

Selection Procedures for NIFT Students for One Year Associate in Applied Science (AAS) Program at Fashion Institute of Technology (FIT), New York ACADEMIC YEAR 2018-19

Program Eligible

The students of following programs of NIFT Bachelor's Degree in Design shall participate in the AAS program at FIT:

- Fashion Design
- Textile Design
- Fashion Communication
- Fashion & Lifestyle Accessories
- Leather Design
- Knitwear Design

Semester that can apply

The 3rd semester students of above mentioned programmes can apply

Program Duration and Period:

The 7th batch will start in the Fall semester (August 2018)

Course Fees

The breakup of total expenses is as below for the year 2018-19:

ESTIMATED TUITION & FEES at FIT	FALL 2018	SPRING 2019	TOTAL
Tuition (Associate-level)	\$6,750.00	\$6,750.00	\$13,500.00
Technology Fee	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$200.00
Student Activity Fee	\$65.00	\$65.00	\$130.00
Recreation & Athletics Fee	\$50.00	\$50.00	\$100.00
Health Services	\$150.00	\$150.00	\$300.00
Health Insurance (Gallagher-Koster Insurance through FIT)	\$770.00	\$770.00	\$1,540.00
TOTAL	\$7,885.00	\$7,885.00	\$15,770.00

Students applying for AAS programme at FIT shall submit a security deposit of Rs. 15,000/- through a PDC (dated 06.11.2017) in favour of NIFT.

The students will also pay a facilitation fee of Rs. 2000/-. The cheque of Rs 2000 as the application processing fee shall be in favour of concerned NIFT centre mentioning date of submission of application in the cheque.

NIFT Selection Process:

The selection of students for one Year AAS program at FIT is done on the basis of following parameters.

- I. Round I : On the Basis of Academic Credentials
- II. Round II : Personality-cum-Aptitude Test
 - a. On the Spot Examination
 - i. Statement of Purpose – Personal Essay
 - ii. Objective Test based on Fashion Industry Knowledge
 - b. Portfolio

Announcement of opportunity for AAS program at FIT by IL office: 22nd September 2017

I. Academic Credentials

The third semester students of participating programs of NIFT who want to undertake the AAS program at FIT should have CGPA of 7.5 and above in Foundation program.

Last date of Submission of filled in Application form by students complete in all respect as per guidelines to C-I&D L: 6th October 2017

Date of submission of Academic credential score of the applicants (Original transcripts of semester 1 & 2 of each applicant) by C-I&D L to Nodal officer as per Annexure 1, 2, 3, 4, 5: 9th October 2017

Date of submission of International Student Recommendation Form to be filled-in by students; collected by respective CILDs and sent to FIT Nodal Officer 13th October 2017

The Nodal officer will compile the Academic Credential Score received from all the centres CI&D L and prepare a list of shortlisted students in consultation with Head –I&D L. The number of students to be shortlisted on the basis of Academic credentials will depend on number of applicants. The nodal officer will forward the list to the office of Head I&D L for declaration of list of shortlisted students.

Declaration of List of Shortlisted students by the office of Head-I&D L: 24th October 2017

- “On the Spot Examination” and Portfolio Submission
The shortlisted students will be informed to appear for the 2nd round of test to be conducted on **8th November 2017 (in the Zero Hour)**. The “On the spot examination checks the writing skills through the Statement of Purpose written by the student and

checks Knowledge of Fashion industry through objective test. The learning outcome of the subjects they have studied upto this point will be evaluated through their Portfolio. The students will be asked to submit their portfolio (hard copy).

**“On the Spot Examination” and Portfolio Submission each centre:
8th November, 2017**

Evaluation and submission of marks of “On the Spot Examination” and Portfolio (at respective NIFT Centers): 10th November, 2017

Compilation of Marks of “On the Spot Examination” and Portfolio (at respective NIFT Centers): 10th November, 2017

Merit List

The Nodal COE, will compile the Academic Credential score (out of 45), On the Spot Examination (out of 30) and Portfolio (out of 25) and calculate cumulative score out of 100 .The Nodal COE will submit the list to Head I&D L by **16th November 2017**.

The office of Head I&DL will prepare the list of final selected students and communicate to C-I&DL and Nodal officer by **20th November 2017**

Date of declaration of result by Head I&D L: 21st November, 2017

Based on the result declared by Head I&DL, the short-listed students will be instructed to appear for TOEFL/IELTS 21st November, 2017

The TOEFL/IELTS results to reach by (via courier) as original hard copy only to Nodal Officer before or on 15th December 2017

Timeline for AAS Program at FIT:

1. Announcement of opportunity for AAS program at FIT by IL office: : **22nd September 2017**
2. Last date of Submission of filled in Application form by students complete in all respect as per guidelines to C-I&D L: **6th October 2017**
Date of submission of Academic credential score of the applicants by C-I&D L to Nodal officer as per Annexure 1, 2, 3, 4, 5: **9th October 2017**
3. Submission of International Student Recommendation Form by students through CILDs to FIT Nodal Officer **13th October 2017**
4. Declaration of List of Shortlisted students by the office of Head-I&D L: **24th October 2017**
5. On the Spot Examination and Portfolio Submission: **8th November, 2017**
6. Evaluation of “On the Spot Examination” and Portfolio: **10th November, 2017**
7. Compilation and submission of Marks of “On the Spot Examination” and portfolio by C-I&D L to the Nodal COE: **10th November, 2017**
8. Preparation of Merit list by Nodal COE, and onward submission to Head- I&D L: **16th November 2017.**
9. Date of declaration of result by Head I&D L: **21st November, 2017**
10. Submission of List of selected students to FIT admission office (via email): **21st November, 2017**
11. Based on the result declared by Head I&DL, the short-listed students will be instructed, by respective CI&DLs to appear for TOEFL/IELTS **21st November, 2017**
12. Submission of TOEFL/IELTS score by student to respective CIDLs: **12th December 2017**
13. The TOEFL/IELTS results to reach by (via courier) as original hard copy to Nodal Officer before or on **15th December 2017**
14. Students to fill online FIT SUNY application form before **31 December 2017**

**NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF FASHION TECHNOLOGY
INTERNATIONAL LINKAGES DIVISION**

Application Form for NIFT Students for Twinning /Exchange Programme at Institutions abroad

I. Section 1: Personal Details

1. Last (family) Name:
- First Name: Middle Name:
2. Date of Birth (Day/Month/Year, e.g. 9 Jan 1980):
3. Gender: M or F 4. Marital Status
5. Citizenship:
6. Your residence address with Parents name:
-
- Tel. No.
7. E-Mail address :
8. Permanent home address :
-
- Tel No.

Section 2: List all academic qualifications (previously attempted or completed Examination/s)

S. No.	Full name of Institution	Duration	Full name of Qualification	State/ Country	Date Commenced Study	Date Completed Study	Full or Part Time
1							
2							
3							

2.1 Current Semester of study at NIFT
Department & NIFT Centre
Current Semester of Study
Batch of Study

SGPAs of all semesters covered till date

Semester I	Semester II	Semester III	Semester IV	Semester V	Semester VI	CGPA of competed semesters duly approved by COE	Approval of CC for selection of Courses

2.2 Work Experience, Internship & Projects Undertaken

S.No.	Duration	Company/Employer	Position & Duties
1			
2			

III. Section 3: Preferred Courses for study during Twinning/Exchange programme (restrict preference upto three institutions only)

S.No.	Name of the Institution	Name of the Programme	Subject /Courses you wish to study
1			
2			
3			

IV. Section 4: References

Please give the **Names, Occupation and Addresses** of **two people** from whom references may be obtained, at least one of whom should be qualified to comment on your Educational Background and Potential for your chosen course.

Academic Reference	Other (or second academic reference)
Name	Name
Occupation	Occupation
Address:	Address
E-Mail	E-Mail
Tel	Tel
Fax	Fax

V Section 5: Languages Spoken

5.1 Number of years you have been studying in English Language

5.2 Any other foreign language that you know:

VI Section 6: Preference of Stay Arrangement

- Own Arrangement
- Hostel
- Host Family
- Any other, please specify

VII Section 7: Statement of purpose (Write a note of not more than 400 words on statement of purpose)

7.1 Any other additional information as to why your application for the programme should be considered.

VIII Section 8: Financial Statement

Financial Sources	Please Tick Yes/No.	
	Yes	No
Sponsor Abroad	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bank Loan/ Other Loan *	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Own funding	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

*** (Details to be enclosed)**

I hereby state that:

- a) I am aware of the official estimate of the cost, provided by the international linkages division of NIFT, including tuition, housing and maintenance fees for the programme, which I intend to follow at the university.
- b) I have at my disposal the financial support to enable me to meet those cost from my own sources
- c) I understand that at the time of registration I will be in position to pay my admission fee in full.
- d) I am aware that I have to pay tuition fee at NIFT & also at the twinning study institution in full before the stipulated date of programme.

8.1 Have you ever applied for fee subsidy at NIFT?

8.2 If yes, please give details.....

IX. Section 9: Declaration

I confirm that the information given on this form is correct & I have not taken any other International exchange opportunity in NIFT prior to this

Applicant's Signature Date

Guardian's Name & Signature

X. Form forwarded by CIL of the respective Centre

(Signature of CIL)

Name:
Centre: