

**PG ADMISSION OFFICE  
INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY ROORKEE  
ROORKEE**

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**NOTIFICATION**

It is hereby notified that as per Ph.D. Admission Rules and Regulation A.5, the students of I Year of M.Tech/M.Arch./MURP programmes of IIT Roorkee have an option to switch over to Ph.D. under Dual Degree (**M.TECH. / M.Arch. / M.U.R.P. + Ph.D.**) Programme. The general guidelines and procedure for switching over to Ph.D. programme are given below:

**General Guidelines:**

1. This programme is applicable to every department/centre having M.Tech/M.Arch./MURP programme.
2. After completing two semesters of M.Tech./M.Arch./M.U.R.P. of the First Year, the students having CGPA more than **8.50** will be given the choice to apply for Ph.D. programme, if he/she desires.
3. The candidates should have been registered for TWO semesters of the First Year of M.Tech./M.Arch./M.U.R.P. programme and successfully completed all courses of the First Year including seminar.
4. Once admitted for Ph.D. programme, normal Ph.D. rules, including fellowship, leaves etc., will be applicable.
5. These students will get two degrees both M.Tech./M.Arch./M.U.R.P. and Ph.D. after successful completion of Ph.D.
6. The students admitted for Ph.D. may have to do extra courses as recommended by SRC of the respective department/centre to carry out the research work.
7. These students will have to go through comprehensive written and comprehensive oral examination, after completing the extra courses, if any.
8. Only after successful completion of the comprehensive examination, the students can present the research proposal.
9. The comprehensive examination and the presentation of research proposal should have been completed within a year from the date of switching over to Ph.D. programme
10. These students will not be eligible for campus placement along with M.Tech./M.Arch./M.U.R.P. students. However, they can appear for campus placement along with Ph.D. students.
11. If the student fails in comprehensive examination, he/she may continue with M.Tech./M.Arch./M.U.R.P. programme.
12. In case, if a student is asked to leave the Ph.D. programme in between due to some reason, after the candidacy, he/she can leave the programme with M.Tech./M.Arch./M.U.R.P. degree only provided he/she submits the work completed till then as M.Tech./M.Arch./M.U.R.P. dissertation work satisfying the requirement of M.Tech./M.Arch./M.U.R.P. degree. However, if a student leaves the programme on his/her own, he/she will not be entitled for any degree.

**Procedure for Switching over to Ph.D.:**

1. Students aspiring to switch over from M.Tech./M.Arch./M.U.R.P. to Ph.D. will apply online at [www.iitr.ac.in](http://www.iitr.ac.in) from **May 18, 2019** to **May 30, 2019**.
2. The applications will be sent to concerned department for selection.
3. The department will constitute a committee to interview the candidates applied for dual degree.
4. The merit list will be prepared considering 40% weight to CGPA and 60% weight to interview.
5. The list of recommended students will be sent to PG Admission Office.
6. Once admitted, the supervisor(s) of the student will be decided as per rule.
7. One faculty member can generally take only one student under this dual degree programme. If more than one is taken by a faculty member, a proper justification from the department is required.
8. Interview shall be conducted during the first week of June 2019.

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**Assistant Registrar, Acad-Admissions**

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1. All Heads of Departments / Centres with the request to give it wide publicity among the first year students of M.Tech./M.Arch./M.U.R.P.
2. All Deans / Associate Deans.
3. Asstt. Registrar (Admission/Curriculum/Evaluation).
4. Channel-I Notice Board.