

GUIDELINES FOR PH.D. ADMISSIONS FOR FOREIGN NATIONALS/PIOS/NRIS

Foreign Nationals can apply for Ph.D (full-time) program under the following categories:

1. Foreign National sponsored by Indian Council for Cultural Relations Award (ICCR)/ EdCIL
2. Foreign Nationals /NRIs/ PIOs under self- finance. These candidates should have obtained at least 55% of marks/6.0 CGPA in Master's Degree or equivalent in the concerned subject for admission as per the requirement of the program from a University/Board/institute included in the list of Association of Indian Universities (AIU). In case the University/Board is not included in the said list, the candidate has to obtain and submit an equivalence certificate from AIU.

The candidates admitted for Ph.D. have to pay an annual fee of US \$ 3000 till the date of submission of the Ph.D. thesis.

General Guidelines.

- a. Admissions under the above categories apply only to constituent colleges/units of JNTUA and Research Centers recognized by JNTUA only. However, if a candidate joins in any of the recognized research centers of the University, the fee paid by the candidate will be shared in the ratio of 40:60 between the University and the respective affiliated colleges.
- b. Admission to the Ph.D. program under the above categories shall be taken up twice a year (January and July).
- c. The candidates admitted under these categories are governed by the applicable regulations of the University.
- d. Director of Foreign Affairs and Alumni Matters will look after the admission process of students under these categories and interested candidates may approach the Director Foreign Affairs and Alumni Matters.