

### **PUNJAB ENGINEERING COLLEGE**

(DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY)

### **CHANDIGARH**



## PhD Admission Brochure **Session 2025-26** (July 2025 Intake)

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For Admission to PhD Programmes

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## Fellowship / Scholarship

(Fellowship/ Scholarships are available to only Full Time research scholars.)

Sr. No.	Fellowship / Scholarship
1.	PhD Full-Time Teaching Assistantship (TA) and Research Assistantship (RA) of MHRD/MoE
2.	PhD Full-Time (Under Institute Fellowship)
3.	PhD (Full Time) with External Fellowships Like JRF/DST Inspire, Visvesvaraya etc.
4.	Krishna D Mahajan Doctoral Scholars Fund for Excellence in Research (Metallurgical & Materials Engineering)
5.	PhD (Full Time) for candidates/staff working under the Research projects sponsored by MHRD/DST/UGC or some other government agencies at PEC.
6.	Eligible candidates, who did M.E./ M.Tech. with GATE and was getting institute assistantship, are required to qualify the entrance examination test and the qualified candidates will be eligible for awards of institute scholarship. Such candidates are required to provide the proof of admission to M.E./ M.Tech. with GATE and was getting institute assistantship in M.E./ M.Tech. programme at the time of document verification/interview.

# Punjab Engineering College (Deemed to be University), Chandigarh Admission Notice

#### **Admission to PhD Programmes**

Online Applications are invited for admission to PhD Programmes in various disciplines as mentioned in **TABLE-1**. The important dates regarding admission related activities are mentioned in **TABLE-2**. Applications may be submitted through the link on institute website **https://pec.ac.in/admissions/phd**. Hard copy of the registration form along with self-attested photocopies of the relevant documents and proof of payment of non-refundable registration fee of Rs. 1000/- or 500/- (as applicable) is to be submitted to Chairman Admissions, Punjab Engineering College (Deemed to be University), Sector – 12, Chandigarh – 160012 by hand /registered post/ speed post on or before the prescribed date and time. The candidates applying for more than one discipline should submit separate print-outs of the online registration form for the additional discipline. A candidate is permitted to apply for maximum two disciplines only.

TABLE-1
Area of Specialization and Qualifying Degree for PhD Admission for the session 2025-26 (July, 2025 Intake)

	2023 20 (July, 2023 Intake)		
Sr. No	Department	Area of Specialization(s)	Qualifying Degree, eligible branches
1	Aerospace Engineering		<ul> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Aerospace Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Aeronautical Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Structural Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Propulsion Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Avionics Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Rocketry Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Space Engineering</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech. in Aerospace Engineering</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech. in Aeronautical Engineering</li> <li>Or Any Other Equivalent</li> </ul>
2	Chemistry	<ul> <li>Waste water treatment</li> <li>Organometallics</li> <li>Synthetic Organic Chemistry (Natural Products and</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>M.Sc. in Chemistry</li> <li>M.Sc. Applied Chemistry</li> <li>M.Sc. Industrial Chemistry</li> <li>M.Sc. Environmental Sciences</li> <li>M.Tech./M.E in Chemical</li> </ul>

		Heterocycles)	Engineering
		Green Chemistry	M.Sc. Material Science
		Ionic liquids	• M.Tech./M.E in Environmental
		Metal oxide	Engineering
		nanomaterials	M.Tech./M.E in MaterialScience And
		<ul> <li>Nano structures</li> </ul>	Engineering
		<ul> <li>Corrosion resistant</li> </ul>	• M.Tech./M.E in Material and
		materials	Metallurgical Engineering
		<ul> <li>Chemosensors</li> </ul>	M.Sc/M.Tech Biotechology
		Nano catalysis	M.Sc/M.Tech Polymer Technology
		Photo catalysis	M.Sc Pharmaceutical Chemistry
		Environmental	Or Any Other Equivalent
		Chemistry	
		Algebra     Coding Theory	
		• Coding Theory	
		Computer Graphics     Conoral Topology	
		<ul><li>General Topology</li><li>Fuzzy Topology</li></ul>	
		Nano Topology	
		<ul> <li>Rough Set Theory and</li> </ul>	
		Decision making	
	36.3	Operation Research	M.Sc. in Mathematics
3	Mathematics	Multiobjective	Or Any Other Equivalent
		Optimization	7
		Fuzzy Theory	
		Abrtract Harmonic	
		Analysis	
		Fractal Geometry	
		Operator Theory	
		Spectral Theory	
		Fixed Point Theory	
		<ul> <li>Ferroelectric and</li> </ul>	M.Sc. in Physics
		Piezoelectric	M.Sc. in Applied Physics
		materials	M.Sc. in Materials Science
		Relaxor ferroelectrics	M.Sc. in Energy Science
		Magneto Electric	M.E./M.Tech. in Electronics
		Composites	M.E./M.Tech. in Electronics &
4		Multiferroics     Characteristics	Communication Engineering
	Physics	• Structure-property correlations	M.E./M.Tech. in Material Science     M.E. / M.Tech. in Materials and
		Magnetic	M.E./ M.Tech. in Materials and Metallurgical Engineering
		Semiconductors	B.E./B.Tech. in Engineering Physics
		Electrochemical	M.E./M.Tech. in Nanotechnology
		Energy Storage	B.E./B.Tech. in Electronics
		Multifunctional	B.E./B.Tech. in Electronics &
		Materials for Energy,	Communication Engineering
		Environmental and	B.E./B.Tech. in Material Science

		Healthcare applications  Computational Studies of Thermoelectric materials  Hybrid functional materials and thin films for Energy and Biomedical Applications.	<ul> <li>B.E./B.Tech. in Materials and Metallurgical Engineering</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech. in Nanotechnology</li> <li>Or Any Other Equivalent</li> </ul>
5	Civil Engineering	<ul> <li>Structural Engineering</li> <li>Transportation         Engineering</li> <li>Water Resources         Engineering</li> <li>Environmental         Engineering</li> <li>Geotechnical         Engineering</li> <li>Construction         Technology         &amp; Management</li> <li>Remote Sensing and         GIS</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Civil Engineering</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech. in Civil Engineering</li> <li>Or Any Other Equivalent</li> </ul>
6	Computer Science & Engineering	<ul> <li>Artificial Intelligence</li> <li>Machine Learning</li> <li>Soft Computing</li> <li>Natural Language Processing</li> <li>Speech Technology</li> <li>Bio-Informatics</li> <li>Wireless Sensor Networks</li> <li>Networks &amp; Security</li> <li>Mobile &amp; Adhoc Networks</li> <li>Deep Learning</li> <li>Medical Imaging</li> <li>IOT &amp; related areas</li> <li>Software Engineering</li> <li>Software Testing</li> <li>Information retrieval</li> <li>Prediction Algorithms</li> <li>Cryptography</li> <li>Data Analytics</li> <li>Fault-Tolerant</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>M.E./M.Tech./MSc. in Computer Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech./MSc. in Computer Science</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech./MSc. in Computer Science &amp; Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech./MSc. in Computer Science &amp; Information Technology</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech./MSc. in Computer Technology</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech./MSc. in Information Technology</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech./MSc. in Computer Science &amp; Technology</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech./MSc. Computer Science &amp; Engineering (Artificial Intelligence)</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech./MSc. Computer Science &amp; Engineering (Machine Learning)</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech./MSc. Computer Science &amp; Engineering (Data Science)</li> </ul>

- **Distributed Computing**
- Explainable Artificial Intelligence
- Blockchain Technology
- IOT
- SDN
- Wireless
   Communication
- Network Security
- AI & ML
- VANET
- Web Crawling
- Dark Web and Deep Web
- Latest Areas Related to Covid 19
- Automata Theory
- Or any other equivalent or related area

- M.E./M.Tech./MSc. in Computer Science & Engineering (Cyber Security)
- M.E./M.Tech./MSc. in Software Engineering
- M.E./M.Tech./MSc. in Electrical & Electronics Engineering
- M.E./M.Tech./MSc. in Electrical Engineering
- M.E./M.Tech./MSc. in Electronics & Communication Engineering
- MSc (CSE/IT)
- MCA
- MSc followed by M.Tech
- MSc with NET (JRF)/GATE
- MCA followed by M.Tech
- MCA with NET (JRF)/GATE
- B.E./B.Tech. in Computer Engineering
- B.E./B.Tech. in Computer Science
- B.E./B.Tech. in Computer Science & Engineering
- B.E./B.Tech. in Computer Science & Information Technology
- B.E./B.Tech. in Computer Technology
- B.E./B.Tech. in Information Technology
- B.E./B.Tech. in Computer Science & Technology
- B.E./B.Tech. Computer Science & Engineering (Artificial Intelligence)
- B.E./B.Tech. Computer Science & Engineering (Machine Learning)
- B.E./B.Tech. Computer Science & Engineering (Data Science)
- B.E./B.Tech. in Computer Science & Engineering (Cyber Security)
- B.E./B.Tech. in Software Engineering
- B.E./B.Tech. in Electrical and Electronics Engineering
- B.E./B.Tech. in Electrical Engineering
- B.E./B.Tech. in Electronics & Communication Engineering
- Or Any Other Equivalent

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/		Power System	• M.E./M.Tech. in Control
	Engineering	Power Electronics	Engineering
		Control System	• M.E./M.Tech. in Electrical &
		Renewable Energy	Electronics Engineering
		System	• M.E./M.Tech. in Electrical
			Engineering
			M.E./M.Tech. in Instrumentation
			and Control Engineering
			M.E./M.Tech. in Power Electronics
			and Drives
			• M.E./M.Tech. in Power System
			Engineering
			• M.E./M.Tech. in Systems and
			Control Engineering
			M.E/M.Tech in Power Apparatus     and Systems
			and Systems
			M.E/M.Tech in Power System &  Electric Private
			Electric Drives
			• B.E./B. Tech. in Control
			Engineering
			• B.E./B. Tech. in Electrical &
			Electronics Engineering
			• B.E./B. Tech. in Electrical
			Engineering
			B.E./B. Tech. in Instrumentation
			and Control Engineering
			B.E./B.Tech. in Power Electronics
			and Drives
			• B.E./B. Tech. in Power System
			Engineering
			• B.E./B. Tech. in Systems and
			Control Engineering
			B.E./B. Tech. in Power System &
			Electric Drives
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8	Electronics	• UAV Assisted	M.E./M.Tech. in Biomedical  Fraction and the second s
	& Communication	Communication	Engineering
	Communication	Green Communication	M.E./M.Tech. in Electronics
	Engineering	Resource Allocation	• M.E./M.Tech. in Electronics &
		and Performance	Communication Engineering
		evaluation of	M.E./M.Tech. in Electronics &
		Communication	Electrical Communication
		Networks	Engineering
		<ul> <li>Heterogenous Cellular</li> </ul>	M.E./M.Tech. in Electronics and
		Networks	Instrumentation Engineering
		<ul> <li>Nano-Electronics and</li> </ul>	M.E./M.Tech. in Electronics and
		Its Applications	Telecom Engineering
		Resistive Switching	M.E./M.Tech. in Electronics
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- Devices and System Design
- Beyond CMOS Low Power Devices and System

#### Design

- Neuromorphic Engineering & Brain Inspired Electronics
- Nanoelectronics
- Microelectronics
- Photonics
- Microwave/Terahertz (THz)Antennas
- Microwave/ Terahertz (THz)Devices
- Renewable Energy Cognitive Radio
- VLSI Design/ Technology
- Wireless Sensor Networks
- Electronic System Design
- Assistive Technology
- Digital Communication
- Computer Aided diagnostics
- Communication Engineering
- Embedded Systems
- Image Processing
- Machine Vision
- Silicon Nano Photonics
- On-Chip Optical Devices
- Photonic Integrated Circuits
- Optical Networks-On-Chip
- Analog System Design
- Wireless Communication Networks
- Photonic Sensors
- Optical Communication & Networks

- Product Design & Technology
- M.E./M.Tech. in Embedded System
- M.E./M.Tech. in Mechatronics
- M.E./M.Tech. in Microelectronics
- M.E./M.Tech. in Microwave Electronics
- M.E./M.Tech. in Microwave
- Engineering
- M.E./M.Tech. in Nanoelectronics
- M.E./M.Tech. in Nanotechnology
- M.E./M.Tech. in Power Electronics/ Energy Systems
- M.E./M.Tech. in VLSI Design
- M.E./M.Tech. in Digital Signal Processing
- M.E./M.Tech. in Computer Science & Engineering
- M.E/M.Tech. in Communication and Networking
- M.E/M.Tech. in Communication Engineering
- M.E/M.Tech. in Communication Engineering and Signal Processing
- M.E/M.Tech. in Optoelectronics & Optical Communication
- M.E/M.Tech. in Signal Processing and Embedded Systems
- M.E/M.Tech. in Wireless Communications
- M.S in Biomedical Engineering
- M.S in Digital Signal Processing
- M.S in Electronics
- M.S in Electronics & Communication Engineering
- M.S in Electronics & Electrical Communication Engineering
- M.S in Electronics & Telecomm Engineering
- M.S in Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering
- M.S in Electronics Product Design & Technology
- M.S in Embedded System
- M.S in Mechatronics
- M.S in Microelectronics
- M.S in Microwave Electronics
- M.S in Microwave Engineering

		<ul> <li>ML Assisted         Communication System         &amp; Devices</li> <li>Antenna Design</li> <li>5G and Beyond</li> <li>Artificial Intelligence</li> <li>IC Chip Testing</li> <li>Fault Tolerance in VLSI Systems</li> <li>Solid state         Physics/Electronics</li> <li>Semiconductor Devices</li> <li>MEMS/NEMS</li> <li>Optoelectronics</li> <li>Flexible Electronics</li> <li>Miniature micro         Systems</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>M.S in Nanotechnology</li> <li>M.S in Power Electronics</li> <li>M.S in VLSI Design</li> <li>M.Sc. in Electronics &amp; Communication Engineering</li> <li>M.Sc. in Electronics &amp; Electrical Communication</li> <li>Engineering</li> <li>M.Sc. in Electronics Engineering</li> <li>M.Sc. in Physics (Electronics)</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech. in Electronics &amp; Communication Engineering</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech. in Electronics &amp; Electrical Communication</li> <li>Engineering</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech. in Electronics Engineering</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech. in Electronics</li> <li>Engineering</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech. in Electronics</li> <li>Engineering</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech. in Electronics</li> <li>Engineering</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech. in Physics (Electronics)</li> <li>B.E/B.Tech. in Electronics &amp; Communication (VLSI Design &amp; Technology)</li> <li>Or Any Other Equivalent</li> </ul>
9	Mechanical Engineering	<ul> <li>Manufacturing Sciences</li> <li>Production Engineering</li> <li>Machine Design</li> <li>Fluids and Thermal         Engineering</li> <li>Industrial Engineering</li> <li>Computational         Mechanics</li> <li>Advanced         Manufacturing         Processes</li> <li>Additive Manufacturing</li> <li>Composite Materials</li> <li>Renewable Energy</li> <li>Magneto-Rheological         Elastomers</li> <li>Active Vibration         Control</li> <li>CAD/CAM</li> <li>Industrial Automation</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Mechanical Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Production Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Design Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Thermal Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Industrial Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Metallurgy Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Material Science and Technology</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Automobile Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Internal Combustion Engines and Turbo Machinery</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Manufacturing Technology and Automation</li> </ul>

		<ul> <li>Sustainable         Manufacturing</li> <li>Supply Chain         Management</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Advanced Manufacturing Systems</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Industrial Engineering and Management</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Industrial Intelligent Systems</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Logistics &amp; Supply Chain Management</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Manufacturing Engineering and Management</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in CAD/CAM/CAE</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Robotics</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Mechatronics</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech. in Mechanical Engineering</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech. in Metallurgy Engineering</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech. in Production Engineering</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech. in Thermal Engineering</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech. in Design Engineering</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech. in Industrial Engineering</li> <li>Or Any Other Equivalent Branch</li> </ul>
10	Metallurgical & Materials Engineering	<ul> <li>Magnesium Alloys for Bio-Implant and Transportation Applications: Alloy Development, Coatings, and Corrosion Prevention</li> <li>Light Metal foams</li> <li>Advanced Welding Technology</li> <li>High Strain Rate Materials</li> <li>Corrosion</li> <li>Fabrication of Ultra High-Temperature Ceramics via advanced sintering techniques for strategic applications</li> <li>Solid lubricants for tribology of materials</li> <li>Advanced high strength steel</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>M.E/M.Tech. in Mechanical Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Metallurgical &amp; Materials Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Production Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Automobile Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Chemical Engineering</li> <li>M.Sc. in Physics/Applied Physics/Engineering Physics/Nanoscience and Technology/Materials Science-Solid State Physics</li> <li>M.Sc. in Chemistry/Applied Chemistry/Analytical Chemistry/Physical Chemistry</li> <li>M.Sc. in Materials Science</li> <li>M.Sc. in Mineral Beneficiation/Mineral Processing</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech. Ceramic</li> </ul>

	<ul> <li>Nuclear materials</li> <li>Aerospace Materials</li> <li>Materials Modeling &amp; Simulation</li> <li>Extractive Metallurgy</li> <li>Solid electrolytes for batteries and fuel cells</li> <li>Polymer Matrix composites</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Engineering &amp; Technology</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech Materials Science &amp; Engineering</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech. in Automobile Engineering</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech. in Chemical Engineering</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech. in Mechanical Engineering</li> <li>B.E./B.Tech. in Metallurgical &amp; Materials Engineering</li> <li>B.E/B.Tech. in Production Engineering</li> <li>Or Any Other Equivalent</li> </ul>
11 Production and Industrial Engineering	<ul> <li>Production         Engineering</li> <li>Manufacturing         Engineering</li> <li>Product Design and         Development</li> <li>Process Design</li> <li>Product Policy and         Management</li> <li>UI/UX</li> <li>Production and         Operations         Management</li> <li>Communication Design</li> <li>Advance         Manufacturing</li> <li>Finite Element         Analysis</li> <li>Supply Chain         Management</li> <li>Mechanical         Engineering</li> <li>Industrial Engineering</li> <li>Quality Engineering</li> <li>Welding Technology</li> <li>Coating</li> <li>Additive         Manufacturing</li> <li>CAD/CAM/CNC</li> <li>Smart/Digital         Manufacturing</li> <li>Industrial Tribology</li> <li>Ergonomics</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Master of Design (M.Des.)</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Additive Manufacturing</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Automation and Robotics</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Instrumentation Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in CAD/ CAM</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in CIM</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Design/ Applied Mechanics</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Foundry - Forge Technology</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Industrial Design</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Industrial Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Manufacturing Science / Engineering/ Technology</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Material Science and Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Mechanical and Automation</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Mechanical Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Material Science/Metallurgical Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Product Design and Development</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Production and Industrial Engineering</li> <li>M.E./M.Tech. in Production</li> </ul>

- Forming / Casting
- Design
- Industrial Design
- Interactive Design
- Ceramics Engineering
- Materials Science & Engg.
- Surface Engineering
- Reverse Engineering
- Hybrid Manufacturing (Addictive + Subtractive)
- Laser Materials Processing
- Robotics

- Engineering
- M.E./M.Tech. in Rapid Prototyping
- M.E./M.Tech. in TQM
- M.E./M.Tech. in Welding
- M.E./M.Tech. in Automobile Engineering
- M.E./M.Tech. in Robotics
- M.E./M.Tech. in Mechatronics
- M.E./M.Tech. in Automation
- M.Sc/ M.Phil in Mathematics/Physics / Statistics / Chemistry or other relevant/ equivalent
- Master in Business Administration (MBA)
- Post Graduate Diploma in Management
- Executive Post Graduate
   Programme in Management
   (EPGP) leading to a degree of
   Master of Business
   Administration (MBA)
- The Post Graduate Programme (Business Analytics) leading to a degree of Master of Business Administration (Business Analytics) (MBA(BA))
- The Post Graduate Programme (PGP) in Management leading to a degree of Master of Business Administration (MBA)
- Post Graduate Diploma in Industrial Engineering
- Post Graduate Diploma in Industrial Management
- Post Graduate Diploma in Industrial Safety & Environmental Management (PGDISEM)
- Post Graduate Diploma in Manufacturing Management
- Post Graduate Diploma in Project Management

#### For Direct Admission to PhD

- B.E./B.Tech. in Additive Manufacturing
- B.E./B.Tech. in Automation and

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			Robotics
			B.E./B.Tech. in Automobile
			Engineering
			B.E./B.Tech. in CAD/ CAM
			B.E./B.Tech. in CIM
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			B.E./B.Tech. in Instrumentation
			Engineering
			B.E./B.Tech. in Design/ Applied
			Mechanics
			B.E./B.Tech. in Foundry – Forge
			Technology
			B.E./B.Tech. in Industrial
			Design
			B.E./B.Tech. in Industrial
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			Engineering
			B.E./B.Tech. in Manufacturing
			Science and Engineering
			B.E./B.Tech. in Manufacturing
			Science/Technology
			B.E./B.Tech. in Material Science
			and Engineering
			B.E./B.Tech. in Mechanical and
			Automation
			B.E./B.Tech. in Mechanical  Exprise a series.
			Engineering
			B.E./B.Tech. in Mechatronics
			B.E./B.Tech. in Metallurgical
			Engineering
			B.E./B.Tech. in Product Design
			and Manufacturing
			B.E./B.Tech. in Production and
			Industrial Engineering
			B.E./B.Tech. in Production
			Engineering
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			B.E./B.Tech. in Rapid  Broatstaning
			Prototyping
			B.E./B.Tech. in TQM
			B.E./B.Tech. in Welding
			Engineering
			Or Any Other Equivalent
12	Centre of	General Management	Master of Business Administration
	Management	Financial Management	(MBA)
	and Humanities	Marketing	Master of Business Management
		Management	Master of Commerce (M.Com)
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		• Supply chain	Post Graduate Diploma in  Management (BCDM)
		Management	Management (PGDM)
			• Or Any Other Equivalent (02 Years)

		Entrepreneurship	
		Development	
13	Cyber Security	Artificial Intelligence	Msc (IT), MCA or B.E./B.Tech. in
	Research Centre	Machine Learning	any of the following:
		Bio-Informatics	Computer Science and
		IOT & related areas	Engineering
		<ul> <li>Cryptography</li> </ul>	Computer Technology
		• IOT	Computing in
		<ul> <li>Dark Web and Deep</li> </ul>	(Multimedia/Software)
		Web	Computer Engineering
		Information Security	<ul> <li>Computer Engineering and</li> </ul>
		Cyber Warfare	Application
		Pervasive Sensing	Artificial Intelligence (AI) and
		Cloud Computing &	Data Science
		Security Cyber Threat	Artificial Intelligence and
		Intelligence	Machine Learning
		Social Media Analytics	Information technology
		Biometric Security	Cyber Security
		Selfie Biometrics	Information Security     Computer Networking
		Latent Fingerprint &	Computer Networking     Data Science
		Image Processing	Data Science     Computer Science and (Applied)
		Digital Forensics	<ul> <li>Computer Science and (Applied Mathematics/Business</li> </ul>
			Systems/Design)
			<ul> <li>Computer Science and</li> </ul>
			Engineering with specialization
			in any of the related fields such
			as: Artificial Intelligence,
			Machine Learning, Cyber
			Security, Data Science, Internet
			of Things, Block Chain
			Technology, Networks,
			Software Engineering
			Computer Science and
			information Technology
			Computer Science and Medical  Engine spring
			Engineering
			Computer Science and Social Sciences
			<ul><li>Electronics and (Control</li></ul>
			Systems/ Electrical
			Engineering/Instrumentation
			Engineering/Power
			Engineering/Telecommunicatio
			n/Telecommunication
			Engineering/Telematics
			Engineering/ Communication
			Technology/ Computer

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(Information Technology/

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Information Security/ Systems
Engineering)
Computer Vision and Image
Processing
<ul> <li>Advanced Communication and</li> </ul>
information System
Artificial Intelligence
Computer Science and
Engineering with specialization
in related areas like Artificial
Intelligence and Machine
Learning, Cyber Security,
Networks, Operations Research,
Big Data Analytics

### TABLE-2: Important Dates Admission Schedule for PhD Admissions 2025-26 (July, 2025 Intake)

Online Registration	13.05.2025 to 05.06.2025 (Tuesday - Thursday) (till 05.00 PM)
Last date for depositing hard copy of Registration Form along with supporting documents and proof of payment of registration fee	10.06.2025 (Tuesday) till 05:00 PM
Dispatch of Registration Form to various Departments	12.06.2025 (Thursday)
Publishing of final list of eligible candidates	18.06.2025 (Wednesday)
Entrance Test for non-GATE/ non-UGC-NET (JRF) candidates (details will be uploaded on institute website)*	23.06.2025 (Monday)
Selection of tentative topics, Interaction with perspective supervisors by the candidates along with filling of <b>Annexure-III</b> .  Candidate has to submit filled Annexure-III in the department before interview.	23.06.2025-24.06.2025 (Monday -Tuesday)
Interview in respective departments along with verification of documents (details will be uploaded on institute website)*	24.06.2025 (Tuesday)
Last date for Submission of Result to DAA	25.06.2025 (Wednesday)
Result intimation with waiting list	07.07.2025 (Monday)
Payment of fees (Online)	07.07.2025 to 13.07.2025 (Monday-Sunday)
Intimation to waitlisted candidates on institute website	14.07.2025 (Monday)
Payment of fees (Online) by waitlisted candidates	14.07.2025 to 16.07.2025 (Monday to Wednesday)
Reporting of PhD students in the respective departments	As per Academic Calendar

<sup>\*</sup>The admission schedule may change according to the situation prevailing at that time, the candidates are advised to visit the institute website regularly.

### Punjab Engineering College (Deemed to be University), Chandigarh

#### I. OBJECTIVE OF THE PhD PROGRAMME

Punjab Engineering College (Deemed to be University) has a mission to develop high quality science and engineering specialists having strong base in principles of science and the scientific methods, deep understanding of their chosen areas of specialization, motivation to learn continually, ability to interact with multi-disciplinary groups and to handle new challenges offered by the front-end technologies.

The PhD programme is designed to impart knowledge, consolidate concepts and intellectual skills through courses, seminars, projects, and thesis work. Above all, it helps the scholars to develop the capacity for free and objective enquiry, courage and integrity, awareness and sensitivity to the needs and aspirations of the society.

The programme provides the candidates an enabling research experience during their presence in the institute thus helping them to enter their professional life with right perspective and knowledge related to their respective fields of specialization.

#### II. Departments and Centres

The PhD Programme can be pursued in the following departments and Centres: -

- 1. Aerospace Engineering
- 2. Civil Engineering
- 3. Computer Science & Engineering
- **4.** Chemistry
- **5.** Electrical Engineering
- **6.** Electronics and Communication Engineering
- 7. Mathematics
- 8. Mechanical Engineering
- 9. Metallurgical & Materials Engineering
- **10.** Physics
- **11.** Production and Industrial Engineering
- 12. Centre of Excellence in Industrial & Product Design
- 13. Centre of Management and Humanities
- 14. Cyber Security Research Centre

The institute encourages inter-disciplinary research across various departments/centres.

#### **III.** Admission to PhD Programme

Admission to the PhD programmes is made on the basis of interview for candidates having valid GATE/ UGC NET (JRF) and on the basis of written test and interview for all other candidates by PhD Admission Committee of the respective Departments provided the candidate fulfils all the requirements at the Institute level and the selected candidate deposits the requisite fees for the PhD Programme. The

applications received will be processed in the various departments for interview.

The PhD admission committee of the department will consist of Head of the Department, Members of Departmental Research Committee (DRC) and potential supervisors in various areas.

#### IV. Categories of PhD Programme Admissions

The applicant for admission to the PhD programme shall be classified under any one of the following categories which will be decided and recommended by the PhD admission committee of the department.

#### The research scholars shall be classified in the following manner

#### (A) On the basis of the time devoted to the PhD programme

i) Full-time (ii) Part-time

#### (B) On the basis of the occupation

- i) **Teacher**, a person serving as the faculty of a department of a teaching institute.
- **ii**) **Non-Teacher**, a person serving as non-teaching employee including officer cadre of any Institute/Department, Organization.
- **iii**) **Project staff,** a person working on a project undertaken by the Institute (PEC). The PhD programme of such a person should be related to the project work.

#### (C) On the basis of the country

- i) Indian, a person holding valid Indian citizenship
- **Foreigner,** foreign nationals admitted through the Embassy of the respective Governments, after getting approval from the Ministry of External Affairs and 'No Objection Certificate' from the Ministry of Education, Government of India or admitted under an MoU. A foreign national can be admitted by the Institute directly, if eligible, following the admission process as specified under R-5.

#### (D) On the basis of the financial assistance

#### i) Sponsored

- **a.** Research student/ Candidate working as a regular employee in the Institute
- **b.** Research student/Candidate working as a regular employee in research organization like DRDO/ CSIR etc. and scientist/faculty working in the CRIKC institutes will be eligible for admission to PhD Programme as a Part-Time Scholar provided he/she is in continuous service for the last 2 years in the same organization and can provide a No objection certificate from the employer. The DRC has to ensure the fulfilment of these conditions at the time of interview.
- **c.** A research student working in a project will have to undergo the same admission procedure as applicable in general. Research student / candidate working full-time in an R&D project in the institute can join as a full time student, if his PhD topic is related to the project as certified by the SRC immediately after joining the project. Full time Junior Research Fellows (JRF) working under sponsored research project

in PEC labs only be considered as full time research scholar from their date of joining the PhD program.

#### ii) Fellowship / Scholarship

Fellowship/ Scholarships are available to only Full Time research scholars.

- 1. PhD Full-Time (Teaching Assistantship (TA) and Research Assistantship (RA) as per MHRD norms)
- 2. PhD Full-Time (Under Institute Fellowship)
- 3. PhD (Full Time) with External Fellowships Like JRF/DST Inspire, Visvesvaraya etc.
- 4. Krishna D Mahajan Doctoral Scholars Fund for Excellence in Research (Metallurgical & Materials Engineering)
- 5. PhD (Full Time) for candidates/staff working under the Research projects sponsored by MHRD/DST/UGC or some other government agencies at PEC.
- 6. Eligible candidates who did M.E./ M.Tech. with GATE and was getting institute assistantship are required to qualify the entrance examination test and the qualified candidates will be eligible for awards of institute scholarship. Such candidates are required to provide the proof of admission to M.E/ M.Tech. with GATE and was getting institute assistantship at the time of document verification/ interview.

Depending on the number of applications received and considering the constraints of time and other resources for conducting Written Test and Interview, the Institute may put additional academic performance based shortlisting criterion.

## V. Eligibility Criteria for Admission to PhD Programme Educational Qualifications:

**a.** The candidate possessing the prescribed qualifications shall be eligible for admission to the PhD programme of the Institute. The Degrees obtained through distance education programmes shall not be considered.

The academic programme as well as the Institute/University of qualifying degree must be recognized by AICTE /UGC. The academic programme of the autonomous Institutes established by the Parliament will not be required to have recognition of the UGC/AICTE. The degrees and academic programme of the Institute/University will be verified by the Departmental Admission Committee before registration of the candidate in PhD Programme.

#### b. Minimum Qualification for Eligibility:

A Master's Degree in Engineering/Technology/Sciences/Humanities and Social Sciences/ Management or equivalent recognized by the Institute with a minimum Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) of 6.5 on a 10-point scale or equivalent as determined by the Institute wherever letter grades are awarded in the qualifying degree, or 60% marks in aggregate where marks are awarded.

The candidate having Master's Degree must possess full time Bachelor's Degree or equivalent with a minimum CGPA of 6.5 on a 10-point scale or

equivalent as determined by the Institute wherever letter grades are awarded in the qualifying degree, or 60% marks in aggregate where marks are awarded.

#### OR

#### Direct Admission of B.E./B.Tech. Candidates to PhD programme

- **a)** To be eligible for the admission under this category, a candidate is required to have minimum CGPA of:
  - i. 8.0 or above with GATE or 8.5 or above without GATE for students graduated from PEC, CFTIs and other premium institutions at the end of the seventh semester (if applying during final year) under General category.
  - **ii.** 8.0 or above with GATE or 8.5 or above without GATE for students graduated from PEC, CFTIs and other premium institutions at the end of the eighth semester (if applying after the completion of B.E./ B.Tech) under General category.
  - **iii.** For SC/ST/PwD category students, the minimum CGPA requirement will be reduced by 0.5.
- **b)** Successful candidates in final year of undergraduate programme may be given provisional admission to the PhD programme. This admission shall be confirmed provided the student completes his/her undergraduate programme with required CGPA.
- c) Candidates from industry/research organisations are eligible for direct entry to PhD programme after BE/ B.Tech. with minimum CGPA 8.0 or above and with 5 years relevant experience. Candidates applying under this category is required to submit a "No Objection Certificate" (Annexure-II) on a proper letterhead from the appropriate authority of the organization.
- **d)** Candidates getting direct entry to PhD programme after BE/ B.Tech will need to fulfill credit requirements through course work on pattern of courses offered to PG students and additional course requirements as per UGC.

### Note: PhD Full-Time (Teaching Assistantship (TA) and Research Assistantship (RA) as per MHRD norms)

A candidate, selected for the PhD Programme at PEC will be eligible for the financial support under the TA/RA category subject to the fulfilment of any one of the following three criteria:-

- (I) M.Tech./M.E. or an equivalent degree as the qualifying degree,
- (II) M.B.A (with B.Tech./ B.E. or equivalent degree) as the qualifying degree,
- (III) B.Tech./B.E./M.Sc./M.A./M.Com. or an equivalent degree as the qualifying Degree

A Master's Degree in Engineering/Technology/Sciences/Humanities and Social Sciences/ Management or equivalent recognized by the Institute with a minimum Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) of 6.5 on a 10-point scale or equivalent as determined by the Institute wherever letter grades are awarded in the qualifying degree, or 60% marks in aggregate where marks are awarded.

The candidate having Master's Degree must possess full time Bachelor's Degree or equivalent with a minimum CGPA of 6.5 on a 10-point scale or equivalent as determined by the Institute wherever letter grades are awarded in the qualifying degree, or 60% marks in aggregate where marks are awarded

#### **AND**

A valid GATE/JEST score or a valid Junior Research fellowship (JRF) award letter from UGC/CSIR/NBHM/DBT/ or a National Eligibility Test /UGC NET including lectureship (Assistant Professorship).

A B.Tech./B.S./B.E. (or equivalent) degree from any IIT or NIT with a CGPA/CPI score of 8.00 (on 0-10 scale) and above is exempted from the mandatory requirement of a valid GATE Score. Candidates passed out from PEC and top 100 NIRF institutes are included under this scheme. All such candidates have to qualify the entrance test conducted by the institute.

#### Additional Eligibility Conditions for Part-Time PhD Programme

- (i) Permanent/Regular Employees working in R&D Organisations, National Laboratories, Government Organizations, Industries, PSUs, State Undertakings having sufficient facilities to carry out research at their Organisation.
- **(ii)** Regular faculty of reputed Institute/University having sufficient facilities to carry out research at their place in the related research area.
- **(iii) Regular Employees** of PEC working in any Department/Centre, Centre and Section of the Institute.

All such candidates should have a minimum experience of two years which will be counted from the date of joining in the sponsoring organizations to the last date of application in the PhD programme. The candidate is required to produce the experience certificate at the time of interview before Departmental Admission Committee. Minimum qualification for these candidates is the same as for full-time candidates.

**Part-time** candidates are required to submit a "**No Objection Certificate" (Annexure-II)** on a proper letterhead from the appropriate authority of the organization clearly stating the following:

- That the candidate is permitted to pursue the PhD research work on a part-time basis.
- That the candidate's official duties permit the candidate to devote sufficient time for research work.
- That the facilities for the research work in the candidate's field of research work are available at the candidate's place of work.
- That the candidate will be sanctioned leave for sufficient duration for conduct of research work in case the research facilities are not available in the Institute/Industry/Organization.

#### VI. RESERVATION/ RELAXATION

#### **Reservation Norms**

Reservation in full time/regular PhD seats in various categories will be made as per the norms of the Government of India amended from time to time. Such reservations in various categories will be implemented in all Departments/Centers on a rotational basis.

#### Relaxation of Eligibility for SC, ST, and PwD

For the SC/ST/PwD candidates, the eligibility requirement of marks/CGPA will be relaxed by 5%, or by a CGPA of 0.5 (on a 10-point scale) at both the Bachelor's and Master's level.

#### Exemption from written (entrance) Test

#### (a) Part-Time PhD programme:

Regular employees PEC and other R&D Organization, National Laboratories, Public/Private Industry/ PSUs/ State Undertakings having an MoU with PEC and with adequate research facilities possessing First Division or 6.5 CGPA on 10-point scale or equivalent at M.Tech./PG level with minimum 2 years of relevant experience will be exempted from the written test.

#### (b) Full-Time PhD Programme:

- Valid GATE or Valid NET-JRF from UGC, CSIR etc. qualified candidates will be exempted
  from the written test. However, they shall be required to appear before the
  Departmental PhD Admission Committee of respective department for
  interview/interaction and qualify as per the prescribed norms in terms of the
  eligibility conditions.
- The following UGC NET, qualified candidates are also exempted from the entrance test:
  - **Category 1:** Award of JRF and appointment as Assistant Professor.
  - **Category 2:** Appointment as Assistant Professor and admission to Ph.D.
  - **Category 3:** Admission to Ph.D. only.

#### VII. ENTRANCE TEST

Applications for PhD Programme are to be invited from Indian and foreign nationals in the prescribed format. Applications as received will be scrutinized by the concerned Department/ Centre. After scrutiny, the list of all eligible candidates will be uploaded on the Institute website by the Admission Office.

- (a) All eligible Non-GATE/ Non-NET-JRF candidates are required to appear in an objective type (MCQ) written test of PG level comprising two parts as mentioned below:
  - **Paper-I**<sup>2</sup>: Research Methodology: 30 marks; Duration: 30 minutes
  - **Paper-II**: Area of Research/Specialization: 60 marks; Duration: 60 minutes **Qualifying marks**<sup>3</sup>: **50** % **of total marks**.

Syllabus of discipline paper-II will be standard GATE syllabus of application

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Common to all Depts./Centres

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Relaxation as per the Govt. of India norms

domain. The discipline for which GATE is not conducted the standard syllabus of UGC-NET exam in the application domain will be followed.

The written test is only for Non-GATE/ Non-NET-JRF candidates. The written test will be conducted by the Admission Office. Detailed guidelines for conducting the entrance test along with timeline will be provided by Chairman Admissions on the institute website later.

- **(b)** List of the qualified candidates will be uploaded on the Institute website by the Admission Office.
- (c) All qualified candidates will be required to appear before the respective DRC for an interview/interaction comprising a brief presentation on the related research area. Qualified candidates may contact prospective supervisors in the Department/Centre.
- (d) DRC will evaluate the candidates and award the marks out of 30 (10 marks each for presentation, interview, and academic achievements).

Qualifying marks: 50% (15 out of 30 marks) 4

(e) Based upon their performance in both written test and interaction/interview with DRC, Admission Committee of respective Department/ Centre will recommend the merit list of candidates prepared on the basis of total score out of 100 for Non-GATE/ Non-NET-JRF and 30 for GATE/NET-JRF verified candidates.

The merit list will be prepared as per the preference below: -

- a. Candidates with valid GATE/UGC NET-JRF
- **b.** Candidates appeared for written test

Qualified scholars working in Govt./R&D Org./Industry sponsored project/fellowship are to be supervised by the coordinating faculty/ Principal Investigator (PI), provided the faculty/PI is eligible to become supervisor.

### In case of tie, merit list will be prepared on the basis of following criteria in order of preference:

- a. Performance of the candidate in written entrance test
- **b.** Percentage of marks in qualifying degree
- **c.** Percentage of marks in 10+2
- **d.** Percentage of marks in 10<sup>th</sup>

#### **VIII.** Submission of Application form

Application for admission must be filled online (procedure for online registration is mentioned in para IX) and a copy of the filled registration form along with self-attested photocopies of the following documents must be sent to Chairman Admissions, Punjab Engineering College (Deemed to be University), Sector – 12, Chandigarh – 160012 on or before the closing date as mentioned in Table-2:

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Relaxation as per the Govt. of India norms

- I. Date of Birth Certificate
- **II.** SC/ST Certificate (if applicable)
- **III.** Valid GATE Score Card (if applicable)
- IV. Copies of Bachelor's & Master's Degrees along with marks sheets
- **V.** Valid UGC-NET (JRF) Certificate (if applicable)
- **VI.** Migration Certificate [For candidates not having their Master's degree from Punjab Engineering College (Deemed to be University)]
- **VII.** Persons with Disabilities certificate (if applicable)
- VIII. Undertaking for candidates whose result is not declared (Annexure-I)
- **IX.** Sponsorship/NOC Certificate from current employer (Annexure-II)

#### NOTE:

- **1.** Reservation of seats for SC/ST/PwD candidates shall be provided as per Govt. of India norms applicable from time to time.
- **2.** Full-time candidates with assistantship joining on study leave must show proof of at least 3 years' study leave before being allowed to register.
- **3.** The attendance of full-time PhD candidates will be governed by the attendance requirements of the Institute.
- **4.** Only the predetermined number of students may be admitted to a PhD programme.
- **5.** As per the provisions 1(5) of the UGC Regulations 2009, PhD program will not be conducted through distance education mode.

#### IX. Procedure for online Registration

Online Submission of application for Registration on **https://pec.ac.in/admissions/phd.** Please read the general instructions carefully before starting the registration process. The candidates are required to pay payment of non-refundable registration fee of Rs. 1000/- or 500/- (as applicable) online. The details of online payment are to be filled during online registration.

The process of online registration consists of three steps.

#### Step 1:

- **1.1** Enter a valid email address and other personal details.
- **1.2** On submission, a system generated username & password will be displayed on the screen. Note down this username and password for future reference.

#### Step 2:

- **2.1.** Enter the academic qualifications.
- **2.2.** The candidate then has to upload the scanned images of Photograph and Signature.
- **2.3.** All Scanned images should be jpg/jpeg format only.
- **2.4.** Size of the photograph image must be greater than 4kb and less than 200kb. The photograph should preferably have the frontal face with a light background.
- **2.5.** Size of the signature image must be greater than 4kb and less than 100 kb.
- **2.6.** Dimension of photograph image should be 200x150(height x width) pixels only.
- **2.7.** Dimension of signature image should be 100 x 200 (height x width) pixels only.
- **2.8.** The candidates are required to pay the registration fee as applicable through online

- mode and enter the transaction ID/UTR number of online payment.
- **2.9.** The candidates have to select their choices of area of specialization in order of their preference.
- **2.10.** Mention number of papers published and awards and scholarship, if any.
- **2.11.** Mention any other relevant information.
- **2.12.** After successful completion the registration form and choice filling, a confirmation page will be generated.

#### Step 3:

**3.1** The candidates are advised to take 2 printouts of the confirmation page and send one copy of print-out along with documents to following address by hand/speed post/registered post so as to reach by the prescribed date.

Chairman Admissions,
Punjab Engineering College (Deemed to be
University)
Sector-12, Chandigarh - 160012

- **3.2** The institute will not be responsible for any delay in the receipt of hard copy of the Registration Form.
- **3.3** The candidates are advised to keep one copy of the confirmation page with them for future reference.

#### X. GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

- **1.** Separate Registration form along with all enclosures should be sent for each department if applying for more than one department.
- **2.** The Registration Fee is to be deposited through online payment in the following account: -

#### **Bank Details**

Name Of Account Holder	Punjab Engineering College-		
	Admissions		
Institute Name with Complete Address	State Bank of India		
Branch Name With Complete Address	PEC Branch, Sector 12, Chandigarh		
IFSC Code of The Branch	SBIN0002452		
MICR Code	160002008		
Bank Account Number (Saving	37646936859		
Account)			

- **3.** Self-attested copies of relevant certificates are to be enclosed.
- **4.** Candidates should bring original certificates along with the Master's Thesis at the time of interview.
- **5.** Duly filled Registration form must reach the Chairman Admissions, Punjab Engineering College (Deemed to be University), Sector 12, Chandigarh 160012 on or before the due date.
- **6.** Name of the department in which the admission is sought should be superscribed on the envelope.

**7.** In case result of qualifying degree is awaited, provisional admission is permitted to the candidate subject to meeting the above qualifying degree requirement latest by **September 30, 2025**. A certificate from the head of current institute to that effect should be submitted during document verification.

#### 8. Cancellation due to non-fulfilment of essential requirements:

If a candidate fails to satisfy the prescribed minimum educational qualifications, her/his allotted seat shall automatically stand cancelled. Candidate, for whom the result of qualifying degree is awaited, can take part in counselling process. However, they have to produce a course completion certificate duly signed by Head of the Institute at the time of the reporting. If any admitted candidate, whose result was awaited at the time of reporting, is not able to submit her/his qualifying degree certificate and marks sheet by **September 30, 2025**, her/his admission shall automatically stand cancelled and refund of any fee will be done as per the institute norms.

### XI DOCUMENTS TO BE PRODUCED DURING PHYSICAL REPORTING ALONG WITH TWO SETS OF SELF ATTESTED PHOTOCOPIES:

- i. Printout of the Registration form
- ii. Valid GATE score card/ UGC-NET (JRF) Certificate
- iii. Photo ID proof as per Govt. of India norms (Aadhaar Card)
- **iv.** Original Birth certificate issued by competent authority/Class X (High School) Board Certificate as proof of date of birth.
- v. Original Marks sheet of class XII
- vi. Original Grade/Marks sheets of qualifying examination for all semesters
- vii. Original Degree/ Provisional certificate, if degree is completed
- **viii.** Original Certificate of category (SC/ST), if applicable, as per Government of India, issued by the competent authority.
  - ix. Original Migration certificate of last Institute/ University attended
- **x.** Three colour passport size photographs
- **xi.** Original Conduct/ Character Certificate from the Head of the institution last attended
- **xii.** Original Course completion certificate from the Head of the University/Institute in case result is awaited
- xiii. Persons with Disabilities certificate (if applicable)
- **xiv.** Undertaking if applicable
- xv. Sponsorship/ NOC Certificate (wherever applicable)
- xvi. Master's Thesis/ Project Report

**Note:** If the original certificates are not in English/Hindi, English/Hindi version/translation of such certificates, duly certified by the Principal/Director of the graduating Institute, will be required during the verification of documents.

#### **FEE STRUCTURE FOR PhD STUDENTS**

One-time (at the time of Admission only)				
Admission Fee	Rs. 5,000/-			
One- time Student service fee	Rs. 6,000/-			
Security deposit (Refundable)	Rs. 8,000/-			
Semester Fees				
Academic (Full Time Regular students)	Rs. 11,500/-			
Academic (Part Time Students)	Rs. 22,500/-			
Other facilities and services	Rs. 3,000/-			

- Total Payable at the time of admission (for full time regular students) is Rs. 33,500/-
- Total payable at the time of admission (for part time students) Rs. 44,500/-

Every component of fees is subject to revision by Punjab Engineering College (Deemed to be University), Chandigarh from time to time without any prior notice. Tuition fees will be raised by at most 10% every year.

#### UNDERTAKING FOR CANDIDATES WHOSE RESULT IS NOT DECLARED

I hereby certify in connection with the application of Mr./Ms.					
that he/she is a					
bonafide student of our institution and is applying for admission to PhD programme(s) at					
Punjab Engineering College (Deemed to be University), Chandigarh. He/She has					
completed/ will complete the requirements of qualifying examination including theory					
papers, practical and project/dissertation examination for M.E./M.Tech./M.Sc./M.A. by					
September 30, 2025.					
(Strike out the non-applicable ones and write in the blank space if the degree is not mentioned).					
The percentage of aggregate marks/CGPA obtained by him/her upto pre-final					
Semester/year examination (Strike out the non-applicable) is					
His/her conduct and character during his/her stay at the Institute/University has been					
"GOOD".					
Place: Signature of Principal/Dean/Registrar/					
Date: Dy.Registrar/Proctor/Administrative Officer of the institute attending/last attended with seal					

#### FORMAT FOR CERTIFICATE OF SPONSORSHIP FOR NOMINEES

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