

Department Computer Science & Engineering, IIT Guwahati

Ph.D Admission-December 2017 - Frequently Asked Questions

1. How will I reach IIT Guwahati from airport /railway station?

Kindly refer to our sample call letter. The last page contains some basic information on how to reach IITG campus.

2. Upon reaching campus what should I do (for those who wish to stay in the hostel)?

Upon arrival at IITG campus, you may report to the security desk of the concerned hostel. Hostel name will be put up on our webpage by November 30th. Names of all candidates called for admission test will be handed over to the security section of the respective hostel. The security will assign rooms to you. To lock the room, kindly carry a lock and key set with you.

3. Will the accompanying guardian get an accommodation in the hostel when I come for admission test?

As per IIT Guwahati policy, only for the candidate, we will provide accommodation. It is not possible to accommodate guardians who accompany the candidates in our hostels.

4. How long is the accommodation available in the campus hostel?

Accommodation will be available from 3rd December to 5th December 2017. If an extension is needed, you have to contact the caretaker of the respective hostel. Each room will contain a cot, a table, and a chair. If you need bedding, then you may need to pay at the security desk of the hostel at the time of check-in. You may dine at the hostel mess by paying the respective charges.

5. What should I do on the admission test day?

Report at the CSE department by 8:30 am with all your documents and the specified DD mentioned in the call letter. CSE department is located in the academic complex. A room wise seating plan for the written test will be displayed on the notice board. The security personnel and our student volunteers will guide you to the respective room for writing the exam.

6. What all documents have to be brought for the admission process?

All documents mentioned in the call letter (refer sample call letter given in admission page) in original and one set of self-attested copies of them have to be brought during admission.

7. What all documents have to be with the candidate during the written test?

The candidate needs to carry a printout of the application form; the DD took in favor of the **Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati**, payable at **Guwahati** and a valid proof of identification (Aadhar card, Driving license, PAN card, Voters ID card). If the DD is not in favor of correct name or at a different payable city, it will not be accepted. Other documents are needed only after the exam, but before the interview.

8. Do I need to bring original certificates?

If you have originals with you, bring them. Else, bring the attested copies and show it at CSE department office. You have to give a declaration that you will produce the originals later for completing the admission (if you are selected). Till then you will be offered only a provisional admission.

9. As per the shortlist cut off I am eligible to be called for the test, but neither I didn't get any mail nor my name is there in the list of shortlisted candidates. What should I do?

Write an email to cseadmissions@iitg.ernet.in to Convener, CSE Admissions 2017-18 mentioning your application number and academic credentials. Within three working days, you will get a response regarding the status of your case.

10. What will be the duration of the written test? What will be the model of the test?

The admission test will be a descriptive type test of 2-hour duration. The syllabus is available in CSE department admission page.

11. By what time the result of the written test will be declared?

The interview shortlist will be announced by 2 pm on December 4, 2017(approximately).

12. When will be the interview held for those who qualify the written test?

The interview will be on the same day (December 4) in the AN session. But anyway it will be over on the same day. It may go up to late night. Hence you are requested to plan for your accommodation on December 4th night also.

13. Are candidates eligible for reimbursement of travel expense for attending the Ph.D admission test?

Regular category candidates are eligible for reimbursement of sleeper class train fare/non-AC bus fare. When you appear for Ph.D admission test on Dec 4, 2017, submit your travel tickets and bank account information. The amount will be credited to your account after getting approval from competent authorities.

14. If I have any other question, what should I do?

Send an email to cseadmissions@iitg.ernet.in mentioning your application number. For emergency, you may contact Dr. Samit Bhattacharya (Convener, Admission Committee) in 0361-2582362 during office hours.