

Shortlisting Criteria for PGP 2017-19 batch

Candidates meeting the following minimum cut-offs have been called for Academic Writing Test (AWT) & Personal Interview (PI).

1. Preliminary Screening:

Number of candidates across different categories eligible to be considered for subsequent stages as per Table 1: (Minimum CAT-2016 Percentile Rank)

Category	CAT	GMAT
General	20830	25
NC-OBC	2882	-
SC	1046	-
ST	308	-
DA	126	-
Total	25192	25

Table 1: Minimum Cut-offs of CAT-2016 Percentile Ranks

Category	Verbal and Reading Comprehension percentile rank (PVRC)	Data Interpretation & Logical Reasoning percentile rank (PDILR)	Quantitative Aptitude percentile rank (PQA)	Overall percentile rank (PT)
General	70	70	70	80
NC-OBC-cum- transgender	65	65	65	75
SC	60	60	60	70
ST	50	50	50	60
PWD/DA	60	60	60	70

Note: Scheduled Castes (SC), Scheduled Tribes (ST), Non-creamy Other Backward Castes (NC-OBC), Person with Disability (PWD)/Differently Abled (DA).

2. Screening for Academic Writing Test (AWT) & Personal Interview (PI)

Stage 1: Selection of exceptional performers across different disciplines (Non-ACRC Group)

The following table shows the number of applicants and the number of candidates shortlisted for AWT-PI, applying Criteria C1-C3.

Category		AC-1			AC-2	
	No. of applicants	No. of candidates selected	Minimum CS	No. of applicants	No. of candidates selected	Minimum CS
General	43	2	0.534	870	45*	0.585
NC- OBC/Transgen der	9			26		
SC	5			3		
ST	1			2		
PWD/DA	1			2		

^{*} One more candidate selected due to bunching

Criteria C1-C3:

C1. $PT \ge 80$, $PQA \ge 70$, $PDILR \ge 70$ and $PVRC \ge 70$.

C2. $P \ge 80$ (Science), 77 (Commerce), 75 (Arts/Humanities), where **P** is the average of the percentages of marks scored in the 10^{th} and 12^{th} std. examinations.

C3. Percentage of marks in the bachelor's examination \geq Minimum cut-off percentage, to be set at the 80th percentile of the percentage of marks of the respective AC group of the applicants' pool (as per the table given below).

Academic Category				
AC-1	AC-2			
66.90	62.19			

Stage 1: Selection of exceptional performers across different disciplines (ACRC Group)

The following table shows the number of applicants and the number of candidates shortlisted for AWT-PI, applying Criteria C4-C6.

		AC-3			AC-4			AC-5			AC-6	
Category	No. of applicants	No. of candidates selected	Minimum CS	No. of applicants	No. of candidates selected	Minimum CS	No. of applicants	No. of candidates selected	Minimum CS	No. of applicants	No. of candidates selected	Minimum CS
General	45598	95	0.652	84332	102**	0.716	7481	100	0.562	2738	61	0.426
NC- OBC	6639	57	0.507	16252	58*	0.609	1776	23	0.406	433	6	0.414
SC	2776	25	0.367	8679	32	0.537	870	10	0.361	289	3	0.381
ST	921	12	0.293	2108	16	0.468	246	5	0.364	96	3	0.393
PWD/D A	222	6	0.580	419	7*	0.562	51	1	0.510	29	0	-

^{*} One more candidate selected due to bunching

Criteria: C4-C6:

C4. PT, PQA, PDILR and PVRC must be greater than or equal to the minimum cut offs as specified above in Table 1.

C5. $P \ge Minimum$ cut-offs (specific to the category and the stream as shown in below Table), where P is the average of the percentages of marks scored in 10^{th} and 12^{th} std. examinations.

Stream in 12 th std.	General Category	NC-OBC- cum- transgender Category	SC Category	ST Category	PWD/DA Category
Science	80	75	70	65	70
Commerce	77	72	67	62	67
Arts & Humanities	75	70	64	59	64

C6. Percentage of marks in the bachelor's examination \geq Minimum cut-off percentage, to be set at the 80th percentile of the percentage of marks of the respective ACRC group of the applicants' pool (as per the table given below).

^{**} Two more candidates selected due to bunching

	Academic Category					
Category	AC-3	AC-4	AC-5	AC-6		
General	75.00	80.40	78.20	73.81		
NC-OBC/ Transgender	73.40	78.50	76.26	71.30		
SC	70.00	73.33	71.60	68.42		
ST	70.00	72.16	73.00	66.25		
PWD/DA	73.70	73.30	69.40	71.50		

Stage 2: Category-wise selection (after removing the candidates selected in Stage 1)

The following table shows the number of candidates shortlisted for AWT-PI fulfilling Criteria C4-C5 described above by drawing a merit list using Composite Score (CS):

Category	General	NC-OBC	SC	ST	PWD/DA
Number of candidates	143	185	111	64	27
Minimum CS	0.698	0.571	0.492	0.414	0.495

Calculation of Composite Score:

CS (Composite Score) = 0.3 (Normalized AR score) + 0.7 (Normalized overall score in CAT-2016)

CS = (AR*0.3/30) + (Total CAT score*0.7/300)

For definitions of Academic Category (AC), Application Rating Score (AR) and Normalized AR of an applicant, see Admissions Procedure for PGP 2017-19 batch notified on the admission page of IIMA website.

Average AR for top 50 candidates: 30

Shortlisting of Overseas (GMAT) candidates

Following the criteria C7-C8 as given below, 25 candidates have been shortlisted.

C7.
$$PV = 70$$
; $PQ = 70$; $PTOTAL = 80$

C8. P ≥ 80 (Science), 77 (Commerce), 75 (Arts/Humanities)

P is the average of the percentages of marks scored in 10th and 12th std. exams.

Calculation of Composite Score:

CS (Composite Score) = 0.3 (Normalized AR score) + 0.7 (Normalized total GMAT score)

CS = (AR*0.3/30) + (Total GMAT score*0.7/800)

3. Total No. of candidates called for AWT-PI

Category	Number
General	573
NC-OBC	329
SC	181
ST	100
DA	41
Total	1224
