Admission Guide

Graduate Programs 2025-26



COMSATS University Islamabad (CUI)



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CUI at a Glance

The COMSATS University Islamabad (CUI) was established in 1998, as COMSATS Institute of Information Technology (CIIT), as a project of the Commission on Science and Technology for Sustainable Development in the South (COMSATS), which is an inter-governmental organization, with 27 member countries. It had the status of a public sector degree awarding higher education institution, which was given charter by the Federal Government in August 2000. Subsequently, it was upgraded to a Federally Chartered University in April 2018, under the COMSATS University Islamabad Act, 2018.

CUI is now one of the fastest growing research-based universities in Pakistan, offering a wide spectrum of academic programs, ranging from basic sciences to cutting-edge emerging technologies, supported by a network of inter-disciplinary research centers, making it an ideal place for pursuing higher studies, leading to BS, MS and PhD degrees within six (06) broad faculties, including Engineering, Information Science & Technology, Business Administration, Science, Health Sciences, and Architecture & Design, with more than 36,000 students, offering 116+ degree programs, taught by around 1,935 highly qualified faculty members, more than 50% of have PhDs.

Degree Awarding University

The CUI functions under the governance of the Senate, which is chaired by the President of Islamic Republic of Pakistan, who is also the Chancellor of the University. The Syndicate is the executive body of the University that exercises general supervision and is responsible for the overall management of the University.



Campuses

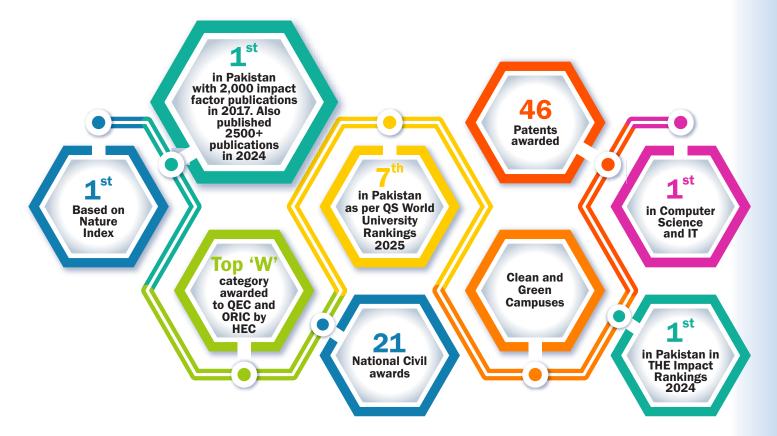
Besides the principal campus at Islamabad, other campuses of CUI located at Abbottabad, Wah, Lahore, Attock, Sahiwal and Vehari, are fully functional, along with a Virtual Campus, which offers online courses.



QUICK FACTS

Strengths	2000	As of 2025
Campuses	1	8
Faculties	2	6
Academic Programs	3	116+
Departments	2	23
Centers	-	06
Faculty Members	15	1,935+
Students	277	36,438+
International Students	-	210 (350+ Graduates)
Graduates	-	110,336
Research Papers	-	28,324+
Patents Filed / Awarded	-	118/46

NATIONAL IMPACT





1st in Pakistan in:

- (QS World University Rankings by Subject 2025)
- **1.** Mathematics

2. Chemistry

3. Economics & Econometrics

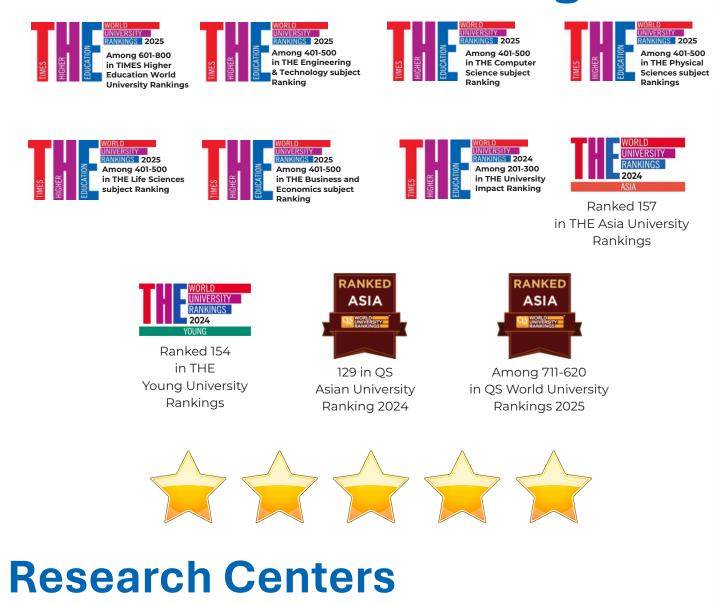
2nd in Pakistan in:

(QS World University Rankings by Subject - 2025)

- **1.** Electrical and Electronic Engineering
- **2.** Computer Science and Information Systems
- **3.** Chemical Engineering
- **4.** Biological Sciences
- **5.** Environmental Sciences



Admission Guide Graduate Programs 2025-26 International Ranking



The centers of excellence are symbols of pride and recognition for any higher education institution, as they show the underlying strength in these disciplines to carry out world-class research and development. CUI has established the following ten research centers so far, while a few more are in the pipeline. The details of research centers established at CUI are as follows:

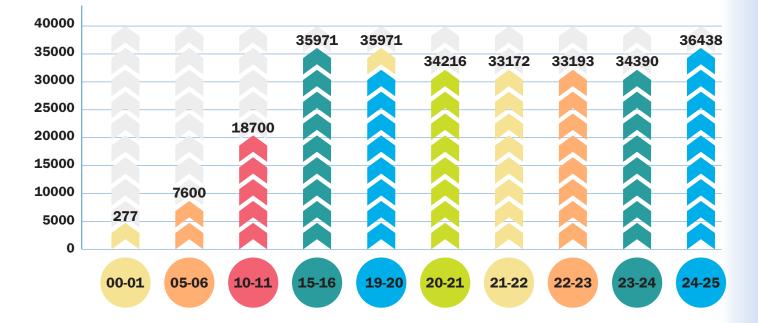
- 1. Interdisciplinary Research Center in Biomedical Materials (IRCBM)
- 2. National Center for Artificial Intelligence (NCAI)
- 3. China Study Center (CSC)
- 4. Center for Policy Studies (CPS)
- 5. Business Incubation Center (BIC)
- 6. Center for Climate Research and Development (CCRD)
- 7. Center of Advance Drug Research (CADR)
- 8. Energy Research Center (ERC)

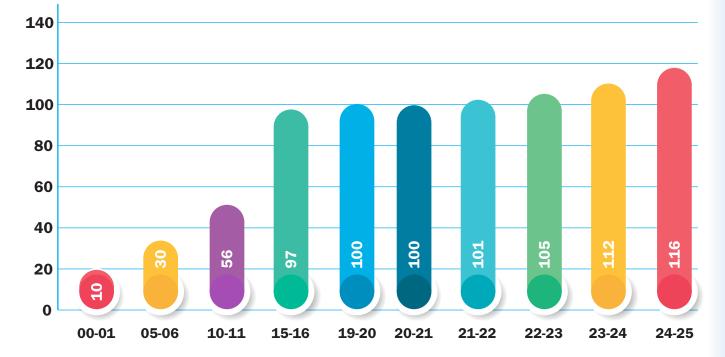
Research, Innovation & Commercialization

The Research, Innovation and Commercialization activities at CUI are meant to link research activities directly to educational, social and economic priorities of CUI and its broader community and are aimed at boosting the knowledge economy. Details of research activities carried out by CUI are as follows:

Research papers published by CUI faculty from 2005 till 2024 are more than 28,000. Most papers are in ISI indexed journals. CUI is the only University in Pakistan that has crossed the milestone of 2,000 impact factor publications in a single year (2017). Further, 2,500+ impact factor research publications were published by CUI faculty in 2024. Research activities are not confined solely to publishing of research papers but also include books and patents. Books published till date are more than 85, whereas 118 patents have been filed for registration, out of which 46 have already been granted.

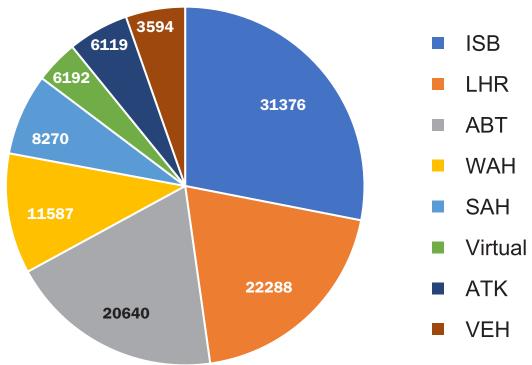
Year-Wise Student Enrollment





Academic Programs

Campus Wise Graduates





Outreach and Public Service























List of Academic Programs Offered:

Following graduate degree programs are being offered during the academic year 2025-26:

	Graduate Programs	Campuses						
#	(2025-2026)	Islamabad	Abbottabad	Wah	Lahore	Attock	Sahiwal	Vehari
F	Faculty of Information Science and Technology							
D	Department of Computer Science	ce:						
01	MS in Computer Science	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$	\rightarrow	\Rightarrow	\Rightarrow	\Rightarrow	\rightarrow
02	MS in Artificial Intelligence	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$		\rightarrow				
03	MS in Software Engineering	\rightleftharpoons						
04	MS in Cyber Security			\Rightarrow				
	PhD in Computer Science	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$	\rightarrow	\rightarrow	\rightarrow	\rightarrow	\rightarrow	
	aculty of Engineering							
D	Department of Electrical Engine	eering:						
01	MS in Electrical Engineering	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$	\rightarrow	\Rightarrow	\rightarrow		
02	MS Energy Systems Engineering				\Rightarrow			
03	PhD in Electrical Engineering	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$	\rightarrow	\rightarrow	\rightarrow		
D	epartment of Computer Engine	eering:						
01	MS in Computer Engineering	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$		\Rightarrow	\Rightarrow		
02	PhD in Computer Engineering	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$		\rightarrow	\rightarrow		
D	Department of Chemical Engine	ering:						
01	MS in Chemical Engineering				\Rightarrow			
02	MS in Energy & Environmental Engineering				¥			
03	PhD in Chemical Engineering				\uparrow			
D	Department of Civil Engineering	;:						
01	MS in Civil Engineering		$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$	\Rightarrow				
02	PhD in Civil Engineering		$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$	\rightarrow				
D	epartment of Mechanical Eng	ineering:						
	MS in Mechanical Engineering			\rightarrow				
02	PhD in Mechanical Engineering			\rightarrow				
F	aculty of Business Administrat	ion						
D	epartment of Management Sc	iences:						
01	MS in Management Sciences	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$	\rightarrow	\Rightarrow	\rightarrow	\rightarrow	\Rightarrow
02	MS in Project Management	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$	\rightarrow	\Rightarrow			
03	MBA	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$		\Rightarrow			\rightarrow
	PhD in Management Sciences	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$	\bigstar	\Rightarrow	\Rightarrow	\Rightarrow	\Rightarrow	\Rightarrow
D	Department of Economics:							
01	MS in Economics	\Rightarrow	$\stackrel{\frown}{\Rightarrow}$		\Rightarrow			\Rightarrow
	PhD in Economics	\bigstar			\Rightarrow			\Rightarrow
D	Department of Development Stu	udies:						
01	MS in Development Studies		$\stackrel{\frown}{\Rightarrow}$					
02	MS in Conflict, Peace and Development Studies		*					
03	PhD in Development Studies		\Rightarrow					

	Graduate Programs (2024-2025)	Campuses						
#		Islamabad	Abbottabad	Wah	Lahore	Attock	Sahiwal	Vehari
D	epartment of Humanities:							
01	MS in International Relations	\Rightarrow						
02	PhD in International Relations	\Rightarrow						
03	PhD in English (Linguistic and Literature)							¥
04	MS in English (Linguistic and Literature)	¥						¥
05	MS in English Linguistics	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$		\rightarrow	\Rightarrow			
06	MS in English Literature	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$						
07	MS in SEERAH Studies	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$						
08	MS in Clinical Psychology				\Rightarrow			
	MS in Education	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$						
F	aculty of Health Sciences							
D	epartment of Environmental S	ciences:						
01	MS in Environmental Sciences		$\stackrel{\frown}{\Rightarrow}$					\rightarrow
02	PhD in Environmental Sciences		$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$					\rightarrow
D	epartment of Biotechnology:							
01	MS in Biotechnology		\mathbf{a}					
02	PhD in Biotechnology		\Rightarrow					
D	epartment of Pharmacy:							
01	MS in Pharmacy		\Rightarrow		\Rightarrow			
02	PhD in Pharmacy		\Rightarrow					
D	epartment of Biosciences:							
01	MS in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology	¥						
02	MS in Bioinformatics	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$						
03	MS in Biosciences	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$					\Rightarrow	
04	MS in Microbiology and Immunology	¥						
05	MS in Molecular Genetics	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$						
06	MS in Molecular Virology	$\stackrel{\frown}{\Rightarrow}$						
07	PhD in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology	¥						
08	PhD in Biosciences	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$						
09	PhD in Bioinformatics	\Rightarrow						
10	PhD in Microbiology and Immunology	¥					1	
11	PhD in Molecular Genetics	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$						
	aculty of Science							
	epartment of Meteorology:							
	MS in Meteorology							
02	MS in Remote Sensing & GIS	†						
03	PhD in Meteorology	\						
_	PhD in Remote Sensing & GIS	\Rightarrow						
	epartment of Physics:							
01	MS in Physics	†			\uparrow			
	PhD in Physics	<u> </u>						

	Graduate Programs (2024-2025)	Campuses						
#		Islamabad	Abbottabad	Wah	Lahore	Attock	Sahiwal	Vehari
	Department of Earth Sciences:							
01	MS in Earth Sciences (Applied Geology/Applied Geophysics		★					
02	PhD in Geology		$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$					
03	PhD in Geophysics		$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$					
D	epartment of Statistics:							
01	MS in Statistics				\Rightarrow			
02	PhD in Statistics				\Rightarrow			
D	epartment of Mathematics:							
01	MS in Mathematics	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$	\rightarrow	\rightarrow	\rightarrow	\rightarrow	\rightarrow
02	PhD in Mathematics	$\stackrel{\frown}{\mathbf{T}}$	$\stackrel{\frown}{\Rightarrow}$	\Rightarrow	\Rightarrow	\Rightarrow	\Rightarrow	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$
D	epartment of Chemistry:							
01	MS in Chemistry	$\stackrel{\frown}{\mathbf{T}}$	$\stackrel{\frown}{=}$		\Rightarrow			
02	PhD in Chemistry	$\stackrel{\frown}{\mathbf{T}}$	$\stackrel{\frown}{\Rightarrow}$		\Rightarrow			
F	aculty of Architecture and Desi	ign						
D	epartment of Art and Design:							
01	MS Art and Education	$\stackrel{\frown}{\Rightarrow}$						



Eligibility Requirements

At CUI admission into the Graduate Programs is offered purely on merit. The merit is determined on combination of three factors – the candidate's academic record, GRE/NTS-GAT scores and interview.

MS/Master of Science Programs Eligibility Criteria w.e.f Spring 2025 Session

Admission in the same or relevant field:

 For admission to the Master of Science (MS)/Equivalent program(s) of the CUI System, a minimum CGPA of 2.5 out of 4.0 (in the semester system) or 55% marks (in the annual system) in a sixteen-year degree program in the same or relevant field from an HEC-recognized university/HEI is required. The relevancy, if needed, will be determined by the respective Dean as per the policy notified vide No: CUI-Reg/Notif-769/24/804/ dated March 26, 2024.

Admission based on Intradisciplinary Degree:

- 2. Intradisciplinary admission(s) may be considered under the following conditions, provided the department chooses to do so:
- a. The applicant expresses a strong interest in pursuing a Master of Science (MS) program in a discipline different from his/her existing qualifications.
- b. The applicant has achieved a minimum score of 50% on the GRE Subject Test (or equivalent alternative if the GRE Subject Test is not available) in the intended Master of Science (MS)/ Equivalent program subject to the completion of 6 to 9 credit hours of deficiency courses at level 6.
- c. The Admission Committee of the Department is satisfied that the applicant's knowledge in their primary area (Level 6) adequately prepares them for the MS/MPhil/Equivalent program, or that the applicant can enhance his/her preparation by taking additional courses after program commencement.

Admission Test:

- a. NTS/GRE/HAT, General/Equivalent test tests conducted by testing bodies accredited by the HEC, with a passing score of 50% marks.
- b. In addition, the university may also conduct/accept subject test(s) provided the test is not conducted by GRE/NTS/HAT for admission to Master of Science (MS)/Equivalent program with a minimum passing score of 60%, if deemed necessary.

General Conditions:

- a. Conversion of CGPA to percentage shall not be allowed as per HEC letter no. 8-650/HEC/A&A/2007/2, dated January 14, 2008.
- b. If CGPA/Percentage is not stated on the transcript, the candidate must provide equivalent weightage from the parent university/HEI.
- c. Any other requirement, if any, from accreditation council(s) or HEC amended from time to time.
- d. The decision of the Admission Committee of the Department shall be final.

Program Duration

The duration of studies for the MS degree shall normally be not less than two years and not more than four years.



Coursework

For award of MPhil/MS/equivalent degree, candidates shall, either need to complete minimum 30 credit hours of course work, if it is specifically approved by BASAR for the said Master of Science (MS)/Equivalent program or complete minimum 24 credit hours of coursework along with a minimum of 06 credit hours for research thesis as per the applicable Scheme of Studies. The non-thesis option is only available for specific Departments/Faculties that have been approved by the Board of Advanced Studies and Research. Currently MS programs offered in Faculty of Engineering and Faculty of Business Administration are offered with non-thesis option.

If a candidate's previous coursework is deemed inadequate for the MS program they are applying for, they may be required to complete additional courses recommended by the Departmental Advisory Committee to address the deficiency.

Doctor of Philosophy / PhD Programs Eligibility Criteria

Admission in the same or relevant field:

- 1. For admission to the PhD programs of the CUI System, a minimum CGPA of 3.00 out of 4.0 (in the semester system) or 60% marks /1st Division (in the annual system) in an eighteen-year degree program in the same or relevant field from an HEC-recognized university/HEI is required. The relevancy, whenever needed, will be determined by the respective Dean as per the policy notified vide No: CUI-Reg/Notif-769/24/804/ dated March 26, 2024.
- 2. Students currently pursuing MS/MPhil or equivalent studies at CUI System who wish to continue to the PhD program may receive provisional admission subject to final successful defense and upon approval by the Department Admission Committee based on their Statement of Purpose and commitment to the PhD program. However, final admission is contingent upon the award of the MS/MPhil Transcript/Degree within one year from the date of provisional admission.

Admission based on Intradisciplinary Degree:

- 1. Intradisciplinary admissions may be considered under the following conditions, provided the department chooses to do so:
- a. The applicant expresses a strong interest in pursuing a PhD in a discipline different from their existing qualifications.
- b. The applicant has achieved a minimum score of 50% on the GRE Subject Test (or equivalent alternative if the GRE Subject Test is not available) in the intended PhD and subject to the completion of 6 to 9 credit hours of deficiency courses at the graduate level 7.
- c. The Admission Committee of the Department is satisfied that the applicant's knowledge in their primary area (Level 7) adequately prepares them for the doctoral program, or that the applicant can enhance his/her preparation by taking additional courses after program commencement.

Admission Test:

- a) NTS/GRE/HAT, General/Equivalent tests conducted by testing bodies accredited by the HEC, with a passing score of 60% marks.
- b) In addition, the university may also conduct/accept subject tests provided the test is not conducted by GRE/NTS for admission to PhD with a passing score of 60%, if deemed necessary.

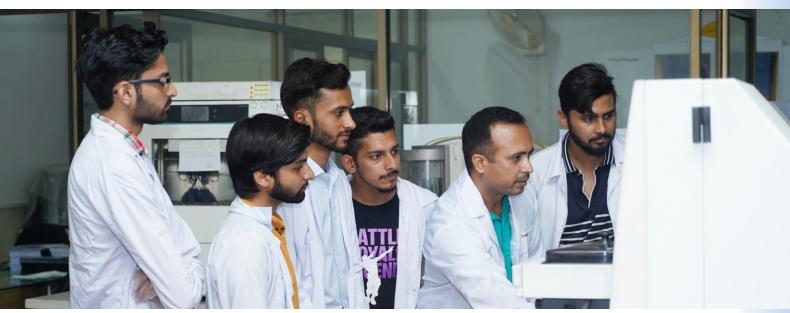


Statement of Purpose:

- 1. As part of the application for PhD program, applicants shall also submit a statement of purpose. The Department Admission Committee will evaluate the candidate's readiness and interest in pursuing doctoral studies and assess the department's capacity to provide the necessary resources for training and supervision. The statement of purpose should include:
- a. Title of the potential research proposal
- b. Clear articulation of the current understanding of the intended field and ideas for potential research.
- c. Explanation of the intended impact of the proposed research
- d. Demonstration of passion and enthusiasm for the research area.

General Conditions:

- a. Conversion of CGPA to percentage shall not be allowed as per HEC letter no. 8-650/HEC/A&A/2007/2, dated January 14, 2008.
- b. If CGPA/Percentage is not stated on the transcript, the candidate must provide equivalent weightage from the parent university/HEI.
- c. Any other requirement, if any, from accreditation council(s) or HEC amended from time to time.
- d. The decision of the Admission Committee of the Department shall be final
- The Dean may consider the following guidelines to Determine Interdisciplinary Admissions:
- → The International Standard Classification of Education Fields of Education and Training (ISCED-F-2013) categorizes educational fields into three levels: (i) Broader Field, (ii) Narrow Field, and (iii) Detailed Field. To determine interdisciplinary admissions according to GEP-2023, consider the following:
- → Broader Field Restrictions: GEP-2023 prohibits interdisciplinary admissions from one Broader Field to another Broader Field. This ensures that admissions between significantly different disciplines do not occur.
- → Intra-disciplinary Admissions: Admissions among Narrow Fields within the same Broader Field are permitted. This falls within the guidelines of GEP-2023, which requires adhering to the conditions specified in clause 2.1(iii).
- → Cross-disciplinary Admissions within Narrow Fields: GEP-2023 does not necessarily require applying the requirements of clause 2.1(iii) at the third level of classification, allowing cross-disciplinary admissions among Detailed Fields within the same Narrow Field. This flexibility allows for a degree of specialization within a larger category of study



Program Duration

The duration of studies for the PhD degree shall normally be not less than three years and not more than eight years.

Coursework

A PhD scholar shall have to complete 18 credit hours of graduate level coursework from approved 'Scheme of Studies' and 9 credit hours of PhD Thesis. The registration of PhD Thesis of 09 credit hours shall be allowed after the completion of coursework for the PhD degree.

If the scheme of courses completed by candidates for their last degree, in the relevant field, does not provide adequate academic foundation/background for the PhD program into which they are seeking admission, they may be required to rectify such deficiency by taking one, or more, additional courses proposed by the departmental Admission Committee.

Note:

- a) The approved 'Scheme of Studies' of all graduate programs is available in the Registrar Office at all campuses, and also on the following link: http://cuonline.comsats.edu.pk/publicaccess
- b) The approved Rules and Regulations governing graduate programs, which detail academic policies, grading systems, and course requirements, can be obtained from the Registrar's Office at any campus.
- c) Additional regulations, approved and issued from time to time, regarding graduate degree programs, shall also apply. For the latest updates and amendments, refer to HoD, campus notice boards or the university website and Registrar's Office at any campus.
- d) It is the responsibility of all graduate students to familiarize themselves with these regulations to ensure compliance throughout their studies. Non-compliance with university regulations may lead to disciplinary action or delays in graduation.

How to Apply

Admission to various degree programs at CUI is open to all eligible candidates, without any discrimination and with equal opportunities for all; hence all admissions are regulated purely on merit.

Application Procedure

Applications are submitted in response to the admission notices published in the media. Admissions are conducted according to an admissions schedule, which is prominently displayed in these admissions notices. The procedure consists of the following steps:

1) Online Admission Application

- → Candidates are required to apply on CUI Online Admission System by following the link http://admissions.comsats.edu.pk.
- → After submitting the online application, a scanned copy of the same, along with scanned copies of all required documents, as mentioned in the Online Admission Portal, must also be submitted online within the admissions deadline. All admissions at CUI shall be offered 'provisionally,' subject to confirmation once all the desired formalities are met and all the required documents are submitted by the student.
- → Applications for admission must be submitted within deadline advertised in the media at the time of admission. Late submission of application shall not be entertained under any circumstances.
- \rightarrow Candidates must themselves check the eligibility criteria before submitting their online application forms to ensure that they are academically eligible for admission into the program(s) of their choice.

2) Entrance Test

Applicants need to have valid relevant NTS Test score result (GAT General/ Subject) at the time of application submission. However, after the last date of submission of Admission Forms, entrance test will be conducted by NTS, according to the admission schedule OR on the given date(s), as notified by NTS, through their website (www.nts.org.pk) and the media. All admissions shall be offered purely on merit, which is determined by the weightage criteria as mentioned below:

Degree Programs

Percentage Weightage

For Master of Science Degree	
Matriculation (or equivalent)	05%
Intermediate (or equivalent)	10%
Graduate Degree (2 years)	10%
Master Degree (2 years) or	15%
Graduate Degree (4 years)	25%
GAT/GRE Test Score	40%
Interview*	20%

Degree Programs

Percentage Weightage

For PhD Degree

Matriculation (or equivalent)	05%
Intermediate (or equivalent)	05%
Graduate Degree (2 years)	05%
Master Degree (2 years) or	10%
Graduate Degree (4 years)	15%
MS/MPhil	20%
GAT/GRE Test Score	25%
Interview*	30%

*The passing marks will be 60%. However, those who fail in the interview will not be offered admission.

3) Interview and Preliminary Selection

The list of applicants selected to appear for the interview is displayed on the campus notice boards as well as on the CUI website on specified dates. The overall merit list is prepared by combining the weighted average marks obtained in the previous public examinations, with the marks obtained in the relevant NTS test and the interview.

Candidates are required to appear before the Departmental Graduate Admission Committee for interview and preliminary selection, as per specified schedule. Applicants must bring all original academic certificates/degrees at the time of interview, for verification.

4) Display of Merit List and Provisional Admission Offer Letter

The recommendations of the Departmental Graduate Admission Committees are scrutinized by the Campus Graduate Admission Committee, which finally approves provisional admissions. The final merit list is displayed on the departmental notice boards, as well as on CUI website, and selected applicants are issued 'Provisional Admission Offer Letter,' along with a Bank Challan Form for payment of dues within a specified deadline.

5) Acceptance of Provisional Admission Offer

Selected candidates who decide to accept the Provisional Admission Offer, must submit the signed letter, in this regard, together with payment of non-refundable admission and tuition fee, within the specified deadline. Provisional admission shall only be confirmed, through a letter, once the payment of fee is confirmed, and all the required documents have been submitted by the student and verified by concerned Campus, that candidate has been found eligible for admission and approved by BASAR. If any candidate fails to confirm enrolment by the given deadline, his/her selection shall be deemed cancelled and the seat would be offered to the next candidate in merit on the waiting list.

Financial Support

CUI provides many opportunities to students for qualifying for fully funded scholarships and financial support. Financial Support Programs (FSPs) at CUI facilitate various categories of students, in the form of need-based scholarships, stipends, financial support, Qarz-e-Hasna etc. CUI takes special care of its students and plays a key role in resolving their financial issues. Financial Assistance is available to all students with established genuine need, regardless of race, religion, color, national origin, age, or gender. Campus scholarship offices may be reached for further details in this regard or the candidate may also visit http://ww2.comsats.edu.pk/scholarships/

International Students

As a part of its vibrant internationalization policy, CUI actively inducts international students in its diverse portfolio of degree programs. CUI has attracted over 1,700 international students from 39 countries since inception. These students receive quality higher education and research opportunities in emerging and cutting-edge disciplines. The facilities to international students include state-of-the-art laboratories, highly qualified faculty, on-campus medical assistance, well equipped laboratories, sports centers, and international standard on-campus accommodation.

Currently, over 210 international students from 22+ countries are studying at CUI, which include Afghanistan, Azerbaijan, Benin, Cameroon, Canada, China, Ethiopia, Egypt, Gambia, Iran, Iraq, Ireland, Japan, Jordan, Kenya, Nigeria, Rwanda, Sierra Leone, Somalia, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Tanzania, Yemen, and the USA. These students are registered in different post-doctorate, graduate, and undergraduate programs, e.g., Electrical Engineering, Mathematics, Chemistry, Computer Science, Meteorology, Environmental Sciences, Physics, Pharmacy, International Relations, and Biosciences in various CUI campuses.

The International Office at CUI is the first point of contact for international students. Located at the University's head office (Principal Seat), in Islamabad, it handles all international admission applications for all campuses and provides numerous support services to students. It also has subsidiary International Admission Units at each campus, which cater to the academic and social needs of students at each CUI location.

For detailed admissions and application procedure, please visit http://www.comsats.edu.pk

and select 'International Students' link i.e. **http://ww2.comsats.edu.pk/internationalstudents/.** The international students may also directly apply at **https://international.admissions.comsats.edu.pk/** for their admissions. Candidates applying for undergraduate degree programs must have completed 12 years education or equivalent in the relevant filed, from an accredited educational institution, with 60% cumulative marks for engineering degree programs and not less than 50% for non-engineering programs.

The Academic Council, in its 38th meeting on January 09, 2024, approved the adoption of Higher Education Commission (HEC) policies for admitting international students into the CUI. The International Office of CUI is mandated to strictly adhere to the minimum prerequisites prescribed by HEC for admitting international students.

The admission procedure for foreign students in Pakistani educational institutions is governed by HEC policies. It ensures systematic admissions, addressing complexities related to obtaining essential clearances such as No Objection Certificates (NOCs) and visas facilitation letters.

Foreign students apply directly to CUI for admission. Upon confirmation, CUI International Student Office forwards admission letters to HEC for verification and issuance of No Objection Certificates (NOCs), facilitated within five working days. HEC also assists in obtaining student visas for foreign students, subject to meeting mandatory requirements. Regularly checking the HEC website **https://www.hec.gov.pk/english/services/universities/Fsnoc/Pages/default.aspx** for updated information and compliance is advised by CUI International Student Office.

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Wah

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