

5.2.1: Percentage of placement of outgoing students during the last five years

We submit the following clarification regarding the employment outcomes of outgoing students from the University of Delhi during the assessment period, in response to the 0/4 score currently awarded under the criterion related to percentage of placement of outgoing students.

The University of Delhi, as a premier institution of higher education, has witnessed a dynamic shift in employment trends, aligned with evolving national and global socio-economic conditions. A significant proportion of our outgoing students are increasingly opting for self-employment, entrepreneurial ventures, freelance work, and other flexible or unstructured career paths, which are not easily captured by conventional employment metrics.

For example, across the **LLB and LLM programmes alone, 10,062 students graduated**, accounting for **22% of the total 45,367 outgoing students** during the 5-year (2018-2023) assessment period (as per SSR). These law graduates typically pursue independent legal practice, apprenticeships under senior advocates, or roles in various Hon'ble Courts across the country. Given the nature of legal practice, such professional engagement is often outside the purview of formal salary-based employment reporting.

Similarly, a substantial number of outgoing students from programmes in **Indian languages and English (13%), foreign languages (3%)—including Russian, Chinese, Spanish, Italian, German, Korean—and Music and Performing Arts (2%)** enter careers in creative writing, journalism, literary and technical translation, tourism and travel services (including as certified tourist guides), classical and contemporary performing arts, and private tutoring. These are legitimate and growing career avenues, though often **informal or freelance in nature**, and thus not recorded in structured placement data.

Moreover, more than **50% of our outgoing students come from disciplines such as Natural Sciences, Social Sciences, Commerce, Business, Finance, and Economics**. These students are increasingly entering non-traditional domains such as **entrepreneurship, start-ups, consultancy, social services, NGOs, accountancy, counselling, event management, digital media, and freelancing**—career options that emphasize work-life balance, remote work, flexible schedules, and personal fulfilment. These trends are especially relevant for **female students**, who constitute approximately **45% of the outgoing cohort**, many of whom seek professional flexibility to balance family and social expectations.

The Indian government's active promotion of **self-reliance and entrepreneurial ecosystems** further supports and encourages such innovative career choices. These sectors do not always offer immediate proof of employment or fixed

salaries—criteria required by the standard data template—thereby **underrepresenting a substantial portion of successful and economically active outgoing students.**

In light of the above, it is our firm assessment that **over 70% of our outgoing students are meaningfully engaged** in employment, whether through formal placements, self-employment, entrepreneurial ventures, or freelance careers. The inability of the reporting framework to capture such diversity in employment patterns has likely led to an inaccurate score of 0/4.

Given the breadth, depth, and relevance of these employment outcomes, we request a **re-evaluation of the awarded grade to 4/4**, which would more accurately reflect the actual post-graduation engagement and success of our students.

Outgoing Students during 2018-2023

S. No.	Programme	Total Outgoing Students during assessment period
1	B.A. HONOURS (HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES)	216
2	B.A.(HONS.) FRENCH	183
3	B.A.(HONS.) GERMAN	216
4	B.A.(HONS.) HINDUSTANI MUSIC (VOCAL/INSTRUMENTAL)	372
5	B.A.(HONS.) ITALIAN	188
6	B.A.(HONS.) KARNATAK MUSIC	20
7	B.A.(HONS.) PERCUSSION MUSIC	97
8	B.A.(HONS.) SPANISH	166
9	B.SC.(HONS.) ANTHROPOLOGY	206
10	B.TECH (INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND MATHEMATICAL INNOVATIONS)	240
11	BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (B.ED.)	1716
12	BACHELOR OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE (B.L.I.SC.)	252
13	FULL-TIME INTENSIVE ADVANCED DIPLOMA IN RUSSIAN	159
14	LLB	9811
15	LLM(2-YEAR)	162
16	LLM(3-YEAR)	89
17	M.A. APPLIED PSYCHOLOGY	161
18	M.A. ENGLISH	1716
19	M.A. GEOGRAPHY	413
20	M.A. HINDI	2332
21	M.A. HISTORY	1591
22	M.A. ITALIAN	9
23	M.A. POLITICAL SCIENCE	2546
24	M.A. SANSKRIT	1435
25	M.A. SOCIAL WORK	425
26	M.B.A. (Business Economics)	315
27	M.SC BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE	238
28	M.SC. (MATHEMATICS EDUCATION)	69
29	M.SC. BOTANY	438
30	M.SC. CHEMISTRY	1447
31	M.SC. COMPUTER SCIENCE	261
32	M.SC. INFORMATICS	254
33	M.SC. MATHEMATICS	1539
34	M.SC. PHYSICS	1300
35	M.SC. STATISTICS	461
36	M.SC. ZOOLOGY	552
37	M.SC.OPERATIONAL RESEARCH (MASTER OF OPERATIONAL RESEARCH)	657
38	MA (Tamil)	3
39	Master of Arts (Arabic)	70
40	Master of Arts (Bengali)	33
41	Master of Arts (Buddhist Studies)	431
42	Master of Arts (Comparative Indian Literature)	75
43	Master of Arts (East Asian Studies)	161
44	Master of Arts (Economics)	1050
45	Master of Arts (Environmental Studies)	79
46	Master of Arts (French)	54

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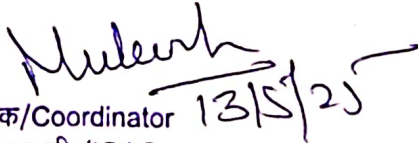
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47	Master of Arts (German)	72
48	Master of Arts (Hispanic)	75
49	Master of Arts (Japanese)	19
50	Master of Arts (Karnatak Music - Vocal/Veena/Violin)	21
51	Master of Arts (Life Long Learning & extension)	70
52	Master of Arts (Linguistics)	179
53	Master of Arts (Percussion (Tabla/Pakhawaj)	62
54	Master of Arts (Persian)	26
55	Master of Arts (Philosophy)	1054
56	Master of Arts (Psychology)	592
57	Master of Arts (Punjabi)	243
58	Master of Arts (Russian)	39
59	Master of Arts (Sociology)	414
60	Master of Arts (Urdu)	305
61	Master of Arts HINDUSTANI MUSIC (VOCAL/INSTRUMENTAL/STAR/SAROD/GUIT)	226
62	MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION	1205
63	MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (EXECUTIVE)	767
64	MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (EXECUTIVE) HEALTH CARE ADMINISTR	113
65	MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (HRD)	313
66	MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (IB)	327
67	MASTER OF COMMERCE	1831
68	MASTER OF COMPUTER APPLICATION (M.C.A.)	298
69	Master of Education (M.Ed.)	267
70	MASTER OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE (M.L.I.SC.)	264
71	Master of Science (Anthropology)	171
72	Master of Science (Environmental Studies)	168
73	Master of Science (Forensic Science)	224
74	Master of Science (Geology)	165
75	Master of Science (M.Sc.) in Biochemistry	63
76	Master of Science (M.Sc.) in Electronics	149
77	Master of Science (M.Sc.) in Genetics	59
78	Master of Science (M.Sc.) in Microbiology	68
79	Master of Science (M.Sc.) in Plant Molecular Biology and Biotechnology	58
80	Master of Technology (M.Tech.) Microwave Electronics	82
81	MBA FINANCE	211
82	ONE-YEAR POST GRADUATE INTENSIVE ADVANCE DIPLOMA COURSE IN CHINESE	68
83	ONE-YEAR POST GRADUATE INTENSIVE ADVANCE DIPLOMA COURSE IN JAPANESE	151
84	ONE-YEAR POST GRADUATE INTENSIVE ADVANCE DIPLOMA COURSE IN KOREAN	96
85	ONE-YEAR POST GRADUATE INTENSIVE DIPLOMA COURSE IN CHINESE LANGUAGE	175
86	ONE-YEAR POST GRADUATE INTENSIVE DIPLOMA COURSE IN JAPANESE LANGUAGE	188
87	ONE-YEAR POST GRADUATE INTENSIVE DIPLOMA COURSE IN KOREAN LANGUAGE	99
88	Sangeet Shiromani Diploma Course - Hindustani Music (Vocal/Instrumental-Sitar)	99
89	Sangeet Shiromani Diploma Course - Karnatak Music (Vocal/Instrumental-Veena)	27
90	TWO YEAR DIPLOMA COURSE IN HARMONIUM	41
91	MCL	2
92	Master of Science (M.Sc.) in Biophysics	13
	Total	45367


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This is to certify that graduates students with LL.B. and LL.M. degrees from the Faculty of Law are increasingly choosing self-employment. Over 95% of these students prefer to practice either independently or as an associate/junior in various courts across India. They also join various think tanks/organizations serving as legal experts in different areas. Others join judicial services.

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This is to certify that over 95% of graduates in Indian languages (such as Hindi, Punjabi, Sanskrit, Urdu, Assamese, Bengali, Gujarati, Kannada, Malayalam, Manipuri, Marathi, Odia, Sindhi, Tamil and Telugu) and foreign languages (including Russian, French, Arabic, Persian, Spanish, Italian and German) pursue careers in publishing, creative writing, journalism, translation (both literary and technical), and the tourism sector. This includes roles as journalists, simultaneous interpreters, tourist guides, arts tutors and other unstructured professions. Many of the students also pursue career in teaching and research.

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This is to certify that over 95% of graduates in Social Sciences-specifically in the fields of *Social Work, Sociology, Economics, History, Political Science, East Asian Studies, African Studies, Geography, and Continuing Education*-pursue careers in various sectors. These include *entrepreneurship, start-ups, small businesses, freelancing, the social service sector, NGOs, consultancy, counselling, tourism, event management, social media, and the travel industry*, where they often work as tourist guides, artists, tutors, and in other unstructured professions.

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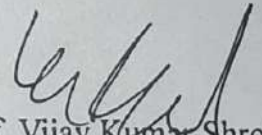
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This is to certify that over 95% graduates from the Faculty of Commerce and Business pursue careers in fields like finance, banking, insurance, taxation and social service sector. Some of them take up professions like chartered accountants and tax consultants. Many of the students pursue career in teaching and research and have been employed by colleges and universities in India and abroad including many colleges of the University of Delhi.

Apart from the above, there are students who have taken up entrepreneurship and started their own ventures. There are students who are also getting absorbed in NGOs, consultancy, counselling, tourism, event management, social media, business development, talent management, HR development, international business development wealth management, market research and auditing. The graduates have also been working in fragmented industry and market.


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As per the available data, this is to certify that over 95% of graduates in Education pursue careers in various fields, including elementary, secondary, and higher education, as well as special education for students with disabilities. They contribute to literature, engage in freelancing, work in the social service sector, governmental and non-governmental organizations (NGOs), consultancy, counseling, social media, tutoring, professional coaching, and other unstructured professions.

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Placement of outgoing students

This is to certify that over 95% of graduates in Music and Fine Arts, specializing in Hindustani, Karnatak, Classical, Tabla, Percussion, and Harmonium, pursue careers in various fields. These include performing arts, literature, stage performances, cinematography, digital arts, freelancing, the social service sector, NGOs, consultancy, counselling, tourism, event management, social media, and the travel industry, among other unstructured professions.

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Placement of outgoing students

This is to certify that over 50% of graduates from the Interdisciplinary and Applied Sciences engage in professional careers across advanced and emerging sectors, including defence research laboratories, the semiconductor industry, radio frequency and communication technologies, biotechnology, IT-enabled services, as well as entrepreneurship, startups, and small-scale enterprises.

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Placement of outgoing students

This is to certify that the majority of graduates (more than 50%) in Natural Sciences pursue careers in various fields, including scientific research, agriculture, the environmental sector, the manufacturing industry, and the study of flora and fauna. They may work as zoologists, wildlife biologists, veterinarians, zookeepers, animal behaviorists, chemical scientists, physicists or conservation scientists. Additionally, graduates often venture into entrepreneurship, forensics, start-ups, small businesses, freelancing, the social service sector, non-governmental organizations (NGOs), IT-enabled services, electronics and digital communication, consultancy, counseling, and other unstructured professions.

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