



भारतीय प्रबंध संस्थान बेंगलूर  
INDIAN INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT  
BANGALORE



Prof. N.S. Ramaswamy  
**Pre-doctoral Fellowship  
Programme**

**Admissions 2025**

**Creating space for impact**



## The one-year apprenticeship programme

### Prof. N.S. Ramaswamy Pre-Doctoral Fellowship Programme (Eighth Batch)

Indian Institute of Management Bangalore invites applications for the Prof. N.S. Ramaswamy Pre-Doctoral Fellowship Programme (Eighth Batch). The one-year apprenticeship programme provides individuals interested in an academic career with valuable training and experience before they apply to doctoral programmes in business and related fields.

#### Areas of Specialisation\*

Decision Sciences

Economics

Entrepreneurship

Finance & Accounting

Information Systems

Marketing

Organizational Behavior & Human Resources Management

Production & Operations Management

Public Policy

Strategy

#### Academic Eligibility

- A Master's Degree (obtained after a bachelor's degree) or
- A 5-year Integrated Master's Degree (obtained after completing higher secondary schooling in 10+2 pattern) in any discipline.
- A Post Graduate Diploma (2 years) or
- A professional qualification such as CA, ICWA, CS, [with at least 50 percent marks in their Bachelor's Degree; or at least 45 percent marks for applicants from SC, ST or PwD categories] or
- A 4-year/8-semester Bachelor's Degree [with at least 6.5 CGPA in their Bachelor's Degree or at least 6.0 CGPA for applicants from SC, ST or PwD categories] or
- A 5-year Integrated Bachelor's Degree with at least 60 percent marks.

#### Target Groups

Applicants must belong to one or more of the following categories:

- SC, ST, NC-OBC
- Religious minorities\*
- Persons with disabilities\*
- Women or trans-gender applicants
- Persons with primary and secondary schooling from
  - Vernacular medium of instruction
  - Rural schools or
  - Government schools

\*as defined by Government of India

Along with tuition fee waiver, Fellows will receive a monthly stipend of Rs.30,000 and a house rent allowance of Rs.15,000. For information on the eligibility criteria, selection process, financial support and how to apply, please visit

<https://www.iimb.ac.in/admissions>

**Last date to apply:**  
**7 February, 2025 (5:00 pm IST)**

#### Programme Outcomes:

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## IIMB: A paradigm shift

Established in 1973, Indian Institute of Management Bangalore (IIMB) is widely acknowledged as one of the premier management institutes in India, with an international reputation for the quality of its post graduate and doctoral programmes.

IIMB is renowned for the excellence of its faculty who have studied and taught at some of the best management schools in India and abroad. Their research regularly appears in leading global publications and academic journals. They bring rich industry, consulting and academic experience to the classroom, creating a stimulating learning environment.

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### VISION

To be a global, renowned academic institution fostering excellence in management, innovation and entrepreneurship for business, government and society



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35,792+ Jobs Created



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## DEGREE GRANTING PROGRAMMES\*

Degree	Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)	Master of Business Administration (MBA)	Master of Business Administration (Business Analytics) (MBA(BA))	Master of Business Administration (MBA)	Master of Business Administration (MBA)
Duration	~ five years	Two-years full-time	Two-years full-time	One-year full-time	Two-years weekend
Programme	Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)	Post Graduate Programme in Management (PGP)	Post Graduate Programme in Management (PGP(BA))	Executive Post Graduate Programme in Management (EPGP)	Post Graduate Programme in Enterprise Management (PGPEM)
Year started	1976	1973	2020	2009	1998
Target profile	Research focused individuals	No or limited work experience	No or limited work experience	Mid-career & senior executives	Mid-career & senior executives
Admission test	CAT/GMAT/GRE/ GATE/JRF (NET)/ IIMB Test**	CAT/GMAT <sup>^</sup>	CAT/GMAT <sup>^</sup>	GMAT/GRE	CAT/GMAT/ GRE/IIMB Test <sup>^</sup>

<sup>^</sup> Visit <http://www.iimb.ac.in/> for details

<sup>\*\*</sup> Admission test for Ph.D. varies by specialization opted for, refer <https://www.iimb.ac.in/programmes/doctoral-programme> for details



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