



ALL INDIA COUNCIL FOR TECHNICAL EDUCATION

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PUBLIC NOTICE FOR APPROVAL PROCESS 2019 - 20

AICTE invites applications for approval from all the existing and new Technical Institutions for conducting Technical Programmes/ Courses including courses of Management **for the academic session 2019-20** as per the following:

1. New Technical Institutions

Applications for “Setting up New Technical Institutions Offering Technical Programmes in Engineering and Technology/ Pharmacy/ Architecture/ Planning/ Applied Arts and Crafts/ Design/ Hotel Management and Catering Technology/ MCA/ Management at Diploma/ Post Diploma Certificate/ Under Graduate Degree/ Post Graduate Diploma/ Post Graduate Degree Levels affiliated to University/ Board or Standalone Institutions”.

The Institutions approved by the Council of Architecture/ Pharmacy Council of India in the previous Academic Years/ Existing Institutions offering Courses in Applied Arts and Crafts/ Vocational (Technical) Programmes/ Non-Technical Institutions conducting MCA/ MBA, without the approval of AICTE and seeking approval for the first time from AICTE, shall submit an application as a new Technical Institution.

Institutions Deemed to be Universities seeking approval for the first time from AICTE (in compliance to the order dated 03.11.2017 passed by the Hon’ble Supreme Court Order CA No. 17869-17870 /2017) shall submit an application as a new Technical Institution.

State and Central Universities/ Constituent Colleges/ Private Universities, if interested in seeking approval from AICTE for the first time may submit an application as a new Technical Institution.

2. Existing Technical Institutions

Applications from Existing Technical Institutions offering Technical Programmes in Engineering and Technology/ Pharmacy/ Architecture/ Planning/ Applied Arts and Crafts/ Design/ Hotel Management and Catering Technology/ MCA/ Management at Diploma/ Post Diploma Certificate/ Under Graduate Degree/ Post Graduate Diploma/ Post Graduate Degree Levels affiliated to University/ Board or Standalone Institutions for

- Change of Site/ Location
- Conversion of Women’s Institution into Co-ed Institution and vice-versa
- Conversion of Diploma Level into Degree Level and vice-versa
- To Start new Programme(s)/ Level(s) in the existing Institutions
- Extension of Approval to the existing Institutions/ Continuation of approval after a break in the preceding Academic Year/ Restoration of Intake
- Extended EoA
- Increase in Intake/ Additional Course(s)
- Introduction of Integrated/ Dual Degree Course
- To start Diploma in Degree Pharmacy Institutions and vice-versa
- Merger of Institutions under the same Trust/ Society/ Company operating in the same Campus
- Closure of the Institution
- Conversion of Management Institutions running PGDM Course into MBA Course

- Conversion of Second Shift Course(s) into First Shift Course(s)
- Closing of MBA Programme and Introduction of MCA Programme and vice-versa
- Introduction/ Continuation of Fellowship Programme in Management
- Introduction/ Continuation of supernumerary seats for FN/ OCI/ PIO / Children of Indian Workers in Gulf Countries
- Introduction/ Continuation of seats for Non Resident Indian(s)
- Change in the Name of the Course(s)/ Merger of the Courses/ Reduction in Intake/ Closure of Programme(s)/ Course(s)
- Merger of Lateral Entry Separate Division in Second Year Engineering and Technology/ MCA to First Year Regular Courses
- Change in the Name of the Institution or affiliating University/Board
- Change in the Name of the Bank
- Change in the Name of the Trust/ Society/ Company
- Collaboration and Twinning Programme between Indian and Foreign University/ Institution in the field of Technical Education, Research and Training

3. Vocational Educational Courses

Applications from the existing Institutions offering Technical Programmes at Diploma/ Under Graduate Degree and affiliated to Board/ University for seeking approval for Introduction/ Continuation of Vocational Education Programme(s) leading to Diploma / Degree in Vocational Education under NSQF.

Submission of online applications for the session 2019-20 in respect of all approvals as above shall **begin on 14th January, 2019** and **end on 3rd February, 2019**. The last date for submission of online application with penalty (as per the provisions of APH 2019-20) for Extension of Approval based on self-disclosure **for existing Institutions** is permitted up to **8th February, 2019**. **It may be noted that there shall be no further extension of date.**

All applicants are requested to read carefully and thoroughly the AICTE Approval Process Hand Book 2019-20 and All India Council for Technical Education (Grant of approval for Technical Institution) Regulations, 2018 which are available at www.aicte-india.org, before submitting online applications on AICTE Web Portal for the **Academic Session 2019-20**.

Note: All the Institutions are requested to visit AICTE Website at “www.aicte-india.org > Approval Process 2019-20 Quick link” regularly for all General Notifications, Updated Information and Official Communications related to Approval Process 2019-20. There will not be any other individual communication to the Institutions.

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Advt. No: Approval/