

# INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR POPULATION SCIENCES

(Deemed University)

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## ADMISSION NOTICE

Applications are invited for admission to M.A./M.Sc. in Population Studies during the academic session 2017-2019 to commence from 11<sup>th</sup> July, 2017:

### MASTER OF ARTS/MASTER OF SCIENCE IN POPULATION STUDIES

**No. of Seats:** 50 Seats with Govt. of India Fellowship.

**Eligibility:** Candidates with a Bachelor's degree in social science (Economics, Sociology, Psychology, Geography, Anthropology, Social Work etc.) and Mathematics and Statistics from a recognized university in India or abroad with a minimum of 55% of aggregate marks in all subjects (all semesters/parts included) are eligible for admission to the above programme. In addition to the above subjects, applications from non-social science background having experience in population and health related field shall also be considered for admission. Candidates awaiting results of qualifying examination latest by 30<sup>th</sup> September 2017 can also apply for consideration. The upper age limit is 25 years as on 30.6.2017. Marks and age are relaxable for candidates belonging to reserved categories and Women as per GOI rules.

**Duration:** Two years (Full-Time)

**Fellowship:** Each selected Indian student will be awarded a Government of India Fellowship @ Rs. 5,000/- per month.

**Selection Criteria:** The selection will be made on the basis of an Online Test. The Online Entrance Test for MA/M.Sc in Population Studies will compose of objective type questions of multiple choice. The syllabus of Entrance Test shall consist of basic general knowledge, logical reasoning, English grammar, basic mathematics, population, health and social science. The test venue will be notified in the Admit Card.

Online Test: 7th June, 2017

**Reservation:** Reservation for SC/ST/OBC/PWD & Women candidates will be considered as per the Government of India norms.

Eligible foreign candidates can also apply for admission provided they secure financial support from any outside agency. Processing fee will not be charged from the foreign candidates while submission of completed application forms. Also, admission test will not be conducted for the foreign candidates and that the admission will be offered directly if the candidates fulfil the eligibility criteria of the Institute.

**Fees:** Refer to IIPS website for course-wise fee schedule. If any student desires to withdraw admission after paying the course fee, the refund of course will be as per the UGC rules.

**Registration for Admission Test :** All eligible candidates are required to register online by visiting the Institute's website [www.iipsindia.org](http://www.iipsindia.org) during 31.03.2017 to 01.05.2017. Those interested in applying for more than one course should pay application processing fee separately for each course.

Only those candidates who have already passed the qualifying degree examinations and those who have already appeared/ shall be appearing in the final qualifying examinations, before the conduct of entrance test, are eligible to apply.

The Institute reserves the right to decide the number of seats to be filled in. The Institute also reserves the right to change/alter certain rules at any time.

Mumbai, 31/03/2017

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