SHIVAJI UNIVERSITY, KOLHAPUR

Department of Geography

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Establishment Year: 1968

Programmes Offered in the Department

Sr.	Programme Name	Branch	Duration		Intake	Eligibility Criteria
No			Year	Month		
1	M.A/ M.Sc.	Geography	2	0	60	B.A / B. Sc. in Geography
2	PG Diploma-Post Graduate Diploma	Geoinformatics	1	0	30	Graduate/ Post Graduate of Geography/ science faculty/ Engineering
3	PG Diploma-Post Graduate Diploma	Tourism and Travel	1	0	40	Any Graduate

Ph.D Offered: Yes

Placement opportunities:

- Education: Teachers, (Lecturers, Assistant Professors in various Higher Secondary Schools, Colleges and Universities).
- UPSC/ MPSC
- GIS Trainee, GIS Executive, GIS Expert, GIS Engineer,
- ➤ GIS Consultancy (Startup)
- Jobs in Land Surveying
- Population surveyor, Programme officer (NGO's)
- Tour Guide, Tour Manager

Salient Features of the Department:

- ➤ GIS Consultancy Work
- ➤ More Than 60 % placement record
- Tourism & Travel Facility Center
- Edusat Based Remote Sensing Training Programmes IIRS, Dehradun
- GIS, GPS Training workshop for Agricultural Officers, RAMETI
- NET/ SET and Remedial Coaching

Teaching Staff Information

Sr.N	Faculty Name	Designation
1	Prof. (Dr.) Sambhaji D. Shinde	Professor and Head
2	Prof. (Dr.) Sachin S. Panhalkar	Professor
3	Prof. (Dr.) Suresh K. Pawar	Professor
4	Prof. (Dr.) Jagdish B. Sapkale	Professor
5	Dr. Dhanashree S. Shinde	Associate Professor
6	Dr. Dnyaneshwar H Pawar	Assistant Professor
7	Dr. Prashant T. Patil	Assistant Professor
8	Dr. Sumanta Dandapath	Assistant Professor
9	Dr. Meena B. Potdar	Assistant Professor
10	Dr. Vidya A. Chougule	Assistant Professor
11	Dr. Abhijit S. Patil	Assistant Professor
12	Mr. Sudhir K. Powar	Assistant Professor

Infrastructure Facilities

Two large classroom with ICT facilities			
Soil and Water Analysis Laboratory			
Computer Lab			
Geoinformatic Lab			
Separate Common Room exclusively for Girls			
Ramp available for Persons with Physical Disability			

Conference Hall				
Separate departmental library (with 500+ books & thesis)				
Smart Classrooms				
Seminar Hall				
Meeting room cum presentation hall.				
Wi-Fi access for students, teachers, staffs and visitors				

Equipments

Sr.No	Equipments Name	Description / Use	
1	Total Station	Surveying	
2	GPS	Surveying	
3	Drone	Surveying	
4	Theodolite	Surveying	
5	Camera	Surveying	
6	Automatic Weather Station (AWS)	Climatic Data Collections and analysis	
7	Workstation, GIS Software (ArcGIS Package, ERDAS Imagine, LPS etc.), Stereoscopes	Data analysis	
8	Satellite Imageries, Aerial Photographs, Toposheets, Weather Maps, Reference Maps	Analysis and Map preparation	

Other information:

UGC-SAP, Purse Sponsored Department: Thrust Areas

- Resource appraisal and planning for development in Maharashtra
- ❖ Geo-hazard assessment, Remote sensing, GIS
- Hydrodynamic flood modeling
- ❖ Tourism, fluvial geomorphology, Socio-economic development, Industrial location analysis

Head of the Department