

Institute of Business Management

Criteria for the Gold Medal and Merit Certificate

- Semester freeze and break (excluding summer) is not acceptable
- Repeat courses including D and F grades are not acceptable
- A minimum CGPA of 3.60 for Bachelors, 3.70 for Masters, 3.75 for MS/MPhil, and 3.80 for PhD with the highest honors and ranked as a top student in the program
- Masters after Bachelors students will be evaluated based on their overall performance, duration and CGPA. A semester freeze or break between two programs, excluding the summer, is also not acceptable
- Students must be registered for the convocation
- Students must not have any disciplinary punishments
- Timely completion of the degree program as per the table shown below and summer after the final semester is also not allowed:

Programs	Credit Hours	Courses	Duration in Years	Regular Semesters
Bachelors	129 - 144	43 - 48	4	8
Masters	36	12	1.5	3
	39 - 72	13 - 24	2	4
MS and M.Phil	30 or 33	8 or 9 + Research Thesis	1.5	-
Ph.D.	48	6 + Research Thesis	3	-

The Institute reserves the right to amend the policy from time to time.