



Institute of Applied Sciences

Chitlang, Thaha Municipality-9, Bagmati Province

Invitation of Applications (Second Call) for Admission to Bachelor of Science in Computer Science and Technology (BScCST)

Digital Technology Program

July 20, 2026

ADMISSION OPEN TO ALL NATIONALITIES

Applications received under the First Call are currently being processed. Applications for the Second Call are now welcome. Visit <https://mbust.bbnepal.com> to apply. Application deadline for the Second Call: August 19, 2026

1. Introduction

Madan Bhandari University of Science and Technology (MBUST) was established through the promulgation of the Madan Bhandari University of Science and Technology Act, 2079 (2022 AD) on August 3, 2022. The University envisions becoming a **world-class university** and is committed to building **a prosperous and just Nepal** through its mission. MBUST aligns teaching and research with real industry problems, helping students develop new technologies and become “job creators,” not “job seekers.”

The Bachelor's Degree of Science in Computer Science and Technology (BScCST) is a **four-year** undergraduate program designed to prepare students for the rapidly evolving digital economy and emerging technology sectors. The program integrates theoretical foundations, practical applications, innovation, and research-oriented learning in the fields of Artificial Intelligence (AI), Data Science (DS), Internet of Things (IoT), Robotics, and related digital technologies. The program is uniquely structured as a research-aligned academic pathway that develops students' competencies progressively from foundational scientific thinking and technical skills to independent research and innovation. Through a combination of outcome-based education, project-based learning, industry engagement, and research-integrated teaching, the program aims to produce graduates who are industry-ready, research-oriented, and capable of contributing to Nepal's digital transformation and global technological advancement.

2. Program Intake

Program	Duration	No. of Seats
Bachelor of Science in Computer Science and Technology (BScCST)	4 years	24*

*Note: This is the total capacity. The exact number of available seats for admission will be announced on July 31, 2026.

3. Admission Schedule

Event	Date
Application deadline (Second call)	August 19, 2026
Shortlist publication	August 21, 2026
Written examinations and interview	August 24-26, 2026
Publication of admission list	August 27, 2026
Admission deadline	September 3, 2026
Selection notice	September 4, 2026
Orientation, course registration, and start of instruction	November 23, 2026

Note: Applicants may also apply after the above deadline. Such applications will be considered for the next call, subject to seat availability.

4. Minimum Eligibility

- School Leaving Certificate (grade 12) with optional subjects Mathematics and Physics. CGPA 2.75 out of 4.
- A Level with Mathematics and Physics. Grade C or above in each subject.
- Diploma in Engineering. Second division or above.
- Or equivalent to any of the above.

Note: Applicants who fall short of the CGPA threshold but demonstrate exceptional merit may be shortlisted. Such applicants are welcome to apply, with the understanding that the University may still deem them ineligible.

5. Fee, Scholarship, and Deposit

Tuition Fees. The tuition fees for the BScCST program is **Rs. 100,000** per semester for eight semesters. Tuition fees cover instruction costs, laboratory consumables and supplies, and examination costs.

Scholarship. Full tuition fee waivers will be provided to 10% of the admitted students belonging to the *disadvantaged groups*. Applicants seeking scholarship under the disadvantaged group category must qualify for admission first to qualify for the scholarship. They should submit applications along with the documentary evidence of their disadvantaged group status on or before the interview date.

Deposits. To ensure that only committed students enroll and they take the proper care of the University property, the following non-tuition fees apply: a non-refundable registration fee of Rs. 25,000; a refundable deposit of Rs. 50,000 (returned upon program completion); and a refundable security deposit of Rs. 25,000 to cover costs of potential damage the University property due to negligence.

Other costs. All costs other than specified under the tuition fees shall be borne by the students. Transportation charges apply for students using the office shuttle service to and from Chitlang.

6. Application Submission

Online application form is available at <http://www.mbust.edu.np>. Applications must be submitted online. Applications in hard copies or scanned copies will not be entertained.

The applicant must pay an application fee of Rs. 500.

Bank details to deposit application fee: Madan Bhandari University of Science and Technology A/C No. 33600106701870000049 Nepal Bank Limited Chitlang Branch, Thaha Municipality	 SCAN & PAY MADAN BHANDARI UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
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In case of difficulties in applying online, please contact: Mr. Abhash Jit Maharjan. Email: abhash.jit.maharjan@mbust.edu.np. Contact number: +977 9861392313.

7. Documents to be Submitted

Mandatory documents

- 1) Academic transcripts: Secondary school transcript (grade 12)
- 2) Personal statement (see Attachment)
- 3) Citizenship certificate/Passport
- 4) CV
- 5) Bank voucher/evidence of the deposition of application fee of Rs. 500.

Optional documents

- 1) Extracurricular certificates
- 2) Additional transcripts
- 3) Other documents (not more than five).

Documents for scholarship under disadvantaged group category

- 1) Application for scholarship
- 2) Proof that the applicant belongs to a disadvantaged group.

8. Criteria for Selection

The applicants will be selected based on the following set of criteria.

Criteria	Academic performance	Personal statement	Writing skills	Interview	Total
Weightage, %	30	10	10	50	100

Applicants are encouraged to submit documents showing special achievements/skills which could enhance the chances of their success in the studies.

Applicants should submit the names and contact details of **two referees** who can provide the firsthand reference on the students. The students should name only those referees who agree to be

interviewed by the University.

Writing and interview will take place at the University premise in Chitlang.

Shortlisting. Applicants will be shortlisted based on the cumulative score of the first two criteria. The number of students shortlisted will not exceed double the planned intake.

Final selection. The final selection for admission will be based on the cumulative score of all criteria.

9. Briefing on the Program

Those interested to know more about the program are requested to send an email to info@mbust.edu.np or contact: **Dr. Ritu Raj Lamsal**, Program Coordinator (Digital Technology). Phone: 9804437197. Email: rituraj.lamsal@mbust.edu.np.

Visiting MBUST. Interested applicants are welcome to visit MBUST in Chitlang. They can make their own travel arrangement or request to use the university bus service (Rs. 150 for a one-way trip and Rs. 300 for a round trip) subject to seat availability. The bus departs from Pulchowk at 8:00 AM and travels through Kalanki and Thankot. For seat reservation, please contact: Binod Adhikari (9851119749).

Director

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Attachment 1

Framework for Personal Statement

A personal statement shall be an essay of 1,400 to 1,500 words that introduces the applicant. It should explain the reason for choosing the program, career goals and motivation for the chosen goals. It should also explain why the applicant is a good fit for studying at MBUST and highlight specific qualities and special skills of the applicant which may be helpful for the successful completion of the studies. The statement may also contain any other relevant information not exceeding the word limit.