

## List of Universities/Institutions approved by Distance Education Council (As on 06/4/2009)

\* DEC in its 28<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 23.03.2007 had taken a decision to replace earlier practice of approval of programmes with that of institutional recognition. Therefore, the DEC does not give the approval to programmes but institutions and their programmes that are approved by statutory bodies of the university. In case of technical/professional programmes offered by them, approval from the concerned apex/regulatory bodies in the country is required to be obtained for which responsibility vests with the university concerned

S.No	University / Institute Name	Provisional Recognition	Continuance of Provisional Recognition	Regular Recognition		Post facto Recognition
				From	To	
	<b>National Open University</b>					
1	Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi			Since Inception	Till Date	
	<b>State Open University</b>					
1	Dr. B.R.Ambedkar Open University, Hyderabad	2007-08	*****	31/08/2008	7/4/2013	*****
2	Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Open University, Ahmedabad, Gujarat	2007-08	*****	31/08/2008	7/4/2013	*****
<b>3</b>	<b>Karnataka State Open University, Mysore, Karnataka</b>	<b>2007-08</b>	<b>*****</b>	<b>31/08/2008</b>	<b>7/4/2013</b>	<b>*****</b>
4	Krishanakant Handique State Open University, Guwahati, Assam	2007-08	*****	31/08/2008	7/4/2013	*****
5	M.P.Bhoj(Open) University, Bhopal, MP	2007-08	*****	31/08/2008	7/4/2013	*****
6	Nalanda Open University, Patna, Bihar	2007-08	*****	31/08/2008	7/4/2013	1997 to 2007
7	Netaji Subhas Open University, Kolkata, WB	2007-08	*****	31/08/2008	7/4/2013	*****
8	Pt. Sunderlal Sharma (Open) University, Bilaspur, Chattisgarh	2007-08	*****	31/08/2008	7/4/2013	*****
9	Tamil Nadu Open University, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	2007-08	*****	31/08/2008	7/4/2013	*****

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10	U.P.Rajarshi Tandon Open University, Allahabad, UP	2007-08	*****	31/08/2008	7/4/2013	*****
11	Uttarakhand Open University, Haldwani, Uttarakhand	2007-08	*****	31/08/2008	7/4/2013	*****
12	Vardhaman Mahaveer Open University, Kota, Rajasthan	2007-08	*****	31/08/2008	7/4/2013	*****
13	Yashwantrao Chavan Maharashtra Open University, Nasik, Maharashtra	2007-08	*****	31/08/2008	7/4/2013	*****
	<b>Dual Mode Universities</b>					
	<b>ANDHRA PRADESH</b>					
1	Andhra University, Vishakhapatnam	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
2	Central Institute of English and Foreign Languages University, Hyderabad	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
3	Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University, Hyderabad	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
4	Kakatiya University, Warangal	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****

5	Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Hyderabad	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
6	Nagarjuna University, Guntur	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
7	National Academy of Legal Studies and Research University (NALSAR), Hyderabad	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
8	Osmania University, Hyderabad	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
9	Potti Sreeramulu Telugu University, Hyderabad	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
10	Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeeth, Tirupati	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
11	Sri Krishnadevaraya University, Anantapur	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
12	Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
13	Sri. Padmavathi Mahila Visvavidyalayam, Tirupati	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
14	University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
15	Dravidian University, Kuppam	2007-08	Till the committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	*****
<b>ARUNACHAL PRADESH</b>						
1	Rajiv Gandhi University, Itanagar	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
<b>ASSAM</b>						
1	Dibrugarh University, Dibrugarh	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
2	Gauhati University, Guwahati	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
<b>BIHAR</b>						
1	B. R. A. Bihar University, Muzaffarpur	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****

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2	Lalit Narayan Mithila University, Darbhanga	2007-08	Till the committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	*****
3	Magadh University, Bodh Gaya	2007-08	Till the committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	*****
4	Patna University, Patna	*****	*****	2008-09	2010-11	1995-2006
<b>CHATTISGARH</b>						
1	Pt. Ravi Shankar Shukla University, Raipur	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
2	MATS University, Raipur	2009-10	Till the committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	*****
<b>DELHI</b>						

1	Jamia Milia Islamia, New Delhi	2007-08	Till the committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	*****
2	Jamia Hamdard, New Delhi	2007-08	Till the committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	*****
3	Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan (Demed University), Delhi	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
4	Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University, Delhi	2008-09	*****	*****	*****	*****
	<b>GUJARAT</b>					
1	Gujarat Vidyapith, Ahmedabad	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
2	Sumandeep University, Boroda	2007-08	Till the committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	*****
	<b>HARYANA</b>					
1	Chaudhary Devlal University, Sirsa	2007-08	Till the committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	*****
2	Guru Jambheshwar University, Hisar	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
3	Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra	2007-08	Till the committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	*****
4	Maharishi Dayanand University, Rohtak	2007-08	Till the committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	1995-2007
5	Maharshi Markandeshwar University, Ambala	2008-09	*****	*****	*****	*****
	<b>HIMACHAL PRADESH</b>					
1	Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****

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	<b>JAMMU &amp; KASHMIR</b>					
1	University of Jammu, Jammu	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
2	University of Kashmir, Srinagar	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
	<b>KARNATAKA</b>					
1	Bangalore University, Bangalore	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
2	Gulbarga University, Gulbarga	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
3	Kannada University, Hampi	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
4	Karnataka University, Dharwad	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
5	Kuvempu University, Shimoga	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
6	Mangalore University, Mangalore	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
7	Manipal University, Manipal	2007-08	Till the committee visits and submits its	*****	*****	*****

			recommendations			
8	National Law School of India University, Bangalore	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
9	Swami Vivekananda Yoga Anusandhan Sansthan, Bangalore	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
10	Visvesvaraya Technological University, Belgaum	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
	<b>KERALA</b>					
1	Kannur University, Kannur	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
2	Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
3	University of Calicut, Kozhikode	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
4	University of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
	<b>MADHYA PRADESH</b>					
1	Awadhesh Pratap Singh University, Rewa	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
2	Barkatullah Vishwavidyalaya, Bhopal	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
3	Devi Ahilya Vishwavidyalaya, Indore	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
4	Dr. Harisingh Gour Vishwavidyalaya, Sagar	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
5	Jiwaji University, Gwalior	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
6	M.G.Chitrakoot Gramodaya Vishwavidyalaya, Chitrakoot	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
7	Maharishi Mahesh Yogi Vedic Vishwavidyalaya, Katni	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
8	Rani Durgawati University, Jabalpur	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
	<b>MAHARASHTRA</b>					
1	Bharati Vidyapeeth University, Pune	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****

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2	Dr. D Y Patil University, Pune	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
3	International Institute for Population Sciences, Mumbai	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
4	Mahatma Gandhi Antarrashtriya Vishwavidyalaya, Wardha	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
5	Narsee Monjee Institute of Management Studies, Mumbai	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
6	Padamshree Dr. D Y Patil University, Mumbai	2007-08	Till the expert committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	*****
7	Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University, Amravati	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****

8	Shivaji University, Kolhapur	2007-08	Till the expert committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	*****
9	SNDT - Women's University, Mumbai	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
10	Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University, Nanded	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
11	Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
12	Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth, Pune	2007-08	Till the expert committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	*****
13	University of Mumbai, Mumbai	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
	<b>MEGHALAYA</b>					
1	North-Eastern Hill University, Shillong	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
	<b>MIZORAM</b>					
1	ICFAI, Aizwal	2008-09	*****	*****	*****	*****
	<b>NAGALAND</b>					
1	The Global Open University, Dimapur	2008-09	*****	*****	*****	*****
	<b>ORISSA</b>					
1	Berhampur University, Berhampur	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
2	Fakir Mohan University, Balasore	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
3	North Orissa University, Mayurbhanj	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
4	Sambalpur University, Sambalpur	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
5	Utkal University, Bhubaneswar	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
	<b>PUDUCHERRY</b>					
1	Pondicherry University, Puduchery	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	1995-2006-07

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	<b>PUNJAB</b>					
1	Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
2	Lovely Professional University, Phagwara"	2007-08	Till the expert committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	*****
3	Punjab University, Chandigarh	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
4	Punjab Technical University, Jalandhar	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	Till 2007
5	Punjabi University, Patiala	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
6	Thapar Instt. Of Engg. & Technology, Patiala	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****

	<b>RAJASTHAN</b>					
1	IASE Deemed University, Sardarshar	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	Till 2005
2	Jain Vishva Bharati Institute, Ladnun	2007-08	Till the committee visits and submits its recommendation	*****	*****	*****
3	JRN Rajasthan Vidyapeeth, Udaipur	2007-08	Till the committee visits and submits its recommendation	*****	*****	Till 2005
	<b>SIKKIM</b>					
1	Sikkim Manipal University,	2007-08	Till the committee visits and submits its recommendation	*****	*****	Till 2007
2	ICFAI, Gangtok	2008-09	*****	*****	*****	*****
	<b>TAMIL NADU</b>					
1	Annamalai University, Annamalinagar	*****	*****	15/02/2007	14/02/2012	1995-2007
2	Bharath Institute of Higher Education and Research, Chennai	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
3	Bharathiar University, Coimbatore	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
4	Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirapalli	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
5	Dakshin Bharat Hindi Prachar Sabha, Chennai	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
6	Dr. MGR University, Chennai	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
7	Gandhigram Rural Institute, Gandhigram	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
8	Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	1995-2007
9	Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelvali	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
10	Periyar University, Salem	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
11	Shanmugha Arts, Science, Technology & Research Academy (SASTRA), Thanjavur	2007-08	Till the committee visits and submits its recommendation	*****	*****	*****
12	Sri Chandrasekharendra Saraswathi Viswamahavidyalaya, Kanchipuram	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****

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13	Sri Ramachandra University, Chennai	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
14	SRM University, Kanchipuram	2007-08	Till the committee visits and submits its recommendation	*****	*****	*****
15	Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
16	Tamil Nadu Dr. Ambedkar Law University, Chennai	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
17	Tamil University, Thanjavur	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
18	University of Madras, Chennai	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	1995-2007
19	PRIST University, Thanjavur	2008-09	*****	*****	*****	*****
20	Periyar Manimmai University,	2008-09	*****	*****	*****	*****

	Thanjavur					
21	Karunya University, Coimbatore	2008-09	*****	*****	*****	*****
22	Vinayaka Mission 's University, Salem	*****	*****	Feb. 2007	Feb. 2012	Till 2005
23	Alagappa University	2008-09	*****	*****	*****	*****
24	St. Peter's University, Chennai	*****	*****	Academic year 2009-10	Academic Year 2011-12	*****
	<b>TRIPURA</b>					
1	Tripura University, Suryamaninagar	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
2	The ICFAI University, Agartala	2008-09	*****	*****	*****	*****
	<b>UTTAR PRADESH</b>					
1	Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
2	Allahabad Agricultural Institute (Deemed University), Allahabad	2007-08	Till the decision by the Joint Committee	*****	*****	Till 2005
3	Amity University, Noida	2007-08	Till committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	*****
4	Dayalbagh Education Institute, Agra	2007-08	Till committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	*****
5	Dr. B.R. Ambedkar University, Agra	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
6	Jagatguru Ram Bhadracharya Handicapped University, Chitrakoot Dham	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
7	Shobhit Institute of Engg. & Tech. (Deemed University), Meerut	2007-08	Till committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	*****
8	University of Allahabad, Allahabad	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
9	University of Lucknow, Lucknow	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
	<b>UTTARAKHAND</b>					
1	Dev Sanskriti Vishwavidyalaya, Haridwar	2008-09	*****	18/06/2009	Till academic year 2012-13	*****
2	Gurukul Kangri Vishwavidyalaya, Haridwar	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****

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3	ICFAI University, Dehradun	2007-08	Till committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	*****
	<b>WEST BENGAL</b>					
1	Jadavpur University, Kolkata	2007-08	Till committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	*****
2	Rabindra Bharati University, Kolkata	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****

3	University of Burdwan, Burdwan	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
4	University Of Kalyani, Kalyani	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
5	University of North Bengal, Darjeeling	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
6	Vidyasagar University, Midnapore	2007-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
	<b>INSTITUTES</b>					
1	Symbiosis Centre for Distance Learning, Pune	2005-08	Till committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	*****
2	IMT Distance and Open Learning Institute, Ghaziabad	2007-08	Till committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	From 2006-7 till Oct 2007
3	Welingkar Institute of Management Development and Research, Mumbai	2008-09	Till committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	*****
4	AIMA, Delhi	2008-09	*****	*****	*****	For 2006-07 and up to 18/01/2008
5	BLS Institute of Management, Ghaziabad	2008-09	*****	*****	*****	*****
6	Sinhgad Technical Education Society	2008-09	Till committee visits and submits its recommendations	*****	*****	*****
7	MIT School of Distance Education, Pune, Maharashtra	2008-09	*****	*****	*****	*****
8	IILM Institute of Higher Education, Gurgaon	2008-09	*****	*****	*****	*****
9	Institute of Rail Transport, New Delhi	2008-09	*****	*****	*****	*****
10	IILM Institute of Higher Education, Lodhi Road, New Delhi	2008-09	*****	*****	*****	*****
11	Indian Institute of Carpet Technology, Bhadohi, UP	2006-08	*****	*****	*****	*****
12	Asian School of Busines Management, Bhubaneshwar	2008-09	*****	*****	*****	*****
13	Indira Distance Education Academy (IDEA), Wakad, Pune	*****	*****	Academic Year 2008-09	Academic Year 2010-11	*****