

MBA (Executive) programme at School of Management Studies, CUSAT

Cochin University of Science and Technology is inviting applications for admission to the newly introduced, **MBA (Executive) program** in the School of Management Studies (SMS) for the Academic Year 2024-2025. This is a two-year Masters programme offered in a hybrid mode (on-campus and online components), for working executives/professionals. Candidates can apply online through the admission portal of the University - <https://admissions.cusat.ac.in> , from **23.02.2024 to 30.04.2024**.

Application fee for General candidates is Rs.1200/- and for SC/ST candidates is 600/-. Admission is based on, a valid score in IIM-CAT/CMAT/KMAT /the admission test conducted by SMS CUSAT , Personal Interview conducted by CUSAT and Work experience of the candidate Those candidates who have applied and paid application fee for other programs offered by the University, need not pay the application fees again for MBA (Executive) program.

Instructions for Registration:

- **New Registration** : Candidates applying MBA (Executive) programme may click on the checkbox in the page for MBA registration, in the registration portal for selecting the programme. Eligibility, fees and other details given below.
- The candidates who have already applied for MBA F.T/P.T programme may edit their application, to add the MBA (Executive) programme, if necessary.

MBA (Executive) programme

(School of Management Studies, CUSAT)

The eligibility criteria, intake/selection criteria, fee structure and other details of the programme are as given below : -

1. Eligibility:-

Candidates with a Bachelor's degree in any discipline from a recognized university with a minimum of 50% marks or equivalent CGPA can apply for admission to the programme. Additionally, the candidate should have minimum 2 years of working experience (after graduation) and should be currently working in a full time executive/managerial/entrepreneurial/professional role in start-up/commercial /government establishment/registered non-profit organization after passing the Bachelor's degree examination.

2. Intake:-

- i) The maximum intake of students in an academic year is 60.
- ii) Ten supernumerary seats shall be allotted to candidates sponsored by private or public business/non-profit sector organizations that have a valid MoU with CUSAT for their full-time employees currently on their payroll.
- iii) In addition to the sixty seats, five additional seats will be reserved for candidates under NRI Quota.

3. Selection:-

Admission will be based on the ranking of the of the composite score of the following three components:-

- i. Test Score of candidates in IIM-CAT/CMAT/KMAT/admission test conducted by SMS CUSAT (weightage 50%).
- ii. Score for Personal Interview conducted by the University (weightage 30%)
and
- iii. Work experience of the candidate (weightage 20%).

4. Fee (per semester.) :-

Tuition fee - ₹40,000/-

Library fee - ₹720/-

Computer fee- ₹2350/-

Course material fee- ₹5000/-

Value added course fee- ₹5000/-

Viva-₹370/-

DDF contribution (per semester)- ₹10,000/- and other common fees as applicable as per fee revision orders.

5. Equivalence

The MBA (Executive) programme is accorded equivalence to regular MBA programme of SMS, and eligible for equivalence certificate.