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PH.D. ADMISSIONS OPEN · 2026

Ph.D. in Computer Science & Engineering (AI & ML)

Applications are now open exclusively for Research Scholars — join a multidisciplinary, NVIDIA AI Factory-powered doctoral research programme at DSU.

AI & ML Specialised Faculty

Multidisciplinary Projects

NVIDIA AI Factory

Full-Time & Part-Time



Faculty specialised in AI & ML

Guided by a strong core of faculty with active research and publication records across Deep Learning, NLP, Computer Vision, Robotics and Data Science.



Multidisciplinary research encouraged

Interdisciplinary Ph.D. tracks with co-guides from other departments — apply AI to healthcare, robotics, security, electronics and more.



Powered by NVIDIA AI Factory

Scholars get access to NVIDIA DGX-class accelerated infrastructure for large-scale model training, fine-tuning and experimentation.



Structured research pathway

Full-Time, Part-Time and Direct Ph.D. options with entrance test, interview and NET/JRF exemption where applicable.



Publication & grant support

Support for technical publications, patent-oriented work and access to sponsored research grants and scholarships.

◆ ELIGIBILITY

- Master's degree in Engineering / Sciences / Computer Science & allied fields with ≥55% marks (5% relaxation for SC/ST/OBC-NCL/PwD).
- 4-year B.E./B.Tech (or equivalent) with ≥80% marks — eligible for Direct Ph.D. admission.
- Prior UG & PG degrees must be from regular, full-time mode of study.
- NET/JRF-qualified candidates may be exempted from the university entrance test.

◆ HOW TO APPLY

- 1 Submit the online Ph.D. application with required documents and Rs. 2,500 application fee.
- 2 Appear for the Ph.D. Entrance Test (waived for NET/JRF-qualified candidates).
- 3 Attend the interview & research proposal presentation before the expert panel.
- 4 On selection, a Research Guide is allotted and registration is confirmed.

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MIN. YEARS DURATION

₹2,500

APPLICATION FEE

F/T & P/T

MODE OF STUDY

NET/JRF

ENTRANCE TEST EXEMPTION



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