal Interview (PI)	50 marks
Rating of Application (RA)	50 marks
Composite Score	250 Marks

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

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

RESERVED CATEGORY

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

DOMICILE

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

FEES AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

Sr. No.	Description	Tuition fee	Development fee	Programme fee (Tuition fee + Development fee)	Security deposit (refundable)	Total
1	1st instalment (at the time of admission)	293500	44000	337500	10000	347500
2	2nd instalment (within 7 days of the commencement of semester ii)	293500	44000	337500		337500
3	3rd instalment (within 7 days of the commencement of semester iii)	293500	44000	337500		337500

4	4th instalment (within 7 days of the commencement of semester iv)	293500	44000	337500		337500
Grand total						1360000

Note: Hostel and mess charges are additional.

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

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

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

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

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

For 2nd Instalment Onwards:

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

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

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

POLICY FOR CANCELLATION OF ADMISSION AND REFUND OF FEE

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

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

Sr. No.	Percentage of Refund of Fees	Point of time when notice of withdrawal of admission is received in the University	Deadline
(1)	100%	15 days or more before the formally-notified commencement of the academic session.	on or before 21.06.2026
(2)	90%	Less than 15 days before the formally-notified commencement of the academic session.	22.06.2026 to 05.07.2026
(3)	80%	15 days or less after the formally-notified commencement of the academic session.	06.07.2026 to 21.07.2026
(4)	50%	30 days or less, but more than 15 days, after the formally-notified commencement of the academic session.	22.07.2026 to 05.08.2026
(5)	0%	More than 30 days after the formally-notified commencement of the academic session.	06.08.2026 onwards

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

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

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

HOSTEL AND LIVING EXPENSES [2026-27]

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

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

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

Sr. No.	Hostel	Capacity	Type of Occupancy	Charges (Rupees Per Month)	Annual Hostel Charges	Annual Food Charges	Annual Hostel and Food Charges	Remark
1.	Millennium Hostel	502	Single	7800/-	78000/-	114000/-	192000/-	For boys
2.	Silver Jubilee Hostel	323	Single	7200/-	78000/-	114000/-	192000/-	For boys
3.	Ultima Hostel	314	Single	7200/-	78000/-	114000/-	192000/-	For boys
4.	Millennium Hostel	194	Shared (Double)	6500/-	65000/-	114000/-	179000/-	For girls only

- Note: There will be a **Refundable Caution Deposit of Rs.15000/-**
- **Single occupancy for girls (if available) - Rs. 7800/- per month.**

Food package charge is Rs. 400/- per head per day. The package includes breakfast with tea, buffet lunch, evening snacks with tea and buffet dinner.

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

Payment Schedule

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

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

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

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

NICMAR University, Pune extends merit scholarships/concessions/fee waiver to students aspiring to undertake full-time PG and UG Programmes. A student is eligible for only one award or scholarship or concession or fee waiver as applicable. These merit scholarships /concessions / fee waivers are designed to recognize and motivate high-performing students, providing financial support based on their academic performance, as well as any other achievements or results in National Level/State Level entrance exams, which includes the NICMAR University, Pune Common Admission Test (PG-NCAT & UG NCAT). Additionally, scholarships are available for students from Economically Weaker Sections (EWS) and for

wards of defence personnel, in recognition of their unique circumstances and contributions.

The brief details of Merit Scholarship categories are provided below:

1. **“Outstanding Performance Scholarships”: Applicable for entire duration of the programme:**
 - A. **“100% Scholarship Under the Exemplary Merit Scholarship”: Available to the 2% (Upto 27 students) of Approved Intake Students (at least 1 student).**
100% scholarship throughout the entire duration of the programme, exclusively accessible to the 2% of students within the approved intake. *The availability of this benefit is contingent upon meeting the specified conditions outlined in the respective policy.*
 - B. **“75% Scholarship Under the Distinguished Merit Scholarship”: Available to the 3% (Upto 42 students) of Approved Intake Students (at least 1 student).**
75% scholarship throughout the entire duration of the programme, exclusively accessible to the 3% of students within the approved intake. *The availability of this benefit is contingent upon meeting the specified conditions outlined in the respective policy.*
 - C. **“25% Scholarship Under the Meritorious Grant”: Available to the 5% (Upto 71 students) of Approved Intake Students.**
25% scholarship throughout the entire duration of the programme, exclusively accessible to the 5% of students within the approved intake. *The availability of this benefit is contingent upon meeting the specified conditions outlined in the respective policy.*
 - D. **“5% Scholarship Under the Commendable Assistance Grant”: Available to the 30% (Upto 417 students) of Approved Intake Students.**
5% programme fee waiver throughout the entire duration of the programme, exclusively accessible to 30% of students within the approved intake. *The availability of this benefit is contingent upon meeting the specified conditions outlined in the respective policy.*
2. **“Economically Weaker Section* [EWS] Fee Waiver”: Applicable for entire duration of the programme:**
 - **100% Fee Waiver: Available for up to 5 Students.**
We are excited to introduce a merit-cum-means fee waiver opportunity for students with an annual family income of up to **Rs. 5 lakhs or less**. The waiver entails a full programme fee waiver for up to 5 students based on their outstanding performance in the admission process. To qualify for this fee waiver, candidates should have 80% & above in SSC & HSC for UG programmes; and 80% & above in SSC, HSC and 60% & above in Graduation for PG programmes.
 - **50% Fee Waiver: Available to the 10% (Upto 154 students) of Approved Intake Students.**
50% fee waiver scholarships are awarded to 10% of students within the approved intake falling within the **Economically Weaker Section (EWS)**, encompassing individuals with an annual family gross income of up to **Rs. 8 lakhs or less**.
The availability of this benefit is contingent upon meeting the specified conditions outlined in the respective policy.
**Eligibility will also depend on exceptional performance as specified in the respective policy.*
3. **“Rising Talent Scholarship”: Applicable for entire duration of the programme**
Up to Rs. 20,000/- (Per Year) Programme Fee Relief for the 10% (Upto 154 students) of Approved Intake Students through Extra-curricular / Co-curricular Accomplishments.
A scholarship of up to Rs. 20,000 per year for the entire duration of the programme is exclusively accessible to 10% of students within the approved intake. *The availability of this benefit is contingent upon meeting the specified conditions outlined in the respective policy.*

4. **Scholarships Offered by Sponsors:**

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

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

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

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

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

- **Scholarship for Special Category** for SoEE Programmes**
Scholarship for a **female candidate** (Offering full programme fee).
 - Candidate must be from Economically Weaker Section.
 - Having an Engineering degree (only) at Undergraduate (UG) level

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

***As per thyssenkrupp Uhde India Private Limited policy.*

5. **Concession for wards of Defence Personnel: Applicable for entire duration of the programme:** * Limited to 1% (Upto 22 students) of the total intake.

- **Wards of Defence and Para-military personnel, both currently serving and retired, are eligible for this concession.**

The percentage of scholarship varies based on the rank of the personnel:

Non-Commissioned Officers (NCOs): 25% concession.

Junior Commissioned Officers (JCOs): 15% concession.

Senior Commissioned Officers (SCOs): 10% concession.

General Terms and Conditions

Students availing any form of scholarship, fee waiver, or concession must comply with the following requirements to maintain eligibility in the subsequent academic term or year. Failure to meet any of these conditions may result in disqualification from the granted benefit.

Scholarships, fee waivers, or concessions will not be offered to any student who postpones or seeks deferment to the University's full- time programmes for any reason whatsoever. Students with any scholarship, Fee waiver, or concession must comply with the following requirements for continuance of scholarship in subsequent academic term / year. A breach of any of these conditions will result in disqualification and forfeiture of the benefit, and the student will be required to pay the applicable fees for the next academic year. The scholarship will be restored in subsequent term / year, depending on the fulfilment of the conditions stated below:

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

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

- iv. The awardees should have no adverse comments/grading on record from the disciplinary committee for any reason whatsoever.
- v. **No gap/break/grace mark** in semester whatsoever during the entire programme is permissible*.
- vi. The awardees shall maintain high standards of conduct and behaviour and conform to the discipline of the NICMAR University, Pune as laid down in the 'Code of Conduct' of the NICMAR University, Pune.
- vii. In the event of admission cancellation, students are obligated to reimburse the entire fee waiver granted by the University up to the point of admission cancellation.

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

1. “Outstanding Performance Scholarships”:

- A. “100% Scholarship Under the Exemplary Merit Scholarship”: Available to the 2% (Upto 27 students) of Approved Intake Students (at least 1 student) - Applicable for entire duration of the programme
- B. “75% Scholarship Under the Distinguished Merit Scholarship”: Available to the 3% (Upto 42 students) of Approved Intake Students (at least 1 student) - Applicable for entire duration of the programme
- C. “25% Scholarship Under the Meritorious Grant”: Available to the 5% (Upto 71 students) of Approved Intake Students - Applicable for entire duration of the programme
- D. “5% Scholarship Under the Commendable Assistance Grant”: Available to the 30% (Upto 417 students) of Approved Intake Students - Applicable for entire duration of the programme

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

- + **Eligibility is determined by exceptional performance as per the details mentioned in the respective policy.**
- + Aspirants need to undergo the admission process, which includes the NICMAR Common Admission Test (NCAT) or an equivalent score, and a Personal Interview (PI) or Counseling Session (for B.Arch.). Furthermore, they should qualify in the admission process according to the prescribed cut-off.
- + Selected candidates for the Outstanding Performance Scholarships **will receive an offer letter** for admission **based on their scholarship eligibility.**
- + **Exclusive Opportunity:** The scholarship is exclusively accessible to 2% (for A), 3% (for B), 5% (for C), 30% (for D) of students within the approved intake. This exclusivity enhances the prestige and value of the scholarship, making it a coveted opportunity and it cannot be clubbed with each other and/or any other scholarships declared.
- + **Financial Pre-requisites for Eligibility:** To qualify for the Outstanding Performance Scholarships and have the programme fee waived, students meeting the criteria must submit the first installment of the programme fee as per the offer letter. This requirement ensures commitment from the student and facilitates the efficient processing of the scholarship.
- + **First Come-First Served Basis (A, B, C & D):** *The scholarship will be awarded on a First Come-First Served basis, emphasizing the importance of prompt action by eligible students. Early applicants have a higher likelihood of securing this valuable financial assistance. If scholarships remain unclaimed or seats fall vacant due to cancellations within a specific criterion, such vacant scholarship seats shall be re-allotted strictly on the basis of the chronological order of receipt of the 1st instalment of fees, subject to the fulfilment of the required eligibility criteria for the respective scholarships.*

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

MBA Programmes	Maximum Eligible Students	Cutoff Score / Percentile for Respective Entrance Exam					
		CAT / XAT	MHT- CET	GMAT (FE)	NMAT	MAT	Composite Score (250)
MBA ACM	14	>=90	>=92	>=625	>=220	>=95	>=185
MBA PEM	2						
MBA REUIM	2	>=88	>=90	>=615	>=215	>=94	>=180
MBA (NBS)	1						
MBA ENS	1	>=86	>=88	>=605	>=210	>=92	>=175
MBA SEM	1						
Other PG Programmes			Maximum Eligible Students		Composite Score (250)		
M.TECH. IN CTM*			1		>=185		
M.TECH. IN IPM*			1				
M.Plan*			1		>=180		

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students	Cutoff Score / Percentile for Respective Entrance Exam			
		JEE Main	MHT-CET	SAT	NCAT
B.Tech. in Civil	1	>=87	>=88	>=1300	>=90

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students	SAT	NCAT
Integrated MBA (I - MBA) : BBA + MBA	1	>=1350	>=90

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students	Cutoff Score / Percentile for Respective Entrance Exam	
		NATA	JEE Paper 2 (NTA)
B.Arch.	1	>=165 NATA score + 80% marks in HSC or 300 score in JEE Paper 2 + 80% marks in HSC	

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

B. “75% Scholarship Under the Distinguished Merit”: Available to the 3% of Approved Intake Students (at least 1 student).

MBA Programmes	Maximum Eligible Students	Cutoff Score / Percentile for Respective Entrance Exam					
		CAT / XAT	MHT-CET	GMAT (FE)	NMAT	MAT	Composite Score (250)
MBA ACM	22	>=88	>=90	>=605	>=215	>=93	>=180
MBA PEM	3						
MBA REUIM	3	>=87	>=88	>=595	>=210	>=92	>=175
MBA (NBS)	2						
MBA ENS	2	>=85	>=86	>=585	>=205	>=91	>=170
MBA SEM	1						

Other PG Programmes	Maximum Eligible Students	Composite Score (250)
M.TECH. IN CTM*	2	>=180
M.TECH. IN IPM*	1	
M.Plan*	1	>=175

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students	Cutoff Score / Percentile for Respective Entrance Exam			
		JEE Main	MHT-CET	SAT	NCAT
B.Tech. in Civil	2	>=86	>=87	>=1250	>=88

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students	SAT	NCAT
Integrated MBA (I - MBA) : BBA + MBA	2	>=1300	>=88

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students	Cutoff Score / Percentile for Respective Entrance Exam	
		NATA	JEE Paper 2 (NTA)
B.Arch.	1	>=160 NATA score + 75% marks in HSC or 275 score in JEE Paper 2 + 75% marks in HSC	

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

C. “25% Scholarship Under the Meritorious Grant Scholarship”: Available to the 5% of Approved Intake Students

MBA Programmes	Maximum Eligible Students	Cutoff Score / Percentile for Respective Entrance Exam					
		CAT / XAT	MHT-CET	GMAT (FE)	NMAT	MAT	Composite Score (250)
MBA ACM	36	>=85	>=87	>=585	>=200	>=91	>=175
MBA PEM	6						
MBA REUIM	6	>=82	>=85	>=575	>=195	>=90	>=170
MBA	3						
MBA ENS	3	>=78	>=83	>=575	>=195	>=90	>=165
MBA SEM	2						

Other PG Programmes	Maximum Eligible Students	Composite Score (250)
M.TECH. IN CTM*	3	>=175
M.TECH. IN IPM*	2	
M.Plan*	2	>=170

OR

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

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students (both categories)	Cutoff Score / Percentile for Respective Entrance Exam			
		JEE Main	MHT-CET	SAT	NCAT
B.Tech. in Civil	3	>=84	>=85	>=1200	>=85

OR

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

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students (both categories)	SAT	NCAT
Integrated MBA (I - MBA) : BBA + MBA	3	>=1250	>=85

OR

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

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students (both categories)	Cutoff Score / Percentile for Respective Entrance Exam	
		NATA	JEE Paper 2 (NTA)
B.Arch.	2	>= 155 NATA score + 72% marks in HSC or 250 score in JEE Paper 2 + 72% marks in HSC	

OR

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

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

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

MBA Programmes	Maximum Eligible Students	Cutoff Score / Percentile for Respective Entrance Exam					
		CAT / XAT	MHT- CET	GMAT (FE)	NMAT	MAT	Composite Score (250)
MBA ACM	216	>=83	>=85	>=575	>=195	>=89	>=170
MBA PEM	36						
MBA REUIM	36	>=80	>=83	>= 565	>=190	>=88	>=165
MBA (NBS)	18						
MBA ENS	18	>=75	>=81	>=565	>=190	>=88	>=160
MBA SEM	9						

Other PG Programmes	Maximum Eligible Students	Composite Score (250)
M.TECH. IN CTM*	18	>=170
M.TECH. IN IPM*	9	
M.Plan*	9	>=165

OR

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

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students	Cutoff Score / Percentile for Respective Entrance Exam			
		JEE Main	MHT-CET	SAT	NCAT
B.Tech. in Civil	18	>=82	>=83	>=1100	>=83

OR

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

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students	SAT	NCAT
Integrated MBA (I - MBA) : BBA + MBA	18	>=1150	>=83

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

UG Programme	Maximum Eligible Students	Cutoff Score / Percentile for Respective Entrance Exam	
		NATA	JEE Paper 2 (NTA)
B.Arch.	12	>=150 NATA score + 70% marks in HSC or 225 score in JEE Paper 2 + 70% marks in HSC	

OR

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

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

100% Fee Waiver: Available for up to 5 Students.

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

50% Fee Waiver: Available to the 10% of Approved Intake Students.

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

PG Programmes	Maximum Eligible Students
MBA ACM	72
MBA PEM	12
M.TECH. IN CTM	6
M.TECH. IN IPM	3
MBA REUIM	12
MBA (NBS)	6
M.Plan	3
MBA ENS	6
MBA SEM	3
MBA FB & E	3
PGD QSCM	6
PGD RMCM	3
PGD AFM	3

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

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

Eligibility Criteria:

- Students whose family has gross annual income below Rs. 8.00 lakh* (Rupees eight lakh only) are to be identified as EWSs for benefit of scholarship. Income shall also include income from all sources i.e., salary, wages, agriculture, business, profession, etc. for the financial year prior to first academic year.
- Also, student whose family owns or possesses any of the following assets shall be excluded from being identified as EWS, irrespective of the family income: -
 - 5 Acres of Agricultural land and above,
 - Residential flat of 1000 square feet and above,
 - Residential plot of 100 square yards and above in notified Municipalities and
 - Residential plot of 100 square yards and above in any other area.

- The property held by a “Family” in different locations or different places/cities would be clubbed while applying the land or property holding test to determine EWS status.
- The family for this purpose includes Self, Parents, Siblings below the age of 18 years, Spouse and children below 18 years.

Procedure for scrutiny of application:

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

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

3. “Rising Talent Scholarship”: Applicable for entire duration of the programme

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

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

PG Programmes	Maximum Eligible Students
MBA ACM	72
MBA PEM	12
M.TECH IN CTM	6
M.TECH IN IPM	3
MBA REUIM	12
MBA (NBS)	6
M.Plan	3
MBA ENS	6
MBA SEM	3
MBA FB & E	3
PGD QSCM	6
PGD RMCM	3
PGD AFM	3
UG Programmes	Maximum Eligible Students
B.Tech. in Civil	6
Integrated MBA (I-MBA) : BBA + MBA	6
B.Arch.	4

Eligibility:

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

Details of Extracurricular / Co-curricular Activities:

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

Scholarship Selection Process:

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

Combination of Activities:

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

Criteria Alignment:

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

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

4. Scholarships Offered by Sponsors:

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

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

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

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

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

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

Criteria:

- Scholarship for a female candidate.
- **100% programme fee waiver**
- Candidate must be from Economically Weaker Section.
- Having an Engineering degree (only) at Undergraduate (UG) level.

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

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

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

***As per thyssenkrupp Uhde India Private Limited policy.*

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

5. Concession for wards of Defence personnel

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

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

PG Programmes	Maximum Eligible Students
MBA ACM	7
MBA PEM	1
M.TECH IN CTM	1
M.TECH IN IPM	1
MBA REUIM	1
MBA (NBS)	1
M.Plan	1
MBA ENS	1
MBA SEM	1

MBA FB & E	1
PGD QSCM	1
PGD RMCM	3
PGD AFM	3

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

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

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

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

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

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

Scholarship Disclaimer:

- Valid scores of Entrance Exams (other than NCAT) must have been obtained after 1st July, 2025.
- Scholarships will be awarded based on the candidate's performance in entrance exams, prioritized in the following order:
For MBA Programmes: CAT, XAT, GMAT, NMAT, MH-CET, NCAT and MAT.
M. Tech. / M. Plan Programmes: GATE and NCAT.
Under-Graduate Programmes: JEE, SAT, IPMAT, MH-CET, and NCAT.
- Composite Score (250) Comprises of PG-NCAT, Personal Interview (PI) and Rating of Application (RA)
- All admissions and scholarships granted by the university are contingent upon approval by the Admissions/Scholarship Committee and the competent authority of the University.
- NICMAR University retains the right to modify any or all components of the aforementioned policy without prior notice. Additionally, the University reserves the right to amend the terms of the scholarship periodically without prior notification. All matters are subject to the jurisdiction of NICMAR University, Pune.

ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS

The curriculum is organized into four semesters. The students are exposed to various theory courses, tutorials, and practical hands-on training. The students will complete 84 credits to complete the MBA Programme. The semester-wise distribution of courses and workshops is indicated in Table 1.

- **Courses**

The theory courses aim to facilitate understanding of fundamental concepts in managing construction projects and their practical applications. Typically, a two-credit course involves about 67 hours of work, of which 30 are contact hours and the rest is for preparation and assignments. The courses may sometimes be one credit, depending on the content. The courses may include tutorial/practical components for hands-on training. The courses are divided into various categories to ensure the all-round development of students and provide adequate depth and breadth of knowledge. The courses are divided into the following categories: General Core (GC), Programme Core (PC), General Elective (GE), Programme Elective (PE), NICMAR Core (NC) and NICMAR Elective (NE). In addition, the curriculum includes Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs) and Self-Learning courses to foster lifelong learning. It also incorporates project-based courses to facilitate experiential learning. For the Massive Open Online Course (MOOC), students must register, clear the exam conducted by the organizing body (SWAYAM-NPTEL), and submit the certificate showing the % marks obtained to claim the credits.

1. **General Core (GC)**

These subjects primarily focus on general management, equipping students with the tools to apply management principles to real estate and urban infrastructure projects. It will equip students to understand management principles, practices, and the business environment.

2. **Programme Core (PC)**

These are the subjects related to the program area, i.e., construction. These subjects will provide the students with a complete understanding of the methods and processes involved in construction management from the conceptual stage to the completion stage. Each subject will provide insights into various aspects of construction management. Extensive exposure is offered to prominent, relevant software, such as MS Project, Primavera, Building Information Modelling (BIM) software (Autodesk REVIT and NAVISWORKS), Estimation software (Candy, Calquan), HDM4, etc.

3. **General Elective (GE)**

The interdisciplinary nature of the CRIP sector requires a broad knowledge base. The diverse schools at NICMAR University enable the offering of these electives. The students can choose electives from the School of Construction, NICMAR Business School, School of Project Management, School of Planning, Real Estate & Infrastructure, and School of Energy & Environment to pursue their areas of interest.

4. **Programme Elective (PE)**

These electives are designed to provide in-depth knowledge in the construction field, depending on the student's interests, such as Planning & Control, Procurement & Contracts Digitalization, high-rise structures, highway projects, and infrastructure projects.

5. **NICMAR Core (NC)**

The core courses introduce students to advanced technologies that enhance construction efficiency, safety and sustainability. Together, these technologies revolutionize project management, procurement and site execution & management.

6. **NICMAR Elective (NE)**

These courses are generally designed to offer a concentrated, comprehensive language-learning experience, including language instruction and cultural immersion. Such courses benefit students seeking to quickly enhance their language proficiency and better understand the related culture.

- **Workshops/Practical/Lab**

Workshops/Practical's/Labs allow students to learn through practice and are an essential part of their academic learning. Various workshops/Practical's/Labs are conducted each semester, and relevant

- **Project Work**

Project Work is an independent requirement and carries ten credits. The student is expected to work on an industry problem and apply the knowledge acquired during their studies. The students are also given the option to take an entrepreneurship-based module to develop an innovative business idea and build a prototype. The University will assign a guide to the student. If the student chooses to have a guide from outside, the University will nominate one of the internal faculty members as a co-guide. The following are the major components of the project work:

- a. Project Seminar/IEV- Idea Development**

Students must present how they will approach the assigned problem, the steps they will take, and the processes they will use. The students give a presentation of their work in the form of a seminar.

- b. Project Work- Interim/IEV- Prototype**

The students will be assessed periodically throughout the fourth semester to evaluate their progress and address any issues that may arise.

- c. Project Work/IEV (Submission and Viva Voce)**

The student must prepare a final project report and present their work to an external examiner.

- **Summer Internship**

As part of the curriculum, each student has to undergo supervised field training of 6 credits after semester 2 with a reputed project engineering/construction/consulting firm for 8 to 10 weeks. During this period, they may be trained in construction project management practices used on project sites, such as planning, execution, progress assessment, site management, and reporting. Given the on-the-job training, the student is also expected to perform specific regular duties on the project, as assigned by the respective organization.

Organizations for practical training are carefully selected from reputable firms. Based on their performance, students may receive Pre-Placement Offers (PPO). Essentially, the University seeks meaningful and supervised work experience for its students. Students may opt to work on assignment-based project topics. A student committee assists the University in arranging students' summer internships. At the end of the summer internship, students must submit a report and present it to the faculty assigned.

- **Immersion Programme (Ability Enhancement)**

A student must complete one immersion programme during the course. The course on business and social immersion aims to instill an entrepreneurial spirit in students by requiring them to float and develop a business idea, both conceptually and in prototype form, with an added focus on community service.

PEDAGOGY

NICMAR University believes that the method of instruction to maximise learning may vary from course to course; therefore, it uses a host of pedagogical approaches across different courses, such as case studies, lectures, group and individual exercises, class projects, and simulation of the business environment, to enrich the overall programme delivery. Site visits are organised as and when required. Depending on the course type, the total credits are further classified into Lecture (L), Tutorial (T), and Practical (P). In the lecture sessions, students are familiarized with the course's concepts and knowledge. The tutorial components help students better understand the concepts through problem-solving, case analysis, or hands-on practice. The practical component is designed for exclusive hands-on training. In addition, there are Ability Enhancement courses and self-study courses in which students are expected to explore new concepts and develop their skills and understanding through open courses or other activities recognized by NICMAR Business School. Internal faculty members will mentor the courses to allow an immersive learning experience for the students.

ASSESSMENT

Course Examination

The course examination comprises two parts: The semester-end examination and the internal assessment. The weightage for the same is given below.

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

The semester-end examination is only for courses with an L component and shall be 1 or 2 hours long.

Internal Assessment

Internal assessment is the continuous evaluation of a candidate's performance throughout the course and is conducted by the concerned faculty member. For a course with a Term-end examination, 50% weightage is assigned to the internal evaluation. This internal evaluation of candidates should be carried out by at least three components, of which the Unit test component is mandatory. For all courses, the Unit test will carry 40% weightage of marks (20 Marks). This will be conducted during the tenth week of the semester, and the syllabus will cover material up to that point. The fifth week of the semester will be Internal Assessment 1 (IA1), and the last week of the term will be Internal Assessment 2 (IA2). The syllabus for IA1 will run until the fifth week, and the syllabus for IA2 will run from the Unit test until the last week of the semester (i.e., 15th week). For IA1 and IA2, the faculty can select any of the following components. The Controller of Examination (CoE) will conduct the unit test.

The IA1 and IA2 may have the following components:

- Class-participation
- Case analysis and presentation
- Quizzes/ Class test/Surprise test/Assignments (announced/unannounced)
- Term papers/Decision sheets/Project reports
- Research Paper Presentations/Viva
- Individual assignments/Group assignments/Presentations/Decision sheets
- Field project
- Role Play/Simulation
- Any other school/program/course-specific component

Summer internship and project work

The summer internship is assessed solely by the internal faculty. A summer internship carries 100 marks and is assessed during the third semester. The weightage assigned is 40% for report writing, 40% for presentation and 20% for question answers.

Students' project work (Seminar and Interim assessment) is evaluated by the assigned guide and an internal faculty (this is done at the end of the 2nd and 3rd semesters). The final viva voce is evaluated by the guide and an industry expert or by faculty members from the other institute at the end of 4th Semester.

Failure Cases

NICMAR University's programmes are highly demanding, and students of a high caliber are admitted through a rigorous evaluation. Consequently, every student is expected to complete the procedure in all subjects and submit their project work promptly unless there are legitimate grounds for delay. A student is declared 'Pass' in a course if they score at least 40% marks in internal and semester-end examinations.

If any student fails to obtain the minimum passing marks in the internal or semester-end examination, they will be declared fail. Such a student will have to reappear for the examination by paying the re-examination fee of Rs. 2000/- per course and obtaining the minimum passing marks to qualify.

Similarly, non-submission of project work on time is not acceptable. A candidate is not considered to have completed the programme unless they submit the project report, which is judged satisfactory by the guide and awarded the required ratings by the examiner/s appointed for the purpose.

If the students wish to have their examination paper (s) re-evaluated, this can be done on payment of the re-checking/re-assessment fee of Rs. 1000/- per course.

Grading System

Evaluation will be done on a semester basis. A Semester Grade Point Average (SGPA) and Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) will be calculated at the end of every semester. Students should complete all courses to meet the program requirements.

AWARD

On successful completion of two years, the eligible student will be awarded an MBA in the chosen specialisation or a general MBA. The student must fulfil all requirements as per the University's academic regulations.

REGULAR TEACHING FACULTY

Faculty is the foundation on which NICMAR University programmes are designed to grow. Therefore, careful attention is paid to attracting the best talent from academia and industry. The courses are taught by expert faculty members of the University, eminent practicing managers from leading firms across the country, and visiting experts from Indian and foreign universities and international organisations.

STUDENT DEVELOPMENT

NICMAR University has several schemes in place to provide full or partial financial support to a variety of student activities. The University strongly believes that co- & extracurricular activities significantly contribute to the all-round development of its students.

ABOUT NICMAR UNIVERSITY, PUNE

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

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

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

ANTI-RAGGING POLICY OF NICMAR UNIVERSITY, PUNE

As per the directives issued by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India and the University Grants Commission (UGC), ragging is a cognizable and punishable offence and is totally banned in or out of the University. The

University shall take necessary action in accordance with the UGC Regulations for Curbing the Menace of Ragging in Higher Educational Institutions, 2009, against those found guilty of ragging and/or abetting ragging, actively or passively, or being part of a conspiracy to promote ragging.

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

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

SUPPORT SERVICES

i. Department of Information Technology:

NICMAR University in Pune is equipped with state-of-the-art IT infrastructure to support the academic and research needs of its students, faculty, and staff. The University boasts a powerful information technology network that ensures seamless connectivity and access to essential resources. The facilities are designed to meet the diverse and dynamic needs of students, faculty, and staff, fostering a technologically advanced learning environment.

Key IT Facilities:

Classroom & Computer Labs: Modern and well-equipped with the latest business application software, the computer labs provide students with the necessary tools for their projects and coursework. Smart Classrooms with Collaborative facility which includes Interactive Display, PA Systems, WebCam, Conference tools for remote learning.

24x7 Internet Access: The campus is fully WiFi-enabled with a dedicated Internet leased line connection from TATA and STPI, ensuring uninterrupted internet access

Learning Management System (LMS): An integrated LMS and academic information system facilitate the smooth operation of academic programs and courses

Campus ERP and Student Life Cycle Management: SAP S4/HANA and EduPlus Campus ERP alongwith Digital Evaluation.

Software: BIM Application from AutoDesk Suite (Comprising 24 software such as AutoCAD, Revit, Navisworks, and InRoads), Bentley Project wise and 15 applications), Bexel and VisiLean. Microsoft Dynamics 365 ERP, Highrise Construction ERP for Enterprise resource planning software, For Project Management - Microsoft Project, ProChain, Oracle Suite which includes Primavera, Contract Management, Enterprise Portfolio Project Management, Professional Project Management, and Contractor and Risk Analysis. Estimation software like Candy, CalQuan. @Risk Management Tools, For Pavement Management and Road Project HDM4. Other software like SketchUp, Rhino, SimaPro LCA, PVSyst, NVIVO. Turnitin for plagiarism checks.

Email Services: Students and employees have access to sufficient email storage capacity, along with collaboration tools like Microsoft Teams, OneDrive, and online Microsoft Office applications

AR-VR Studio and Construction 4.0 Lab: A state-of-the-art Augmented Reality (AR) and Virtual Reality (VR) studio that enhances interactive learning and research. A cutting-edge lab focused on modern construction technologies.

Data Security: Robust servers, firewalls, antivirus services, and centralized UPS systems ensure the security and reliability of all networks, systems, and services

Security Systems: Includes CCTV surveillance, biometric attendance systems and Visitor Management System.

IT Support Team: A proficient team of IT managers, system analysts, software engineers, and assistants is available to provide round-the-clock support and assistance

ii. Library

The NICMAR University library is the central library designed to support the students, faculty & research scholars. It is a specialized library in the area of Built Environment. In addition, the library provides knowledge resources in the area Information Technology, Engineering, Architecture, Planning, Energy & Environment, Social Sciences, all areas of Management, Smart Cities, Entrepreneurship, Taxation, Law etc. The Library is the hub of the academic life of the NICMAR University campus. Housed in spacious halls on the first floor of academic block, the library is well stocked with textbooks, technical journals, periodicals and electronic resources. It holds a collection of more than 28600 volumes, comprising over 26300 Books, Periodicals, Standards, Cases, Technical Notes, Theses & Audio-Visual Materials. It also subscribes to electronic resources which include **Scopus – The Citation Database, ProQuest ABI Inform Complete**

(9800+ Titles), **ASCE Journals** (41 Titles), **ASCE Proceedings** (893 Titles), **ScienceDirect-Business Management & Accounting** (120 Journals), **Taylor & Francis Online** (80 Journals), **Sage-Urban Studies & Planning** (57 Journals), **Sage-Management** (22 Journals), **ProQuest eBook Central-Business & Engineering** (69,500+ Books), **Elsevier eBooks** (155 Titles), **Pearson eBooks** (59 Titles), **McGraw Hill eBooks** (50 Titles) and **Multi-publisher eBooks** (22 Titles). Other titles include 'All India Reporter', 'Economic & Political Weekly' and Economic & Business databases of **M/s Centre for Monitoring Indian Economy, Mumbai (CMIE)** including **Prowess, Industry Outlook, Economic Outlook, States of India and the CapEx**. It also subscribes to the Anti-plagiarism software 'Turnitin- Originality Check' for the faculty.

iii. Internet and E-mail

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

iv. Classrooms

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

v. Extra-curricular Activities

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

Some salient features are as follows:

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

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

NICMAR UNIVERSITY EDUCATIONAL LOAN PARTNERS

The banks/financial organisations mentioned below offer educational loans to the students desirous of pursuing NICMAR University's programmes.

- **HDFC Credila Financial Services Ltd.** [Toll Free No.: 1800-209-3636/Ph. No.: 9765491467]
- **ICICI Bank** [Ph. No.: 8956019228 Or SMS ELOAN to 5676766]
- **Saraswat Co-operative Bank Ltd.** [Ph. No.: 020-27292957/58 OR Give a missed call on this number: 9029050027]
- **IDFC First Bank Ltd.** [Toll Free No.: 1860-500-9900/Ph. No.: 9096923798/9049873109]
- **State Bank of India, SPBB, Baner, Pune** [Email: sbi.13295@sbi.co.in]

- **Bank of Baroda** [Give a missed call on this number 8467001122 Or Toll free number 1800223344/45 Or Ph. No.: 7709977826/8007352007/9948505144]
- **Canara Bank** [Email: rahcopne@canarabank.com]
- **Bank of Maharashtra** [Ph.No.: 89992 15408/96232 93296/8888969602]
- **propelld** [Website: <https://www.propelld.com/>, Mr. Sagar Kaushik, Ph. No.: 8147495172]
- **kuhoo** [Website: <https://www.kuhoo.com/>, WhatsApp No.: 74000 03839, Ph.No.: 74000 03940]

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

DISCIPLINE AND CODE OF CONDUCT

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

MBA ACM PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

Semester 1							
Sr No	Type	Code	Course Name	L	T	P	C
1	GC	247001ACF	Accounting and Finance	2	1	0	3
2	GC	267001CEO	Construction Economics	2	0	0	2
3	GC	247001CPC	Construction Project Communications	1	0	0	1
4	GC	247001SAC	Site Administration and Control	2	0	0	2
5	GC	257001FOB	Fundamentals of Organizational Behaviour	1	0	0	1
6	PC	247001EQS	Advanced Estimation & Quantity Surveying	2	0	0	2
7	PC	247001CMT	Construction Methods & Technology	2	0	0	2
8	PC	247001PPS	Project Planning and Scheduling	2	0	0	2
9	PC	247001PPT	Project Procurement and Tendering	2	0	0	2
10	Lab	247001MSP	Project Management Workshop (MSP)	0	0	1	1
11	Workshop	247001CPW	Construction Practice Workshop	0	0	1	1
12	MOOC	247001ELS	Ethics/Life Skills/ Similar	2	0	0	2
Semester 1 credits							21
Semester 2							
13	GC	247002HRM	Fundamentals of Human Resource Management	1	0	0	1
14	GC	247002PMB	Project Marketing and Business Development	2	0	0	2
15	GC	247002STS	Statistics	2	0	0	2
16	PC	247002CQM	Construction Quality Management	2	0	0	2
17	PC	247002CSF	Construction Safety Management	2	0	0	2
18	PC	247002CCM	Contracts & Claims Management	2	0	0	2
19	PC	247002CEM	Construction Equipment Management	2	0	0	2
20	NC	267002AIT	Fundamentals of AI and IOT	2	0	0	2
21	Lab	247002BIF	BIM Fundamentals	0	0	1	1
22	Lab	247002PMW	Project Management Workshop (Primavera)	0	0	1	1
23	Lab	247002ETW	Estimation and Tendering Workshop	0	0	1	1
24	Practical	257002CMN	Business Communications	0	0	1	1
25	Seminar	247002RMS	Research Methodology and Project Seminar*	1	0	1	2
26	IEV	247002IED	Entrepreneurship Methodology and Innovation, Entrepreneurship & Venture (IEV) Development Project: Idea Development *	1	0	1	2
27	NE	247002SIP	Social Immersion	0	0	1	1
28	MOOC	267002IKS	Indian Knowledge System (IKS) / Similar/Foreign Language	2	0	0	2
* Students need to clear both components independently under the Seminar.							
*Students may choose between Seminar/IEV							
Semester 2 credits							24
29	SI	247002SMI	Summer Internship	0	0	0	6
Semester 3							
30	GC	247003STM	Strategic Management	2	0	0	2
31	PC	247003SCP	Sustainability in Construction Projects	2	0	0	2
32	Lab	247003SAR	Software Applications in Research	0	0	1	1
33	Project	247003PWI	Project Work: Interim	0	0	3	3
34	IEV	247003IEP	Innovation, Entrepreneurship & Venture (IEV) Development Project: Prototype	0	0	3	3

Take any 1 General Elective Course (GE) from the list							
35	GE	247003RPL	Enterprise Resource Planning	1	1	0	2
36	GE	257003OMG	Operations Management	2	0	0	2
37	GE	247003OPR	Operations Research	2	0	0	2
38	GE	247003LAE	Leadership & Entrepreneurship	2	0	0	2
39	GE	247003PFA	Project Formulation & Appraisal	2	0	0	2
Take any 3 Programme Elective Courses (PE) from the list.							
40	PE	247003VRP	Valuation of Real Properties	2	0	0	2
41	PE	247003PMS	Pavement Asset Management System	2	0	0	2
42	PE	247003AMS	Assessment & Maintenance of Structures	2	0	0	2
43	PE	247003MCS	Trends in Modern Contemporary Structures and Bridges	2	0	0	2
44	PE	247003TMH	Technology and Management of Highrise Buildings	2	0	0	2
45	PE	247003BIM	Advanced BIM	1	1	0	2
46	PE	267003LCM	Lean Construction Management	1	1	0	2
47	PE	247003CMM	Construction Materials Management	2	0	0	2
48	PE	247003PPP	Public Private Partnership	2	0	0	2
49	PE	247003UCR	Management of Underground Construction and Rock Engineering	2	0	0	2
50	PE	267003RSG	Remote Sensing and Geographic Information System (GIS)	2	0	0	2
Semester 3 credits							22
Semester 4							
51	GC	247004LFC	Legal Framework in Construction	2	0	0	2
52	PC	247004PRM	Project Risk Management	2	0	0	2
53	Project	247004PWF	Project Work: Final	0	0	5	5
54	IEV	247004IEB	Innovation, Entrepreneurship & Venture (IEV) Development Project: Business Model	0	0	5	5
Take any 1 GE course from the list.							
55	GE	247004DAT	Data Analytics	2	0	0	2
56	GE	247004CTP	Corporate Tax Planning	2	0	0	2
57	GE	247004IBP	International Business and Project Exports	2	0	0	2
58	GE	247004FIN	Project Finance	2	0	0	2
59	GE	257004EBC	e-business for Construction	2	0	0	2
Take any 3 PE courses from the list.							
60	PE	247004GIF	Ground Improvement and Foundations	2	0	0	2
61	PE	247004API	Airport & Port Infrastructure	2	0	0	2
62	PE	247004HWP	Planning and Management of Highway Projects	1	1	0	2
63	PE	247004AST	Asset Management of Infrastructure	2	0	0	2
64	PE	247004GPM	Global Project Management Standards & Practices	2	0	0	2
65	PE	247004MTS	Mass Rapid Transportation System	2	0	0	2
66	PE	247004AUT	Automation in Construction	2	0	0	2
67	PE	247004SCB	Social Cost Benefit Analysis	2	0	0	2
68	PE	247004CDM	Advances in Claims & Dispute Management	1	1	0	2
69	PE	247004DVP	Real Estate Development Process	2	0	0	2
Semester 4 credits							17
TOTAL CREDITS							84

Credit Structure Breakup

General Core	10 to 15%	
Major/Programme Core	30 to 40%	
Electives: General and Programme	15 to 20%	
Project Work	12%	25%
Internship	7 to 8%	
MOOC (Value added courses)	5%	

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

- L: Lectures - In these sessions, the students are familiarized with the concepts, theories, methods and essential skills
- T: Tutorial sessions comprise sessions that will support the student's learning. It may include presentations, report writing, case analysis, hands-on practices, etc.
- P: Practical sessions comprise sessions dedicated to hands-on training only

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