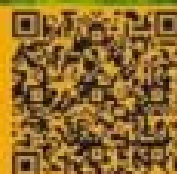




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BUDDHIST STUDIES,  
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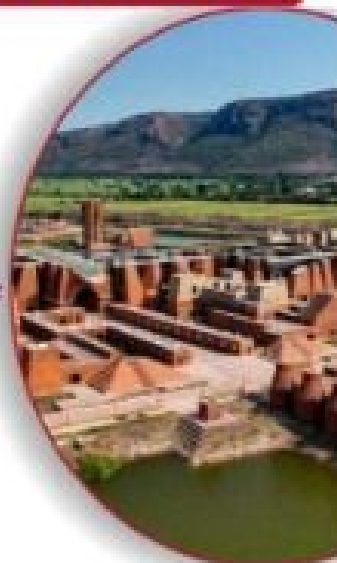
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## HIGHLIGHTS

• Vibrant Academic & Intellectual Fabric • Interdisciplinary Programmes • Cafeteria Model • Innovative Courses • Extra Credit Courses • Experiential Learning • International Visiting Faculty • State of art Library • Residential University • International Hostels • State of art Digital Classrooms • Wi-Fi Campus • Sports, Yoga, Gym and Athletic Facilities • Medical Centre • Shopping Arcade • Net-Zero Sustainable Campus •



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### MA (Buddhist Studies, Philosophy & Comparative Religions)

#### About the Programme

- Opportunity to study Buddhist ideas and values in relation to other philosophical and religious traditions
- Transcending geographical borders to share a new kind of international common responsibility sense and global
- Special emphasis on studying historical-textual-cultural contexts of the development of Buddhist traditions

#### Highlights

- Indian Knowledge Systems
- Cafeteria model-based elective courses
- M.A. and Ph.D. Programme
- Residential University
- Fellowships for BIMSTEC Countries
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- State of Art Library and Repository



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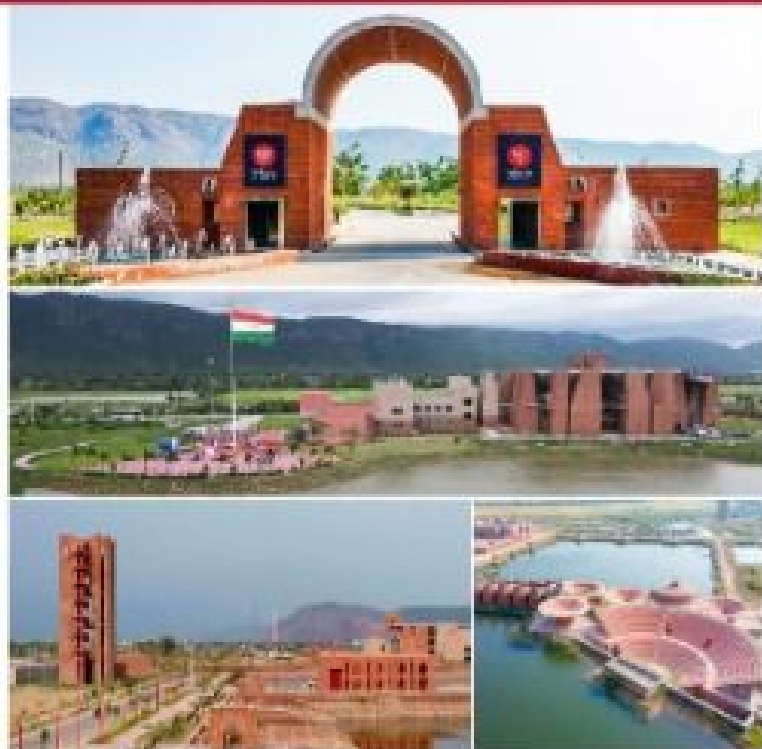
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## ADMISSION ANNOUNCEMENT: 2024 - 26 MA (Hindu Studies (Sanātana Dharma))

### Salient Features

- Introduction to the Vedas: Rigveda, Yajurveda, Sāmaveda, and Atharvaveda
- Introduction to Major & Minor Upanisads
- Fundamentals of Indian Philosophical Schools
- Capsules of Knowledge: Sūtras & Commentaries
- Ethics in Hindu Philosophy
- Indian Epics: The Ramayana & the Mahābhārata
- Introduction to Purāṇas
- The Bhagavadgītā and understanding of the 'Self'
- Puruṣārtha: Goals of Human life
- The Arthaśāstra of Kautilya



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## School of Historical Studies

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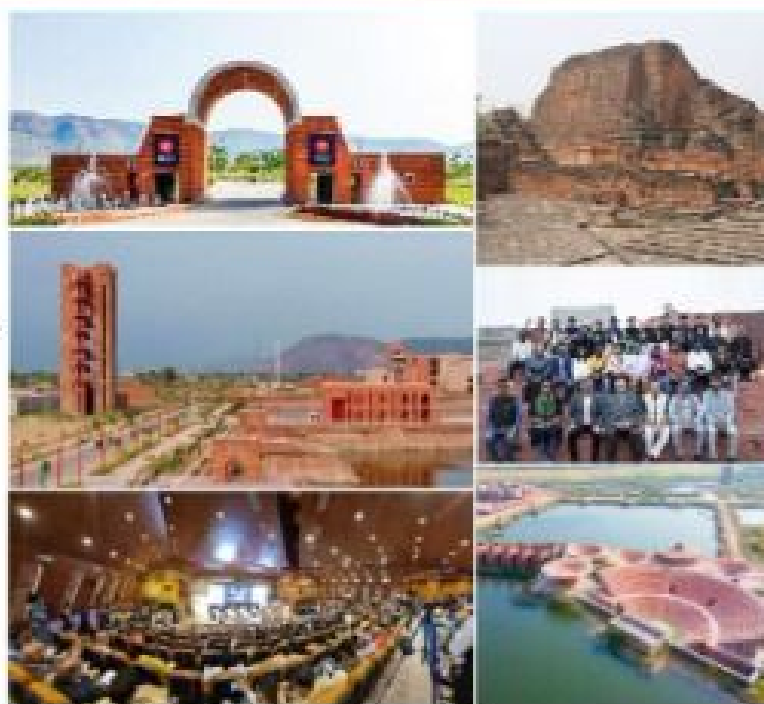
### MA (HISTORICAL STUDIES)

#### About MA in Historical Studies @ Nalanda

- Interdisciplinary approach.
- Immersive and experiential instructional delivery.
- Interdisciplinary and transitional research.
- Historical Studies with multiple dimensions.
- Fosters learning and critical thinking to transform dreams into achievements.
- Two-year residential programme.
- Cafeteria model of courses to encourage interdisciplinarity.
- Research centric programmes.

#### Thrust Areas

- Birth of Civilizations • Archaeology
- Art, Architecture • Cultural History of India
- Contemplative Traditions and Devotional Cultures
- Asian Interconnections • Maritime and Overland Routes
- Economic History • South Asian History
- History of Modern World • International Relations
- Digital Humanities • Framing History: Historiography
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## ADMISSION ANNOUNCEMENT: 2024 - 26 MBA (SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT AND MANAGEMENT)

### Our Uniqueness

- ☑ Under the aegis of Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India
- ☑ Institute of National Importance
- ☑ Net-Zero Green and Sustainable Campus
- ☑ Cross Cultural learning
- ☑ Students from 32+ countries on campus
- ☑ Cafeteria model of Elective courses

### What we Offer

- ☑ Unique Programme Focussed on Various Domains of Sustainability
- ☑ Distinguished Faculty from Top Institute/Industry Across the Globe
- ☑ Wide Range of Specialized Electives based on SDGs (Cafeteria Model)
- ☑ Extra Credit Courses
- ☑ Unique Pedagogy
- ☑ Teaching through Case Studies, Experiential Learning, Regular Field Visits, Simulations, Role Plays

### Our Initiatives

- ☑ First ever sustainability action lab
- ☑ Flagship Event-Global Sustainability Conclave
- ☑ Boot Camp-Social Entrepreneurship
- ☑ Live Projects with Industry
- ☑ Strong Corporate Interface through Internships/Corporate Experience/Hands on Trainings
- ☑ Global PhD program in Sustainable Development
- ☑ PG Diploma in Energy Management

### Career Opportunities

Areas : ESG, Net-Zero, CSR, Waste & Water Management, Food & Agribusiness, Sustainability Reporting, Sustainable Livelihood and Community Development.

Roles : Researcher, Analysts, Policy Makers, Managers, Consultants, Academicians

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- ☑ Students from 32 + countries on campus
- ☑ Cafeteria model of elective courses
- ☑ Strong Corporate Interface through Internships/Corporate Experience/Hands on Trainings
- ☑ Extra credit courses

### What we Offer

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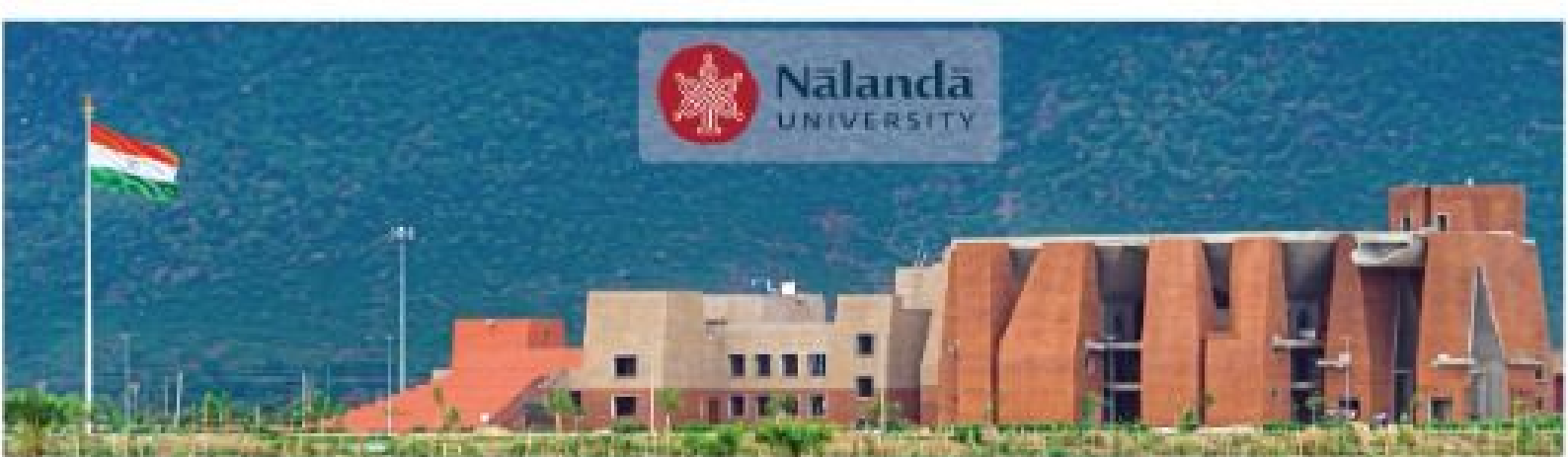
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## School of Ecology and Environment Studies

The School of Ecology and Environment Studies (SEES) is one of the first schools at the Nalanda University, which commenced its academic programme in August 2014. The School traverses a broad range of academic pursuits across natural sciences and social sciences, to promote education and research on the interactions between the natural environment and human activities. Rooted in the tradition of the ancient Nalanda University, the School aspires to generate critical understanding that will benefit the globe. The School also seeks to bridge the current gap in the study of environmental issues between the Western and the Eastern perspectives. It addresses pressing local, regional and global environmental problems of our times through education, research, collaborations, and policy recommendations.

### ADMISSION ANNOUNCEMENT: 2024 - 26 MSc (ECOLOGY AND ENVIRONMENT STUDIES)

#### ABOUT MSc ECOLOGY AND ENVIRONMENT STUDIES @ NALANDA

- Two Years Residential Programme
- Cafeteria Model of Courses to Encourage Interdisciplinarity.
- Research Centric Programme

#### WHY SEES @ NALANDA

- World Class Infrastructure/Facilities.
- Study with Students from Different Continents.
- Faculties with International Exposure.
- Unparalleled Socio-Cultural Diversity.
- Build Global Connect.
- Train to Observe the Tree and See the Forest.
- Prepare You for a Rewarding Career.

#### ABOUT THE SCHOOL OF ECOLOGY AND ENVIRONMENT STUDIES (SEES)

- Interdisciplinary Approaches to Address the Ecological Issues.
- Immersive and Experiential Instructional Delivery.
- Interdisciplinary and Translational Research.
- Leadership in Environmental Education.
- Foster Learning and Critical Thinking to transform Dreams into Achievements.

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## School of Languages and Literature/Humanities

The SLL/H studies the foundational questions that constitute the Humanities as a knowledge domain. The programmes offer research into interconnections between language, culture, and life in Asian and non-Asian contexts. The programmes are oriented toward multi-disciplinary critical inquiry. The School offers Global PhD, Masters programs in World Literature. A PG Diploma in Translation Studies is planned. The School offers programmes with an aim to promote an understanding of texts and practices in their cultural/historical contexts and of the singular nature of diverse reflective and literary traditions.

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## MA (WORLD LITERATURE)

### About the School

- Interdisciplinary approach.
- Immersive and experiential instructional delivery.
- Interdisciplinary and transitional research.
- Leadership in World literature.
- Fosters learning and critical thinking to transform dreams into achievements.

### About MA in World Literature @ Nalanda

- Two-year residential programme.
- Cafeteria model of courses to encourage interdisciplinarity.
- Research centric programmes.

### About the Programme

- A research-intensive course
- Innovative curriculum covering a wide range of linguistic, literary, cultural traditions and emergent area research.
- Open for students from any stream, passionate about language, literature, and culture.
- Interdisciplinary orientation with a wide range of specialized electives to choose from.
- World literature in focus: explores linguistic, literary, and cultural traditions across the world.
- Focus on the unique nature of diverse reflective and literary traditions.
- Discussion on intersections among languages, literatures, cultures, and related disciplines.
- Emphasis on linguistics, and cultural traditions of South Asia.



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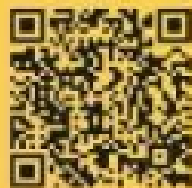
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- Interdisciplinary Curriculum
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- Rich Learning Experience
- Scenario Building Exercises
- World-Class Facilities
- Smart Classrooms

### Career Opportunities

Opportunities exist in government as well as non-government, foreign ministries, think tanks, media and international organisations.

### Program Highlights:

- International Relations Theories
- Politics of the Global South
- Foreign Policies of Major Powers
- International Law and Law of the Sea
- Emerging Technologies and Cybersecurity
- Intelligence Studies
- Maritime and Strategic History
- Counter-Terrorism Strategies

### Eligibility

- Bachelor's degree in any field
- Statement of Purpose
- Academic Transcripts
- English Proficiency Test Scores (if applicable)

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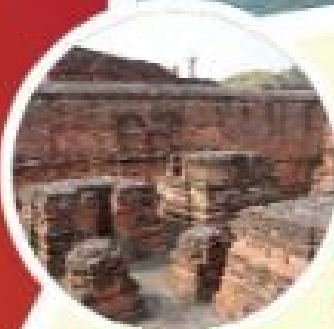


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**M.A. in**  
**Archaeology**  
**2024 -26 Batch**



**SCHOOL OF HISTORICAL STUDIES**

### About the Programme

The M.A. in Archaeology is a two year, full-time residential program. Students will get an opportunity to hands-on learning experiences, both in theory and practice, through fieldwork; exploration, excavation, and artifact analysis and documentation methods of archaeological sites and objects. The student will develop their skills to identify potential archaeological sites, digital mapping, artifact and soil collection methods, the latest documentation methods using cutting-edge technology and field data analysis and interpretations.

### Eligibility

Bachelor degree in any stream i.e. Humanities/Social Sciences/ Sciences etc. can apply for the program. Preference will be given to students with a background in archaeology, history, culture, and anthropology.

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