



# Indian Institutes of Management (IIMs)

Ahmedabad, Bangalore, Calcutta, Indore, Kashipur, Kozhikode, Lucknow, Raipur, Ranchi, Rohtak, Shillong, Tiruchirappalli and Udaipur

## Common Admission Test (CAT) 2014

The Indian Institutes of Management will conduct Common Admission Test 2014 (CAT 2014) during a 2-day testing window (4 sessions) on 16<sup>th</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> November, 2014. CAT 2014 will be conducted by IIMs as a pre-requisite for admission to various management programmes of IIMs. These programmes are:

### A. Post Graduate Programmes in Management:

		Website Addresses:
■ IIM Ahmedabad	PGP and PGP-ABM	www.iimahd.ernet.in
■ IIM Bangalore	PGP, PGPEM and PGPPM	www.iimb.ernet.in
■ IIM Calcutta	PGP-PGDM	www.iimcal.ac.in
■ IIM Indore	PGP, PGP-Mumbai, PGP-UAE and EPGP	www.iimdr.ac.in
■ IIM Kashipur	PGP and EPGPM	www.iimkashipur.ac.in
■ IIM Kozhikode	PGP	www.iimk.ac.in
■ IIM Lucknow	PGP, PGP-ABM and PGPSM	www.iiml.ac.in
■ IIM Raipur	PGP and PGPEM	www.iimraipur.ac.in
■ IIM Ranchi	PGDM and PGDHRM	www.iimranchi.ac.in
■ IIM Rohtak	PGP	www.iimrohtak.ac.in
■ RGIIM Shillong	PGP and PGPEX	www.iimshillong.in
■ IIM Tiruchirappalli	PGP, PGPBM and PGPHRM	www.iimtrichy.ac.in
■ IIM Udaipur	PGP	www.iimu.ac.in

**B. Fellow Programmes in Management (FPM) [equivalent to Ph.D.]** of IIM Ahmedabad, IIM Bangalore, IIM Calcutta, IIM Indore, IIM Kashipur, IIM Kozhikode, IIM Lucknow, IIM Raipur, IIM Ranchi, IIM Rohtak, RGIIM Shillong, IIM Tiruchirappalli, IIM Udaipur and EFPM programme of IIM Kashipur and IIM Raipur.

Separate advertisements will appear for the Fellow Programme of each institute as well as PGP-ABM of IIM Ahmedabad, PGPEM and PGPPM of IIM Bangalore, PGP-Mumbai, PGP-UAE & EPGP of IIM Indore, EPGPM of IIM Kashipur, PGP-ABM & PGPSM of IIM Lucknow, PGPEM of IIM Raipur, PGDHRM of IIM Ranchi, PGPEX of RGIIM Shillong, PGPBM & PGPHRM of IIM Tiruchirappalli. Before a prospective candidate makes a decision to appear for CAT 2014, he/she must visit the websites and/or read programme advertisements of the concerned IIM and specific programmes to ensure which programmes they want to apply for, eligibility requirements and admission processes.

List of non-IIM member institutions that have registered to avail the CAT 2014 scores is provided at [www.iimcat.ac.in](http://www.iimcat.ac.in). CAT 2014 Scores are restricted only for admission to IIMs and non-IIM member institutions. IIMs have no role in the selection process of Non-IIM Institutions.

A candidate can appear for CAT2014 only once during the 2-day testing window (4 sessions).

### INFORMATION SOURCES:

CAT website : [www.iimcat.ac.in](http://www.iimcat.ac.in) (From 01-08-2014)  
IVRS Number : १४४०-२१४०-१५१

### CAT2014 ELIGIBILITY

A candidate must hold a bachelor's degree, with at least 50% marks or equivalent CGPA [45% in case of the candidates belonging to Scheduled Caste (SC), Scheduled Tribe (ST) and Differently Abled (DA) (it may also be referred to as Persons With Disability (PWD) categories), awarded by any of the universities incorporated by an act of the central or state legislature in India or other educational institutions established by an act of Parliament or declared to be deemed as a university under Section 3 of the UGC Act, 1956, or possess an

### RESERVATIONS

As per Government of India requirements, 15% of the seats are reserved for SC and 7.5% for ST candidates. For Other Backward Classes candidates belonging to the "non-creamy" layer (NC-OBC) 27% of the seats are reserved.

For an updated central list of state-wise OBCs eligible for availing the benefit of reservation and information in respect of the creamy layer visit the website [www.ncbc.nic.in](http://www.ncbc.nic.in). In case of NC-OBC category, the castes included in Central List (available at [www.ncbc.nic.in/Centrallistofbc.html](http://www.ncbc.nic.in/Centrallistofbc.html)) of NC-OBC by the National Commission of Backward Classes, Government of India as on the last day of registration will be used. Any subsequent changes will not be effective for CAT2014.

As per the provision under section 39 of the PWD Act, 1995, 3% of the seats are reserved for Person with Disability (PWD) / Differently Abled (DA) candidates. The three categories of disability are: a) low-vision/blindness, b) hearing impairment, and c) locomotor disability/cerebral palsy. This provision is applicable if a candidate suffers from any of the listed disabilities to the extent of not less than 40%, as certified by a medical authority as prescribed and explained in the said Act.

The candidates belonging to categories for which seats are reserved need to note and read the eligibility requirements carefully before applying. It should be noted that while it is the endeavor of IIMs that the candidates belonging to SC/ST/PWD (DA)/Non-Creamy OBC categories join the programme in proportions mandated by the law, they have to meet the minimum eligibility criteria and a certain minimum level of performance in the admission process. The candidates should read carefully the description of admission process followed by each IIM on their respective websites. **No change in the category will be entertained after registration; hence, the applicants are advised to pay attention while registering.**

### PAYMENT OF REGISTRATION FEES

The registration fee is ₹ 1600 for General and NC-OBC candidates and ₹ 800 for SC/ST/PWD (DA) candidates, which is to be paid online at the time of registration. The details will be available on [www.iimcat.ac.in](http://www.iimcat.ac.in).

Please note that a candidate needs to pay registration fee only once irrespective of the number of institutes he/she is applying for. NC-OBC, SC, ST and PWD (DA) candidates must upload a copy of their NC-OBC/SC/ST/PWD (DA) certificates at the time of registration. **Fees once paid cannot be refunded under any circumstances.**

### REGISTRATION FOR CAT2014

The registration window opens on 6<sup>th</sup> August, 2014 and will close on 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2014. The details about the registration process will be available on CAT 2014 website [www.iimcat.ac.in](http://www.iimcat.ac.in).

At the time of registration, a candidate has to select three test cities as per her/his preference from the drop down menu. A candidate will be allotted a test site in one among the three of her/his preferred test cities in any one of the four sessions after the last date of registration. The candidates can download their admit cards from 16<sup>th</sup> Oct, 2014 till their exam date.

### TEST CITIES

There are 99 test cities. The details about the test sites spread across 99 test cities will be available on [www.iimcat.ac.in](http://www.iimcat.ac.in) from 16<sup>th</sup> Oct, 2014 and the name of the test site will be indicated in her/his Admit Card.

IIMs reserve the right to change or cancel any test site and/or change the test window time and dates at their own discretion.

### CAT2014 SCORES

A candidate's CAT 2014 score card will be made available at the [www.iimcat.ac.in](http://www.iimcat.ac.in) and

