

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS
INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
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PhD ADMISSION OPEN FOR JULY 2026

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The Department of Physics at IIT Kanpur invites application (in the prescribed format given in the link <https://pingala.iitk.ac.in/PGADM-0/Login>) from interested candidates pursuing a research career via our PhD program. Based on the applications received, the Department conducts selection of candidates twice a year. The admission process involves a rigorous selection procedure which includes a preliminary shortlisting based on GATE/JEST score or UGC/CSIR (JRF only) or master's degree in science from IITs/IISERs with a minimum CPI of 8.0, followed by an interview (for the shortlisted candidates).

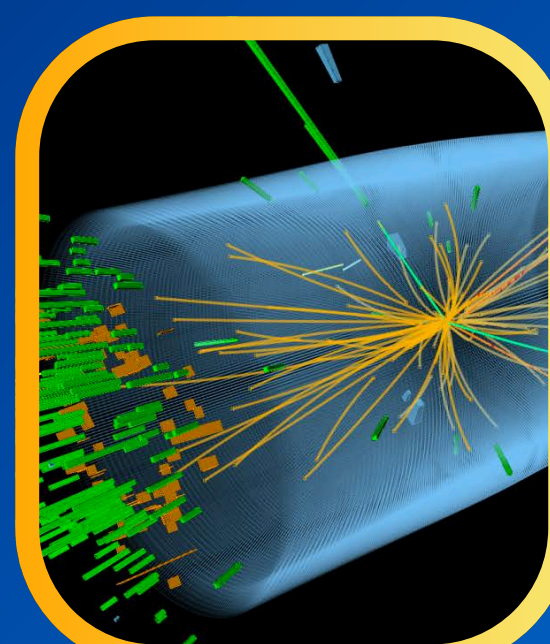
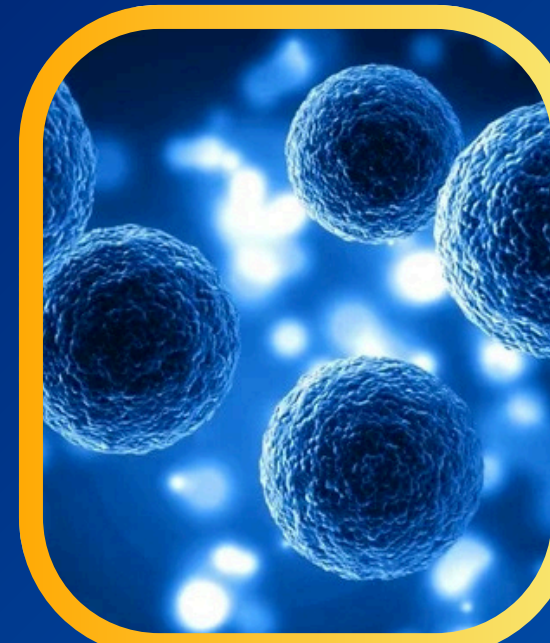
Interview for shortlisted candidates for the admission to July 2026 will be conducted online from 11 May to 13 May 2026.

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Application Deadline:

April 13, 2026 (Monday), 02:00 PM



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