



# VIT<sup>®</sup>

**Vellore Institute of Technology**

(Deemed to be University under section 3 of the UGC Act, 1956)



## VITREE

### VIT Research Entrance Examination

### December-2022

## Information Brochure

Admission to Research Programmes  
Ph.D. / Integrated Ph.D.

## 1. ABOUT VIT

Vellore Institute of Technology (VIT) was founded in 1984 as Vellore Engineering College by the Chancellor Dr. G. Viswanathan. VIT attracts students from all the 28 states of India and more than 41 different countries because of its academic excellence.

VIT has the record of publishing maximum number of SCOPUS Indexed Research Journal papers, among Indian Universities, overtaking all the premier institutions. VIT has also completed 3 cycles of NAAC accreditation and has been rated as an "A++" grade institution. In addition, VIT also has obtained the coveted ABET accreditation by US agency.

## VIT - Accreditations / Rankings / Ratings



### NIRF (National Institutional Ranking Frame Work)

- No. 9 in Best University Category – 2022
- No. 10 in Best Research Category – 2022
- No. 12 in Best Engineering Category – 2022
- No. 18 in Overall Category – 2022



### NAAC (National Assessment and Accreditation Council)

- Accredited in 2021 – A++ grade (3.66 out of 4) in 4th cycle
- Accredited in 2015 – A grade
- Accredited in 2009 – A grade
- Accredited in 2003 – B grade



### ABET (Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology), USA valid upto September 2021

- 3 Times Accredited
- 10 B.Tech Programs – Vellore Campus
- 4 B.Tech Programs – Chennai Campus



### FICCI (Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce & Industry)

- "Excellence in Internationalization" - 2018
- "Excellence in Faculty" - 2017
- "University of the Year" – 2016
- "Excellence in Research" - 2019



### UGC Graded Autonomy in 2018

Government endorsed recognition for VIT



### QS Star Rating 2016

- First University in India to get QS 4 Star Rating
- QS 5 STAR Rating for 5 Categories (Teaching, Employability, Facilities, Innovation and Inclusiveness)



### THE World University Rankings - 2021

- Ranked in the Top 801-1000 in 2021 (World Ranking)
- Ranked in the Top 201 - 250 in 2021 (Asia Ranking)
- Ranked in the Top 201 – 250 (Young University Ranking)



### QS World University Rankings

- Ranked in the Top 1000-1200 in 2022 in World Ranking



### QS University Rankings Asia

- Ranked 198<sup>th</sup> in 2022 in Asia Ranking



### QS World University Ranking By Subject

- 7 subject areas of VIT are Ranked by QS World University Rankings by Subject 2021
- Engineering and Technology 346<sup>th</sup> in the World
- Overall Ranking is within the Top 10 in India



### QS I. Gauge

- DIAMOND University Rating in 2018



### Shanghai Ranking

- Ranked in the Top 601-700 Universities of the World – 2022
- Ranked in the Top 3 Institutions in India – 2022



### ACBSP (The Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs), USA

- VITBS is fully Accredited for 10 years from 2017



### ACCA (Association of Chartered Certified Accountants, UK)

- BBA Programme is Accredited from 2017



### AACSB Accreditation for MBA programme, 2021



33 VIT Professors are among the top 2% scientists in the world, Stanford University Study, 2021

## 2. RESEARCH PROGRAMMES OFFERED INVITAT VARIOUS CAMPUSES& SCHOOLSARE DETAILED BELOW

- **VIT-Vellore campus** only Internal Full Time [IFT] category is offered.
- **VIT-Chennai campus** Internal Full Time [IFT] category is offered and Internal Part Time [IPT is offered only for VIT faculty members].
- **VIT-AP campus** only Internal Full Time [IFT] category is available.
- **VIT-Bhopal campus** both Internal Full Time [IFT] and External Part Time [EPT] categories are offered.

### Research programmes offered at VIT-Vellore campus:

School	Subject	Ph.D. (IFT)	Int. Ph.D. (IFT)
School of Advanced Sciences (SAS)	Physics	✓	✗
School of Advanced Sciences (SAS)	Chemistry	✓	✗
School of Advanced Sciences (SAS)	Mathematics, Data Science	✓	✗
School of Bio Sciences & Technology (SBST)	Bio Sciences and Biotechnology	✓	✗
School of Bio Sciences & Technology (SBST)	Life sciences	✗	✓
School of Civil Engineering (SCE)	Structural, Geotechnical and Construction Management	✓	✗
School of Civil Engineering (SCE)	Environmental, Water Resources, Transportation and Remote sensing & GIS	✓	✗
School of Civil Engineering (SCE)	Civil Engineering	✗	✓
School of Chemical Engineering (SCHEME)	Solid Waste management	✓	✗
School of Chemical Engineering (SCHEME)	Separation Processes- Water treatment - Adsorption studies	✓	✗
School of Chemical Engineering (SCHEME)	Membrane - Colloids and Polymers	✓	✗
School of Chemical Engineering (SCHEME)	Hydrodynamic - Process Modelling simulation	✓	✗
School of Computer Science and Engineering (SCOPE) & School of Information Technology & Engineering (SITE)	Computation and Information Engineering	✓	✓
School of Electrical Engineering (SELECT)	Electrical and Electronics Engineering	✓	✓

School of Electrical Engineering (SELECT)	Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering	✓	✓
School of Electronics Engineering (SENSE)	Electronics and Communication Engineering	✓	✓
School of Electronics Engineering (SENSE)	Biomedical Engineering	✓	✓
School of Mechanical Engineering (SMEC)	Manufacturing Engineering	✓	✓
School of Mechanical Engineering (SMEC)	Automotive Engineering	✓	✓
School of Mechanical Engineering (SMEC)	Mechatronics	✓	✓
School of Mechanical Engineering (SMEC)	Design and Automation	✓	✓
School of Mechanical Engineering (SMEC)	Thermal and Energy Engineering	✓	✓
School of Social Sciences and Languages (SSL)	English	✓	✗
School of Social Sciences and Languages (SSL)	Commerce & Accountancy	✓	✗
School of Social Sciences and Languages (SSL)	Psychology	✓	✗
School of Social Sciences and Languages (SSL)	Sociology	✓	✗
School of Social Sciences and Languages (SSL)	Economics	✓	✗
School of Social Sciences and Languages (SSL)	Tamil	✓	✗
School of Social Sciences and Languages (SSL)	Hindi	✓	✗
School of Social Sciences and Languages (SSL)	French	✓	✗
VIT Business School (VITBS)	General Management - Marketing - HR and OB - Finance, Accounts and Economics - Production, Operations, Systems and Quantitative Methods	✓	✗
VIT School of Design (V-SIGN)	Industrial Design, UX Design, Ergonomics, Media and Communication Studies, Mixed Reality, Animation	✓	✗
School of Hotel & Tourism Management (HOT)	Hospitality Management	✓	✗
VIT School of Agricultural Innovations And Advanced Learning. (VAIAL)	Agri-business Management, Agronomy, Plant Breeding and Genetics, Agricultural Biotechnology, Agricultural Entomology, Agricultural Engineering, Microbial Technology, Food Science and Technology, Horticulture, Agricultural Extension Education	✓	✗
School of Architecture (V-SPARC)	Architecture and Planning	✓	✗



**Research programmes offered at VIT-Chennai campus:**

School	Subject	Ph.D. (IFT)	Ph.D. (IPT) *	Int. Ph.D. (IFT)
School of Advanced Sciences (SAS)	Mathematics	✓	✗	✗
School of Advanced Sciences (SAS)	Chemistry, Geology	✓	✗	✗
School of Advanced Sciences (SAS)	Physics	✓	✗	✗
School of Computer Science and Engineering (SCOPE)	Computer Science, Information Technology	✓	✗	✓
School of Electrical Engineering (SELECT)	Electrical and Electronics Engineering	✓	✗	✓
School of Electronics Engineering (SENSE)	Electronics and Communication Engineering	✓	✗	✓
School of Mechanical Engineering (SMEC)	Mechanical Engineering	✓	✗	✓
School of Social Sciences and Languages (SSL)	Literature, English Language Teaching Women empowerment, Gender studies and Rural development, Youth studies Social Work Practice and Education, Gender and Sexuality Studies, HIV/AIDS, Vulnerable Population Studies, Human Rights. Sociology of Health and Illness, Women's Studies, Qualitative Research Gerontology, Gender Studies, Migration, Conflict studies, Critical Sociology Translation studies, Comparative Literature, Didactics of French Language Teaching, Foreign Language Teaching, French Literature & Francophone studies.	✓	✗	✗
School of Civil Engineering (SCE)	Environmental, Structural, Geotechnical, Water Resources and Transportation,	✓	✗	✗
VIT Business School (VITBS)	Marketing , Human Resource Management , Finance , Systems , Operations & Analytics	✓	✗	✗
VIT Fashion Institute of Technology (VFIT)	FASHION/TEXTILES	✓	✗	✗
VIT School of Law (VITSOL)	International Law, Constitutional Law, Labour Law, Administrative Law, Criminal Law, Intellectual Property Rights, Business Law, Environmental Law, Human Rights Law, Cyber Law, International Humanitarian Law	✓	✓	✗

\* Internal Part Time [IPT] is offered only for VIT faculty members at Chennai campus

## Research programmes offered at VIT-AP campus:

School	Subject	Ph.D. (IFT)	Ph.D. (IPT)
School of Advanced Sciences (SAS)	Mathematics, Chemistry, Physics	✓	✗
School of Computer Science and Engineering (SCOPE)	Computer Science and Engineering, Information Technology	✓	✗
School of Electronics Engineering (SENSE)	Electronics and Communication Engineering, Electrical Engineering	✓	✗
School of Mechanical Engineering (SMEC)	Mechanical Engineering	✓	✗
VIT-AP School of Business (VSB)	Management, Economics	✓	✗
VIT-AP School of LAW (VSL)	Law	✓	✗
VIT-AP School of Social Sciences & Humanities (VISH)	English, Psychology, French	✓	✗

## Research programmes offered at VIT-Bhopal campus:

School	Subject	Ph.D. (IFT)	Ph.D. (EPT)
School of Advance Science and Languages (SASL)	Mathematics, Chemistry, Physics, English and Humanities	✓	✓
School of Biosciences, Engineering and Technology (SBET)	Medical Electronics, Biotechnology	✓	✓
School of Computing Science and Engineering (SCSE)	Computer Science, Information Technology	✓	✓
School of Electrical and Electronics Engineering (SEEE)	Electrical Engineering, Electronics Engineering	✓	✓
School of Mechanical Engineering (SMEC)	Mechanical Engineering	✓	✓
VIT Business School (VITBS)	Economics, Law, Finance, Management	✓	✓

### 3. MINIMUM QUALIFICATION FOR ADMISSION

#### For Engineering Stream:

- 10+2+4+2 or any equivalent for Ph.D. in Engineering
- 10+2+5 year Integrated M.Tech. programme, Integrated M.S Programme in Engineering

#### For Non-Engineering Stream:

- 10+2+3+2 or any equivalent for Ph.D. in Non-Engineering
- 10+2+5 year Integrated. M.Sc. (Biotech) in Non- Engineering

#### For Ph.D. in Engineering:

Master's degree in Engineering / Technology in the relevant discipline with a minimum of 60% marks (of all the years /semesters) wherever marks are awarded / CGPA 6.5 on a 10 point scale in cases where letter grades are awarded or Equivalent qualifications like M.Sc. (Engineering) / M.S. [By Research] / M.Tech. [By Research].

**For all the Research Programmes, it is mandatory that the candidate should have studied in regular, full time and formal education in their previous degree programmes (UG and PG).**

**M.Sc. Computer Science, M.Sc. (IT), MCA degree holders are not eligible to apply for Ph.D. Programme.**

#### For Integrated Ph.D. in Engineering / Technology:

Graduates with outstanding academic record in the Bachelor's Degree in Engineering / Technology with an aptitude towards advanced scientific and technological research are eligible to apply. A minimum of 80% marks or a CGPA of 8.5 is mandatory on a 10 point scale.

#### For Ph.D. in Sciences:

Master's degree in the relevant discipline of Science with a minimum of 60% marks / CGPA 6.5 on a 10 point scale.

#### For Ph.D. in Languages:

Master's degree with a minimum of 60% marks or 6.5 CGPA on a 10 point scale.

### **For Ph.D. in Management:**

Master in Business Administration / CA / ICWA with a minimum of 60% marks / CGPA 6.5 on a 10 point scale.

### **For Ph.D. in Hospitality Management: (Vellore campus only)**

Masters in Hotel Management {(MHM, M.Sc.-HM, MHMCT, MBA (Hospitality))} or Masters of Tourism Management {MA (Tourism), MTM, MTTM, MBA (Tourism)} from any accredited Indian or Foreign University with a minimum of 60% marks/CGPA 6.5 on a 10 point scale.

### **For Ph.D. in Design & Planning: (Vellore campus only)**

Master's in Design / Planning, M.Tech, M.E., MSc (Physiology), any master's degree in Arts, Media Studies, Multimedia & Animation in full time or regular mode of education with 60% marks or CGPA 6.5 on a 10 point scale.

### **For Ph.D. in Architecture and Planning**

Candidates should have a Bachelor's degree in Architecture/ Planning and Master's degree in Architecture/ Design/Planning/Building Engineering and Management or its equivalent in full-time or regular mode of education with 60% marks in aggregate (of all the years/semesters) where marks are awarded or a minimum Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) of 6.5 on a 10-point scale wherever letter grades are awarded.

### **For Ph.D. in Agriculture**

#### **1. Agronomy**

Eligibility: M.Sc. (Agriculture) in Agronomy with a minimum of 60% marks or 6.5 CGPA on a 10 point scale.

#### **2. Plant Breeding and Genetics**

Eligibility: M.Sc. (Agriculture) in Plant Breeding and Genetics with a minimum of 60% marks or 6.5 CGPA on a 10 point scale.

#### **3. Agricultural Biotechnology**

Eligibility: M.Sc or M.Tech in Agricultural Biotechnology / Biotechnology / Molecular Biology and Biotechnology / M.Sc in any other relevant agriculture subjects with a minimum of 60% marks or 6.5 CGPA on a 10 point scale.



### **4. Agricultural Entomology**

Eligibility: M.Sc. (Agriculture) in Agricultural Entomology with a minimum of 60% marks or 6.5 CGPA on a 10 point scale.

### **5. Agricultural Engineering**

Eligibility: B.E/ B.Tech in Agricultural/Environmental/Civil/Mechanical or any equivalent discipline and M.E/M.Tech in Soil and Water Conservation /Environmental/ Land and Water Resource/ Irrigation/ Farm Machinery and Power engineering or any other equivalent discipline with a minimum of 60% marks or 6.5 CGPA on a 10 point scale.

### **6. Microbial Technology**

Eligibility: M.Sc. Microbiology, M.Sc. Biotechnology, M.Sc. Biochemistry, M.Sc. Agricultural Microbiology with a minimum of 60% marks or 6.5 CGPA on a 10 point scale.

### **7. Food Science and Technology**

Eligibility: Master's degree in Food Science / Food Science and Technology / Food Technology / Food Processing / Post Harvest Technology / Dairy Technology and related disciplines with a minimum of 60% marks or 6.5 CGPA on a 10 point scale.

### **8. Horticulture (Fruit Science, Vegetable Science, Floriculture and Landscaping)**

Eligibility: M.Sc. Horticulture with specialization in the specific subjects with a minimum of 60% marks or 6.5 CGPA on a 10 point scale.

### **9. Agricultural Extension Education**

Eligibility: Master's degree in Agricultural Extension/Agricultural Extension & Communication, /Agricultural Extension Education/Veterinary Extension/Dairy Extension/Fisheries Extension with a minimum of 60% marks or 6.5 CGPA on a 10 point scale.

### **10. Agri-business Management**

Eligibility: Master's degree in Agri-business Management, /Agricultural Marketing &Co-operation/ Agricultural Economics/ Business Management with specialization in Agriculture with a minimum of 60% marks or 6.5 CGPA on a 10 point scale.

### **For Ph.D. in Law: (VIT-Chennai & VIT-AP campus only)**

Master's Degree in law (LLM / ML) from any recognized University / Institute, in the relevant field with a minimum of 60% marks or 6.5 CGPA on a 10 point scale.

### For Ph.D. in Fashion Technology: (Chennai campus only)

Master's degree in the relevant areas of Technology, Design/ Science (or) Management (or) equivalent qualification from an institute/ university of national/ international repute with a first class or a minimum of 60% marks/CGPA 6.5 on a 10 point scale.

#### Relevant Areas

##### 1. Technology

M.E/ M.Tech./ M.Fashion Tech/ M.S [By Research]/ M.Tech [By Research] in the field of Textile Tech./Textile Engg./Fibre Science/Textile Chemistry/ Textile Chemical Processing/ Fashion Tech./ Apparel Tech./ Garment Tech./ Technical Textiles.

##### 2. Design/ Science - M.Design / M.Sc in the field Costume Design and Fashion / Apparel Design / Fashion Design / Apparel and Fashion Design / Textile Design / Textile and Apparel Design / Knit-wear Design / Accessory Design.

##### 3. Management - M.F.M in the field of Fashion Management / Apparel Management / Fashion Marketing/ Fashion Merchandising.

## 4. CATEGORY AND ELIGIBILITY

#### Internal Full Time:

A candidate who wishes to work for Ph.D. / Integrated Ph.D. degree on full time basis (including project staff working in sponsored projects being carried out at VIT) should apply in the prescribed form on or before the specified date.

#### External Part Time: (Applicable only for VIT-Bhopal Campus)

Teachers working in other colleges in a permanent position and candidates sponsored by R&D organizations of following categories are eligible to apply to work on a part time basis for Ph.D. degree.

- Laboratories run by the Council of Scientific and Industrial Research/ Department of Atomic Energy / Department of Space etc.
- Public Sector undertakings with R & D Units.
- Private Industries recognized by The Department of Scientific & Industrial Research, *Government of India* as engaged in R&D work or contributing to R&D efforts. A copy of the

certificate issued by the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research (DSIR) in this regard will be required to be produced in such cases.

- Medical Industry, Institutions and Hospitals with approved R&D in the relevant area. (A copy of the certificate issued by the appropriate authority to be produced).

## 5. SELECTION PROCEDURE FOR FOREIGN NATIONALS / NRI CANDIDATES:

Foreign nationals / NRI candidates can only register as full-time scholars through separate link: <https://admissions.vit.ac.in/irapplicationpg/>

### Foreign Nationals Guidelines:

Candidates of foreign nationality who hold Degrees from Indian Universities seeking admission to research programmes with the necessary clearance from the Government of India (The Ministry of Human Resource Development) and possess valid Visa will be treated on par with Indian nationals for purposes of admission to the Institute.

Foreign nationals with foreign degrees must meet the minimum educational requirements as given in Section 3. Their degrees must be equivalent to Indian degrees mentioned in Section 3 in Engineering / Technology / Science and they should have a good academic record. International candidates are expected to have a good working knowledge of English. Candidates with valid GRE and TOEFL scores will be given preference. The case of each foreign applicant will be examined and admission will be offered purely on merit. The Fee is payable only as USD.

### NRI Guidelines:

Indian nationals having degrees from Indian Universities and their parents who should work outside India may apply as NRI candidates. After receiving their application and required documents, they will be interviewed via Skype or other web technology. The Fee is payable only as USD.

## 6. MINIMUM DURATION OF STUDY

### Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)

The minimum duration of study and research from the date of registration for the Ph.D. programme to the date of submission of thesis will be 30 months for full-time research scholars and 36 months for part-time research scholars.

### Integrated Ph.D.

The minimum duration of study and research from the date of registration for the Integrated Ph.D. programme to the date of submission of thesis will be 4 years.

## 7. SELECTION PROCEDURE FOR NATIONAL CANDIDATES

### Ph.D.

Selection based on the performance in the VITREE 2022 score, PG Degree marks, Research proposal and Interview. Candidates, who fulfil the eligibility criteria prescribed, shall appear for VITREE 2022, a Computer Based Test for 2 hours on 4<sup>th</sup> December 2022 at their test venue of choice. **Change of Venue Campus, date of Interview or program will not be permitted.** The question paper will have 100 MCQs (Technical – 70 questions; English communication skills – 15 questions; Statistics and probability – 15 questions).

The shortlisted candidates should appear for personal interview on 10th or 11th December 2022. The selected candidates for admission will be intimated by 15th December 2022.

### Integrated Ph.D.

Selection based on the performance in the VITREE 2022 score, B.E. / B.Tech. Degree marks, Research proposal and Personal Interview. Candidates, who fulfil the eligibility criteria prescribed, shall appear for VITREE 2022, a Computer Based Test for 2 hours on 4<sup>th</sup> December 2022 at their test venue of choice. **Change of Venue Campus, date of Interview or program will not be permitted.** The question paper will have 100 MCQs (Technical – 70 questions; English communication skills – 15 questions; Statistics and probability – 15 questions).

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## 8. TUITION FEES

Programme	Caution Deposit	Tuition Fee per Annum	Thesis Fee*
Ph.D. Internal Full Time	₹ 3,000	₹ 40,000	₹ 10,000
Ph.D. External part Time (Teachers)	₹ 3,000	₹ 60,000	₹ 10,000
Ph.D. External part Time (Industry)	₹ 3,000	₹ 75,000	₹ 10,000
Integrated Ph.D.	₹ 3,000	₹ 40,000	₹ 10,000

\* Thesis fee to be paid at the time of submission only

## 9. JOINING THE RESEARCH PROGRAMME

Selected candidates of research programmes will be asked to identify a guide at their school on or before 23<sup>rd</sup> December 2022 and pay the fees through online payment mode before 29<sup>th</sup> December 2022. Without an identified guide, the provisional admission letter will be treated as withdrawn.

## 10. RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP

VIT Fellowship	GATE Qualified (Above 60 Percentile)	Others
First year	₹ 31,000	₹ 25,000
Second year	₹ 35,000	₹ 31,000
Third year	₹ 35,000	₹ 31,000

- Raman Research Award up to 1 lakh for research publications exclusively for Scholars.
- Apart from this, scholars are encouraged to apply for JRF (CSIR / UGC) / Inspire Fellowships / Rajiv Gandhi Scholarships and other Govt. Scholarships.

## 11. OTHER INFORMATION

- May 2022 / December 2022 qualifying degree completed or results awaited candidates are also eligible to apply.
- Application fee and Tuition fee will not be refunded under any circumstances.
- Hostel accommodation is available for limited candidates. Others should be ready to make their own arrangements for their stay at Vellore / Chennai / VIT-AP / VIT-Bhopal during their research programme.
- All suits and actions arising out of or relating to VIT shall be instituted within the jurisdiction of courts at Vellore, Tamil Nadu.
- For queries related to research please contact respective campus Dean Academic Research
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  - iv. VIT-Bhopal : [dean.research@vitbhopal.ac.in](mailto:dean.research@vitbhopal.ac.in)



## 12. IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS PERTAINING TO COMPUTER BASED TEST FOR VITREE-2022

**Date of Exam: 4<sup>th</sup> December, 2022 (Sunday)**

**Time of Exam: 10:00 AM – 12:00 Noon & 02:30 PM – 04:30 PM**

### **Date of Personal Interview for shortlisted candidates: 10<sup>th</sup> or 11<sup>th</sup> December 2022 (Saturday & Sunday)**

- Candidate is expected to arrive at the examination hall at least 1 hour before the commencement of examination, with Admit Card (hard copy). If the candidate does not report on time, they are likely to miss the general instructions given in Exam Hall.
- A candidate who does not possess the admit card issued by VIT shall not be permitted to attend exam under any circumstances.
- Candidate will not be permitted to enter into examination hall after 10.15 am.
- Candidate is instructed to complete Registration Process with the help of Hall Invigilators
- Candidate will be allotted a computer system by Hall Invigilator to take the Computer Based Test.
- Candidate is not permitted to carry any text material (printed / written), slide rulers, log tables, electronic watches with facility of calculator, mobile phones or any other electronic devices.
- Candidate should bring a pencil or pen to carry out any rough calculations. A scratch pad will be provided
- Test will start exactly at the time specified in Admit Card and an announcement will be made by Hall Invigilator to start and stop the exam.
- During the exam process, the hall Invigilator can request for the admit card for verification of the candidate.
- Exam comprises of Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ) with question number and the time left for the exam to be completed appearing at the top center of computer screen.
- Under any circumstances, the candidate will not be permitted to take extra time, unless and otherwise permitted by the Center Superintendents.
- For each question, candidate should select the right option using the mouse.
- Candidate will not be permitted to leave the exam hall until the completion of the exam.
- Candidates are requested to keep the Admit Card safely with them and bring it during the Admission Process. Candidate should produce it on demand.

**Applicable subjects to be undertaken for entrance examination in each school for Vellore Campus**

School	Ph.D.	Integrated Ph.D.
School of Advanced Sciences (SAS)	PHY, CHY, MAT	-
School of Bio Sciences and Technology (SBST)	BBT	LS
School of Civil Engineering (SCE)	CVL	CI
School of Computing Science & Engineering (SCOPE & SITE)	CIE	IT
School of Chemical Engineering (SCHEME)	CEE	-
School of Electrical Engineering (SELECT)	ELE, EIE	EE, EI
School of Electronics Engineering (SENSE)	ECE, BME	EC, BM
School of Mechanical Engineering (SMEC)	MEE	ME
School of Social Sciences & Languages (SSL)	ENG, TAM, CMA, ECO, HIN, PSY, SOY, FRC	-
VIT Business School (VITBS)	MGT	-
VIT School of Design (V-Sign)	VSD	-
School of Hotel & Tourism Management (HOT)	HOT	-
VIT School of Agricultural Innovations And Advanced Learning. (VAIAL)	ABM, AGR, PBG, ABT, AET, AEG, MBT, FST, HRT, AEE	-
School of Architecture (V-SPARC)	ATR	-

### Applicable subjects to be undertaken for entrance examination in each school for Chennai Campus

School	Ph.D.	Integrated Ph.D.
School of Advanced Sciences (SAS)	PHY, CHY, MAT, GEO	-
School of Social Sciences & Languages (SSL)	ENG, SOY, PSY, SLW, PSC, FRC	-
School of Computer Science and Engineering (SCOPE)	CIE	IT
School of Electrical Engineering (SELECT)	ELE	EE
School of Electronics Engineering (SENSE)	ECE	EC
School of Mechanical Engineering (SMEC)	MEE	ME
School of Civil Engineering (SCE)	CVL	-
VIT Business School	MGT	-
VIT School of Law (VITSOL)	LAW	-
VIT Fashion Institute of Technology (VFIT)	FTY	-

### Applicable subjects to be undertaken for entrance examination in each school for VIT-AP

School	Ph.D.
VIT-AP School of Social Sciences and Humanities (VISH)	ENG
School of Advanced Sciences (SAS)	PHY, MAT, CHY
School of Computer Science and Engineering (SCOPE)	CIE
School of Electronics Engineering (SENSE)	ECE, ELE
School of Mechanical Engineering (SMEC)	MEE
VIT-AP School of Business (VSB)	MGT, ECO
VIT-AP School of Law (VSL)	LAW

**Applicable subjects to be undertaken for entrance examination in each school for VIT-Bhopal**

School	Ph.D.
School of Advance Science and Languages (SASL)	PHY, MAT, CHY, ENG
School of Biosciences, Engineering and Technology (SBET)	BBT
School of Computing Science and Engineering (SCSE)	CIE
School of Electrical and Electronics Engineering (SEEE)	ELE, ECE
School of Mechanical Engineering (SMEC)	MEE
VIT Business School (VITBS)	MGT

**Note:** Limited hostel accommodation is available for December 2022 research scholars.

### 13. IMPORTANT DATES (TENTATIVE)

Issue of online application	01 <sup>st</sup> September 2022 (Thu)
Last date for submission of application	15 <sup>th</sup> November 2022 (Tue)
VITREE Slot Cum <b>Test City</b> Booking	24 <sup>th</sup> & 25 <sup>th</sup> November 2022 (Thu & Fri)
Date of VITREE through Centre Based Test	4 <sup>th</sup> December 2022 (Sun)
Personal Interview	10 <sup>th</sup> & 11 <sup>th</sup> December 2022 (Sat & Sun)
Declaration of results	15 <sup>th</sup> December 2022 (Thu)
Last date of guide selection	23 <sup>rd</sup> December 2022 (Fri)
Last date of online fee payment	29 <sup>th</sup> December 2022 (Thu)
Commencement of classes	2 <sup>nd</sup> January 2023 (Mon)

To know more for VITREE-Syllabus <https://vit.ac.in/files/VITREE-2022-Syllabus.pdf>

#### TEMPLATE FOR TWO PAGE RESEARCH PROPOSAL

Template Link : <https://vit.ac.in/sites/default/files/template-for-two-page-research-proposal.pdf>



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