



Comilla University

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Admission Circular Full Time PhD Program Academic Session: 2026-2027

Applications are invited from eligible candidates for admission in the full-time PhD program in the following departments under different faculties of Comilla University for the academic session: 2026-2027:

- Faculty of Science: Department of Mathematics, Department of Chemistry and Department of Pharmacy.
- Faculty of Arts and Humanities: Department of English and Department of Bangla.
- Faculty of Social Science: Department of Economics, Department of Public Administration and Department of Archaeology (Only for Foreign Students).
- Faculty of Business Studies: Department of Management Studies, Department of Accounting and Information System, and Department of Marketing.
- Faculty of Engineering: Department of Computer Science and Engineering (CSE) and Information and Communication Technology (ICT).

Eligible Criteria for Admission in PhD Program

Required Academic and Professional Experiences

- A four-year Bachelor's degree with Honours and an MPhil or Master's (Research Mode)/ Master's (Mixed-Mode)/Master's (Thesis) degree from a recognized university in Bangladesh or abroad, subject to verification in accordance with the guidelines of the University Grants Commission (UGC).
- A four-year Bachelor's degree with Honours and a Master's degree without a research or thesis component from a recognized university in Bangladesh or abroad, subject to verification in accordance with the UGC guidelines, together with any of the following:
 - at least four years of teaching or research experience at an Honours-level college or university;
 - at least six years of teaching experience at a degree college/ recognized institute.
 - at least four years of research experience in a recognized and reputed research organization.
 - at least six years job experiences relevant with the research topic.
- A three-year Bachelor's degree with Honours and a Master's degree from a recognized university in Bangladesh or abroad, together with any of the following:
 - at least six years of teaching experience at an Honours-level college or university.
 - at least seven years of teaching experience at a degree-level college.
 - at least seven years job experiences relevant with the research topic.

Faculty	Required Academic Qualification
Science	At least One 1 st class or minimum CGPA 3.5 in 4.0 scale in either level.
Arts & Humanities	Minimum 50% marks in traditional system or CGPA-3.25 in 4.0 scale in either level.
Social Science	Minimum 50% marks in traditional system or CGPA-3.25 in 4.0 scale in either level.
Business Studies	At least One 1 st class or minimum CGPA 3.5 in 4.0 scale in either level.
Engineering	At least One 1 st class or minimum CGPA 3.5 in 4.0 scale in either level.

Notes:

- Candidate having third Division/class or CGPA less than 3.00 at any level of studies shall not be eligible for admission to PhD program.
- Candidates having MBBS/BDS from any government colleges are eligible for admission into this program.
- Selected students have to comply with PhD Scholarship under PhD Scholarship guidelines.
- Foreign Students: The grade equivalency of examinations of foreign candidates will be assessed according to the guidelines of University Grants Commission of Bangladesh.
- Primary Application Fee (Non-Refundable) for PhD program: **1500.00** (Bank Draft towards Janata Bank, Comilla University Branch).
- Opening Date: 07 October 2026.**
- Closing Date: 05 November 2026.**
- List of the PhD offering departments and admission requirements are available in the university website: <https://www.cou.ac.bd>

Registrar

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