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Subject:

Offer of Vacancy to Friendly Countries for Engineering and Architecture Programmes run at Military Institute of Science and Technology (MIST) in 2025

Reference is invited to the enclosed self-explanatory communication No. B-25/8/122025, dated April 29, 2025received from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs regarding the subject cited above.

- 2. The undersigned has been directed to inform you that the Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh is offering two (02) vacancies—one for a military student and one for a civilian student—for the academic year 2024–2025. These positions are for admission into the four-year Bachelor's programs in twelve Engineering disciplines and the five-year Bachelor's program in Architecture at the Military Institute of Science and Technology (MIST). For complete admission information, please visit the official MIST website: www.mist.ac.bd.
- 3. MIST is a public engineering university in Bangladesh, operating under the Ministry of Defence. It specializes in engineering and technological education and research. You are kindly requested to disseminate this information to all relevant departments so that eligible candidates can take full advantage of this valuable opportunity. Interested candidates are encouraged to apply directly before **May 15, 2025**.
- 4. Please note that Higher Education Commission (HEC) will not provide any financial support for the aforementioned admissions.

With best regards,

Encl:

As Above

Ismat Ikhlaq Assistant Director (GE)

Director / In-charge IC Office / Registrar

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- i. **ES to Executive Director**, Higher Education Commission, Islamabad.
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High Commission for the People's Republic of Bangladesh Islamabad



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No. BDHC-Pol-10-360.01

The High Commission for the People's Republic of Bangladesh in Islamabad presents its compliments to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan and has the honour to enclose herewith an offer letter issued by the Military Institute of Science and Technology (MIST) for admission of two (02) eligible students from Pakistan (one each for military and civil student) to get admission in different Engineering Courses at MIST for the Session 2024 – 2025. The list of the selected students has to be sent to the concerned authority by 15 May 2025. Information related to the admission are available on web link of MIST: www.mist.ac.bd

The High Commission would highly appreciate if the esteemed Ministry could kindly circulate the information for admission of eligible students in the aforementioned courses.

The High Commission for the People's Republic of Bangladesh avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, the assurances of its highest consideration.

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OFFER OF VACANCY TO FRIENDLY COUNTRIES FOR ENGINEERING AND ARCHITECTURE PROGRAMS RUN AT MILITARY INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (MIST) IN 2025

Reference:

- Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh, Chief Adviser's Office. Armed Forces Division, Training Directorate Letter Number 06.00.0000.010.10.001.25.180 Dated 05 February 2025 (NOTAL).
- The Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh is pleased to offer 02 (two) vacancies (one vacancy each for military and civil student) to the Islamic Republic of Pakistan to undergo any of the 04 (four) years Bachelor Engineering Programs (Civil Engineering; Computer Science and Engineering; Electrical, Electronic and Communication Engineering; Mechanical Engineering; Aeronautical Engineering; Naval Architecture & Marine Engineering; Nuclear Science and Engineering; Environment, Water and Coastal Engineering; Biomedical Engineering; Industrial Production Engineering and Petroleum & Mining Engineering) and 05 (five) years Bachelor in Architecture Program being run at MIST, Mirpur Cantonment, Dhaka, Bangladesh.
- You are therefore, requested to circulate the enclosed 'Letter of Offer' including the Financial Terms and Conditions and 'Information Booklet' to the High Commission of the People's Republic of Bangladesh in the Islamic Republic of Pakistan with a view to getting eligible students to attend the program here at MIST.
- The High Commission is requested to circulate the content to the concerned in the Islamic Republic of Pakistan. The list of selected students should be sent to MIST by 15 May 2025 for necessary preparation at this end.
- MIST presents its compliments to your good office and assures you of its highest 4. cooperation.

IAB UDDIN Colonel For Commandant

Enclosures:

Letter of offer for Pakistan - 01 Copy. 1.

Information Booklet - 01 Copy. 2.

- 01 Copy. **Prospectus**

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MILITARY INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (MIST)

<u>'LETTER OF OFFER' TO THE ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF PAKISTAN FOR</u> <u>BSC ENGINEERING AND ARCHITECTURE PROGRAM IN MIST- 2025</u>

- 1. The Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh takes pleasure in offering 01 (one) vacancy for military "Reciprocal" basis and 01 (one) vacancy for civil student "On Payment" basis to the Islamic Republic of Pakistan in any of the 04 (four) years engineering programs (Civil Engineering; Computer Science and Engineering; Electrical, Electronic and Communication Engineering; Mechanical Engineering; Aeronautical Engineering; Naval Architecture & Marine Engineering; Nuclear Science and Engineering; Environment, Water and Coastal Engineering; Biomedical Engineering; Industrial Production Engineering and Petroleum & Mining Engineering) and 05 (five) years Architecture program which will commence from 15th June 2025 at MIST, Mirpur Cantonment, Dhaka-1216, Bangladesh. The selected students are required to arrive at least 2 weeks before the commencement of the programs. Financial terms and conditions are attached as Annexure A to this 'Offer Letter'.
- 2. Information about MIST, related to eligibility for admission, academic activities, miscellaneous points, conduct and discipline, etc are enumerated in the enclosed 'Information Booklet'. All related informations are available in MIST web link "www.mist.ac.bd".
- 3. The request for the vacancy of the required engineering and Architecture program needs to be forwarded to MIST (info@mist.ac.bd; admission@mist.ac.bd) by **15 May 2025** with biodata, academic qualifications and passport details of the candidates. No reply/ response from the invited country by **15 May 2025** will automatically be considered as non-acceptance of this offer.

Annexure:

A. Financial Terms and Conditions.



FINANCIAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR FOREIGN STUDENTS

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- 3. For serial numbers 16 and 17, amount may vary depending on the courses taken term wise.
- 4. Scholarship will be provided as per MIST Scholarship Policy.
- 5. Semester fees are to be paid before commencement of the semester.

MILITARY INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (MIST) INFORMATION BOOKLET

Introduction

- 1. Military Institute of Science and Technology (MIST) is a government run technological institute under Ministry of Defence. It was established in 1998. The essence underlying the foundation of the institute includes commitment to produce technologically advanced intellectual leaders and professionals with high moral and ethical values. MIST is also committed to provide comprehensive education and conduct research in diverse disciplines of science, engineering, technology and engineering management. MIST is located at Mirpur Cantonment on the north-western end of Dhaka city. At present 15% military and 85% civilian students are studying here. So far MIST received students from 10 (ten) friendly countries.
- 2. The institute sets out its academic curriculum as an affiliated body of the Bangladesh University of Professionals (BUP) to conduct undergraduate programs in Civil Engineering (CE), Computer Science and Engineering (CSE), Electrical, Electronic and Communication Engineering (EECE), Mechanical Engineering (ME), Aeronautical Engineering (AE), Naval Architecture & Marine Engineering (NAME), Nuclear Science and Engineering (NSE); Environment, Water and Coastal Engineering (EWCE); Architecture (Arch); Biomedical Engineering (BME); Industrial Production Engineering (IPE) and Petroleum & Mining Engineering (PME). A student of MIST is registered in the affiliating university for 6 years (Engineering) or 07 years (Architecture) and is required to follow the terms and conditions as set by the university.

Aim

3. The aim of this paper is to articulate in details about the policy for admission and study of Foreign Students in MIST.

Eligibility for Admission

- 4. <u>General</u>. Foreign students, seeking admission may directly apply to MIST through email (info@mist.ac.bd). The general requirements are as follows:
 - a. Fluency in English language (medium of instruction in MIST is English).
 - b. Medically fit.
 - c. Sex Male or Female.
 - d. Having security clearance from respective Embassy/High Commission in Bangladesh.
- 5. <u>Engineering Programs</u>. The candidates are to fulfill following requirements for admission in the engineering programs:
 - a. SSC or Equivalent: The applicants who passed in 2022 or 2021 in Science Group obtaining a minimum GPA 4.00 (without fourth subject) on a scale of 5.00.
 - b. HSC or Equivalent: The applicants who passed in 2024 or 2023 obtaining a minimum total Grade Point 18 in four subjects (Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry and English) with a minimum Grade Point of 4.0 in each of Mathematics, Physics and Chemistry.



- c. GCE ('O' and 'A' Levels) or Equivalent: (1) The applicants who passed in 2022 or 2021 with minimum 'B' grade or equivalent in any five subjects including Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry and English in GCE 'O' Level. (2) The applicants who passed in 2024 or 2023 with a minimum of three 'B' grades or equivalent in Mathematics, Physics and Chemistry in GCE 'A' Level.
- d. Applicants interested in Biomedical Engineering, must have Biology in HSC or equivalent level with a minimum grade point of 'A''/ GCE 'A' or equivalent level with a minimum grade point of 'C' or equivalent.

Academic Activities

- 6. <u>Duration of Programs</u>. The duration of Engineering and Architecture programs includes a total of 4 Levels (04 years) and 5 Levels (05 years) respectively, each comprising of 2 regular terms in a year.
- 7. Academic Schedule. MIST strictly maintains a yearly academic schedule, which is almost similar for every year. The scheduled activities are currently planned from June/July to April/May each year except for the Level-4 students of all departments and the Level-1 Civil Engineering and Environment, Water and Coastal Engineering students. The Level-4 students of all departments are required to work for thesis/ projects/ internship in April and May and the Level-1 Civil Engineering and Environment, Water and Coastal Engineering students are to undertake "Survey Practical" works during the said period.

Miscellaneous Points

- 8. Requirement of Documents for Admission. Notarized/Attested copies of the following documents in English (or its authorized translated version) are to be enclosed with application duly filled in:
 - a. Certificate and mark sheet of Secondary School Certificate (SSC)/ 'O' level or equivalent examination.
 - b. Certificate and mark sheet of Higher Secondary Certificate (HSC)/ 'A' level or equivalent examination.
 - c. 08 (Eight) copies of recent 3.5 x 4.5 cm size colored photographs.
- 9. <u>Transportation</u>. Transportation in Dhaka city may be provided for official purpose only and subject to the availability of the vehicle.
- 10. <u>Medical</u>. Medical facilities will be provided to military persons in Combined Military Hospital (CMH) and also civilian students in MIST Medical Center according to the existing medical policy of MIST.
- 11. <u>Accommodation and Food</u>. MIST, in principle is a residential institute. MIST offers accommodation and fooding facilities both for military (male/female) and civil (male/female) students.
 - a. <u>Military Students Officers</u>. MIST offers accommodation facilities to both bachelor and married officers, as offered to Bangladeshi Military Officers. Student Officers' Mess is under Wi-Fi internet coverage. MIST Student Officers' Mess also provides dining service for the residents on individual payment basis.



b. <u>Civilian Students</u>. MIST offers a modern residential hall named 'Osmany Hall' for the civilian students. Moreover, MIST also has foreign student accommodation with all modern facilities. It has male and female wings. Rooms in 'Osmany Hall' have internet browsing facilities. Fooding facilities are available in both the wings of the 'Osmany Hall' where students can have their daily messing on individual payment basis.

Conduct and Discipline

- 12. <u>General Rules and Regulations</u>. All students need to abide by the rules and regulations of MIST and affiliating university.
- 13. <u>Withdrawal</u>. Policy for withdrawal of foreign students from any program will be as per "Students Withdrawal Policy of MIST".
- 14. <u>Uniform/Dress</u>. All students will put on dresses as per "Dress Code" set by MIST.
- 15. <u>Communication and Clarifications.</u> For any further communication with MIST and for clarifications, individual or institution may mail to **info@mist.ac.bd**. AFD can be reached by **trg_dte@afd.gov.bd**.

Conclusion

16. MIST has already earned an honorable position in the field of engineering and technology in Bangladesh. It's credibility is enhancing continuously in national & international arena. The natural beauty coupled with excellent academic environment of MIST provides ideal atmosphere for study. MIST would be very happy to receive students from the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.



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