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Education is a basic necessity for every person in this knowledge age. Colleges and universities provide knowledge to citizens in the age group 20-30 years. But there are a vast number of men and women who do not belong to this group. Then there are many persons who work during the time universities conduct classes and laboratories.

Distance education in which we can learn in our pace and space without regularly attending classes is thus essential for us. We are proud that Tripura University has been conducting the Distance Education program successfully for several years. The University is committed to an expansion and improvement of the Distance Education program.

(Prof Anjan Kumar Ghosh) Vice-Chancellor

From the Director's Desk



Dr. K. B. Jamatia Director

Open and Distance Learning (ODL), of late, is becoming an accepted and indispensable part of mainstream education prompted by the need to make learning more accessible to a wider population of the country. The growing need for continual skills upgrading and reskilling and advances in technology have made it possible to be conducted at a distance. Today, ODL is one of the most rapidly growing fields of education.

Directorate of Distance Education of Tripura University has, since 1996, been endeavoring to reach to the unreached people of the State of Tripura and also for imbuing the coming generations with a strong commitment to human values and to social justice.

All this implies better education.

Directorate of Distance Education (DDE) is looking forward to making ODL more popular by changing both quantitatively and qualitatively.



(Dr. K. B. Jamatia) Director



TRIPURA UNIVERSITY: A PROFILE

Tripura University was established under the Tripura University Act, 1987 on 2nd October 1987, as a State University, with the objective of facilitating the growth and quality of education among the people of the State in areas of contemporary relevance to the society and the country. The UGC granted its recognition as University under Section 12B of the UGC Act on May 1998.

Subsequently, Tripura University was converted to a Central University under the Tripura University Act, 2006 (9 of 2007) with effect from the 2nd day of July, 2007.

The University has at present two Faculties, the Faculty of Arts & Commerce and the Faculty of Science. At present Tripura University offers a total number of 46 programmes, which includes certificate courses, Under Graduate, Post Graduate Diplomas and Post Graduate Programmes.

Besides the above courses, the University also offers Ph.D Programme in 33 subjects. The University also provides academic support to 52 affiliated Degree Colleges in the State by way of formulating the curricula, supervising academic programmes and conducting examinations.

During the last nine years, the University has made impressive development in diverse arenas of education, studied and addressed social problems and promoted scientific research. The Placement Cell of the University provides help and support to the Students through campus interview. The University also conducts NET coaching classes/ tutorials for SC/ST/OBC students.

The University campus is growing fast and equipped with facilities like Bank and ATM service, Water Treatment Plant, Health Centre, Guest House, Central Library, Indoor and Outdoor Auditoriums, Eco-Park, Cafeteria etc.

DIRECTORATE OF DISTANCE EDUCATION

Education has continued to evolve, diversify and extend its reach and coverage to all since the dawn of human history. An urge for knowledge is not only essential but also an inevitable facet of present day living. Any state or any part of the country that lags behind in the intellectual competition is sure to end up in disaster.

With a view to promoting unique socio-cultural identity and also to meet the challenges of the time, Tripura University established its Directorate of Distance Education (DDE) in 1996.

The aims and objectives of DDE are:

- 1. To widen and diversify access to flexible and innovative system of education.
- 2. To provide opportunities who missed conventional mode of learning.
- 3. To provide opportunities who are in-service.
- 4. To provide opportunities to women including housewives.
- 5. To widen opportunities to upgrade knowledge.
- 6. To accelerate manpower development for different economic sections of the State.

At present, there are more than 6000 students studying under this Directorate of Distance Education (DDE). This figure is by itself indicative of the popularity and reliability of the Directorate of Distance Education, Tripura University, among the common masses in general and the students of Tripura in particular.

PROGRAMMES UNDER DIRECTORATE OF DISTANCE EDUCATION.

MASTER OF ARTS (MA) IN EDUCATION

Post-Graduate/ MA Programme in Education was introduced in 2004.

Duration of Programme : 4 Semesters
Intake Capacity : 500 Students

Name of the Programme Co-ordinator : Dr. Swapna Biswas, Assistant Professor

Course Structure:

	Course Curriculum:				
i. C	ore Courses	,			
	Course Code	Name of the Courses	Credits		
1	EDCN 701C	Philosophical Foundation of Education			
		Relationship between education and philosophy ,meaning , nature and scope,			
		function of education philosophy ,Western school of philosophy , Indian			
		school of philosophy, contribution Vivekananda, Tagore, Gandhi, and			
		Aurobindo, national values enshrined in Indian Constitution, Modern concept			
		of philosophy, Analysis – Logical analysis, Logical empiricism and positive			
		relativism	03		
2	EDCN 702C	Psychological Foundation of Education			
		Concept, Nature and Scope of Educational Psychology, Relationship between			
		Education and Psychology, Growth and Development, individual differences:			
		Intelligence, Creativity- concept, process, and identification, measurement			
		and fostering, Theories of learning and motivation, exceptional children,			
		Personality, theories, mental health and hygiene, Sex Education.	04		
3	EDCN 703C	Sociological Foundation of Education			
		Relationship of Sociology and Education, Meaning and nature of Educational			
		Sociology and Sociology of education, Education and Modernization,			
		Education and politics, Education and religion, Education and culture,			
		education and democracy, Socialization of the child, Meaning and nature of			
		social change, social stratification and social ;mobility, social equity and			
		equality of educational opportunities, constraints on social change in India,			
		Education of the socially and economically disadvantage section of the			
		society	04		
4	EDCN 704C	Educational Technology			
		Meaning, nature, scope and significance of educational technology, concept			
		of communication Process, Flanders's interaction Analysis Categories System			
		(FIACS), Micro Teaching, Models of Teaching, Teaching Aids, Level of			
		Teaching and Programme Instruction.	04		
5	EDCN 801C	Methodology of Educational Research			
		Meaning, nature and scope of educational Research, formulation of research			
		problem, collection of data, various methods of sampling, tools and			
		techniques, major approaches to research.	04		
6	EDCN 802C	Administration and Management of Education	04		

		Administration as a process, leadership in educational administration,	
		educational planning, approaches to educational planning, educational	
		supervision, aspect of educational management, planning, organizing and	
		controlling. Human resource management, conflict management and time	
		management.	
7	EDCN 803C	Distance Education:	
		Significance ,meaning and characteristics ,present status of distance	
		education, designing and preparing self-learning materials (SLM)- role of	
		electronic media, ICT and their applications in distance education, self-	
		support service, technical and vocational programmes, rural development,	
		concept and need of evaluations in distance education, techniques of	
		evaluation, role of guidance and counseling DEC, IGNOU.	04
8	EDCN 901C	Value Education	
		Concept of Values, Values Education, moral development concept, Piaget	
		theory, Kohlberg theory, Carol Theory, Fostering values, approaches to value	
		education, meaning of human rights education, understanding peace by	
		understanding conflict, Yogic Meditation.	
			04
9	EDCN 902C	Statistics in Education	
	_ = == : > 0= 0	Meaning of statistics, graphical representation, and measures of central	
		tendency, variability, Correlation and regression, normal distribution,	
		significance of the difference between means and other statistics, non-	
		parametric test, ANOVA, ANCOVA.	04
10	EDCN 903C	Dissertation Project I	04
11	EDCN 1001C	Contemporary Issues in Education	
		Early childhood in education, privatization of education, liberalization, people	
		public private partnership in education, environmental education, non-formal	
		and Adult Education, UEE, RMSA, RUSA, E-learning, Granting system,	
		CBCS system.	04
12	EDCN 1002C	Dissertation Project II	04
13	EDCN 1003C	Presentation on Dissertation	01
	1	tive Courses	1
		Name of the Courses	Credits
	EDCN 804E	Measurement and Evaluation in Education	Credits
	LDCIV 004L	Concept of measurement and evaluation, different measuring scales,	
		taxonomy of educational objectives, tools and techniques of evaluation,	
		examination reforms, statistical treatment of data, Reliability and validity,	
		grading system and credit system.	04
	EDCN 805E	Guidance and Counseling in Education	0-1
	EDCIV 003E	Meaning ,nature, principles, aims and objectives, types and areas of guidance	
		& counseling, psychotherapy, Testing techniques, non -testing techniques,	
		organization of guidance service, role of personnel in guidance programme,	
		psychology of careers, counseling and inter professional interaction,	04
	EDCN 806E	Education for Empowerment of Women	
	220110001	Concept of woman's empowerment, woman rights, movement, health	
		conditions, sex ratio, family planning, work related issues, gender	
		discrimination, political participation, economic conditions, social condition,	
		divorce, rape, domestic violence, approaches to women education, equality of	
		opportunities, and equity, women in national development, decision making.	04
	EDCN 904E	Intelligence Creativity and Education	04

	The structure of intelligence: an examination of various theories of intelligence. A review of some intelligence tests, nature and scope of creativity: the major aspects of creativity, the creativity process, learning methodology: understating creative learning, developing creativity, problems of creative children, artificial intelligence, multiple intelligence, paradigm	
EDCN 905	shift, research in creativity; India and abroad. E Inclusive Education	
LDCN 90.	Meaning, nature objectives of inclusive education, special education in India, hearing handicap, locomotors disability, mental disorders, visually handicap, learning disability, social disadvantages, rehabilitation, recommendations of the Kothari Commission (1964-66), NPE 1986, POA 1992,	04
EDCN 906	Teacher education; meaning, development aims objectives, agencies of Teacher education, NCTE, NCERT, SCERT, DIET, types of teacher education programme, problems of teacher education, professional ethics of	04
EDCN 907		04
iii.	Compulsory Foundation Courses	
Course Co	le Name of the Course	Credits
	Computer Skills	04

Eligibility Criteria for Admission:

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10+2+3 pattern or equivalent system of education shall be eligible to apply.

A candidate who has appeared in the BA Final Examination 2017 shall be eligible to apply for admission to the subjects offered by the Post Graduate Faculty (ODL).

Post Graduate Programme in Education under Directorate of Distance Education shall be governed by "the Rules and Regulations for the Post Graduate Programmes in the Choice Based Credit System, 2015-2016" and amendments made from time to time.

MASTER OF ARTS (MA) IN POLITICAL SCIENCE

Post-Graduate/ MA Programme in Political Science started in 2006. The objective is to train Students of Political Science in all aspects of the subject, from classical discourses to present-day developments.

Duration of Programme:4 SemestersIntake Capacity:500 StudentsName of the Programme Co-ordinator:Vacant

Course Structure:

Cour	rse Curriculum . Core Courses		
Sl. No.	Course Code	Name of the Courses	Credits
1	701 C	Ancient Indian Political Thought	4
		Vedic values, Political philosophy of epics, codification	
		of laws, Kautilya.	
2	702 C	Modern Indian Political Thought	4
		Early nationalist responses, Nationalist thinkers,	
		Hindutva, Muslim nationalism.	
3	703 C	Western Political Thought I	4
		Ancient Greek thought, Medieval thinkers, Political	
		realism, Early modern thought	
4	704 C	Western Political Thought II	4
		Utilitarianism, German Idealism, Socialism,	
		Communism	
5	801 C	Political Theory	4
		Classical political theory, Positivism, Liberalism,	
		Marxism	
6	802 C	Comparative Politics	4
		Political economy, Constitutionalism, Electoral Politics,	
		Political Development	
7	803 C	Public Administration	4
		New Public Administration, New Public Management,	
		Public Choice, Good Governance, Accountability,	
		Financial Administration	
8	804 C	Theories of International Relations	4
	201.0	Realism, Liberalism, Constructivism, Globalization	
9	901 C	Political Sociology	4
10	222.5	Power, Socialization, Elitism, State and society in India	
10	902 C	Research Methodology	4
		Research Design, Hypothesis Construction, Qualitative	
	1001.0	& Quantitative Research, Sampling.	_
11	1001 C	Social Movements in India	4
		Civil Society, Critique of Development, Sustainability,	
		Macro and Micro level social movements	

12	1002 C	Research Project Independent projects carried out under supervision of each faculty	4
ii.	Elective Courses	S	
SI. No.	Course Code	Name of the Course C	
1	705 E	Politics in North East India State politics in NE, Overview of NE as region, Development process, Regional discontent	
2	805 E	Constitution of India Framing of the Constitution, Federalism, Legislature, Judiciary	4
3	806 E	Secularism and the Nation State Secularization and politics, Nationalism and secularism, Challenges to secularism, New understandings of religion	4
4	903 E	Problems in International Relations Distribution of power, Inequality, Terrorism, Human security	4
5	904E	Post-Colonial Indian Politics Indian modernity, Citizenship, Political participation, Liberalization era	4
6	905 E	Politics and Administration in Tripura History of Tripura, Administrative structure, Political processes, Decentralization	4
7	1003E	Indian Administration Personnel administration, Union/ State government administration, Corruption, Lokpal & Lokayukta, E-Governance, Right to Information.	4
8	1004E	India's Foreign Policy Approaches and evolution, Bilateral Relationship with select countries. Multilateralism, Institutions and actors	4

Eligibility Criteria for Admission:

A Candidate who has successfully Passed the Three Years or Six Semester Bachelor's Degree (Pass or Honours) of this University or any other recognized University under (10+2+3) pattern or equivalent system of education shall be eligible to apply.

A candidate who has appeared in the BA Final Examination 2017 shall be eligible to apply for admission to the subjects offered by the Post Graduate Faculty (ODL).

Post Graduate Programme in Political Science under Directorate of Distance Education shall be governed by "the Rules and Regulations for the Post Graduate Programmes in the Choice Based Credit System, 2015-2016" and amendments made from time to time.

MASTER OF ARTS (MA) IN BENGALI

Post-Graduate/ MA Programme in Bengali commenced in 2009.

Duration of Programme : 4 Semesters
Intake Capacity : 500 Students

Name of the Programme Co-ordinator : Dr. Rupasree Debnath, Assistant Professor

Course Structure:

Course Curriculum

i. Co	i. Core Courses			
S1. No.	Course Code	Name of the Course	Credits	
1	BNGL 701 C	History of Bengali Literature (10th to 18th Century)	04	
2	BNGL 702 C	Bengali literature (Text) (10 th to 15 th Century)	04	
3	BNGL 703 C	Bengali Literature (Text) (16th to 18th Century)	04	
4	BNGL 801 C	History of Bengali Literature (19th & 20th Century)	04	
5	BNGL 802 C	Bengali Poetry, Drama, Farce & Fiction (Text) (19th Century)	04	
6	BNGL 803 C	Bengali Poetry, Drama & Fiction (Text) (20th Century)	04	
7	BNGL 901 C	Linguistics	04	
8	BNGL 902 C	Literary Theory	04	
9	BNGL 903 C	Bengali Literature of North-East India	04	
10	BNGL904 C	Project- I	04	
11	BNGL 1001 C	Rabindra Literature	04	
12	BNGL 1002 C	Women's Writings in Bengali	04	
13	BNGL 1003 C	Essays , Auto- Biography & Travel Literature	04	
14	BNGL 1004 C	Project- II	04	
ii. E	Elective Courses	,		
	Course Code	Name of the Course	Credits	
1	BNGL 704 E	Bengali Reading & writing Skill	04	
2	BNGL 804 E	Bengali Child Literature & Comics	04	
3	BNGL 905 E	Folklore	04	
4	BNGL 1005 E	Indian Literature	04	
iii. C	Compulsory Foundar	tion Courses		
	Course Code	Name of the Course	Credits	
1		Computer Basic Skills- I	04	

Eligibility Criteria for Admission:

A Candidate who has successfully Passed the Three Years or Six Semester Bachelor's Degree (Pass or Honours) of this University or any other recognized University under (10+2+3) pattern or equivalent system of education shall be eligible to apply.

A candidate who has appeared in the BA Final Examination 2017 shall be eligible to apply for admission to the subjects offered by the Post Graduate Faculty (ODL).

Post Graduate Programme in Bengali under Directorate of Distance Education shall be governed by "the Rules and Regulations for the Post Graduate Programmes in the Choice Based Credit System, 2015-2016" and amendments made from time to time.



CERTIFICATE COURSE IN HUMAN RIGHTS (CHR)

This programme in Human Rights was introduced in 2011. The entire programme is of six months' duration. North- East India has experienced severe human rights violation in which both state and non-state actors have been instrumental. The present programme intends to generate awareness in both groups. Naturally, the objective of the curriculum is to train students in dealing with theoretical and practical situations as encountered in the region.

Duration of Programme :		Six (6) Months
Intake Capacity	•	20 Students
Name of the Programme Co-ordinator		Vacant

Course Structure:

Course Curriculum

Course Code	Name of the Courses	Credits
CHR 101	Conceptual Foundations of Human Rights	04
CHR 102	Human Rights: International Perspective	04
CHR 103	Human Rights: Indian Context	04
CHR 104	Work Book and Term Paper	04

Eligibility Criteria for Admission:

A Candidate who has completed the Bachelor's Degree (Pass or Honours) of this University or any other recognized University under the pattern of 10+2+3 or equivalent system of education shall be eligible to apply for admission to the Certificate Course in Human Rights offered by the DDE. A Candidate who has taken the Bachelor's Degree (Pass or Honours) of this University or any other recognized University under the pattern of 10+2+2/10+1+3/11+3 or equivalent system of education is also eligible to apply for admission into the Certificate Course in Human Rights offered by the DDE.

BACHELOR OF ARTS (BA)

Bachelor of Arts (BA) programme started in 2001 under the Distance Mode. This 3-year programme is divided in Six Semesters. In view of the great demand for this programme in Tripura, the DDE has opened 23 Study Centers in different Degree Colleges of the State.

Duration of Programme : Six Semesters

Name of the Programme Co- ordinator I/C : Sri. Dhiraj Bin, System Analyst.

Study Centres (Colleges)	Centre Code	Name of the Co-ordinators
IshwarchandraVidyasagar College, Belonia	01	Sri Bijoy Krishna Das
Bir Bikram Memorial College, Agartala	02	Sri Dipak Hrishi Das
GDC, Dharmanagar	03	Dr Suvadip Paul
GDC, Kamalpur, Dhalai	04	Dr Srimanta Ray
DDM College, Khowai	05	Sri Tarun Chowdhury
MBB College, Agartala	06	Sri Rupajit Das
RKM, Kailashahar, North Tripura	07	Dr Manish Nandi
Ramthakur College, Agartala	08	Dr Dipankar Majumder
MMDC, Sabroom, South Tripura	09	Sri Subir Basak
NS Mahavidyalaya, Udaipur	10	Dr Nurul Islam
Women's College, Agartala	11	Sri Balkrishan Chaudhury
AMBS Mahavidyalaya, Amarpur	12	Sri Patal Kumar Murasing
KN Mahavidyalaya, Sonamura	13	Sri Bikash Ch. Bhowmik
Ambedkar College, Fatikroy	14	Sri Biplab Majumder
GDC, Khumulwng	16	Miss Maharani Hwrangkhwal
GDC, Gandacherra	18	Sri Ratan Sarkar
Rabindranath Tagore Mahavidyalaya, Bishalgarh	39	Dr Nibash Chandra Shil
Swami Vivekananda Mahavidyalaya, Mohanpur	40	Sri Abhijit Bhattacharya
GDC, Santirbazar	41	Sri Manas Majumder
GDC, Teliamura	42	Sri Madhusudhan Murasing
GDC, Kanchanpur	43	Dr Lalrinnunga Hmar
GDC, Longtharai Valley	44	Dr Samsul Alam Choudhury
DDE,Head Quarter, TU	50	Sri Dhiraj Bin(System Analyst)

Eligibility Criteria for Admission:

Any student passing H.S (+2) examination or its equivalent with at least 4 subjects including English from any recognized Board/ Council shall be eligible for admission to the $1^{\rm st}$ Semester of the BA General Programme of studies.

Under Graduate Programmes under Directorate of Distance Education shall be governed by the Rules and Regulations of Choice and Credit Based Six Semesters B.A/B.SC/B.COM General and Honours and amendments made from time to time.

GENERAL INFORMATIONS:

Mere Possession Of Eligibility Conditions does not ensure Right To Admission in any programmes under the Directorate of Distance Education (DDE), Tripura University. The Cut-Off Marks for Admission to all ODL Programmes under DDE shall be determined by the Admission Committee duly constituted by Tripura University and the decision of the committee shall remain inviolable.

Academic Session:

Each Academic Session shall commence from the month of July.

Admission Procedure:

The Distance Education Admission Eligibility Test (DEAET):

The Tripura University will conduct the 'Distance Education Admission Eligibility Test' (DEAET) for different Post Graduate (viz. Political Science, Education and Bengali) Programmes in Tripura University, Suryamaninagar failing which the applicant's candidature will not be considered/ entertained for admission. The counterfoil mark as "Acknowledgement-cum-Admit Card" must be produced at the time of the Admission Test in the DDE, TU. No separate call letter will be sent and no TA/DA will be paid to the candidates for appearing in the DEAET.

Mere receiving "Acknowledgement-cum-Admit Card" does not give anyone right to appear in the DEAET or seek admission to any programme under DDE, Tripura University.

Attestation:

The Photograph in the Application Form and other papers maybe self-attested.

Selection for Admission:

Selection Procedure for Post Graduate Programmes:

The selection of Candidates for admission to Post Graduate Programmes shall be made on the basis of the merit list of the 'Distance Education Admission Eligibility Test' (DEAET) conducted by the DDE, Tripura University.

Reservation:

Reservation of seats for SC/ST/OBC (Non Creamy Layer)/Persons with Disabilities (PWD) shall be as per the Central Educational Institutions (Reservation in Admission) Act, 2006 (No.5 of 2007) and Amendment Act, 2012 (No. 31 of 2012) published in the Gazette of India by the Ministry of Law and Justice, Government of India or as amended from time to time. 2% Supernumerary seats are available for students of Jammu and Kashmir.

Details of Eligibility Criteria, Admission Test Norms, Date of Admission Tests, Syllabus of DEAET of the respective Programme, List of Selected and Waitlisted Candidates for Admission shall be available in the Tripura University Website: www.tripurauniv.in.

Application forms incomplete in any respect or without supportive documents mentioned above will be rejected.

No Original documents should be sent with the Application Form. However, all Students are required to show the Original Certificates/ Marksheets etc. at the time Admission.

FEE STRUCTURE:

1.	BA	Semester-I	Rs. 3500/-
		Semester-III	Rs. 3500/-
		Semester-V	Rs. 3000/-
2.	MA	Semester-I	Rs. 7000/-
		Semester-III	Rs. 7000/-
3.	CHR		Rs. 3600/-

Students who do not have TU Registration Certificate shall have to apply for the same along with requisite Registration Fee, in addition to the Course Fee.

Students are required to deposit Examination Fee while filling in their Examination Forms as per Tripura University rules.

Renewal Fee = Rs. 300/- Deferred Fee = Rs. 300/-

NO APPLICATION FOR REFUND OF DEPOSITED COURSE FEE SHALL BE ENTERTAINED.

Medium of Instruction:

Except for language subjects, the medium of instruction/examination in the DDE, Tripura University for all Programmes is English. The deliberations in the classrooms during Personal Contact Programme shall be in English medium other than the language subjects. Candidates shall have to write all Examination Papers as well as Assignments only in English (except in language subjects).

Internal Assessment:

1. Master of Arts (MA):

Internal Assessment shall be carried out as per the decision of the concerned faculty. However, a student must work out at least one Assignment for each Paper with or without Project/Viva Voce/Written Test.

2. Bachelor of Arts (BA), Certificate Course in Human Rights (CHR):

A Student has to prepare 1 (one) Assignment for each Paper of each Subject.

All assignments and model questions etc. Shall be available in the Tripura University Website. No hard copy of assignments, model questions etc. Will be given to any candidate/learners. Candidates/learners shall have to download the same from the Tripura University Website: www.tripurauniv.in.

Assignments and Evaluation of Assignments

A Student shall prepare Assignments and submit the same to the DDE within specified dates. A Candidate shall have to work out Assignments for each paper and send them under Registered Post or submit in person to the Directorate of Distance Education, Tripura University, Suryamaninagar-799 022 within dates specified by the above office. Assignments reaching beyond the last date will disqualify Candidates from appearing in the Semester End Examination.

Students are required to prepare Assignments in their own hand writing and in their own language. Copying from anywhere or by any means is strictly prohibited. Any two or more Assignments of two or more separate Students with same contents and written in the same language shall be liable to cancellation and such Students shall be treated as failed for that particular paper(s). Such Students shall not be allowed to sit for the Semester End Examination for those particular paper(s).

Writing and Submitting Assignments

- 1. Students must use only A4 size paper for submitting Assignments and tie all pages carefully.
- 2. On the Cover Page, the following Information shall have to be provided:

Name	: Programme	:
Enrolment No.	: Subject	:
Paper	: Assignment Number	:
Address	: Tel. Ph. No.	: Signature with
		date:

- 3. In writing an Assignment, on the left side of each A4 paper, a 4cm margin should be kept for the evaluator to write his/her comments. A 4cm gap between two answers should also be kept.
- 4. Students are asked to write Assignments in their own hand-writing; they should not print or type any answer.
- 5. Copying directly from course materials is strictly prohibited.

- 6. Copying from the Response Sheets of other Candidates is disallowed. If copying is detected, the Assignments of both candidates shall be rejected.
- 7. Each Assignment must be written separately. Students must not mix up all Assignments together.
- 8. Worked out Assignments shall have to be submitted within due date to the offices/ centres as specified against each programme below:

MA Assignments DDE, TU, Suryamaninagar
BA Respective DDE Study Centres
CHR DDE, TU, Suryamaninagar

If a Student fails to submit his/her Assignment(s) within the last date of submission of Examination Forms or fails to secure minimum Pass Marks (35% for each Paper), he/she will have to collect Assignment(s) meant for the next batch of Students from the Office of the DDE on payment of Deferred Fee of Rs. 300/- and submit all Assignments afresh within the due date.

The Deferred Fee may be paid through Power Jyoti Challan (No 32157404236) at any Branch of SBI.

MA (Semester-II, III, IV), BA (Semester-II, III, IV, V, VI):

A student shall prepare Assignments and submit the same to the DDE within specified dates. For submission of worked-out Assignments and their Evaluation, the process will be similar to that for Semester-I (for MA) and Semester-I (for BA) above.

Personal Contact Programme (PCP)

- 1. The DDE organises PCPs on Saturdays and Sundays and/or Vacations, and/or/also on any Weekdays (if necessary) as per notification. Additional PCPs too if necessary are scheduled with prior notification.
- 2. To become eligible for sitting in Examination, each Student must have at least 20% Attendance in Counselling during PCPs. If a Student fails to secure the minimum percentage of attendance, he/she will not be allowed to appear in the Final Examination of the University. However, such Students may be allowed to appear in Examination in subsequent year(s) on payment of Deferred Fee of Rs. 300/- and after he/she has attended 20% counselling at the PCPs.

Cancellation of Admission

Admission is liable to be cancelled at any stage of the course studied on grounds of

- 1. Non-fulfilment of Eligibility Criteria (discovered through scrutiny).
- 2. Submission of False or Wrong Information
- 3. Misconduct or Misbehaviour
- 4. Adoption of Unfair Means in Examination
- 5. Indiscipline and Violation of University Rules.

In case of cancellation of admission, fees deposited for the programme concerned shall not be refunded.

Special Attention for Candidates

Programmes conducted by the Directorate of Distance Education partakes the nature of a two-way communication between the Centre and the Candidate. For effective communication between the two sides candidates are required to visit our official website: www.tripurauniv.in regularly. For any clarification candidates/learners may contact office of the Director, Directorate of Distance Education, Tripura University, Suryamaninagar.

Enquiry/ Information/Rules concerned

In case of any Enquiries to be made, any Information to be sought, or any Rules to be clarified, Candidates may CONTACT either of the following officers –

- 1. The Director, Directorate of Distance Education, Tripura University, Suryamaninagar-799 022.
- 2. The Registrar, Tripura University, Suryamaninagar-799 022.

Reservation:

The University reserves the right to effect any changes/ modifications in any information contained in this Prospectus.

ACADEMIC AND STUDENT SERVICES: LIBRARY:

The Directorate has its own Library. At present, the DDE Library has a collection of more than 7000 books. It also subscribes to more than 20 journals related to distance education. The Library provides reading, reference services. On-line access to more than 5700 e-journals under UGC-Infonet, access to INFLIBNET are also provided.

HEALTH CENTRE:

The University Health Centre, managed by two Doctors caters to the medical needs of the University-community.

STUDENTS' DISCIPLINE:

Each student with respect to his/her work in the programme (PG/UG/Certificate) as well as his/her general conduct in the University, shall remain under the control of the Directorate of Distance Education and shall be guided by the disciplinary code of the University.

It is mandatory for Students to keep their respective PHOTO IDENTITY CARD with them while moving within the University Campus.

Ragging is completely banned in the university campus as per order of the supreme court of India.

Online Application

Academic Session 2017-2018

- Online applications portal in the website www.tripurauniv.in is open for Indian applicants for admission in various academic programmes of Directorate of Distance Education, Tripura University for the academic session 2017-2018.
- The online application portal shall remain open as mentioned below:
 - For Distance Mode: from 1st March 2017 10:00 IST to 31st May, 2017 24:00 IST.
- When an applicant visits the admission portal, he/she shall find two options.
 - For Regular Mode applicants
 - For Distance Mode applicants
- All relevant information may be found in the prospectus for the Distance Mode available in the website www.tripurauniv.in. Applicants may download the prospectus from the website of the University.
- Applicants in the Distance Mode can apply for all three programmes. While filling up the forms, they are advised to repeat the same process for each programme.
- After an applicant enters the portal, he/she shall get the list of programmes for which one may apply followed by information in detail besides the general information.
- For each program, he/she has to apply separately. Applicants have to go through the entire process each time s/he applies for a programme (like registration, submission of requisite fees, filling up online from etc.) irrespective of the number of programmes applied for.
- Applicants should read all the instructions carefully before registration and filling the application form online.
- For registration, applicants may use an email account. During registration, applicant will be asked to provide a valid e-mail id, initial login password will be sent to the e-mail id/ mobile number, and in future all correspondences in this regards shall be made to this e-mail id/mobile number.
- After registration, applicants are to obtain the password from the registered email. It is recommended that they may change their password on the first log in, if so wishes.
- After successful login applicants may fill their Admission Form.
- If the applicant does not have all required information at the time of filling the form, he/she can save the incomplete application as a draft (by clicking on 'Save as Draft' button) and log out. Later, by login back to his/her account again he/she may complete the rest of application form. Applicants are advised to save the data as draft after filling up information or after any modification in each page.
- Indian applicants may download the Application Form from the website of the University.
- A printed prospectus shall be sent to all applicants who registered online by post at their present address for communication. However, the University shall not remain responsible for postal delay, loss or other irregularities.
- Requisite fees for submission of Application Form is Rs. 780.00 (for SC/ST/OBC Rs. 580.00/-)

- Students can visit Tripura University website and make payment through HDFC Bank Payment Gateway by using their Net banking or Debit/Credit Cards.
- No mail or communication shall be made to the applicants. They are advised to regularly visit www.tripurauniv.in for further information and instructions, failing to comply with which, their applications may be treated as cancelled, for which Tripura University shall not be held liable.
- It is mandatory for applicants to appear for the Entrance Test as per schedule.
- Fees once paid are not refundable / transferable.
- If any dispute arises regarding any matter of admission, the decision of the authority of Tripura University shall be final.
- All litigation regarding admission shall lie within the jurisdiction of the Tripura High Court.
- In case of any (i) failure in the online system, (ii) failure of payment through bank, or (iii) any other unforeseen circumstances leading to failure in submission of form etc. the Tripura University authority shall not be held responsible.

Eligibility Criteria for Applying For Admission:

- 1. A Candidate who has successfully passed the Three-Year or Six Semester Bachelor's Degree (Pass or Honours) of this University or any other recognized University under 10+2+3 pattern or equivalent system of education shall be eligible to apply.
- 2. A Candidate who has appeared in the examination of final year of Three Year/Six Semester degree programme shall also be eligible for applying for admission in the Post Graduate Programmes offered by the Directorate of Distance Education.
- 3. A Candidate who is of Two Year Degree Course is not eligible to apply for appearing in the Distance Education Admission Eligibility Test.

ENTRANCE TEST CENTRE

Tripura University (A Central University), Suryamaninagar, Agartala, Pin-799022. Applicants may download their 'Acknowledgement-cum-Admit Cards' for the Entrance Test from the university website after necessary verification. It is mandatory for applicants to bring the "Acknowledgement cum Admit Cards" and any others appropriate photo identity proof, failing which he/she shall not be allowed to appear for the test.

TEST SCHEDULE

DISTANCE EDUCATION ADMISSION ELIGIBILITY TEST (DEAET)-2017

Date	Day	Subject	Time
10th June, 2017	Saturday	Education	11:00 AM to 01:00 PM
10th June, 2017	Saturday	Bengali	02:30 PM to 04:30 PM
11th June, 2017	Sunday	Political Science	11:00 AM to 01:00 PM

DOCUMENTS TO BE UPLOADED ALONG WITH ONLINE APPLICATIONS.

- For Indian applicants: Only passport-size recent color photograph
- For SC/ST/OBC/PWD: Relevant category certificate,
- For applicants of Jammu & Kashmir: Proof of residence, besides passport-size color photograph.

METHOD OF SELECTION

- The Directorate of Distance Education shall conduct the Distance Education Admission Eligibility Test (DEAET) every year for selection of Candidates for admission into different Post Graduate Programmes under Directorate of Distance Education, Tripura University.
- Selection shall be made on the basis of marks obtained by the applicant in the DEAET.

MEDIUM OF DEAET:

Medium for DEAET shall be English except language subjects.

QUESTION PATTERN AND SYLLABUS OF DEAET:

- DEAET shall be of 100 marks for each Programme. There shall be 50 questions each carrying 2 marks. Questions shall be Usual Multiple Choice Question. Duration of test shall be 2 hrs.
- The DEAET shall be conducted in accordance with the Syllabus of Undergraduate programme of Tripura University.

RESERVATION POLICY

Reservation of seats for SC/ST/OBC (Non Creamy Layer)/Persons with Disabilities (PWD) shall be as per the Central Educational Institutions (Reservation in Admission) Act, 2006 (No.5 of 2007) and Amendment Act, 2012 (No. 31 of 2012) published in the Gazette of India by the Ministry of Law and Justice, Government of India or as amended from time to time. 2% Supernumerary seats are available for students of Jammu and Kashmir. For further query if any, drop in an email at: ddeadmission@tripurauniv.in

Rules and Regulations for Admission in Post Graduate Programmes under Directorate of Distance Education, Tripura University-2016

1. **GENERAL RULES:**

- A. This shall be called the "Rules and Regulations for Admission in Post Graduate Programmes under Directorate of Distance Education, Tripura University-2016" and this shall be applicable to all Post Graduate Programmes offered by Directorate of Distance Education, Tripura University.
- B. This Rules & Regulations shall be effective from the Academic Session 2016–2017for admission into all Post Graduate Programmes under Directorate of Distance Education, Tripura University.
- C. One Officer-In-Charge shall be appointed by the Vice- Chancellor, Tripura University for conducting the Distance Education Admission Eligibility Test (DEAET).
- D. IV. In each academic year, admission shall be completed by 15th July.
- E. In case of any (i) failure in the online system (ii) failure of payment through bank, or (iii) any other unforeseen circumstances leading to failure in submission of form etc., the Tripura University authority shall not remain responsible.
- F. VI. All litigations regarding admission shall lie within the jurisdiction of Tripura High Court.

2. NOTIFICATION:

- A. Notification for Admission to Post Graduate programmes shall be published by the Directorate of Distance Education, Tripura University at least 60 (sixty) days prior to the DEAET.
- B. The Distance Education Admission Eligibility Test (DEAET) for Admission into Post Graduate Programmes shall ordinarily be conducted on the last Saturday and Sunday of the month of May of each Year.
- C. Leaflets and Posters shall be published for wide Circulation regarding Programmes of DDE as well as Admission.

3. APPLICATION FOR ADMMISSION:

- A. Application form and necessary instructions shall be made available in the Tripura University Website www.tripurauniv.in. Students shall have to apply ONLINE only.
- B. Form Submission through Online shall commence in the middle of February and shall be closed on end of April. A student may apply for all post graduate programmes as offered by DDE. However, he/she shall be admitted only in one Programme.
- C. Prospectus shall be sent to the student concerned by Registered Post. However, for incorrect address or for any other reasons, if prospectus does not reach to the candidate concerned, the Directorate of Distance Education, Tripura University shall not be liable.
- D. Students shall have to deposit Rs. 130.00 (Rupees One hundred Thirty) only for getting the prospectus by Registered Post in addition to Application and Prospectus Fee.

4. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR APPLYING FOR ADMISSION:

- I. A Candidate who has successfully passed the Three-Year or Six Semester Bachelor's Degree (Pass or Honours) of this University or any other recognized University under 10+2+3 pattern or equivalent system of education shall be eligible to apply.
- II. A Candidate who has appeared in the examination of final year of Three Year/Six

 Semester degree programme shall also be eligible for applying for admission
 - Semester degree programme shall also be eligible for applying for admission in the Post Graduate Programmes offered by the Directorate of Distance Education.
- III. A Candidate who is of Two Year Degree Course is not eligible to apply for appearing in the Distance Education Admission Eligibility Test.

5. FEES:

I. A Candidate shall have to deposit the requisite fee for Application for Admission as determined by the University from time to time. However, for applying into more than one Programmes Candidates shall have to deposit separate Application fee for each Programme. Fees once deposited are not returnable / transferable.

6. ENTRANCE TEST:

- A. The Directorate of Distance Education shall conduct the Distance Education Admission Eligibility Test (DEAET) every year for selection of Candidates for admission into different Post Graduate Programmes under Directorate of Distance Education, Tripura University.
- B. Medium for DEAET shall be English except language subjects.
- C. DEAET shall be of 100 marks for each Programme. There shall be 50 questions each carrying 2 marks. Questions shall be Usual Multiple Choice Question. Duration of test shall be 2 hrs.
- D. The DEAET shall be conducted in accordance with the Syllabus of Undergraduate programme of Tripura University.
- E. Question Paper for DEAET shall be set and moderated by the faculty members to be appointed by the Tripura University authority.
- F. If a candidate is found to have adopted unfair means at the time of DEAET, his/ her candidature for admission shall automatically be treated cancelled.
- G. The DEAET shall be conducted at Tripura University, Suryamaninagar.

7. ADMISSION COMMITTEE:

There shall be an Admission Committee which shall consist of the following-

a. Director, DDE Chairperson

b. Coordinators of PG Programmes, DDE
c. Assistant Registrar (Academic)
d. Assistant Director, DDE
Member
Convener

8. CRITERIA FOR SELECTION:

- I. Selection shall be made on the basis of marks obtained by the applicant in the DEAET.
- II. If marks of entrance test of two or more candidates become same, then the following formula shall be followed, one after another, to break up the ties.
 - a. Candidates having Honor's in the relevant subject shall be given preference.
 - b. Marks obtained by the Candidate in the Degree examination shall be taken into account.
 - c. If the Marks in the Degree examination is also same then division and marks obtained in the next lower public examination (H.S.+2) shall be taken into account.
- III. Reservation of seats for SC/ST/OBC (Non Creamy Layer)/Persons with Disabilities (PWD) shall be as per the Central Educational Institutions (Reservation in Admission) Act, 2006 (No.5 of 2007) and Amendment Act, 2012 (No. 31 of 2012) published in the Gazette of India by the Ministry of Law and Justice, Government of India or as amended from time to time. 2% Supernumerary seats are available for students of Jammu and Kashmir.

9. COUNSELLING CUM ADMISSION:

- I. The merit list shall be prepared on the basis of the score obtained by the candidates in the DEAET. Short listed candidates (on the basis of merit list of DEAET) shall be called for Counselling cum Admission as per availability of Seats. The short listed students shall have to remain present with their original documents, admission fees etc. on the day of Counselling cum Admission, failing which Candidates Candidature shall automatically be cancelled.
- II. Students shall have to take admission on the day of Counselling by depositing the requisite amount of fees as prescribed by the Directorate of Distance Education, Tripura University.

For any ambiguity in this Rules and Regulations, the interpretation or explanation of the Vice Chancellor shall be final and binding.