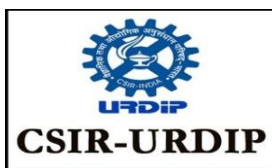**CSIR UNIT FOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT OF INFORMATION PRODUCTS**
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One Year Full Time Post Graduate Diploma (PGD) in Patinformatics (Patent Informatics)

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No. of seats	30
Eligibility for admission	- Master's degree in Science/Technology (Minimum 60% marks) - M.Pharm. (Minimum 60% marks) - B.E/ B.Tech. (Minimum 60% marks) - L.L.B with graduation in Science (Minimum 60% marks at each degree) - M.Lib Sci. with graduation in Science (Minimum 60% marks at each degree) - MBA with graduation in Science (Minimum 60% marks at each degree)

	*The minimum percentage at each degree is 55% for OBC/Physically Handicapped and 50% for SC/ST candidates	
Selection	Interviews of candidates satisfying minimum eligibility criteria will be held between 27th -28th June 2024. The final selection of the candidates for the course will be based on the performance in the interview.	
Online Application	2nd May 2024- 4th June 2024	Through the admission application portal: **https://pgdp.urdip.res.in/** The applications Fee is Rs 1000/- (Rs.500/- in case of SC/ST/Physically handicapped/EWS candidates) to be paid online in the CSIR-URDIP account. A/c No,30268668899, IFSC Code: SBIN0003552 Branch Name: SBI NCL Branch, MICR Code No.411002012, Name of the Account Holder: Head, CSIR-URDIP
Contact		admission@urdip.res.in
Fee Structure	Rs. 31000 per semester (For Regular) & Rs. 62000 per semester (For Sponsored)	*Course fees will be payable to AcSIR, through the online SBI Portal, click or type https://www.onlinesbi.com/sbicollect/icollecthome.htm?corpID=931312 **(*Selected candidates ONLY)**

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