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**29th
Batch**

ADMISSION NOTICE PGDM - ABM : 2021-2023

Centre for Management Education

Applications are invited for admission in to two year full time residential

POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN MANAGEMENT - AGRI BUSINESS & MANAGEMENT – 2021-2023 BATCH

(Approved by AICTE and recognized by Association of Indian Universities
as equivalent to MBA degree & Accredited by National Board of Accreditation, New Delhi)

ABOUT THE INSTITUTE & HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PROGRAMME

The VAMNICOM, Pune is a National level apex Co-operative Management Institute under Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, **Government of India**. The Institute is adjudged as one of the top sectoral B-Schools within first five in India by various B-Schools Surveys. VAMNICOM has international Memorandum of Understanding with counter part academic organisations of countries of Malaysia, Thailand, Srilanka, Nepal, Bangladesh for field study exchange programme for students.

PROGRAMME HIGHLIGHTS: • Full-time residential programme • Ranked one among the top 5 national level institutes in Agriculture & Business Management • Continuous upgradation of curriculum to match industry expectations • Case method pedagogy • Separate hostels within extensive campus for male and female with round the clock wi-fi internet facility • Washing machines in hostels and best standard mess • Sufficient indoor & outdoor sporting facilities including Gymnasium are available for students.

SCHOLARSHIP : • NCUI scholarships for Six students • CICTAB Meritorious Award for 2 students of India & Foreign nationals • IFFCO scholarships for Three SC / ST students • Govt. of India, Ministry of Social Welfare / Tribal Affairs, Post Matric Scholarships for SC/ST students.

The Institute offers 25% concession on Tuition fee to the **FIRST RANK HOLDERS** of Agricultural Universities in Agriculture and allied subject area.

ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION

Any Graduate from a recognized University, with minimum education of 15 years full time education (10+2+3) with at least 50% marks for General/OBC candidates and 45% for SC/ST candidates in graduation and having valid test scores of one of the National Level Common Entrance Tests - **CAT / MAT / XAT / ATMA / CMAT of AICTE / (GMAT / GRE – NRI candidates)**. These guidelines may get modified / subject to be modified depending upon AICTE or Government guidelines from time to time. Candidates appearing in forthcoming degree examinations can also apply subject to fulfillment of conditions by 14.08.2021.

Reservation of seats for OBC (Non Creamy)/SC/ST/Differently Abled persons and wards of Kashmiri Migrants and Kashmiri Pandit/Kashmiri Hindu families (non-migrants) living in Kashmir Valley as per Govt. of India rules. Few seats are available for wards of NCCT / NCUI / VAMNICOM employees, co-operative sponsored candidates and Foreign nationals at VAMNICOM.

Foreign National students / officials working in cooperative or Rural Financing Institutions in SAARC countries and Afro-Asian countries are required to apply with GMAT / GRE scores (9 seats are available for foreign students).

ADMISSION PROCEDURE

The selection to PGDM-ABM programme is based on Entrance Examination which is comprising of

- Latest valid test score of CAT/MAT/XAT/ATMA/GMAT/CMAT of AICTE at the time of application (GMAT / GRE for foreign national candidates)
- Group Discussion &
- Personal Interview.

Securing minimum prescribed marks in Group Discussion and Personal Interview are compulsory to become eligible for taking admission.

Note: Candidates interested in pursuing PGDM – ABM at VAMNICOM, Pune are advised to apply and appear the referred national level test directly and apply to VAMNICOM in the prescribed application form with valid score during 11th January 2021 to 31st March 2021.

HOW TO APPLY

Applying candidates can apply online in VAMNICOM website (www.vamnicom.gov.in) and pay applicable fees online. The prescribed application form may be downloaded from the VAMNICOM website and apply with valid score of CAT / MAT / XAT / ATMA / GMAT / CMAT of AICTE. The submission of fill-in application form both online and post along with the DD of Rs. 500/- (in favour of "The Director, VAMNICOM, Pune") is from **11th January to 31st March 2021.**

The Group Discussion and Personal Interviews will be conducted at Bangalore, Bhubaneswar, Chennai, Dehradun, Gandhinagar, Jabalpur, Jaipur (Rajasthan), Kalyani (West Bengal), Nagpur, New Delhi, Patna, Pantnagar (Uttarakhand) and Pune during April 2021, subject to sufficient number of students opting for it.

•The Institutions which are conducting CAT / MAT / XAT / ATMA / GMAT / CMAT of AICTE have no role either in selection or conduct of the programme.

Dr. K.K.Tripathy, IES
DIRECTOR, VAMNICOM & CICTAB