# Frequently Asked Questions: (Related to NRI / PIO /CGW/FN )

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# Location details of the college

#### Where is Terna Engineering College?

Terna Engineering College is just a 2-3 minute walk from Nerul Railway Station in Navi Mumbai (Harbour Railway). Located in the campus is also the Hospital and Dental College. It is in the heart of the Navi Mumbai city and is very well connected by road as well as local trains.

#### How is the climate of Mumbai- Navi Mumbai?

June to October - rains (heavy/ moderate), November to January- mild winter or pleasant (up to 30° C) February to May- hot and humid (up to 38° C).

# **About the College**

• When was the Terna Engineering College established?

The college was established by **Hon. Dr. Padmasinhaji Patil** in 1991. It is run by the **Terna Public Charitable Trust**. Terna Public Charitable Trust's Terna Engineering College (TEC) is one of the well known and finest technical institutions, with 'A' Grade from Maharashtra Government and having ISO 9001 quality management system and is among the top Colleges in Mumbai. Terna offers education of the highest quality with its

curriculum present a broad array of exceptional offerings in engineering & technology studies.

## • Is Terna a private/ deemed university?

It is private self-financed but approved by ALL INDIA COUNCIL FOR TECHNICAL EDUCATION and affiliated to UNIVERSITY OF MUMBAI (<u>http://mu.ac.in</u>)..that means the degrees offered by Terna Engineering College are of the University of Mumbai.

## • Is TEC an Autonomous Institution?

NO. It follows university curriculum and examination /credit system

## • Are the degrees recognized all over the world?

**Yes,** the degree offered is recognized, the students are eligible to take admission in any university in the world.

#### • What is the affiliation/ recognition of the College?

The college is affiliated to the University of Mumbai and is recognized by All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) New Delhi. The majority of courses in the College are NBA Accredited. It is 'A' Grade college by Maharashtra Government and having ISO 9001 quality management system. 45<sup>th</sup> top Private Engineering Institute in India by Times Ranking 2019

# • About the programs offered

• What are the programs offered by Terna Engineering College?

Terna Engineering College offers following Four Years Full Time Under Graduate Engineering programs (Bachelor of Engineering):

- Computer Engineering (first & Second Shift)
- Electronics Engineering
- Electronics & Telecommunication Engineering
- Information Technology
- Mechanical Engineering
- Mechatronics Engineering
- Civil Engineering

Also, following Two years Full Time Graduate Programs (Master of Engineering) are offered by the college:

- Computer Engineering
- Electronics Engineering
- Electronics & Telecommunication Engineering
- Information Technology

#### Ph. D centers:

- Electronics Engineering
- Electronics & Telecommunication Engineering
- Information Technology

#### • What is the medium of Instructions?

English

# Results & Recruitments

#### How are the results of the First year students?

The college results of the first year are 25% more than university every year. Also, even if a student fails to clear all subjects, as per provision of University of Mumbai, admission to a higher semester is permitted by keeping terms of limited no. of subjects of the previous semester Allow To Keep Term (ATKT) in some subjects of the first year.

Usually more than 95% of the students are eligible for admission to second year.

Consistent Rankers in University in final year.

#### How is the Campus Recruitment?

Most of the students receive job offers during their final year. Compulsory Industrial Training for all students. 1500+ job offers in last5 placement seasons; 500+ by TCS alone. Around 100 companies visit to select students every year

# About NRI/PIO/CGW/FN/OCI Admissions

#### Terna is allowed to admit NRI/PIO/ FN/OCI students?

Yes . AICTE has approved it . PI refer following link

Link from GOVT site for confirmation that Terna is authorized to admit NRI/PIO/ FN/OCI students https://www.facilities.aicteindia.org/dashboard/pages/angulardashboard.php#!/nripiofcinstitutes

Definition of NRI/ PIO/ CGW/ FN/OCI`

As per the definitions mentioned in the admission brochure (2017-18) of the Directorate of Technical Education(DTE), Government of Maharashtra,

Please refer to

NRI: Non Resident Indian as per the definition given in the section 6 of the Income Tax Act 1961. '**NRI Candidate**' means a candidate who is a child/ward of the person who has the 'NRIstatus' as defined under section 6 of the Income Tax Act.

PIO: Person of Indian Origin (PIO) or Overseas Citizen of India (OCI) means a citizen of any country other than Bangladesh or Pakistan who had (a) at any time held Indian passport or (b) he or either of his parents or any of his grandparents was a citizen of India by virtue of the Constitution of India or the Citizenship Act, 1955 or (c) the person is a spouse of an Indian citizen or a person referred to in (a) or (b),

CGW: Children of Indian persons working in Gulf Countries,

FN: Foreign nationals, foreign passport holder.

OCI: Overseas Citizen of India (OCI) means a candidate/person registered as an Overseas Citizen of India as declared by the Central Government under section 7A of the Citizenship Act 1955 and includes Persons of Indian Origin (PIO).

#### How many seats are available for NRI / PIO /CGW /FN students?

The NRI / PIO / CGW / FN seats are available only for UG programs.

| Branch  | NRI |              | PIO / OCI / Foreign<br>National |
|---|-----|--------------|---------------------------------|
|   |     | Worker (CGW) |                                 |
| Computer<br>Engineering                           | 06  | 06           | 12                              |
| Mechanical<br>Engineering                         | 03  | 03           | 06                              |
| Electronics &<br>Telecommunication<br>Engineering | 06  | 06           | 12                              |
| Mechatronics<br>Engineering                       | 03  | 03           | 06                              |
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#### Do you have "sponsored NRI" seats?

Yes, the blood relative can sponsor education of a student.

#### Who can sponsor?

Parents, grandparents, parents' direct brothers/sisters or student's direct brothers/sisters holding NRI status can sponsor.

The sponsor must be able to produce NRI certificate from the Indian Embassy indicating NRI status and should be holding an NRE/ NRO account in Indian bank or an account in foreign bank.

#### How are the different admissions carried out in the college?

The UG admissions are carried out with the following procedure( for academic year 2019-20):

NRI/ Foreign Nationals/ Children of Gulf Workers: Admissions are direct, based on merit as per the marks/grades obtained in the qualifying examination (10+2 or equivalent exam).

However their registration in State Government authorized centre is essential

#### Can a foreign student study at Terna Engineering College with a 'Tourist Visa'?

No. A foreign student (citizen) can study at Terna Engineering College only with a 'Student Visa'. If the foreign citizen is of Indian origin, then he/she can apply and get a PIO (People of Indian Origin) Card or OCI (Overseas Citizen of India). Students with PIO or OCI can study in India without a student visa.

#### How do I apply for a student visa?

You can apply for a Student Visa in your nearest Indian Embassy or Consulate. You will have to apply for a Student Visa based on the confirmed admission letter issued by the International Admissions Cell of Terna Engineering College.

#### What are the criteria for admission?

All international students require 10+ 2 (or equivalent) in Science with minimum 50% marks taken together in Physics, Mathematics and Chemistry / Computer Science / Electronics/ Technical Vocational Course

The student can be from CBSE, ICSE or any other board which is considered as equivalent by the University of Mumbai as well as Directorate of Technical Education Government of Maharashtra.

#### Is there any entrance test to be taken by the NRI/PIO student?

**No**. The admissions are given on the basis of the 12<sup>th</sup> standard or equivalent examination's marks. The marks of Physics, Mathematics and Chemistry/ Computer Science/Electronics are considered for admission.

#### Can an NRI sponsored student pay the course /tuition fee in Indian rupees?

**Yes.** The course / tuition fee is to be paid in INR. However, the fee amount has to be paid from NRE/ NRO or foreign account

# **About Process of Application**

#### When do I apply?

The pre-application form is available on the web site and can be downloaded from there...or contact <u>amolraj@terna.org</u>

# Do you offer conditional admissions to students who have written the 10+2 or equivalent examination?

**Yes.** There is a provision of a conditional admission by way of payment of a non**refundable** deposit which can be adjusted against fees. This facility is available to all courses except Mechanical Engineering and is based on the 11th grade mark sheet plus 12th grade pre-final/pre-board results of the student.

However, the admission will be confirmed only after meeting the criteria set by the DTE about results of 12<sup>th</sup> standard or equivalent examination.

#### How much is the Application Fee?

There are no application charges.

#### How do I apply and from where do I get the application form?

You are also required to send a scanned copy of the application and the required documents admission@ternaengg.ac.in

#### Which documents need to be submitted at the time of confirmation of admission?

#### **Common Document to be submitted**

- a. 10<sup>th</sup> standard equivalent examination mark list
- b. 12<sup>th</sup> standard (or equivalent), mark list
- c. Migration Certificate
- d. School Leaving certificate
- e. Letter issued by employer of the NRI Parent/ Sponsor
- f. Scanned copy of Passport of the student & Parent / Sponsor including visa pages/ work permit
- g. Letter from Branch manager of the branch in which you are holding NRE/ NRO account. (No need of bank statement). If you have an account in foreign bank, letter from that branch manager is required.
- h. Two Passport size photograph
- i. Gap certificate ( if applicable)
- j. Letter signed by NRI parent/ sponsor mentioning educational sponsorship.
- k. Provisional Eligibility certificate from the University of Mumbai (only if the board of 12<sup>th</sup> or equivalent is OTHER THAN CBSE/ ICSE/ Maharashtra state board)
- I. NOC from the University of Mumbai (applicable for Foreign Nationals / PIO)

#### Additional Documents to be submitted by NRI

a. Letter from the Indian Embassy, where parent(s) is/ are working, indicating the NRI status of the parent.

#### Additional Document to be submitted by PIO

- a. Scanned copy of **Passport issued by the country of citizenship** of the student & Parent / Sponsor including visa pages/ work permit
- b. Scanned copy of PIO / OCI card

#### Additional Document to be submitted by FN

a. Scanned copy of **Passport issued by the country of citizenship** of the student & Parent / Sponsor including visa pages/ work permit

#### What is the detailed process of Application?

The application form is available on the web site and can be downloaded from there. A completed form along with all necessary documents is to be sent by post to the college authorities.

Once the required documents are sent, the student will be registered it and will be allotted an application number which will be. informed to the student by e.mail on the address provided in the form.

The e.mail, will also inform as to whether some additional documents are required or when the admission may be offered by an admission letter, etc.

The admission in any branch will be given on the basis of merit.

#### When is the last date to submit the application?

Aug 1, 2019 may be the last date for submission of the application form. However, applications may be accepted till all the seats under NRI/ PIO/ CGWFN are filled up.

#### Is there any other fee besides course/tuition fee that need to be paid?

All the Academic Fees are to be paid by the student at the time of admission. So no other fee is to be paid to college afterwards.

If the student has taken admission in Hostel, then Hostel charges and Mess charges are to be paid separately according to hostel payment schedule.

#### Is there any provision for concession or scholarships?

Terna Engineering College is a self financed Institute and does not receive any grants from the Government. Hence concessions or scholarships are not offered to students admitted under the NRI / PIO / CGW / FN quota. However second year onwards these students are eligible to apply for any scholarship which may be available to the local students studying in Terna Engineering College.

# **Campus Life**

#### Is there any campus accommodation?

The Terna trust runs several other institutes. Students from these institutes are given accommodation on the campus. There are separate hostel wings for boys and girl students. The AC / non-AC self-contained rooms are offered on twin /three sharing. The mess is located in the same building providing food. There is a provision of self - operated laundry, gymnasium and few other recreational facilities.

#### Can a student move straight to the hostel room on arrival in Mumbai?

**No.** On arrival, students are required to make their own arrangements till the time they get the campus accommodation. Only after the student has completed the admission formalities / registration as mentioned in the confirmed admission letter, will a student be permitted to move into the hostel.

#### What type of food is available on the campus??

Non Veg / vegetarian is allowed on Campus. In addition to the hostel mess, there are three different canteens that offer a variety of food. Being in the heart of the city, students can enjoy food of their choice in the various restaurants outside the campus.

# What medical facilities are available to students admitted at Terna Engineering College?

We have hospital in campus