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## COMMON APTITUDE TEST MAH-AR-CAT-2008 & CAP FOR ADMISSION TO FIRST YEAR OF FIVE YEAR DEGREE COURSE IN ARCHITECTURE

In pursuance of the Hon. Supreme Court of India, New Delhi in SLP (Civil) No 3964/2008 with Civil Appeal No. 364/2005, Dated 24/07/2008. Applications are invited from the eligible candidates for the admission to First Year of Five Year Degree Course in **Architecture** for the academic year 2008-2009 in Government, Govt. Aided, University Departments and Un-aided Institutes (Who have given consent to participate in CAP) approved by AICTE/COA in Maharashtra State.

### Eligibility criteria for appearing to MAH-AR-CAT 2008

The candidates should be Indian National and must have passed the HSC (Std. XII) examination of Maharashtra State Board of Secondary and Higher Secondary Education or its equivalent examination with **Mathematics** as the subject at HSC or Diploma (10+3 Level) or its equivalent examination and secured minimum 50% aggregate marks ( 45% aggregate marks for backward class category candidates from Maharashtra State only).

### Eligibility criteria for Maharashtra State Candidate, J & K Migrant candidate, GoI nominee Candidate for admission to first year of degree course in Architecture through CAP :

Candidate should have obtained minimum 40% marks i.e. 80 marks out of 200 (minimum 35% marks i.e. 70 marks out of 200 in case of candidates of Backward class categories belonging to Maharashtra state only) at MAH-AR-CAT 2008.

### Eligibility criteria for Admission to AIEEE Seats in Unaided Architecture Institutes

The Candidate must have passed AIEEE 2008 (Paper 2) Examination [both Maharashtra & OMS] with minimum 40% Marks in paper 2 are required to fill the online application form ,take print out and send it for conformation to The Principal, Sir J. J. College of Architecture, 78/3, D. N. Road, (Near CST Railway Station) Mumbai 400 001. Such candidates will be considered eligible for centralized admission process only after confirmation of application form.

### Scheme of CAT Examination:-

The MAH-AR-CAT-2008 examination will consist of one common question paper of maximum 200 marks in the subjects of Aesthetic Sensitivity (100 marks) and Drawing (100 marks) to test the aptitude of the candidate for architecture degree course.

### Availability of Information brochure and other details

- Information Brochure will be available for sale at the cost of Rs. 50/- in Cash at all Application Form Receipt Centres (ARCs) listed below.
- It is mandatory to procure the Information Brochure and go through it carefully. The CAT that will be conducted in pursuance of this advertisement is subject to the rules and regulations set out in this information brochure.

- Submission of the application form in response to this advertisement will amount to accepting the afore said rules & regulations unequivocally by the applicant and upon such submission it will be presumed that the **applicant agrees and accepts these rules & regulations as legal, valid and correct**. It will not be open for any applicant, once having submitted the application form to question the legality, validity and correctness of these rules & regulations.
- The Maharashtra State Candidates belonging to VJ/DT, NTB, NT C, NT D, OBC and SBC categories should produce “**Non Creamy layer Certificate**” issued by Sub Divisional Officer/Deputy Collector of the district in addition to the caste certificate. The “Non Creamy layer Certificate” should valid upto 31st March 2009. In case, if these candidates are not able to produce the Non Creamy layer certificate at the time of confirmation of application form at ARC; then such candidates will be treated as **GENERAL** category candidates and such candidates will not be able to stake claim on reserved seats in the entire admission process.
- The Maharashtra State Candidates belonging to SC, ST, VJ/DT, NT(B), NT(C), NT(D), OBC and SBC categories should produce “ **Caste Validity Certificate**” issued by the Divisional/Regional caste Certificate Scrutiny Committee of the respective Division/Region & Social/Tribe Welfare Office at the time of confirmation of application form at ARC; if any candidate could not produce Caste Validity Certificate then such candidate will have to give undertaking on the Non Judicial Stamp Paper of Rs. 50/- along with the receipt of application submitted to Caste Validity Scrutiny Committee.

**Submission and Confirmation of online filled application form:-**

- All Candidates are required to fill the web based online application form at ARC/ Cyber Café or any computer connected to internet and take printout of the “Online filled Application Form”
- The fees for appearing for MAH-AR-CAT 2008 is Rs. 500/- For Reserved Category Candidates belonging to Maharashtra State only and Rs. 700/- For All Other Candidates
- Fee is to be paid at ARC in the form of **Demand Draft / Pay Order only** of any Nationalised /Scheduled/Private Sector Commercial Bank drawn in favour of “**Director of Technical Education, Mumbai**” payable at **Mumbai**. No other mode of payment shall be permitted.
- This fee is **non-refundable and non-transferable** under any circumstances.
- The candidate should sign on the printout of online filled Application Form and attach the required attested copies of certificates.
- All Maharashtra State candidates should go **in person** to the ARC for confirmation along with Original required documents and attested true copies for verification, **two** latest colour passport size photographs. Applications submitted online and subsequently confirmed at ARCs will only be considered valid for further processing.
- Candidate should report to the examination centre half an hour before the examination.

**Schedule of Activities for Architecture Admission**

Sr.No	Activity	Schedule	
		First Date	Last date
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sale of Information Brochure at the designated ARC's</li> </ul>	06/08/2008	10/08/2008
2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Online submission of Application Form for MAH-AR-CAT 2008 at ARC, Cyber Café or from anywhere else through the web site <a href="http://www.dte.org.in/arch">www.dte.org.in/arch</a> for Maharashtra State/OMS/J&amp;K/ NRI/PIO/Foreign National /Foreign Students/Children of Indian Workers in the Gulf Countries candidates</li> <li>• Confirmation of submission of Application Form and Document verification for MAH-AR-CAT 2008 at ARC for Maharashtra State candidates</li> <li>• AIEEE/J&amp;K/OMS/FN/PIO/GoI Nominee Candidates can send printout of Online filled Application Form for MAH-AR-CAT 2008 so as to reach on or before 10/08/2008 up to</li> </ul>		

	5.00 PM only at "The Principal, Sir J. J. College of Architecture, 78/3, D. N. Road, Mumbai 400 001 along with DD/Pay order and required documents through registered Post / Courier /Hand Delivery. Such candidates (except AIEEE) should take the printout of Hall Ticket through their login after confirmation		
3	Date & Timing of MAH-AR-CAT 2008	<b>Sunday, August 17, 2008</b> 02.00 PM	
4	Declaration of result of MAH-AR-CAT 2008	25/08/2008 at 5.00 PM	
5	Display of Provisional Seat Distribution of Architecture Institutes in CAP	26/08/2008 at 5.00 PM	
6	Provisional Merit of Maharashtra/AIEEE/J&K/OMS/FN/PIO/GoI Nominee Candidates	27/08/2008 at 5.00 PM	
7	Submission of grievance applications, if any, by Maharashtra/AIEEE/J&K/OMS/FN/PIO/GoI Nominee Candidates at ARC	28/08/2008	29/08/2008
8	Final Merit of Maharashtra/AIEEE/J&K/OMS/FN/PIO/GoI Nominee Candidates.	30/08/2008 at 5.00 PM	
9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Submission of Online <b>Option Form of CAP Round-I</b> at ARC or from anywhere else through the web site by Maharashtra/AIEEE Candidates</li> <li>• Confirmation of submission of online option form of CAP Round-I <i>in person</i> at ARC by Maharashtra State and AIEEE candidates.</li> </ul>	01/09/2008	04/09/2008
10	Display of provisional <b>allotment of CAP Round-I</b> for Maharashtra State & AIEEE Candidates	05/09/2008 at 5.00PM	
11	<b>Reporting</b> to the institute as per allotment in CAP round-I by Maharashtra State candidates and AIEEE candidates.	06/09/2008	08/09/2008
12	<b>Display of Institute wise vacancy position for CAP Round-II</b>	09/09/2008	
13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Submission of Online <b>Option Form of CAP Round-II</b> at ARC or from anywhere else through the web site by Maharashtra/AIEEE Candidates</li> <li>• Confirmation of submission of online option form of CAP Round-II <i>in person</i> at ARC by Maharashtra State and AIEEE candidates.</li> </ul>	10/09/2008	12/09/2008
14	Display of provisional <b>allotment of CAP Round-II</b> for Maharashtra State & AIEEE Candidates	15/09/2008 at 5.00 PM	
15	<b>Reporting</b> to the institute as per allotment in CAP round-II by Maharashtra State candidates and AIEEE candidates.	16/09/2008	18/09/2008
16	Display of Institute wise vacancy position for admission by counseling	19/09/2008	
17	<b>Round of admission by counseling (CAP Round-III) only for the Maharashtra State candidates in person</b> at Sir J. J. College of Architecture, 78/3, D. N. Road, Mumbai 400 001	22/09/2008	
18	<b>Reporting to the institute as per allotment in Round by Counseling (CAP Round-III) by the Maharashtra State candidates</b>	23/09/2008	24/09/2008
19	<b>Round of Admission by counseling for J &amp; K Migrant candidates in person</b> at Sir J. J. College of Architecture, 78/3, D. N. Road, Mumbai 400 001	08/09/2008	
20	Reporting to the institute as per admission in Counselling by J & K migrant candidates.	09/09/2008	
21	Commencement of new academic year 2008-09	20/09/2008	
22	Cut off Date for all types of admissions for the academic year 2008-09	30/09/2008	

### LIST OF APPLICATION FORM RECEIPT CENTERS (ARCs)

Sr.No	Name & Address of the Application form Receipt Centers
1.	St. Xavier's Technical Institute, Mahim Causeway Road, Mahim, Mumbai -400016
2.	Vidya Prasarak Mandal's Polytechnic, Chendani, Bunder Road, Jnanadweep, College Campus, Thane-400601
3.	Government Polytechnic, Near Thibaw Palace, Ratnagiri-415612
4.	Marathwada Mitra Mandal's College of Architecture, Deccan Gymkhana, Pune -411 004
5.	Government Polytechnic, New Building, Samangaon, Nashik-422010
6.	S.S.B.T.'s College of Engineering and Technology, P.O.Box 94, C.O.E.T, Jalgaon-425001
7.	Government College of Engineering, Osmanpura, Aurangabad-431005
8.	Government Polytechnic, Veer Sawarkar Marg, Baba Nagar, Nanded-431602
9.	Government Polytechnic, Vidyanager, Kolhapur-416004
10.	Walchand Institute of Technology, Solapur-413501
11.	Government College of Engineering, VMV Road, Near Kathora Naka, Amravati-444604
12.	Government Polytechnic, Mangalwar Bazar, Nagpur-440001

### Late Submission & Confirmation of application form:-

The candidates who may fail to confirm the On-line Application Form at the Designated ARCs will be permitted fill and confirm the On-line Application form at the following address after payment of additional late fee of Rs.500/- in cash. Such candidates have to fill and confirm the Application form *in person* on **11th August 2008** up to 5.00 PM only at, Sir J. J. College of Architecture, 78/3, D. N. Road, (Near CST Railway Station) Mumbai 400 001

- Applications received after last date of schedule and/or incomplete applications will be summarily rejected and no communication in this regard will be done with the candidate.
- All ARCs will remain open on all days including holidays for Sale of Information Brochure, submission and confirmation of Online Application Form/Option Form between 11.00 AM & 5.00 PM

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