



# International Affairs Division

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## Admission Notice for Master/MPhil & PhD Program for International Students

Islamic University, Kushtia, Bangladesh invites international students to apply for admission into Postgraduate Programs (Master/MPhil & PhD) in the academic year 2021-2022. Academic qualifications, requirements and other important information are given below:

### A. Postgraduate Programs Offered at Islamic University under its Eight Faculties

#### a. Faculty of Theology and Islamic Studies:

1. Department of Al-Quran and Islamic Studies
2. Department of Da'wah and Islamic Studies
3. Department of Al-Hadith and Islamic Studies

#### b. Faculty of Arts:

1. Department of Arabic Language and Literature
2. Department of Bengali
3. Department of English
4. Department of Islamic History and Culture

#### c. Faculty of Social Sciences:

1. Department of Economics
2. Department of Public Administration

#### d. Faculty of Business Administration:

1. Department of Accounting and Information Systems
2. Department of Management
3. Department of Finance and Banking

#### e. Faculty of Law and Shariah:

1. Department of Law
2. Department of Al-Fiqh and Legal Studies

#### f. Faculty of Sciences:

1. Department of Mathematics
2. Department of Statistics

#### g. Faculty of Engineering and Technology:

1. Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering
2. Department of Applied Chemistry and Chemical Engineering
3. Department of Computer Science and Engineering
4. Department of Information and Communication Engineering

#### h. Faculty of Biological Sciences:

1. Department of Applied Nutrition and Food Technology
2. Department of Biotechnology and Genetic Engineering

### B. Qualification for Admission into the Degree of Master:

Candidates seeking admission to the Postgraduate leading to Master Degree must have the following qualifications:

1. The applicant must complete sixteen-year (16) education with Bachelor Degree not before 2018.
2. S/he has to secure CGPA 3.5 under the scale of 5 or CGPA 3 under the scale of 4 or 70% Marks in Bachelor Degree.
3. S/he must secure CGPA 3.5 under the scale of 5 or CGPA 3 under the scale of 4 or 70% Marks in Secondary and Higher Secondary School Certificate.
4. Academic background of the applicant should match with the post graduate program that s/he intends to be enrolled.
5. Applicants from British education system must secure at least 'C' grade at both 'O' and 'A' levels with no less than 'D' grade in any subject.
6. S/he must submit the proof of his/her English proficiency.

### C. Qualification for Admission into MPhil Program:

Candidates seeking admission to the courses of studies leading to MPhil Degree must have the following qualifications:

1. A candidate shall have Master's Degree or an equivalent degree from this University/Institute or from any other University/Institute approved by the government of any country.



2. S/he should have a strong academic record with no less than CGPA/GPA 3.5 out of 4 in both Bachelor with Honours and Master's Degree as well as at least GPA 3.60 out of 5.0 in school level.
3. S/he must submit the proof of his/her English proficiency.

#### **D. Qualification for Admission into PhD Program:**

Candidates seeking admission to the courses of studies leading to PhD Degree must have the following qualifications:

1. A candidate for the degree of Master of Philosophy (MPhil) shall have Master's Degree or an equivalent degree from this University/Institute or from any other recognized Public or Private University/Institute of any country of the world.
2. The candidate should have a strong academic record with no less than CGPA/GPA 3.50 out of 4 in both Bachelor with Honors and Master's degree.
3. The candidate should have minimum two year teaching/research experience in any recognized institution and have minimum 2(two) research articles in refereed (i.e. impact/index/peer-reviewed/recognized) journals as first author and/or corresponding author in the field of his/her research interest.
4. Candidates having MPhil Degree from this University/institute or from a recognized University/ institute of any country shall be eligible for admission to the PhD Program.
5. Candidates having professional experience no less than 5 (five) years at government or reputed international organizations and have 5 (five) published research articles in refereed (i.e. impact/ index/ peer-reviewed/recognized) journals as first author and/or corresponding author in the field of his/her research interest and have a strong academic record with no less than CGPA/GPA 3.50 out of 4 in both Bachelor with Honors and Master's Degree shall be eligible for admission into the PhD Program.
6. S/he must submit the proof of his/her English proficiency.

#### **E. Admission Procedure:**

1. Overseas Students seeking admission at Islamic University shall apply in the "Prescribed Form" to be obtained either from the office of the International Affairs Division or from the website of Islamic University ([www.iu.ac.bd](http://www.iu.ac.bd)). They shall fill up the Application Form according to the direction and send it to the official email address of IAD mentioned admission notice. An Application Fee of US\$ 25.00 shall be payable to Agrani Bank Limited, Islamic University Branch by Overseas Exchange Division and the invoice number must be mentioned in the definite position of the Application Form.
2. Candidates seeking admission into Master of Philosophy (MPhil)/Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) programs shall mention a full research proposal containing (i) Title (ii) A short survey of the existing literature on the area of research, (iii) Objective and Scope of the proposed research (iv) Methodology (v) Expected outcome of research and (vi) A short bibliography among others.
3. Foreign students sponsored by their respective Governments/Embassies are exempted from eligibility test. Self-financing foreign students shall be exempted from the entrance test for admission; provided that they shall have to pass TOEFL/IELTS or a test in English Language designed by Islamic University to prove their competence in English Language.

#### **F. Tuition and other Fees:**

1. Admission Fee	: US\$ 100.00
2. Registration Fee	: US\$ 100.00
3. Tuition Fee (Per semester)	: US\$ 100.00
4. Examination Fee (Per semester)	: US\$ 50.00
5. Re-examination Fee (each course)	: US\$ 25.00
6. Hall Attachment Fee (once)	: US\$ 50.00
7. Hall Fee (Per Annum)	: US\$ 200.00
8. Transport Fee (Per Annum)	: US\$ 50.00
9. Thesis Examination Fee	
(a) Master	: US\$ 50.00
(b) M.Phil	: US\$ 75.00
(c) PhD	: US\$ 100.00

#### **G. Important Dates:**

1. Last Date of Application : Open
2. Last Date of Enrolment : Open

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#### **H. Facilities:**

1. International Students with outstanding academic achievement at A-Level and/or O-Level or equivalent examinations are eligible to apply for full or partial Tuition Fee Waiver.
2. Applicants/Students from SAARC countries will pay only half of the Fees mentioned above.
3. A number of scholarships are available for International Students.
4. There are adequate residential, medical and transport facilities for international students
5. International students who will get admitted will be provided with residential facilities in the International Student Block of Jatir Pita Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman Hall (for the Male) and Deshratna Sheikh Hasina Hall (for the Female) with due payment of Hall Fees which are stated in the clause 'F'.

#### **I. Documents to be submitted with final application form:**

1. Submission of Health check-up report (HIV, HBS, and Chest X-Ray).
2. Police clearance certificate from Home ministry.
3. All verified Academic Certificates and Transcripts.
4. Testimonial certificate from last educational institute.
5. Three (03) passport size photographs.
6. Certificate of Proficiency in English/Arabic.

For further queries, please contact the undersigned.

  
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