

1.ADMISSION POLICY

- Admission of students for all the programmes offered by the University is on the basis of Entrance Examination conducted at the National Level.
- The University offers a number of Under-Graduate/Post-Graduate and Research Programmes namely, B.Ed., B.C.A. and M.A. in Economics, English, Hindi, J&MC, Odia, Sanskrit, Sociology, M.Sc. in Statistics, Anthropology, Biodiversity and Conservation of Natural Resources, MBA, and 5 year Integrated M.Sc. in Mathematics. Research Programmes namely; M.Phil. and Ph.D. are offered in selected subjects depending on the availability of vacancy with the supervisors and resources following the UCG 2016 Regulation .
- All the Programmes of the University are under the Semester System.
- Admission of students into the different programmes of the University are done on all India basis. Additional weightage (Bonus Point) is given to the candidates from scheduled areas (Annexure-II).
- Ensuring admission of adequate number of students from the under-privileged and differently-abled sections of the society into the University as per the Government of India guidelines.

2.MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION:

The medium of instruction for all the courses is English except the language courses namely Odia, Hindi, and Sanskrit for which the medium of instruction is the concerned language.

3.Criteria for Admission for the Programmes offered in the Departments under the Schools:

The University offers two years' full time Master's Degree Programmes in **Odia, English, Hindi, Sanskrit, Sociology, Anthropology, Economics, Journalism and Mass Communication, Biodiversity and Conservation of Natural Resources, Business Management and Statistics**. 5-year Integrated Masters programme in **Mathematics**, three years **Bachelor of Computer Applications (BCA)** and two-year **Bachelor of Education (B.Ed.)** programme are also offered by the University. The University has provision in M.Phil. and Ph.D. programme in eight subjects i.e. Anthropology, Biodiversity and Conservation of

Natural Resources, Economics, Education, Journalism and Mass Communication, Odia , Sociology, and Statistics.

However, **for the Academic Session 2018-19, Ph.D. programme is provided in four subjects, namely, Biodiversity & Conservation of Natural Resources, Economics, Education and Statistics.** M.Phil. programme is provided in **six subjects, namely, Biodiversity & Conservation of Natural Resources, Economics, Education, Journalism & Mass Communication, Odia and Statistics** for the Academic Session 2018-19.

4. GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:

- i) Graduation Degree is the qualifying degree for all the Master degree courses. However, graduation degrees like B.Ed., LLB etc. will not be regarded as qualifying degrees for undertaking master's programme except for MBA.*
- ii) A candidate cannot pursue a Master Degree Programme (except B.Ed. and M.B.A.) if he/she has already completed a post graduate programme from Central University of Orissa during any academic session.*
- iii) No candidate shall be eligible to register himself/herself at a particular point of time for a fulltime programme of study, if he/she is already registered for any fulltime programme of study in this University or any other University/Institution.*

5. APPLICATION FOR ALL PROGRAMMES (ON-LINE):

A. On-line Application form (UG/PG programmes):

Candidates who want to apply through on-line for the programmes are requested to log-in to the University website www.cuo.ac.in from **5th May, 2018 onwards**. The closing date of the online application is **11th June, 2018**. The application fee is **Rs. 600/- for General/OBC and Rs. 300/- for SC/ST/PwD** candidates through online payment **excluding service charges**. For each programme the candidate has to apply separately along with the prescribed fee.

B. On-line Application form (M.Phil./Ph.D. programmes):

Candidates who want to apply through on-line for the programmes are requested to log-in to the University website www.cuo.ac.in from **5th May, 2018 onwards**. The closing date of the online application is **11th June, 2018**. The application fee is **Rs. 800/- for General/OBC and Rs. 400/- for SC/ST/PwD** candidates through online payment **excluding service charges**. For each programme the candidate has to apply separately along with the prescribed fee.

6. Entrance Examination:

There shall be an entrance examination for admission to all the programmes on the dates determined by the University. **The University reserves the right to change/cancel any Centre of Examination as and when required without assigning any reason thereof.** The time table for the entrance examination will also be available on the University website. Any change of the schedule of the Entrance Examination for any programme, will be notified on the University website from time to time.

- i. Candidates called for the entrance examinations (both written and/or interview) shall appear for the examinations at their own expense.*
- ii. Candidates applying for more than one programme should note that if the Entrance Examination of their choice of programmes clashes (the same time and date), then candidates have to opt for any one only.*