

I remember the spams we used to get in email. As much annoying they were, the reasons were almost always genuine like taking care of dogs, mess food issues, blocking the emails of students who spam for cab sharing etc.

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## Looking at research-oriented Curriculum, come to IITH

Hi, I am Shivani, currently working as a Research Associate in Sysmex Cooperation. I pursued my PhD from The University of Tokyo and graduated in September 2020. I did my MTech for IITH, Biotechnology Department and graduated in July 2017.

I heard from my seniors that the Biotechnology Department in IITH has a young faculty and are open to new challenges and even new research areas. Considering these facts, I selected IITH.

I enjoyed most of the subjects taught at IITH, as the courses are different and research-oriented. I haven't seen such a curriculum in other Universities. However, I didn't like that the program of assigning labs for the Master's project. I faced many difficulties when I was applying for my PhD because of that. I feel that everyone should be given hands-on training with Wet lab and Dry lab because the Master's project defines your future.

Biotechnology was a small and relatively new Department in IITH. Therefore, we didn't have the opportunity to have hands-on experience with most of the experiments. However, we were given the basic knowledge about the various experiments and the results obtained by the seniors.

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I recall the moment of being shifted from ODF to Kandi as my best memory from IITH.

I would like to say to the current students to be sure what you want to do in the future either going for higher studies or going for a job. Don't try to sail on two boats, as you would be dividing your concentration into two things, and you would take the opportunity from some other person.

The curriculum is the best thing about IITH. I would like that the Master's thesis program should be changed for Biotechnology Department and involve both wet lab and dry lab experience to the students because the students will represent IITH, Biotechnology Department in the future and should be taught the best.

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