



Office of International Relations
IIT Madras, Chennai 600 036

FACT SHEET 2014-15

GENERAL INFORMATION

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ACADEMIC INFORMATION

DURATION	SEMESTER 1	SEMESTER 2
Term	3rd Week of July to 1st Week of December	2nd Week of January to 2nd Week of May
Classes	Last Week of July to Mid of November	2nd Week of January to End of April
Orientation	3rd Week of July	1st Week of January
Exams	3rd & 4th Week of November	1st & 2nd Week of May

For exact Academic Calendar log on to <http://www.iitm.ac.in/calendar>

Faculty offering exchange opportunities

DEPARTMENT	Bachelor/DD	Master	Research
Aerospace Engineering	✓	✓	✓
Applied Mechanics	✓	✓	✓
Bio Technology	✓	✓	✓
Chemical Engineering	✓	✓	✓
Chemistry	☒	✓	✓
Civil Engineering	✓	✓	✓
Computer Science and Engineering	✓	✓	✓
Electrical Engineering	✓	✓	✓
Engineering Design	✓	✓	✓
Humanities and Social Sciences	☒	✓	✓
Management Studies	☒	✓	✓
Mathematics	☒	✓	✓
Mechanical Engineering	✓	✓	✓
Metallurgical and Materials Engineering	✓	✓	✓
Ocean Engineering	✓	✓	✓
Physics	✓	✓	✓

For online Course Handbook log on to <http://www.iitm.ac.in/courses>

The attendance code and grade points followed at IITM are given below:

Attendance rounded to	Remarks	Code
>95%	Very Good	VG
85 - 94%	Good	G
<85%	Poor	P

Grade	S	A	B	C	D	E	U
Grade Points	10	9	8	7	6	4	0

P	Pass
F	Fail
W	Failure due to insufficient attendance
I	Incomplete (Subsequently to be changed into pass [E to S] or U grade in the semester)
X	Completed NSO/NCC/NSS requirements
Y	Incomplete (in NSO/NCC/NSS)

Full-time study load for one semester

The exchange students can take a maximum of 7 courses per semester, or they can do only the project work without taking any course in a semester. Our students can take a maximum of seven courses and two labs.

- ▶ In general 21 credits (7 theory courses) are allowed in a semester.
- ▶ There is no minimum credits limit.

The CGPA is calculated in the scale of 10.0. One hour of lecture per week in a semester will carry one credit and 3 hours of lab per week will carry 2 credits.

Language of Instruction: English

Language Courses:

German and French courses are offered as part of Humanities department courses

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Last date for Application:

SEMESTER 1 : 15th May

SEMESTER 2 : 15th November

Required Documents:

- > Application Form
- > Transcripts
- > Nomination letter from International Office

OTHER INFORMATION

Estimated cost of living: ₹5000 / month

Health Insurance : ₹250

Miscellaneous:

Accommodation arranged by partner University

For additional information on accommodation write to Office of International Relations

If accepted, Academic section will issue offer letter for Visa requirements.

IITM follows the semester system.

IITM follows the quarter system for MBA program, each quarter is usually of eight week duration.

Quarter 1&5: July - September

Quarter 2&6: September - November

Quarter 3&7: January - March

Quarter 4&8: March - May