



**SATYENDRA NATH BOSE NATIONAL CENTRE
FOR BASIC SCIENCES
BLOCK JD, SECTOR III, SALT LAKE, KOLKATA – 700 098**

Admission 2014

Integrated Ph.D. Programme in Physical Sciences

(In Collaboration with the University of Calcutta)

The S. N. Bose National Centre for Basic Sciences invites students with consistently excellent academic record (First Division/Class) to apply for admission into the Post B.Sc Integrated Ph.D Programme in Physical Sciences 2014. The students who apply are expected to be motivated to make a career in Research. The programme is fully residential and the students are offered on-campus accommodation and boarding facilities. The Centre charges no fee for the programmes. The programme is done in collaboration with the University of Calcutta.

The Centre is a premier autonomous research centre fully aided by the Department of Science and Technology, Government of India. In addition, the Centre receives extramural funding from various funding agencies of India and abroad for its different research programmes. The Centre has extensive collaborative programmes with other premier institutions in India and abroad through bi-lateral exchanges in which the PhD research scholars take active part. The Centre is fully equipped with the state-of-the art infrastructure (experimental and computational) including a digital library for advanced research in chosen areas of Physical, Chemical, Mathematical and Biological Sciences. For research profiles of the members of the Faculty and for the facilities available, please visit the URL: www.bose.res.in.

At present the Centre has nearly 150 students in its Post-M.Sc-PhD programme and Post-B.Sc Integrated PhD (IPhD) programmes. The Alumni of the Centre have gone on to work in academic and research sectors in India and abroad. The Centre offers an excellent atmosphere for academic development of students.

The students in the programme have to undertake a prescribed course work for M.Sc and have to abide by the basic rules and regulations. The students who successfully complete these courses receive an M.Sc Degree from the University of Calcutta. For continuation in the Integrated Ph.D Programme and the fellowship, a minimum scholastic standard and research output have to be maintained. The students after a proper screening process will register for PhD degree with the University of Calcutta. The details of the admission test are furnished below:

1. **Basic qualification:** First Class/Division i.e., minimum 60% in aggregate (55% for SC/ST/OBC candidates) in B.Sc with Physics and Mathematics.

2. **Admission Procedure:**

Through Bose Test: Aspiring candidates with good academic record may apply on-line for an entrance test conducted by SNBNCBS.

Through JEST: Cutoff rank for JEST 2014 qualifiers will be available in the website shortly after publication of JEST 2014 result. JEST 2014 qualified candidates within the cutoff rank stipulated by SNBNCBS will apply for direct interview and need **not** apply for Bose Test 2014.

Through NGPE: NGPE 2014 qualifiers within Top 25 rank will directly appear in the Interview.

3. **Eligibility for Interview:** Selected / Shortlisted candidates will be called for an interview during 09-16 June 2014, based on their result in Bose Test 2014 and/or JEST 2014 score and/or NGPE 2014 rank.
4. **Age Limit:** None. However, the last qualifying University examination (B.Sc.) should have been taken not earlier than 2012.
5. **Monthly Stipend:** Rs 12,000 during the first two years. The successful completion of the Course Work will lead to an M.Sc Degree by the University of Calcutta, and thereafter, upon meeting the eligibility criteria, the students will be inducted as JRF. They will get stipend at par with Centre's JRF if admitted to the JRF programme. **The programme is strictly residential – all students will be provided on campus accommodation.**
6. **On-line Application:** Starts on 10th March, 2014 Closes on 23rd March, 2014.

All the candidates have to apply on-line. Please log on to <http://www.bose.res.in> for further details. The on-line application facility will open on 10.03.2014. In matters of admission, the decision of the Director of the Centre is final and binding.

For any academic/official query, please write to: **admission@bose.res.in**

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10th MARCH 2014