

CHHATRAPATI SHIVAJI MAHARAJ UNIVERSITY  
PANVEL, NAVI MUMBAI

FOREIGN EXAMINATIONS RECOGNIZED BY ASSOCIATION OF  
INDIAN UNIVERSITIES (AIU)

**SCHOOL LEVEL QUALIFICATIONS FROM SCHOOLS AFFILIATED TO FOREIGN  
BOARD/OFFERING FOREIGN SYSTEM OF EDUCATION**

1. AIU recognizes the system of education from across all countries of the world and equivalence is granted provided that (i) the foreign system of education prescribes a minimum of 12 years of regular schooling; (ii) the school is affiliated by a Board that has been approved/recognized; (iii) the school leaving certificate has been issued by the Board that has been approved/recognized/accredited in the country concerned.
2. The following is a list of +2 level qualifications and their nomenclatures recognized by AIU subject to that the education has been pursued only on REGULAR MODE;
  - a. 12 years Baccalaureate Certificate of Chad, Gabon, France and Tunisia;
  - b. International Baccalaureate Diploma awarded by International Baccalaureate Organisation, Geneva, Switzerland;
  - c. 12 years General Secondary Education Certificate of the Ministry of Education Bahrain, Egypt, Jordan, Kuwait, Oman, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates and other Gulf countries;
  - d. GCE/IGCSE/GCSE examinations of the approved British Examination Bodies, with Minimum 5 (Five) subjects in A, B, C Grades including English at ORDINARY (“O”) Level and 2/3 subjects at ADVANCED (“A”) LEVEL has been equated with +2 stage qualification. Candidates intending to join Professional courses are required to have passed the subjects of Physics, Chemistry, Biology/Mathematics in ADVANCED LEVEL & English at AS LEVEL;
  - e. 12 Year High School Diploma from accredited Schools of USA;
  - f. Intermediate/Senior Secondary/Higher Secondary examinations of the approved Boards in Pakistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan and Nepal;
  - g. 12 year Secondary Stage qualification of National Examinations Board of the Ministry of Education, Ethiopia, Sudan;
  - h. 12-year Secondary Stage examination conducted by various Provinces in Canada and Australia provided that the candidate having passed Ontario Secondary School Diploma of the Ministry of Education, Ontario, should have acquired minimum 6 (Six) “U/M“(University Preparatory Courses);
  - i. GCE “Ordinary and Advanced” level examination of the Department of Education, Government of Sri Lanka, Singapore, Hong Kong & Mauritius provided that candidates having passed O and A level Examinations should fulfil the same conditions as prescribed at Sr. No.iv above;
  - j. 12 year STPM examination of Malaysia;
  - k. 12 year Secondary Stage qualification of Indonesia, Japan, Korea, Republic of Vietnam and Yemen Arab Republic;
  - l. “Abitur” examination of Germany;
  - m. 12 year High School Diploma awarded by the accredited American Schools/International Schools in other countries following American System of Education subject to the condition that the High School Diploma awarded by the American Schools in USA and other parts of the world should be accredited either by the State Departments of Education OR by one of the Six Regional Accrediting Agencies in USA i.e (a) Middle States Association of Schools and Colleges; (b) New England Association of Schools and Colleges; (c) North Central Association of Schools and Colleges; (d) Northwest Association of Schools and Colleges; (e) Southern Association of Schools and Colleges; and (f) Western Association of Schools and Colleges.
  - n. Pre University Certificate Examination of the Ministry of Education, Iran;

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- o. 12 year Secondary School Certificate Examination of the Ministry of Education, Islamic Republic of Afghanistan;
- p. 12 Year Secondary School Certificate Examination of the Ministry of Education, Republic of Iraq;
- q. 12 Year Senior School certificate Examination of West African Examinations Council (WACE) in A, B, C Grades with minimum 5 (Five) subjects on a scale of 1-4 (A-1, B-2, B-3, C-4) conducted in the countries of Nigeria etc;
- r. EXAMEN D'ETAT of the Ministry of Primary, Secondary & Professional Education in the Democratic Republic of Congo;
- s. 12 year Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education Examination with minimum 5 (Five) subjects in the Grades A, B, & C of the Kenya National Examinations Council, Nairobi, Kenya;
- t. Advanced Certificate of Secondary Education Examination with minimum 2 (Two) Principal Passes & 2(Two) Subsidiary Passes of the National Examinations Council of Tanzania;
- u. Uganda Advanced Certificate of Education Examination with minimum 2 (Two) Principal Passes & 2(Two) Subsidiary Passes of the Uganda Examinations Board;
- v. 12 year Certificat D'Enseignement Secondaire Generale (D''Humanities General) of the Ministry of National Education, Republic of Burundi;
- w. Eritrean Secondary Education Certificate of the Ministry of Education , State of Eritrea;
- x. Baccalaureat De L'Enseignement Secondaire General ( Baccalaureat of General Secondary Education) of the Ministry of National Education, Republic of Cameroon and Baccalaureate of Secondary Education of Republic of Chad;
- y. Higher School Certificate Examination of Department of Education, Papua New Guinea;
- z. Level III of NZQA

**HOW TO APPLY: PROCEDURE FOR APPLICATION FOR EQUIVALENCE BY INDIVIDUALS**

- Students having obtained their Qualifications/Degrees from Foreign Universities may apply for the Equivalence Certificate from AIU in the prescribed Form;
- The prescribed Application Form for Equivalence may either be obtained from the office of the Equivalence Division of the AIU or may be downloaded from the AIU website by clicking the following link: [www.aiuweb.org](http://www.aiuweb.org)
- The Duly filled in **Application Form** along with the **Required Documents (details given in the Application Forms)** and the **Prescribed Fees** (as mentioned in the Application Form) may be submitted to the **Evaluation Division of the AIU either In Person or by Post** at the following address:

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