

# Master *of* Public Policy

@ Indian Institute of Technology Bombay



## 📖 The Programme

The Ashank Desai Centre for Policy Studies is an interdisciplinary policy research centre at the Indian Institute of Technology Bombay. It offers a full-time Master's programme integrating perspectives from public policy, technology, and social science. Capitalising on IIT Bombay's strengths, the Centre aims to become a hub for policy research and expertise, ready for the rapidly changing world, and produce professionals who can deliver changes to serve public interest.

## 👥 Join the Cohort

We invite aspiring candidates with backgrounds in Arts, Commerce, Law, STEM, or Medicine to apply for the programme's 2026-27 (Autumn) intake.



A monthly fellowship will be offered to admitted candidates with a valid GATE score (limited positions).

## 🔗 Details

[www.cps.iitb.ac.in/admissions/masters-programme](http://www.cps.iitb.ac.in/admissions/masters-programme)

✉ [office.cps@iitb.ac.in](mailto:office.cps@iitb.ac.in) ☎ 022 2576 5061

🌐 [company/cps-iitb](https://www.linkedin.com/company/cps-iitb) ✕ [@cps\\_iitb](https://twitter.com/cps_iitb) 📘 [adcps.iitb](https://www.facebook.com/adcps.iitb)



“*Learn the craft of systemic change!*”

## Admissions 2026-27

### 📅 Key Dates

Application Opens

**March 2026**

Application Deadline

**April 2026**

Exam & Interview

**May 2026**

### 🎯 Focus Areas



Digital Society and Governance



Social Policy  
(Education, Ageing, Identity)



Technology and Policy



Urban Policy



Water, Sanitation, Energy,  
Climate Change

### 📁 Alumni Footprint

Government  
Ministries  
NITI Aayog  
Accenture  
Strategy  
Confederation of  
Indian Industry  
Piramal  
Foundation  
Tata AIA

MicroSave  
Consulting  
Delhivery  
Kantar  
Grant Thornton  
University of  
Edinburgh  
University of  
Chicago  
IIM Calcutta



Ashank Desai  
Centre for Policy Studies  
Indian Institute of Technology Bombay

Insight ♦ Dialogue ♦ Impact