Job Prospects & Placement

Microbial Technology is an upcoming field with opportunities in widely diverse fields of biotechnology; research and development labs, academics, hospitals, pharmaceuticals, food and beverage, clinical research, diagnostics, new drug discovery, forensic science and chemical industries.

The interdisciplinary nature of the course provides an excellent opportunity for further specialization in diverse fields of medical microbiology, food microbiology, industrial microbiology, clinical research, hospital management, IPR etc.

Each year our M.Sc. – Semester IV students undertake research training in esteemed research institutes in India and abroad such as University of Tuebingen (Germany), Friedrich-Schiller University (Germany), and prestigious research labs in India (DRDO lab - Delhi, Shriram Institute of Industrial Research-Delhi, National Botanical Research Institute-Lucknow, Ranbaxy-Gurgaon, National Research Centre for Mushroom-Solan, Jawaharlal Nehru University-Delhi etc. **Most of the students get absorbed for job or for Ph.D. program in these institutions.**

The students from past batches have been placed in the following organizations/industries

- Western Ontario University, Canada
- University of Göttingen
- University of Tuebingen, Germany
- Institute of Genomic & Integrative Biology, New Delhi
- Center for Sight, Safdurjung Enclave, New Delhi
- Lovely Professional University, Punjab
- Laborate Pharmaceuticals, Haryana
- Nicholas Piramal India Limited, New Delhi
- Subramaniam, Nataraj & Associates
- Projects funded by Ministry of Environment & Forests
- Projects funded by CSIR

Four of our students from earlier batches are undertaking the Ph.D. program of our institute and are working in projects funded by government organizations.

Some reflections from former students...



Mr. Anirrudho C Hoque (M.Sc. - 2005-07 Batch)

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- "- An extremely useful thing at AIMT was the requirement of giving presentations...this has definitely been one of the most useful things I have picked up for my career...a very important skill to learn and perfect. Eventually, at conferences or generally, it is your presentation and how you deliver it that speaks about your work to a large audience.
- AIMT had a relaxed and not very regimented way of designing courses and letting us study. The standard of the examination was good and made sure we would have to cover the whole syllabus no matter what !
- Because of such informality between teachers and students, it became rather easy to maintain a stable working relationship in my career with other teachers. The environment at AIMT was relaxed enough for easy communication and yet strict enough to have a certain level of discipline. This is something very useful when you go anywhere later on for further studies."



Ms. Anjali Ralhan (M.Sc. - 2005-07 batch)

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"My experience with AIMT (Amity Institute of Microbial Technology) was very remarkable. It is an excellent platform for those who really want to achieve knowledge accompanying success. The fantastic faculty did icing on the cakes. Extremely polite, intellectual and interactive faculty members make the environment more comfortable and perfect for studies. One can really spread wings to the outer world with the fabulous global contacts of AIMT which lets you to enhance your knowledge and enables you to counter many scientific opportunities.

At the end, I would say that AIMT is a golden opportunity for those who really want to achieve success in their scientific career."



Ms. Mansi Chaudhry (M.Sc. - 2005-07 batch)

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"Hello sir.

It was pleasure to talk to you sir. I always admire you as good teacher who believes in quality education for the students. I remember those days sir when you were always busy to manage lectures for us in JNU, Fortis hospital, Jamia Hamdard and many others, which was really highly motivated and provide us with great exposure.

This is to inform you sir that after completion of M.Sc. [Microbiology & Herbal Medicine], I appeared for TIFAC WOMEN SCIENTIST SCHOLARSHIP which is sponsored by Department of Science and Technology, Government of India. I was selected for the fourth batch (2008-2009) of this scholarship after clearing the written test and personal Interview, which is an all India level examination.

The scholarship includes one-month orientation program and rest 11 months job cum training. For job training, I am presently working with with one of the India's leading Patent & Trademark law firm, SUBRAMANIAM, NATARAJ & ASSOCIATES. This particular law firm is headed by two highly reputed Patent & Trademark Attorneys, Mr. H. Subramaniam and Mr. Guru Nataraj. Currently, I got placed in the same law firm at a package of 380000-420000 per annum and my designation would be PATENT CONSULTANT. I am joining here from 1 May, 2009 onwards, as my scholarship will end on April 30, 2009.

Recently, I have cleared World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) Academy is DL101 General Course on Intellectual Property (distance course) with 86%.

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"AIMT (Amity Institute of Microbial Technology) offers a great program for those who are willing to work hard and wish to be challenged. They provide an excellent alternative for those who are self-motivated and for those who are willing to work hard and put in the time to achieve success. There is a working independence to everything. The faculty and all of those at AIMT were extremely polite. I found there was a unique one-to-one type of interaction in the University and the closeness of all the staff and students in the department is one of the greatest assets in AIMT. My experience as a Master's student in AIMT (Amity Institute of Microbial Technology) was fun but challenging, and I was always asked to be critical in my thinking and understanding of the scientific and analytical approaches. The lecturers, seminars by reputed scientists, global exposure and personal tuition I have had over the past two years in AMITY has enabled me to not only grow as a Microbiologist, but also the community feel to the department as a whole has made me feel AIMT as my second home. Thanks for everything."