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List of Category-I HEIs entitled to offer Open and Distance Learning (ODL) programmes for academic year 2022-23 beginning from January-February, 2023 & onwards.

(I)   UGC in its 563rd Commission meeting held on 22nd November 2022 decided that Category-I HEIs (notified by UGC as per UGC (Categorization of Universities (only) for Grant of Graded Autonomy) Regulations, 2018 and its amendments) willing to offer programmes under Open and Distance Learning (ODL) mode from Jan-Feb 2023 academic session shall submit information to UGC. HEI will also be required to submit an affidavit for ensuring compliance to all the provisions of the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments.

(II)   Based on the above Commission decision, all Category-I HEIs willing to offer Open and Distance Learning programmes for academic session beginning January-February, 2023, submitted the information along with prescribed fees, affidavit and supporting documents to the UGC. The information collected from the HEIs was only to ascertain conformity to the following provisions:-

1. Verification of Category-I Higher Educational Institutions (HEIs) entitlement as notified by UGC.
2. Permissibility of proposed programmes to be offered under ODL mode.
3. Adherence to UGC Notification of Specification of Degrees, 2014 and its amendments.
4. Prior approval of Regulatory Authority, wherever applicable.

(III)   The name of Category-I HEIs, along with the programmes found in compliance to University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments for offering Open and Distance Learning programmes for academic session beginning January- February, 2023 is enclosed herewith.

(IV)   The HEIs are entitled to offer the ODL programmes for the period, till they are Category-I HEIs as per the relevant UGC notifications /regulations and if not, they shall discontinue the programmes and inform the same to UGC. The learners already enrolled in the currently entitled programmes shall be allowed to complete the programmes in the manner laid down as per the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments.

(V)   Programmes under the purview of other regulatory authorities have been considered on the basis of NOC/ approval/ recommendation received from the respective regulatory authority. The HEI shall abide by the conditions such as the number of seats, valid academic year, etc. mentioned in the relevant regulatory authority letter.

(VI)   Higher Education Institution shall write 'UGC entitled as per University Grants Commission (Categorization of Universities (only) for Grant of Graded Autonomy) Regulations, 2018 and its amendment(s)' instead of 'UGC recognised' at all places.

(VII)   The Higher Educational Institution shall scrupulously abide by all the terms and conditions as stipulated under Parts III, IV and V of the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments (including any amendments thereto) and shall take steps as stipulated under Annexure-I to VIII & Annexure-X of the said regulations.

(VIII) The Higher Educational Institution shall also adhere to the policy of Territorial Jurisdiction and Learner Support Centers (LSC) as specified in Annexure-III and VIII of University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 respectively.

(IX)   The Higher Educational Institution has submitted an affidavit to the effect that in case any information, documentary evidence submitted/produced by the Higher Educational Institution is found to be false or wrong at a later stage or in case there is any violation of University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments by the HEI, the Higher Educational Institution shall be solely liable and responsible for any such contravention/violation and for any consequences thereof. In such events, the HEI may also be subject to the consequences stipulated under Regulation 7 of University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 (including any amendments thereto).

Secretary

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1.	**STATE UNIVERSITY**	**ANDHRA PRADESH**	**ANDHRA UNIVERSITY**	**21**	Academic session beginning from January-February 2023	1. BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (MATHEMATICS, PHYSICS, COMPUTERS) 2. BACHELOR OF COMMERCE 3. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (HISTORY, ECONOMICS, POLITICS) 4. MASTER OF SCIENCE (ZOOLOGY) 5. MASTER OF SCIENCE (CHEMISTRY) 6. MASTER OF SCIENCE (PHYSICS) 7. MASTER OF SCIENCE (BOTANY) 8. MASTER OF SCIENCE (MATHEMATICS) 9. MASTER OF SCIENCE (PSYCHOLOGY) 10. MASTER OF COMMERCE 11. MASTER OF ARTS (PHILOSOPHY) 12. MASTER OF ARTS (SOCIOLOGY) 13. MASTER OF ARTS (PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION) 14. MASTER OF ARTS (POLITICAL SCIENCE) 15. MASTER OF ARTS (HISTORY) 16. MASTER OF ARTS (ECONOMICS) 17. MASTER OF ARTS (TELUGU) 18. MASTER OF ARTS (HINDI) 19. MASTER OF ARTS (ENGLISH) 20. MASTER OF ARTS (HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT) 21. MASTER OF ARTS (JOURNALISM AND MASS COMMUNICATION)	• APPLICATION.pdf • AFFIDAVIT.pdf
2.	**STATE UNIVERSITY**	**HARYANA**	**KURUKSHETRA UNIVERSITY**	**21**	Academic session beginning from January-February 2023	1. BACHELOR OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS 2. BACHELOR OF COMMERCE 3. BACHELOR OF LIBRARY & INFORMATION SCIENCES 4. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (GENERAL) 5. MASTER OF ARTS (HINDI)	• APPLICATION.pdf • AFFIDAVIT.pdf

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						6. MASTER OF ARTS (ENGLISH) 7. MASTER OF ARTS (SANSKRIT) 8. MASTER OF ARTS (PUNJABI) 9. MASTER OF ARTS (POLITICAL SCIENCE) 10 MASTER OF ARTS (PHILOSOPHY) 11 MASTER OF ARTS (HISTORY) 12 MASTER OF ARTS (ECONOMICS) 13 MASTER OF SCIENCE (MATHEMATICS) 14 MASTER OF SCIENCE (GEOGRAPHY) 15 MASTER OF COMMERCE 16 MASTER OF LIBRARY & INFORMATION SCIENCES 17 MASTER OF ARTS (JOURNALISM & MASS COMMUNICATION) 18 MASTER OF ARTS (EDUCATION) 19 MASTER OF ARTS (ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES) 20 MASTER OF ARTS (PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION) 21 MASTER OF SCIENCE (COMPUTER SCIENCE)	
3.	DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY	MAHARASHTRA	BHARATI VIDYA PEETH (DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY)	9	Academic session beginning from January-February 2023	1. BACHELOR OF COMMERCE 2. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (ENGLISH, ECONOMICS, MARATHI, GEOGRAPHY, POLITICAL SCIENCE, SOCIOLOGY) 3. BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 4. BACHELOR OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS 5. MASTER OF ARTS (ENGLISH) 6. MASTER OF COMMERCE 7. MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 8. MASTER OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS 9. MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK	• APPLICATION.pdf • AFFIDAVIT.pdf • REGULATORY AUTHORITY.pdf

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4.	DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY	MAHARASHTRA	DATTA MEGHE INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND RESEARCH (DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY)	1	Academic session beginning from January-February 2023	1. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (GENERAL) (HISTORY, ECONOMICS, POLITICAL SCIENCE)	• APPLICATION.pdf • AFFIDAVIT.pdf
5.	STATE UNIVERSITY	ODISHA	UTKAL UNIVERSITY	17	Academic session beginning from January-February 2023	1. BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 2. BACHELOR OF ARTS (HONS) ODIA 3. BACHELOR OF COMMERCE (HONS) 4. MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (MANAGEMENT STUDIES) 5. MASTER OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS 6. MASTER OF COMMERCE 7. MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK 8. MASTER OF ARTS (ECONOMICS) 9. MASTER OF ARTS (EDUCATION) 10. MASTER OF ARTS (ENGLISH) 11. MASTER OF ARTS (HINDI) 12. MASTER OF ARTS (HISTORY) 13. MASTER OF ARTS (ODIA) 14. MASTER OF ARTS (POLITICAL SCIENCE) 15. MASTER OF ARTS (PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION) 16. MASTER OF ARTS (SANSKRIT) 17. MASTER OF ARTS (SOCIOLOGY)	• APPLICATION.pdf • AFFIDAVIT • REGULATORY AUTHORITY.pdf
6.	STATE UNIVERSITY	PUNJAB	GURU NANAK DEV UNIVERSITY	8	Academic session beginning from January-February 2023	1. BACHELOR OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS 2. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) [ENGLISH (ELECTIVE), PUNJABI (ELECTIVE), ECONOMICS, SOCIOLOGY, HISTORY, POLITICAL SCIENCE AND PUBLIC ADMINISTARTION] 3. BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 4. BACHELOR OF COMMERCE	• APPLICATION.pdf • AFFIDAVIT.pdf

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						5 BACHELOR OF LIBRARY & INFORMATION SCIENCES 6. MASTER OF ARTS (ENGLISH) 7. MASTER OF ARTS (PUNJABI) 8. MASTER OF COMMERCE	
7.	DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY	TAMIL NADU	SRM INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY	13	Academic session beginning from January-February 2023	1. BACHELOR OF ARTS (ENGLISH) 2. BACHELOR OF ARTS (JOURNALISM & MASS COMMUNICATION) 3. BACHELOR OF COMMERCE 4. BACHELOR OF COMMERCE (CORPORATE SECRETARYSHIP) 5. BACHELOR OF COMMERCE (ACCOUNTING & FINANCE) 6. BACHELOR OF COMMERCE (INFORMATION SYSTEM AND MANAGEMENT) 7. BACHELOR OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS 8. BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION(GENERAL) 9. MASTER OF ARTS (ENGLISH) 10. MASTER OF ARTS (JOURNALISM & MASS COMMUNICATION) 11. MASTER OF COMMERCE 12. MASTER OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS 13. MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (GENERAL)	• APPLICATION.pdf • AFFIDAVIT.pdf • REGULATORY AUTHORITY.pdf
8.	STATE UNIVERSITY	TELANGANA	OSMANIA UNIVERSITY	70	Academic session beginning from January-February 2023	1. BACHELOR OF COMMERCE 2. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (MATHEMATICS, STATISTICS, APPLIED MATHEMATICS) 3. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (ECONOMICS, HISTORY, POLITICAL SCIENCE)	• APPLICATION.pdf • AFFIDAVIT.pdf

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						4. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (ECONOMICS, POLITICAL SCIENCE, PUBLIC ADMIISTRATION) 5. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(ECONOMICS, PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, SOCIOLOGY) 6. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(ECONOMICS, SOCIOLOGY, MODERN LANGUAGE (ENGLISH)) 7. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(ECONOMICS, MODERN LANGUAGE (ENGLISH), PSYCHOLOGY) 8. BACHELOR OF ARTS COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (ECONOMICS, HISTORY, PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION) 9. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (ECONOMICS, HISTORY, SOCIOLOGY) 10. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (ECONOMICS, HISTORY, MODERN LANGUAGE (ENGLISH)) 11. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(ECONOMICS, HISTORY, PSYCHOLOGY) 12. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(PUBLIC ADMIISTRATION, SOCIOLOGY, PSYCHOLOGY) 13. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(ECONOMICS, HISTORY, GEOGRAPHY) 14. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(ECONOMICS, POLITICAL SCIENCE, SOCIOLOGY) 15. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(ECONOMICS, POLITICAL SCIENCE, MODERN LANGUAGE (ENGLISH))	

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						16. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (ECONOMICS, POLITICAL SCIENCE, PSYCHOLOGY) 17. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(ECONOMICS, POLITICAL SCIENCE, GEOGRAPHY) 18. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(ECONOMICS, PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, MODERN LANGUAGE (ENGLISH)) 19. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (ECONOMICS, PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, PSYCHOLOGY) 20. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (ECONOMICS, PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, GEOGRAPHY) 21. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (ECONOMICS, SOCIOLOGY, PSYCHOLOGY) 22. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (ECONOMICS, SOCIOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY) 23. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (HISTORY, POLITICAL SCIENCE, PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION) 24. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(HISTORY, POLITICAL SCIENCE, SOCIOLOGY) 25. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(HISTORY, POLITICAL SCIENCE, MODERN LANGUAGE (ENGLISH)) 26. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(HISTORY, POLITICAL SCIENCE, PSYCHOLOGY)	

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						27. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(HISTORY, POLITICAL SCIENCE, GEOGRAPHY)	
						28. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (HISTORY, PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, SOCIOLOGY)	
						29. BACHELOR OF ARTS(COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(HISTORY, PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, MODERN LANGUAGE(ENGLISH))	
						30. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(HISTORY, PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, PSYCHOLOGY)	
						31. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(HISTORY, SOCIOLOGY, MODERN LANGUAGE (ENGLISH))	
						32. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(HISTORY, SOCIOLOGY, PSYCHOLOGY)	
						33. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(HISTORY, SOCIOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY)	
						34. BACHELOR OF ARTS(COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(HISTORY, MODERN LANGUAGE (ENGLISH), PSYCHOLOGY)	
						35. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(HISTORY, MODERN LANGUAGE (ENGLISH), GEOGRAPHY)	
						36. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (HISTORY, PSYCHOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY)	
						37. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(POLITICAL SCIENCE, PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, SOCIOLOGY)	

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						38. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (POLITICAL SCIENCE, PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, MODERN LANGUAGE (ENGLISH)) 39. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(POLITICAL SCIENCE, PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, PSYCHOLOGY) 40. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(POLITICAL SCIENCE, PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, GEOGRAPHY) 41. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(POLITICAL SCIENCE, SOCIOLOGY, MODERN LANGUAGE(ENGLISH)) 42. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(POLITICAL SCIENCE, SOCIOLOGY, PSYCHOLOGY) 43. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(POLITICAL SCIENCE, SOCIOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY) 44. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (SOCIOLOGY, MODERN LANGUAGE (ENGLISH), PSYCHOLOGY) 45. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (SOCIOLOGY, MODERN LANGUAGE (ENGLISH), GEOGRAPHY) 46. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (MODERN LANGUAGE (ENGLISH), PSYCHOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY) 47. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (MODERN LANGUAGE (ENGLISH), PSYCHOLOGY, PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION) 48. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (MODERN LANGUAGE (ENGLISH), PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, GEOGRAPHY)	

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						49. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(POLITICAL SCIENCE, MODERN LANGUAGE(ENGLISH), PSYCHOLOGY)	
						50. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(SOCIOLOGY, PSYCHOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY)	
						51. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, SOCIOLOGY,GEOGRAPHY)	
						52. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (MATHEMATICS, STATISTICS, ECONOMICS)	
						53. BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS)(MODERN LANGUAGE (ENGLISH), PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, SOCIOLOGY)	
						54. BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (MARKETING MANAGEMENT)	
						55. MASTER OF SCIENCE (STATISTICS)	
						56. MASTER OF SCIENCE (MATHEMATICS)	
						57. MASTER OF COMMERCE	
						58. MASTER OF ARTS (PSYCHOLOGY)	
						59. MASTER OF ARTS (PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION)	
						60. MASTER OF ARTS (POLITICAL SCIENCE)	
						61. MASTER OF ARTS (ECONOMICS)	
						62. MASTER OF ARTS (URDU)	
						63. MASTER OF ARTS (SANSKRIT)	
						64. MASTER OF ARTS (TELUGU)	
						65. MASTER OF ARTS (HISTORY)	
						66. MASTER OF ARTS (HINDI)	
						67. MASTER OF ARTS (PHILOSOPHY)	
						68. MASTER OF ARTS (SOCIOLOGY)	
						69. MASTER OF ARTS (ENGLISH)	
						70. MASTER OF ARTS (PUBLIC PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT)	

Note:
1. The HEIs shall comply with all the provisions of the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments.

2. The last date for admission shall be as notified by the Commission for each academic session and HEIs shall upload the admission details within fifteen days thereafter. For academic session January- February 2023, the last date of admission is *31st March, 2023*.

3. The list shall be updated from time to time, as required. Accordingly, the stakeholders are requested to refer to the various public notices on UGC DEB website (https://deb.ugc.ac.in/Notices), which are updated from time to time.