

Frequently Asked Questions on NIFT Campus Placement 2016

Q1. What is NIFT Campus Placement (NCP)?

Ans. NIFT Campus Placement (NCP) is an annual activity conducted for facilitating the placement of its regular students.

Q2. How do I participate in the NIFT Campus Placements (NCP)?

Ans: You need to register on jobseeker link available on Campus Management System software(CMS) i.e. www.cmsnift.com for participating in the NIFT Campus Placements.

Q3. What are the eligibility criteria?

Ans: He/She should be a bona-fide NIFT student undergoing a regular programme and has been successfully promoted to the last semester of the programme. Student (s) undergoing any investigations by police or involved in any disciplinary proceeding case are not eligible to participate in NCP.

Q4. How do I come to know about more placement details?

Ans: Any update on NCP will be posted on NIFT website i.e. nift.ac.in as well as on www.cmsnift.com. Kindly regularly visit the website for updates.

Q5. How are Companies selected to participate in the campus placement?

Ans: A Selection Committee looks at several factors while selecting a company. The criteria may include the relevance of the firm in terms of the product groups, skill sets / functions, type of firms, etc. A combination of factors ensures diversity of companies to meet the requirements of different programmes.

Q6. Who can participate in the NCP?

Ans: NIFT student pursuing the 2 year PG Programme or 4 year UG Programme offered at any of NIFT campuses can participate in the NCP provided he/she meets the eligibility criteria and has registered for NCP on or before the last date of registration.

Q7. Can a student, participate in any of the campuses for NIFT Campus Placement 2016?

Ans: The students will be free to register for any number campuses before 5th March 2016.

Q8. Can I register for all the Campuses?

Ans: Once you start applying to companies through CMS you are automatically registered for that company on that day on a specific campus.

Q9. Do I need to register for participating in NIFT Campus Placement 2016?

Ans: Yes. You need to. You can apply against all the vacancies posted on the CMS which will be open to all students. Participating companies can access your profile and shortlist based on the profile and can inform which campuses they would like to meet you.

Q10. What is the process of registration?

Ans: A Student is required to login to CMS using your login ID and register on job seeker form which is available in your login.

Q11. I am appearing for final semester exam this year. Is the declaration of results necessary for participating in NIFT Campus Placement 2016?

Ans: There are no such restrictions. A student should have been successfully promoted to the last semester that is 8th semester in case of UG programme & 4th semester in case of PG programme & of the programme to participate in NIFT Campus Placement.

Q12. Can I participate in NIFT Campus Placement through Video Conferencing?

Ans: Yes, you can virtually participate in the placement process. Your request will be placed before the recruiting company if they desire so separate arrangements can be facilitated by NIFT campus if company accepts the request.

Q13. Once I have registered for any company , can I change the choice later?

Ans : You can register for any campuses where placement is conducted. Once registered for a vacancy you can modify it till the last date of registration.

Q14. Will these hub campuses provide food and accommodation to students?

Ans: You will have to arrange for your food and accommodation.

Q15. Will the Campuses take care of the safety of girls?

Ans : NIFT Campuses have adequate security for taking care of its students including girl students.

Q16. Can we visit other campuses after the commencement of placement?

Ans: Yes, you can.

Q17. Are placement interviews done on Campus?

Ans:Yes. Most of the globally renowned companies come to NIFT campuses for selection of students. As per our experience, about 90% of companies conduct the interviews on campus.

Q18. Is there any connection between internships/GP's and final placements?

Ans : Yes. Internships can lead to placement in the same company, provided they offer a PPO offer through their CMS login & same is accepted by the student , if accepted said student won't be allowed to sit in placement further.

Q19. Which companies visit campuses for selection?

Ans : A large number of companies visit campus every year, For detailed Pls. visit your student login in which automatically name of companies would be reflected who are offering vacancies against a particular course.

Q20. How will I get to know, about the details of the participating companies?

Ans: Participating companies register on CMS, For detailed Pls. visit your student login in which automatically name of companies would be reflected who are offering vacancies against a particular course. Kindly regularly visit your student CMS login for further updates.

Q21. Is the placement guaranteed?

Ans : Placement are related to performance during the selection interview. NIFT does not guarantee placements. Over the years, all eligible NIFT graduates have secured placements in well known companies.

Q22. Are there any overseas job opportunities for NIFT graduates?

Ans : Yes. Some of the participating companies recruit for locations outside India.

Q23. Which are frequent locations?

Ans : Middle East, Bangladesh etc.

Q24. Is it mandatory to participate in the NIFT Campus Placement?

Ans: It is not mandatory. The choice is yours. You may mention your choice in CMS login.

Q25. Under what circumstances one does not participate in the NIFT Campus Placement.

Ans : Student who have planned for higher studies or planning to start their own business generally do not participate in the Campus placement & they should update their choice in CMS login.

Q26. Does this not affect the placement rate?

Ans: Yes. It does. Therefore, the students who intends to pursue higher studies and entrepreneurship are required to update their choice in CMS login.

Q27. Does NIFT assist a student in their higher studies?

Ans: NIFT resource centre offers rich literature on the various options for study abroad. Facultymentors also offer guidance if you approach them.

Q28. Does NIFT assist a student with entrepreneurial aspiration?

Ans: You can always approach your RIC at centre for guidance.

Q29. Can I look for a job on my own?

Ans : Yes. You can. It is better that you participate in the NIFT Campus Placement first as obtaining the first job on your own may not be easy.

Q30. What if I've offered job ahead of placement i.e. Pre Placement Offer (PPO)?

Ans. You can accept or reject the offer. Inform the mentor and Centre Coordinator about your decision and update your records on CMS .

Q31. What is the advantage if I accept the offer? What is the best practice?

Ans: Pre-placement offer (PPO) insulates you from the campus competition for jobs. It is also arecognition of the good work done during your Graduation Project. The practice is that studentsnormally accept the PPO.

Q32. What is the advantage if I reject the offer?

Ans: There is no real advantage in rejecting the offer except that you can participate in the campus and search for a job.

Q33. What if I do not a get a job offer through NIFT Campus Placement?

Ans: That is also a possibility. As said earlier, placements are related to performance. You mayget in touch with RICs/CCs/Mentors to see if there are any existing opportunities.

Q34. Can I take the earlier PPO offer?

Ans: Yes, you may, provided if it is still open and the company is keen in extending it to you.

Q35. When do I have to join a company for job?

Ans: You can join the company after you have completed your course related formalities viz.convocation, graduation show, etc. In our opinion you should be able to join the company in thefirst week of June. However, this decision is also dependent on the joining date given by thecompany.
