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**INSTITUTE OF FASHION &
COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY**

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HANDBOOK OF INFORMATION IFCT 2026

1st Industry Led Fashion School of North India

MEDIA | FASHION | INTERIOR | BEAUTY



From the Founder's Desk

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Dear Learners & Parents,

The world is advancing rapidly with digital innovation, sustainability, and creative entrepreneurship reshaping every industry. India now leads this transformation with a thriving creator economy, strong start-up ecosystem, and growing demand for skilled professionals. At the Institute of Fashion and Communication Technology (IFCT), an academic institute of The Lifestyle Journalist, we are committed to bridging education with real industry needs through a futuristic, caring, and student-focused approach. With India's media and entertainment industry projected to reach ₹4.30 lakh crore by 2026 and the apparel sector expected to grow over 10% CAGR with millions of new jobs by 2030, the opportunities ahead are immense. Our programs nurture clarity, resilience, and creativity- ensuring students evolve into confident, industry-ready innovators prepared to lead the future. IFCT stands with every learner, guiding them towards meaningful careers and a world of limitless possibilities. Welcome to this family of creative people!



THE LIFESTYLE JOURNALIST MAGAZINE - THE INSPIRATION

The Lifestyle Journalist stands as one of **India's most influential fashion and lifestyle publications**, known for its inspiring and thoughtful journalism. With a national presence and a growing global footprint, TLJ sets benchmarks in storytelling across fashion, culture, beauty, wellness, and the creative arts. Its editorial strength lies in authentic reporting, visually rich narratives, and a deep connection with industry leaders. The magazine consistently features India's most admired celebrities and changemakers, reinforcing its strong credibility in the entertainment and media world. TLJ continues to shape conversations, celebrate talent, and spotlight the voices redefining modern India.



ABOUT THE INSTITUTE



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Institute of Fashion & Communication Technology (IFCT) is the 1st Industry Led Fashion Institute in North India and a state-of-the-art institution- a creation of senior fashion journalists and ace academicians, dedicated to reshaping the landscape of fashion, communication and creative careers' education globally. With highly trained and experienced faculty and a supremely friendly environment, IFCT is committed to bringing positive change and innovation to creative education in India. Our esteemed advisory board, featuring senior faculty from prestigious design schools across Europe and the US, ensures that our curriculum is at the forefront of industry trends.

Our specially designed programs provide students with an in-depth understanding of the fashion business, coupled with hands-on experience that prepares them to thrive in the industry. IFCT is focused on cultivating future leaders and entrepreneurs who will shape India's fashion and apparel sector and the global market.

In collaboration with its partnering university, Rayat Bahra University (RBU), Kharar, Punjab- a UGC-recognised private university in North India and Bahra University in Solan for degrees and certifications, we offer quality education and guidance that empower students to excel in their careers. Here, the foundation of design, fashion, and communication education is laid, setting the stage for a bright future in the creative world.

While its parent company, The Lifestyle Journalist Magazine - India's leading lifestyle magazine got inceptioned in 2014, IFCT came into existence in the year 2023, and the Industry Led Centre came up in Kharar, District Mohali. IFCT Core team has been tirelessly working to create this state-of-the-art design & communication school ever since! IFCT touched 250 student admissions in 2025 at its Mohali and Solan Centres.

In addition to short-term skill certifications and diplomas, IFCT offers UG, PG and PhD programs in the areas of Media, Fashion, Interior Designing, Beauty and Wellness. Students are encouraged to study interdisciplinary subjects and work on their creative and life skills, along with academics. IFCT is a perfect place to let creativity blossom, while keeping the fee structure and affordability in mind.

Welcome to the world of holistic learning, where the purpose of education is to innovate!



PROGRAMS OFFERED DURING 2026-27 ACADEMIC SESSION

PROGRAMME	DURATION	SEATS	ELIGIBILITY
PROGRAMS OFFERED AT IFCT MOHALI			
FASHION PROGRAMS			
BSc (Fashion Designing)	3 years	30	Class 12
MBA (Fashion Business Management)	2 years	20	Graduate
MSc (Fashion Management)	2 years	20	Graduate
E-Fashion Design Pro Course (Online)	10 months	60	Open for all
MAKE UP & BEAUTY PROGRAMS			
Diploma (Makeup & Hair Styling)	1 year	30	Class 10
Diploma (Beauty & Wellness)	1 year	30	Class 10
Certificate Program in Basics of Makeup (L1&2)	6 months	20	Open for all
MEDIA PROGRAMS			
BA (Mass Communication & Journalism)	3 years	30	Class 12
MA (Mass Communication & Journalism)	2 years	20	Graduate
INTERIOR PROGRAMS			
BDes (Interior Designing)	4 years	30	Class 12
Certificate Program in Interior Designing	1 year	20	Class 10
PhD Programs in Fashion and Communication Fields			*Based on availability of seats
IFCT- SOLAN PROGRAMS (HIMACHAL PRADESH)			
BDes - Bachelors of Design	4 years	40	Class 12
BSc (Fashion Designing)	3 years	30	Class 12
Certificate in Makeup & Hair Styling	6 months	30	Class 10

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

A wide range of options open up after pursuing a graduate or PG programme in fashion, design, beauty & media domains. 100% placement facilitation is available for students.



Work as a Fashion Stylist
or as a Fashion Designer



Work as a Fashion Blogger
or with fashion magazines
or handle social media for top firms!



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Work in Retail Sector

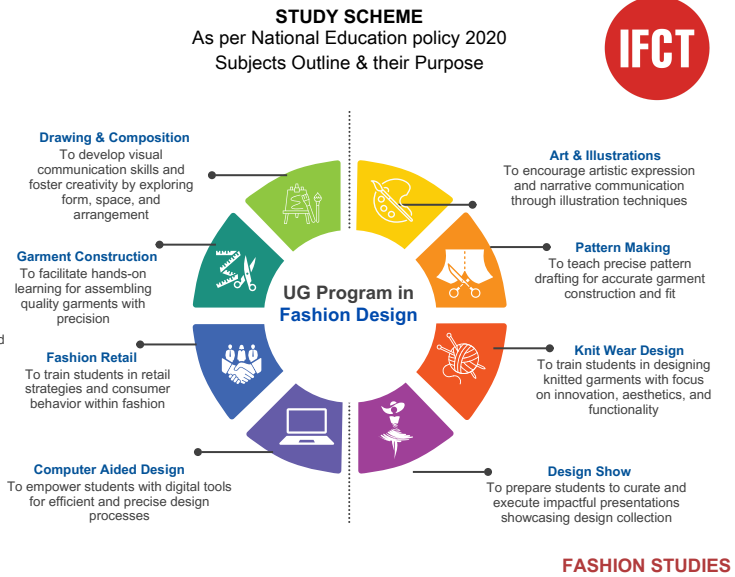
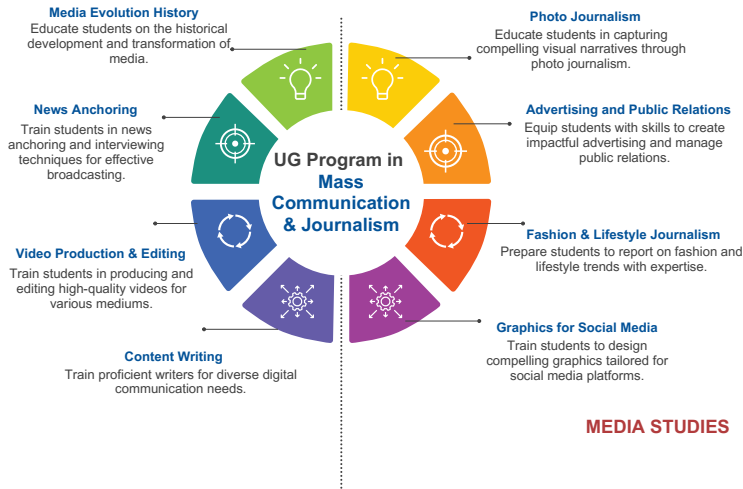


Pursue teaching or
higher research in fashion
or media domain

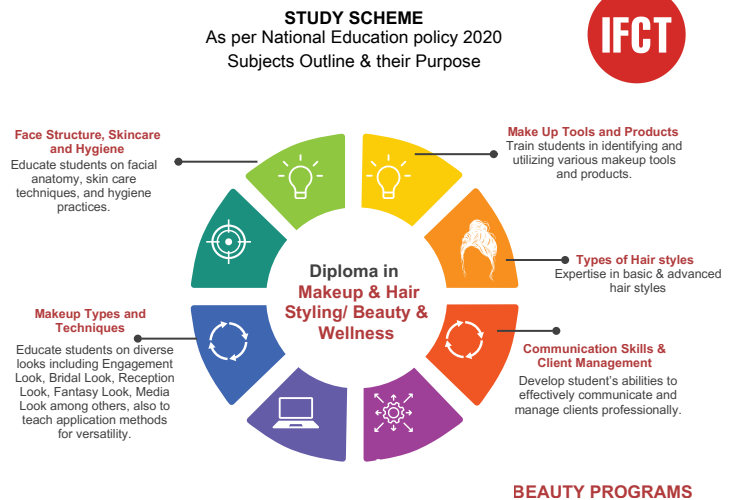
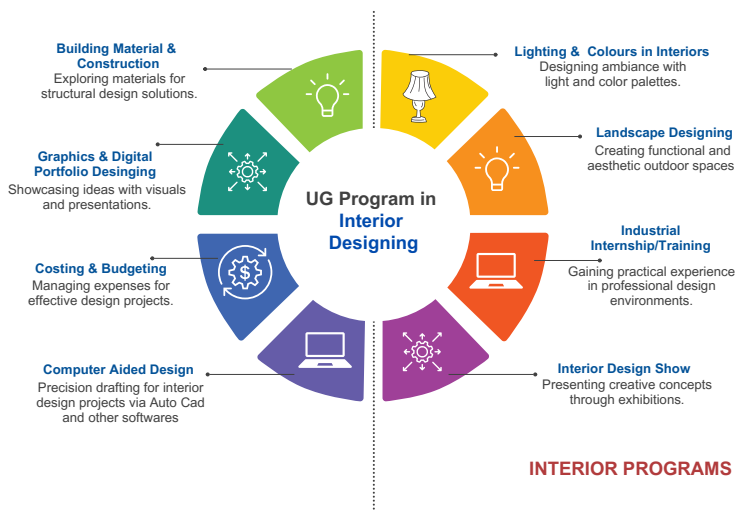


Work in top Fashion Outlets
or Set up your own Fashion Business!

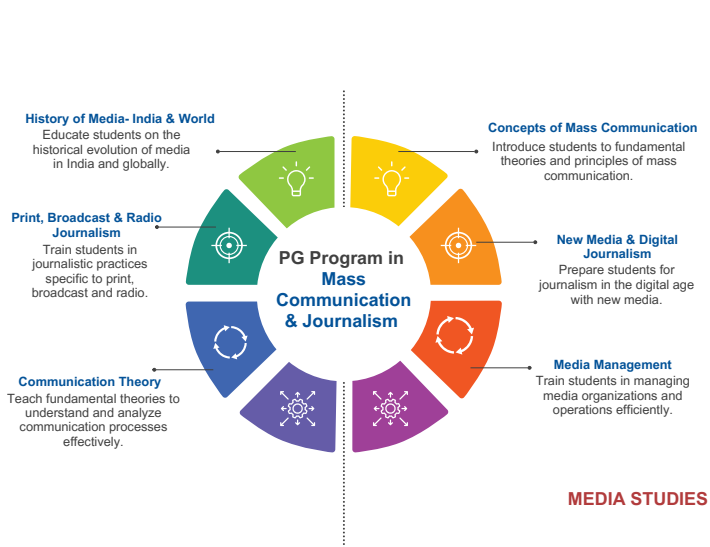
UG CURRICULUM OUTLINE & ITS RELEVANCE- MEDIA & FASHION PROGRAMS



STUDY SCHEME AS PER NEP 2020 BY GOVT OF INDIA



POST-GRADUATE PROGRAMS AT IFCT



ADMISSION PROCESS



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Candidates applying for the programs should obtain the application form from **IFCT Mohali office** inside Rayat Bahra University, Kharar campus or **IFCT Solan Centre** inside Bahra University, Wakhnaghat. Form can also be filled online admission form at www.ifct.co.in

Candidates can call at the admission helpline numbers **for procuring form** or for any other assistance.

Admission Numbers: **77101-10106, 77101-10105** (Call or Whatsapp) Mohali and **77104-10109** (Solan) HP

Instructions to the candidates

- Application with incomplete or incorrect information and without enclosures is liable for rejection. IFCT Selection Committee will scrutinize the Submitted Documents before conducting further admission procedures.
- Once the Admission confirmation has been given to the candidate from IFCT office, he/she should acknowledge and pay fees within the stipulated time, failing which admission shall stand cancelled. Fee once deposited will not be refunded. All Original Documents should be produced at the time of admission for verification and admission approval by the university.

Procedure to submit application

The completed application form, procured from IFCT Office along with a scanned copy of eligibility documents, must be sent to the email ID **admissions.ifct@gmail.com** and confirmation to be sent to the IFCT office via call or official numbers.

Eligibility conditions for different programs

For **BSc/BDes**- Class 12th Cleared with at least 50% marks (any stream)

For **MSc/ MA/ MBA**- Any Graduate with at least 50% marks. A valid graduation degree recognized by UGC

For **Diploma**- Class 10th Cleared with 50% marks

Hostel & Bus Facility

Hostel and bus facilities are available in both campuses- Mohali and Solan- subject to availability. Annual hostel charges **vary** each year. Contact the IFCT office for more details regarding current fee structure.

Please Note: 2026 Intake begins in January 2026 (First come first serve basis)

Important Addresses

Admissions Office:

IFCT Punjab: Institute of Fashion and Communication Technology (IFCT)- University School of Fashion & Media Studies (USFMS), Rayat Bahra University- Chandigarh-Ropar NH 205, Greater Mohali, Punjab

IFCT, Himachal Pradesh: Inside Bahra University, Wakhnaghat, District Solan (HP)

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DEGREE AND VALIDITY

UGC & GOI Recognised University affiliation of IFCT at Punjab (Rayat Bahra University) & Himachal Pradesh (Bahra University), are well within your local reach and can be easily verified, unlike other institutes that have unverified tie-ups and collaborations!

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PURSUE YOUR DREAMS



BAHRA UNIVERSITY
SHIMLA HILLS



STUDENT LIFE ON IFCT CAMPUS



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INDUSTRIAL VISITS | SPECIAL LECTURES AT IFCT

At IFCT there are abundant opportunities to get **hands-on industrial training** and opportunity to **learn from industry experts**. Special emphasis is laid on the industry-academia connect to stay in tune with the industry trends in every field.



Modelling Training



The Tribune Visit



Nykaa & Sephora Masterclasses



Training on 'Brand Building & PR'



Annual Design Shows & Rigorous Design Process Training



Design workshops by industry experts and in-service professionals



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Location: IFCT Punjab- Kharar, Dist. Mohali (*Inside Rayat Bahra University*) NH 205

Admission Helpline: 77101-10106, 77101-10105

IFCT Himachal Pradesh- Wakhnaghat, Dist. Solan (*Inside Bahra University*)

Admission Helpline: 77104-10109, 77101-10106