

QUICK FACTS FOR COHORT XII

(IFRC-TISS Certificate Programme in Disaster Management)

Who Can Apply?

The Programme is meant for a wide variety of learners/practitioners in disaster management and the humanitarian sector, globally. IFRC, National Society volunteers, professionals and others interested in humanitarian work can apply.

Entry Requirements:

- Applicants should have at least a Second Class Bachelor's Degree or an overseas equivalent. Each application is judged on its own merits, and exceptions to this entry requirement may be made.
- Applicants who do not have a Bachelor's Degree or the overseas equivalent may apply if they demonstrate (via a personal statement) that they can communicate clearly in English, are highly motivated, and have experience of prior learning.
- Candidates from developing countries are encouraged. Up to 50 qualified participants will be selected to participate in each course.
- Ability to communicate in English, work on a computer, and have reasonable access to Internet

Language of Instruction:

The medium of instruction will be English. Hence, participants are expected to be able to read and understand theoretical material in English, write in English, and interact with other participants in English.

Annual Timetable and Duration:

The Programme has two intakes in a year. The applications process start at least 3 months in advance of the start of the cohort. Each cohort concludes 12 months from the start of the Programme.

Selection Process:

TISS and IFRC will select up to 50 qualified participants from those who apply to attend this course in Cohort XII. The selected candidates will be informed through email.

Application Timeline: Cohort XII

- Application Process starts from July 18, 2018.
- The last date for bursary application is August 15, 2018, 23:59 hrs IST(GMT+5:30hrs)

- Application Process closes on October 12, 2018, 23:59 hrs IST(GMT+5:30hrs)
- Cohort XII begins from November 12, 2018

Fees:

Participant Type	Fees*
IFRC and National Societies Participants	USD 990
TISS Alumni	USD 990
Standard Program Fee	USD 1,980

* Fees once paid are non-refundable although admissions can be transferred to the next cohort in exceptional cases.

Bursary/ Scholarship:

A limited number of bursaries are on offer to the most in need. Applicants for the bursary should complete the bursary section in the application process and ensure that they demonstrate the need for this support in their application. The selection process will be completely on merit and means basis. The last date for bursary application is August 15, 2018, 23:59 hrs IST(GMT+5:30hrs)

Qualification Received :

Candidates who successfully complete the course will receive a Certificate in Disaster Management, issued by the Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai, India.

How to Apply :

Applications must be submitted online through <http://ifrc.tiss.edu/>

Additional inquiries can be addressed by email to onlinedm@tiss.edu