## **R.21** Admission to Foreign Students for Research Projects

- (1) No foreign student shall be admitted for any undergraduate course or part of the course or any curricular assignment.
- (2) Foreign students may be admitted for a part of the project only if the respective foreign university has signed an MOA with the UICT indicating a provision for such exchange of students on reciprocal basis.
- (3) No Foreign student shall be allowed to work in the Institute for a periods of more than 12 months from the date of joining the Institute.
- (4) Foreign students who are eligible under (2) above shall be admitted to the UICT as Occasional Research Students, under the following conditions:
  - (a) A candidate desirous of availing a facility of working in the Institute for a short period, he/she has to be a regular student of a foreign recognized University with which the Institute has signed an MOA, as mentioned in (2) above.
  - (b) The candidate shall apply to the Institute through a recognized guide of the Institute for such a facility.
  - (c) If the guide receiving such an application agrees to accept the student, the application should be submitted to the Head of the Department concerned.
  - (d) The application of the candidate shall be processed by the respective Departmental committee, and with suitable recommendations will be forwarded to the Director for approval.
  - (e) The application shall be forwarded to the Director, with details such as specific provision in the MOA, nature of work to be carried out, time, expenditure involved, source of expenditure, insurance, etc.
  - (f) The candidate may be exempted from paying the fees of the Institute if the tenure is less than 1 calendar month. If it exceeds one calendar month he/she shall have to pay a fee of one semester applicable to PG students of the respective stream, and if it exceeds more than 6 calendar months he/she shall have to pay a fee of one academic year applicable to the PG students of the respective stream.
  - (g) The Institute shall not be committed to provide anything beyond the provisions mentioned in the MOA, if signed officially with the Institute, and it shall be the responsibility of the caretaker guide to look after specific requirements from time to time, if needed.
- (5) The candidates admitted under these provisions are abide by all the rules of the Institute.