

EXPERT COMMITTEE INTERFACE MEETING – ASSESSMENT FORMAT
ODL PROGRAMMES

HEI details

Name of HEI:	Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli
State:	Tamil Nadu
Year of establishment of HEI:	Feb 1982
Type of HEI:	State
Mode (Single/Dual mode)	Dual Mode
Registration ID:	HEI-U-0448
Date of submission of proposal on Portal:	31.03.2023
Date of receipt of Hard copies of application:	10.04.2023
Number of Proposed UG programmes:	1
Number of Proposed PG programmes:	2
Number of Proposed Post Graduate Diploma programmes:	0
Number of Science based programme to be assessed:	1
Already recognised programmes (if any)	YES-39 programmes recognized from 2021-22 to 2025-26

Expert Committee Observations/Recommendations**1. Institutional level assessment :**

Sr. No.	Provisions	Documentary evidence submitted (Yes/No)	Complied (C) / Not Complied (NC)
a.	HEI under 2(f) or Section3	YES-2(f)	Complied
b.	NAAC: NAAC score \geq 3.01or NIRF: In top 100 university category atleast once in two cycles	YES-3.32 (valid upto 31.03.2024) NIRF Ranking 2020-53 2021-57 2022-57	Complied
c.	Statutory Bodies approval under its Act • HEI Act has provision to offer ODL programmes and approval of proposed programmes	YES	Complied
d.	Affidavit: • Submitted Affidavit is Original ,in the prescribed format ,Duly notarized and Duly signed	YES	Complied
e.	Appointment of Director • Dual mode University-Centre of Distance and Online Education- • Regular, full time ,atleast Associate Professor • For Open University, Head for each school at Associate Professor level	YES	Complied

f.	A copy of the application is displayed on HEI website	YES	Complied
g.	Built up area is adequate as per Regulations	YES	Complied
h.	Territorial Jurisdiction as per UGC(ODL Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 • Based on TYPE of the HEI	YES	Complied
i.	Availability of Administrative staff as per Regulations	YES	Complied
j	Whether the HEI is recognized by UGC as per UGC(Open and Distance Learning) Regulations, 2017 / UGC(Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020	YES	Complied
k	In case of Open University already recognized for academic year 2019-20, affidavit submitted is: • Original • In the prescribed format • Duly notarized Duly signed	NA	NA
l	Undertaking submitted	YES	YES

2. Programme Level Assessment**2.1 Proposed Programmes Name (other than Science programme)**

S. NO	Assessment Points PROGRAMME S	I. Programme offered in Conventional mode (For Dual Mode HEIs) along with no. of batch passed out	II. Equivalence to Conventional mode (For Dual Mode HEIs)	III. Faculty	IV. PPR & SLM	V. Assessment	VI. Regulatory Authority (RA) Approval; if applicable	Complied (C) / Not Complied (NC)
1	BACHELOR OF EDUCATION	YES (37)	YES	YES	NO	YES	NO	Not Complied
2	MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION	YES (37)	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	Complied

Note: Checklist of Assessment points (I (3APs), II (5APs), III (3APs), IV (5APs), V (1APs) and VI(1APs) given below the table

2.2 Proposed Science based Programme

HEI eligible for offering science programmes (Eligibility: NAAC score of 3.26 and above or by the Open universities or by the HEI having rank in top-100 in University category of NIRF, at least twice in three preceding cycles)	YES
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S.No	Assessment Points Programmes	VII. Programme offered in Conventional mode (For Dual Mode HEIs) along with no. of batch passed out	VIII. Equivalence to Conventional mode (For Dual Mode HEIs)	IX. Faculty	X. PPR & SLM	XI. Assessment	XII. RA Approval; if applicable	XIII. Intake & LSC	Complied (C) / Not Complied (NC)
1.	MASTER OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS	YES (36)	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	Complied

Note: Checklist of Assessment points (I (3APs), II (5APs), III (3APs), IV (5APs), V (1APs), VI(1Aps) and VII (2APs)) are given below the table

Programme Level Assessment Checklist:

I. Programme offered in Conventional mode

- Programme offered in conventional mode with same nomenclature
- One batch passed out
- Compliance of programme offered not only through affiliated colleges

III. Faculty

- Adequate Faculty availability
- Faculty on 'full-time' dedicated basis
- Appropriate designations

V. Assessment

- Minimum 70% End Semester Examination

II. Equivalence to Conventional mode (For Dual Mode HEIs)

- Same Entry Level Qualifications
- Same Curriculum
- Same Teaching-Learning Scheme
- Same Pattern of Question Papers for End Semester Examination or Term End Examination
- Same Pass or Fail Criteria

IV. PPR & SLM

- PPR approved by HEI Statutory Authorities
- SLM approved by HEI Statutory Authorities
- Minimum 60% contents developed in-house and details of outsourced content (if applicable)
- SLM readiness
- Learning Outcomes defined
- Plagiarism check report

VI. Regulatory Authority Approval; if applicable

- Specific approval of the programme mentioning the mode of delivery & academic year

VII. Intake and LSC (for Science Programmes):

- a. Intake – max. 3 times the conventional intake
- b. Programme to be offered from the Head Quarters and/or only from such Learner Support Centres which are offering same programme under conventional mode atleast for seven years

3. Compliance to defects/deficiencies communicated during screening process:

Sr. No.	Defect/Deficiency	Documentary evidence submitted or not	Complied (C) / Not Complied (NC)
1	The affidavit is lacking the signature of the Director.	YES	Complied
2	The HEI is required to display a copy of the application on its website as per the regulations.	YES	Complied
3	In accordance with the UGC (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020, the HEI must submit copies of the Programme Project Reports (PPRs) for all proposed programmes.	YES	Complied
4	The HEI is expected to provide the latest approval from the statutory bodies for all PPRs.	YES	Complied
5	The HEI must submit documentary proof that the Science programme is being offered from the Head Quarters and/or only from such Learner Support Centres which are offering the same programme under conventional mode for at least seven years.	YES	Complied
6	The HEI is required to submit the qualification and appointment letter of all faculty members.	YES	Complied
7	The NCTE approval submitted by the HEI should be from the current year.	NO	Not Complied
8	The HEI is requested to submit Self-Learning Material (SLM) for year I (for PG programme) and year I and II (for UG programme).	YES	Complied
9	The HEI needs to provide clarification regarding the information on Territorial Jurisdiction, as the details submitted by the HEI mentioned nine districts whereas the act mentions only three districts - Tiruchirappalli, Thanjavur,	YES*	Complied

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	and Pudukkottai.		
10	The HEI is requested to submit the Details of Outsourced SLM and its documentary proof for the programme Bachelor of Education.	NO	Not Complied
11	The HEI is required to submit the Plagiarism report.	YES	Complied
12	HEI has to clarify whether proposed programmes shall be offered by the university directly and not through affiliating colleges.	YES	Complied
All defects/deficiencies complied			Not Complied

***3 districts extend to 8 districts (Trichy, Thanjavur, Pudukkottai, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Nagapattinam and Thiruvarur) within the ambit of Bharathidasan University's Authority.**

4. Recommendations Summary

Sr. No.	Programme Name	Recommended /Not Recommended	Remarks; if not recommended
1	BACHELOR OF EDUCATION	Not Recommended	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Non-Submission of Prior Approval of respective Regulatory Authority for the academic year 2023-24. Detail of Outsourced SLM and its documentary proof is not submitted.
2	MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION	Recommended	
3	MASTER OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS	Recommended	

5. Overall Remarks, if any:

1. Regulatory Authority approval of NCTE is not submitted for B.Ed programme for the year 2023-24.
2. Detail of Outsourced SLM and its documentary proof is not submitted by the HEI for B.Ed programme.