

**UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION**  
**DISTANCE EDUCATION BUREAU**

**11<sup>th</sup> September, 2023**

**F. No. 30-30/2023 (DEB-II)**

**List of HEIs recognized to offer Open and Distance Learning (ODL) Programmes for academic year 2023-24 (academic session beginning from July-August, 2023 and January-February, 2024) onwards.**

- I. University Grants Commission had invited online applications from the eligible Higher Educational Institutions (HEIs) as per Regulation 3(A) and Regulation 3(B)(b) of UGC (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments for recognition of Programmes under Open and Distance Learning (ODL) mode. On the basis of applications submitted by the HEI under UGC (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments, list of HEIs recognized to offer Open and Distance Learning (ODL) Programmes for academic year 2023-24 (academic session beginning from July-August, 2023 and January-February, 2024) is attached herewith.
- II. Programmes under the ambit of Regulatory Authorities have been considered on the basis of NOC/ approval/ recommendation received from the respective Regulatory Authority. The HEI shall strictly abide by the conditions such as the number of seats, valid academic year, etc. mentioned in the relevant Regulatory Authority letter.
- III. The Higher Educational Institution shall scrupulously abide by all the terms and conditions as stipulated in the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments and other instructions/notices issued by UGC and other statutory/regulatory bodies from time to time.
- IV. The Higher Educational Institution shall also adhere to the policy of Territorial Jurisdiction and Learner Support Centers (LSC) as specified in Annexure-III and VIII of University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments.
- V. The Higher Educational Institutions have submitted an affidavit to the effect that in case any information, documentary evidence submitted/produced by the Higher Educational Institution is found to be false or wrong at a later stage or in case there is any violation of University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments by the HEI, the Higher Educational Institution shall be solely liable and responsible for any such contravention/violation and for any consequences thereof. In such events, the HEI may also be subject to the consequences stipulated under Regulation 7 of University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 (including any amendments thereto).

  
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Secretary

S. NO.	STATE	TYPE OF HEI	NAME	LIST OF PROGRAMMES RECOGNISED FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 2023-24 (ACADEMIC SESSION BEGINNING FROM JULY-AUGUST, 2023 AND JANUARY, 2024)	
				NUMBER OF RECOGNISED PROGRAMMES	NAME OF RECOGNISED PROGRAMMES
54.	TELANGANA	DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY	ICFAI FOUNDATION FOR HIGER EDUCATION	02	1) BACHELOR OF BUSIESS ADMINISTRATION 2) MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
55.	TELANGANA	STATE OPEN UNIVERSITY	DR. B.R. AMBEDKAR OPEN UNIVERSITY	05	1) BACHELOR OF EDUCATION 2) MASTER OF ARTS (SOCIOLOGY) 3) MASTER OF ARTS (PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION) 4) MASTER OF ARTS (POLITICAL SCIENCE) 5) MASTER OF ARTS (HISTORY)
56.	TELANGANA	STATE UNIVERSITY	KAKATIYA UNLVERSITY	21	1) BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 2) BACHELOR OF COMMERCE (GENERAL) 3) BACHELOR OF LIBRARY & INFORMATION SCIENCE (LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE)

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					4) BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) - MATHS, STATISTICS AND COMPUTER SCIENCE) 5) BACHELOR OF COMMERCE (COMPUTERS) 6) MASTER OF ARTS (ENGLISH) 7) MASTER OF ARTS (ECONOMICS) 8) MASTER OF ARTS (SANSKRIT) 9) MASTER OF ARTS (HINDI) 10) MASTER OF ARTS (POLITICAL SCIENCE) 11) MASTER OF ARTS (SOCIOLOGY) 12) MASTER OF ARTS (HISTORY) 13) MASTER OF ARTS (JOURNALISM & MASS COMMUNICATION) 14) MASTER OF ARTS (HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT)

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					15) MASTER OF ARTS (RURAL DEVELOPMENT) 16) MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK 17) MASTER OF SCIENCE (CHEMISTRY) 18) MASTER OF SCIENCE (PHYSICS) 19) MASTER OF SCIENCE (ZOOLOGY) 20) MASTER OF SCIENCE (BOTANY) 21) MASTER OF COMMERCE (COMMERCE)
57.	UTTAR PRADESH	PRIVATE UNIVERSITY	AMITY UNIVERSITY	03	1) BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (HONS) (INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY ) 2) MASTER OF SCIENCE (INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY) 3) MASTER OF SCIENCE (ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE)

**Note:**

1. The HEIs shall strictly comply with all the provisions of the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments.
2. The last date for admission shall be notified by the Commission for each academic session and HEIs shall upload the admission details on UGC – DEB portal within fifteen days thereafter. For the academic session beginning July – August 2023, the last date of admission is **30<sup>th</sup> September, 2023**.
3. The list shall be updated from time to time, as required. Accordingly, the stakeholders are requested to refer to the various public notices on UGC DEB website (<https://deb.ugc.ac.in/notices/NewNotices>), on regular basis.