

**UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION
DISTANCE EDUCATION BUREAU**

F.No. 39-2/2023 (DEB-I)

17 August, 2023

The list of Higher Educational Institutions (HEIs) entitled to start full-fledged Online Programmes without prior approval of the UGC, as per provisions stipulated under Regulation 3(B)(a) of the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments from academic year 2023-24, academic session beginning July-August, 2023 and onwards.

- (I) As mandated by the Regulations, online applications were submitted by the Entitled HEIs willing to offer programmes under online mode. Further, each HEI submitted affidavit for ensuring compliance to all the provisions of the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments and also deposited prescribed fee as notified by the Commission.
- (II) The duly certified information submitted by the HEI, was to ascertain conformity to the following **four provisions only**:
 - 1. Entitlement eligibility criteria of the HEI.
 - 2. Permissibility of proposed programmes to be offered under online mode.
 - 3. Adherence to UGC Notification of Specification of Degrees, 2014 and its amendments.
 - 4. Prior approval of Regulatory Authority, wherever applicable.
- (III) **Programmes under the ambit of Regulatory Authorities have been considered on the basis of communication/recommendations received from respective Regulatory Authority. The HEIs strictly shall abide by the conditions such as number of seats, recognition period, etc. mentioned in the relevant Regulatory Authority letter.**
- (IV) **The Regulations also mandate that the programme-wise Entitled HEIs shall not offer online programmes under any franchise arrangement and shall have complete ownership of these programmes.**
- (V) The HEIs are entitled to offer Online programmes, till they are complying NAAC or NIRF ranking requirements as per Regulation 3(B)(a) of University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments and on non-compliance, **they shall discontinue the programmes and accordingly, inform the same to the UGC.** The learners already enrolled in the current entitled programmes shall be allowed to complete the programmes in the laid down manner as per the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments.
- (VI) The List of entitled HEIs which have submitted the affidavit to ensure compliance to University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments and have been found complying with above mentioned provisions (as per (II) above), for academic year 2023-24, session beginning from July-August, 2023 and onwards is appended herewith.
- (VII) Higher Education Institution shall write 'UGC entitled as per University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments' instead of 'UGC recognized' at all places.

- (VIII) The Higher Educational Institution shall scrupulously abide by all the terms and conditions as stipulated under Parts III, IV and V of the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 (including any amendments thereto) and shall take steps as stipulated under Annexure-I to VIII & Annexure-X of the said Regulations.
- (IX) Commission in its 571st meeting held on 25th July, 2023 has decided that last date of admission and last date for uploading of student admission details on the UGC-DEB web portal for offering ODL and Online programmes for academic session July-August, 2023 will be as under:

- ***Last Date for Admission: 30th September 2023.***
- ***Last Date for Submission of Student Data on the Portal: 15th October 2023.***

All Entitled HEIs entitled to offer programmes through online mode shall comply with the above decision of the Commission, failing which, UGC shall take punitive action as per Regulation 7 (3) of UGC (ODL Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments.

- (X) 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 (including career consequences of Learner) 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).



(Prof. Manish R. Joshi)
Secretary

S.No.	STATE	TYPE OF HEI	HEI NAME	NUMBER OF PROGRAMMES	ACADEMIC SESSION	NAME OF PROGRAMMES
						COMPUTING) 12) POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA (SOFTWARE TESTING)
27.	KARNATAKA	STATE OPEN UNIVERSITY	KARNATAKA STATE OPEN UNIVERSITY	10	Academic year 2023-24, session beginning from July- August 2023	1) BA (HISTORY, ECONOMIC, POLITICAL SCIENCE) 2) BACHELOR OF COMMERCE 3) MASTER OF ARTS (SANSKRIT) 4) MASTER OF SCIENCE (MATHEMATICS) 5) MASTER OF ARTS (ECONOMICS) 6) MASTER OF ARTS (HINDI) 7) MASTER OF ARTS (ENGLISH) 8) MASTER OF ARTS (KANNADA) 9) MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 10) MASTER OF COMMERCE
28.	MADHYA PRADESH	STATE UNIVERSITY	DEVI AHILYA VISHWAVIDYALAYA	03	Academic year 2023-24, session beginning from July- August 2023	1) MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 2) MASTER OF ARTS (ECONOMICS) 3) MASTER OF ARTS (SOCIOLOGY)



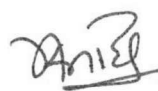
UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION
DISTANCE EDUCATION BUREAU

11th 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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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
					7) BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (HISTORY, ECONOMICS, POLITICAL SCIENCE) 8) MASTER OF ARTS (KANNADA) 9) MASTER OF ARTS (HINDI) 10) MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK 11) MASTER OF ARTS (ENGLISH) 12) MASTER OF ARTS (POLITICAL SCIENCE)
21.	KARNATAKA	STATE OPEN UNIVERSITY	KARNATAKA STATE OPEN UNIVERSITY	43	1) BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 2) BACHELOR OF COMMERCE 3) BACHELOR OF LIBRARY & INFORMATION SCIENCE (LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE) 4) BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK

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					5) BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (GENERAL) 6) BACHELOR OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS (COMPUTER APPLICATIONS) 7) BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (HONS) (INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY) 8) BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE, CHEMISTRY, PHYSICS, MATHEMATICS, ZOOLOGY, BOTANY, MICROBIOLOGY, BIOCHEMISTRY, FOOD SCIENCE AND NUTRITION, COMPUTER SCIENCE, INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY) 9) MASTER OF LIBRARY & INFORMATION SCIENCES (LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE)

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					10) MASTER OF COMMERCE (COMMERCE) 11) MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK 12) MASTER OF ARTS (EDUCATION) 13) MASTER OF ARTS (ANCIENT HISTORY & ARCHAEOLOGY) 14) MASTER OF ARTS (JOURNALISM & MASS COMMUNICATION) 15) MASTER OF ARTS (SOCIOLOGY) 16) MASTER OF ARTS (PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION) 17) MASTER OF ARTS (POLITICAL SCIENCE) 18) MASTER OF ARTS (ECONOMICS) 19) MASTER OF ARTS (HISTORY)

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					20) MASTER OF ARTS (TELUGU) 21) MASTER OF ARTS (HINDI) 22) MASTER OF ARTS (ENGLISH) 23) MASTER OF ARTS (KANNADA) 24) MASTER OF SCIENCE (FOOD & NUTRITION SCIENCE) 25) MASTER OF SCIENCE (ZOOLOGY) 26) MASTER OF SCIENCE (INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY) 27) MASTER OF SCIENCE (PSYCHOLOGY) 28) MASTER OF SCIENCE (PHYSICS) 29) MASTER OF SCIENCE (MATHEMATICS) 30) MASTER OF SCIENCE (ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE)

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				NUMBER OF RECOGNISED PROGRAMMES	NAME OF RECOGNISED PROGRAMMES
					31) MASTER OF SCIENCE (CLINICAL NUTRITION & DIETETICS) 32) MASTER OF SCIENCE (CHEMISTRY) 33) MASTER OF SCIENCE (BIOTECHNOLOGY) 34) MASTER OF SCIENCE (BIOCHEMISTRY) 35) MASTER OF SCIENCE (GEOGRAPHY) 36) MASTER OF SCIENCE (BOTANY) 37) MASTER OF SCIENCE (MICROBIOLOGY) 38) MASTER OF ARTS (SANSKRIT) 39) MASTER OF ARTS (URDU) 40) MASTER OF SCIENCE (COMPUTER SCIENCE)

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				NUMBER OF RECOGNISED PROGRAMMES	NAME OF RECOGNISED PROGRAMMES
					41) MASTER OF SCIENCE (DATA SCIENCE) 42) MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 43) MASTER OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS (COMPUTER APPLICATIONS)
22.	KARNATAKA	DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY	SWAMI VIVEKANANDA YOGA ANUSANDHANA SAMSTHANA	04	1) BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (HONS) – YOGA 2) MASTER OF SCIENCE (YOGA) 3) POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN YOGA THERAPY (PGDYT) (YOGA) 4) POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN YOGA THERAPY FOR DOCTORS (PGDYTD) (YOGA)
23.	KERALA	STATE UNIVERSITY	CALICUT UNIVERSITY	25	1) BACHELOR OF COMMERCE 2) BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (FINANCE)

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 **30th 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.

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APPROVAL PROCESS 2023-24

No Objection Certificate (NOC)

F.No. South-West/2023-24/1-43337817229

Date: 10-Jun-2023

To,
The Vice Chancellor/Director,
KARNATAKA STATE OPEN UNIVERSITY
KARNATAKA STATE OPEN UNIVERSITY, MUKTHAGANGOTHRI - 570 006
OPP. ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL MYSURU,
MYSORE, MYSORE,
Karnataka, 570006

Sub: No Objection Certificate for Open and Distance Learning (ODL) / Online Learning (OL) 2022-23 to 2026-27

Madam / Sir,

In terms of the provisions under the All India Council for Technical Education (Grant of Approvals for Technical Education) Regulations, 2020 notified on 4th February 2020 and amended on 24th February 2021 and norms standards, procedures and conditions prescribed by the Council from time to time, I am directed to convey the no objection to :

Permanent Id	1-9508626111	Application Id	1-43337817229
Name of the Institution/University	KARNATAKA STATE OPEN UNIVERSITY	Name of the Society/Trust	KARNATAKA STATE OPEN UNIVERSITY
Institution/University Address	KARNATAKA STATE OPEN UNIVERSITY, MUKTHAGANGOTHRI - 570 006 OPP. ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL MYSURU, MYSORE, MYSORE, Karnataka, 570006	Society/Trust Address	MYSORE MYSORE, Mysore, Mysore, Karnataka, 580006
Institution/University Type	State Government University	Region	South-West

For conduct of following Courses in ODL mode for the Academic Year 2022-23 to 2026-27*

Sr. No.	Program	Level	Course (Specialization)	Center	Number of Seats
1	Management	POST GRADUATE	MASTER IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION(GENERAL MANAGEMENT)	Headquarter	10000
2	COMPUTER APPLICATIONS	POST GRADUATE	MCA	Headquarter	10000
3	Management	POST GRADUATE	MBA in Hospital and Health Care management	Headquarter	10000
4	AI & Data Science	POST GRADUATE	M.SC Data Science	Headquarter	500

For conduct of following Courses in OL mode for the Academic Year 2022-23 to 2026-27*

Sr. No.	Program	Level	Course (Specialization)	Center	Number of Seats
1	Management	POST GRADUATE	MBA	Headquarter	10000
2	COMPUTER APPLICATIONS	POST GRADUATE	MCA	Headquarter	10000

The University/Institute shall obtain necessary approval from University Grants Commission (UGC) as per the prescribed schedule and procedure.

The Administration/ Management of the University shall strictly follow further conditions as may be specified by the Council from time to time. The Council may withdraw the No Objection Certificate (NOC), in case it observes any violation of said ODL/OL regulations, mis-representation of facts and submitting factually incorrect information.

Prof. Rajive Kumar
Member Secretary, AICTE

Copy to:

- 1. Secretary, University Grants Commission**
- 2. Guard File(AICTE)**

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