



14th भारतीय छात्र संसद
(INDIAN STUDENT PARLIAMENT)
By
MIT School of Government

Master of Arts in Political Leadership & Government (MPG)

Admissions Open for
MPG
Batch 21 (2026-2028)

*Political Leadership
begins here....*



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The primary objective of the MIT School of Government (MIT-SOG) is to provide leadership training to young Indians who aspire to pursue a career in politics and government. The school is committed towards creating a group of ethical, spirited, committed, and well-trained political leaders systematically taking the students through a carefully designed Programme. This Programme exposes them to various governmental, political, social, and democratic processes, instilling in them a sense of national pride, democratic values, and leadership qualities.



Programme Structure

FIRST YEAR	
Semester - I Courses	Semester - II Courses
Competing Politico-Economic Ideologies	Organisation Building and Strategic Management
Working of Indian Constitution	Elections and Campaign Management
Local Governments in India	Political Communication
Psephology and Data Analytics	Research Methods for Political Leadership
Rural Immersion	Election Internship (Internal Evaluation/Project)
Biography Presentation	National Study Visit
Scientific Studies of Mind, Matter, Spirit. and Consciousness	Peace Building: Global Initiatives
Yoga	
SECOND YEAR	
Semester – III Courses & Internships	Semester – IV Courses & Internships
Politics for Change	Budget Making and Analysis
Constituency Development and Management	India's Foreign Policy
Legislative Procedures in India	Public Policy and Advocacy (Optional)
Global Politics	Film Appreciation (Optional)
Social Internship (Development Sector/ Civil Society/Constituency/ Political Consultancy)	Political Internship (Political Leader/ Political Party / Political Consultancy/. Constituency)
	Transformative Leadership - Sharing Best Practices

A HUMBLE TRIBUTE



*A True Personification of
Honesty, Integrity & Dignity*



We are creating Diamonds.
"Diamonds are valued on the basis of four criteria -
Cut, Clarity, Colour & Carat. We are trying to give you the
cut to polish your face, to chisel more faces, to tell you what
is corruption, to tell you what is speaker, to tell you what is
parliament, to tell you what is an NGO, to tell you what is an
inter-state body dispute"



T. N. Seshan

1st Chairman & Mentor, MIT SOG
Former Chief Election Commissioner of India

First Year

- ◆ Campus-based learning comprising classroom sessions, field visits and study tours.
- ◆ Classroom lectures by core and visiting faculty.
- ◆ Interactive sessions by national level eminent leaders from Politics, Social sector, Bureaucracy, Judiciary, Media and Corporate.
- ◆ Local field visits are organised for hands-on experience to Gram Panchayat, Zilla Parishad, Municipal Corporation, State Assembly, Cooperatives and NGOs.
- ◆ Election study tour
- ◆ National Study Tour to Delhi is organised to give first-hand exposure to meet policy makers, legislators, bureaucrats, institutions & media houses.

Second Year

- ◆ Off-campus internships and training.
- ◆ Constituency based internship.
- ◆ Internship with Political Constituencies.
- ◆ Internship with NGOs.
- ◆ Internships with Media.
- ◆ Minimum six-months long Internship with offices of Political parties and/or with Political leaders which helps the students establish themselves firmly in the Political field.
- ◆ International Study Tour (Optional).

Highlights

- Interactive sessions with national-level leaders from Politics, Bureaucracy, Judiciary, Media Corporate & Social/Development organisations
- Experiential learning from the curriculum designed by leading academicians & practitioners
- National Study Tour to Delhi NCR
- Thematic Workshops
- Field Visits to Gram Panchayats, Zilla Parishad, Municipal Corporation, State Legislative Assembly, Cooperatives & Non-Governmental Organisations (NGOs) & Rural Immersion
- Multiple Internships on Election Survey/ Election Campaign, Constituency Mapping & Political Internship
- Curriculum covers Political Communication, Legislative Procedures, Psephology, Policy Studies, Constituency Development & Management
- 1st year classroom sessions on campus & 2nd year with internships & trainings off campus

*Shri. Narendra Modi, then Chief Minister of Gujarat and now
Prime Minister of India interacting with MPG, Batch 08 Students*





MPG Batch 20 Students at Rastrapati Bhavan, New Delhi

Fees:

₹3,10,000/-

(Includes Study Tours & Course materials)

Admission Procedure

Eligibility Criteria:

Minimum 50% aggregate marks in 3/ 4-year graduation degree in any stream from a UGC-approved institution/ university or its equivalent (minimum 45% aggregate marks for candidates belonging to the Reserved Category from Maharashtra State).

Selection Process:

The selection process for selecting students for the MPG batch 22 (2026-2028) includes a descriptive written test followed by a personal interview.

How to Apply

Candidates need to fill online admission application form and necessary documents as specified in the form and upload the necessary pay admission application fee of 2000/- (For Online Admission Application visit www.mitsog.org or mitwpu.edu.in)

Scholarship

The categories of Merit Scholarships are:

- Dr. Vishwanath Karad Merit Scholarship
- Hon'ble Sri. T N Seshan Scholarship
- MIT-WPU Merit Scholarship
- MLA Scholarship

MIT SOG Activities



Model Parliament



Vichar Manthan



Seminar & Conferences



Quiz Competition

Field Visits



Hivare Bazar



Survey in Tuljapur



Kolhapur Zilla Parishad



Model Village



Katewadi



Uruli Kanchan, Pune



Telangana Assembly Election



Madhya Pradesh
Assembly Election

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National Study Tour

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Sharad Pawar
President, NCP-SP



Nirmala Sitaraman
Hon'ble Finance Minister,
Govt. of Bharat



Prakash Karat
Former General Secretary, CPI (M)



V. Sivadasan
Member Rajya Sabha, Kerala



Tejasvi Surya
Member Lok Sabha,
Bangalore South, Karnataka



Atishi Marlena
Hon'ble Chief Minister of Delhi



Amb. Sujan Chinoy
Director General of the Manohar Parrikar
Institute for Defense Studies and Analyses
(IDSA)



Pratap Singh Bajwa
Leader of the Opposition,
Punjab Legislative Assembly



Jayant Choudhary
Hon'ble Minister of Skill Development
and Entrepreneurship, Govt. of Bharat



Tiruchi Siva
Member Rajya Sabha,
Tamil Nadu



Arjun Ram Meghwal
Hon'ble Minister of Law and
Justice, Govt. of Bharat



G Kishan Reddy
Hon'ble Minister of Coal &
Minister of Mines, Govt of Bharat

National Academic Immersion Programme (NAIP) at SECMOL Ladakh

The students of MPG Batch 20, arrived at **The Students' Educational and Cultural Movement of Ladakh (SECMOL)** Campus in Leh, Ladakh, to embark on a unique learning journey. Nestled in the serene, high-altitude landscapes of the Himalayas, SECMOL is renowned for its alternative, eco-friendly approach to education. The visit marked an opportunity for students to engage with innovative practices in sustainability, community-driven initiatives, and experiential learning, gaining a deeper understanding of the challenges and solutions for development in remote regions like Ladakh.



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International Study Tour

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Mr. Edward Dave,
Shadow Foreign Secretary, UK



North Atlantic Treaty
Organisation (NATO), Brussels



European Parliament,
Brussels



World Trade Organization
(WTO), Geneva



Commonwealth
Secretariat, London



Indian Embassy,
Berne

Interactive Sessions By Eminent Leaders

Around 350 national level leaders from Political, Social, Bureaucracy, Judiciary, Media & Corporate sector have interacted with participants since the inception of MPG program.



M. Venkaiah Naidu
Former Vice-President
of Bharat



Shivraj Patil
Former Speaker,
Lok Sabha



Sumitra Mahajan
Former Speaker,
Lok Sabha



Lal Krishna Advani
Former Deputy Prime Minister
of Bharat



Arif Mohammad Khan
Governor of Kerala



Sharad Pawar
President NCP-SP



Digvijay Singh
Former Chief Minister of
Madhya Pradesh



Nitin Gadkari
Minister of Road Transport &
Highways, Small & Medium
Enterprises Ministry



Prithviraj Chavan
Former Chief Minister of
Maharashtra



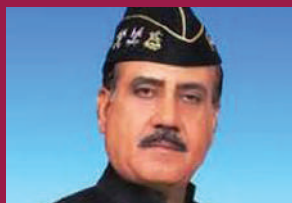
N. Gopalaswami
Former Chief Election
Commissioner of India (CEC).
Padma Bhushan in 2015



Suhas Palshikar
Former Professor at
Savitribai Phule Pune University



Sanjay Kumar
Professor/ Co- Director
Lokniti



AK Singh
Former Lt. Governor of
Andaman & Nicobar Islands,
& Puducherry



PDT Achary
Former Secretary General,
Lok Sabha



Sourabh Dwivedi
Founding Editor of The Lallantop



Dr. Jaiprakash Narayan
Founder and President,
Lok Satta Party



Anjali Ambedkar
Asso. Prof. Karve Institute of
Social Service, SPPU, Pune



Rahul Verma
Political Scientist and
Fellow at CPR



Ramdas Athawale
Union Minister of State for
Social Justice and Empowerment



Smriti Irani
Former Minister of Education,
Bharat



Supriya Sule
Member Lok Sabha,
Baramati, Maharashtra



Anbil Mahesh Poyyamozhi
Minister of Primary Education,
Tamil Nadu



Abhishek Mishra
Former Minister,
Govt of Uttar Pradesh



Ganesh Karnik
Former MLC,
Karnataka Legislative Assembly

Social Initiatives of MIT-SOG

National Legislators' Conference (NLC)

The National Legislators' Conference Bharat unites MLAs and MLCs nationwide, fostering collaboration, skill enhancement, and mutual learning through discussions, workshops, and success stories, strengthening governance and Bharat's democratic foundation.



Bharatiya Chhatra Sansad (BCS)

Bharatiya Chhatra Sansad unites youth nationwide, fostering leadership, civic engagement, and national development through debates and discussions, empowering future leaders to shape a prosperous, inclusive, and socially conscious Bharat.

National Women's Parliament

The National Women's Parliament (NWP) empowers women by fostering dialogue on socio-economic and political issues. Its inaugural three-day conclave promoted mentorship, shared experiences, and inspired young women to overcome challenges and realize their full potential.



Rashtriya Sarpanch Sansad

Rashtriya Sarpanch Sansad fosters dialogue on local governance and rural development. Through MIT-WPU's Rural Immersion, students engage with villages, while the platform empowers leaders by sharing knowledge and solutions, aiming to create model villages and bridge rural-urban gaps.

National Teachers' Congress

The National Teachers' Congress (NTC), by MIT-WPU and Maharashtra Government, unites 8,000+ educators globally. This apolitical platform fosters innovation, mentorship, and leadership, addressing education challenges while promoting intercultural dialogue, societal change, and collaboration, supported by AICTE, AIU, and UNESCO.



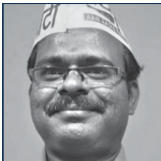
SOCIAL INITIATIVES

Career Prospects

MIT-SOG is committed to nurturing ethical and skilled political leaders by integrating classroom learning with experiential exposure through case studies, field visits, and immersive study tours. Students engage with eminent leaders from politics, bureaucracy, media, and civil society, gaining insights into politics and electoral dynamics. The program equips aspirants for careers as Political Leaders, Analysts, Strategists, Campaign Managers, and Election Consultants.

MIT SOG Alumni

More than 450 participants have completed MPG program from MIT SOG. Over 250 of our alumni are occupying eminent positions in the political arena. Some are associated with the youth wings of political parties while others are associated with political leaders as consultants, strategists, campaign managers etc. We present a glimpse of what this formidable force has started achieving

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|  |  Hemant Ogale (MPG 01)
MLA, Shrirampur Constituency,
Ahilyanagar, Maharashtra |  |  Sumit Wankhede (MPG 07)
MLA, Arvi Constituency,
Wardha, Maharashtra |
|  |  Shehzaad Poonawalla (MPG 03)
National Spokesperson
Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) |  |  Dr. Abhijit More (MPG 03)
Secretary,
Aam Aadmi Party (AAP),
Maharashtra |
|  |  Siddesh Naik (MPG 04)
President of
North Goa Zilla Panchayat
State Secretary, Goa, BJP |  |  Pankaj Chandel (MPG 04)
General Secretary, Apna Dal
(Kamerwadi), Uttar Pradesh |
|  |  Vijay Chintakayala (MPG 06)
General Secretary,
Telugu Desam Party,
Andhra Pradesh |  |  Nidhi Kamdar (MPG 06)
OSD to Maharashtra CM,
Shri. Devendra Fadnavis |
|  |  Powaku Tarun Kumar (MPG 17)
General Secretary of
Telangana Youth Congress |  |  Prasad Sanap (MPG 10)
Coordinator, Nashik Vikas Manch.
Contested Maharashtra Vidhan
Sabha 2024 Election From MNS |
|  |  Raviraj Chandrakant Khade (MPG 19)
Working with Shri. Shambhuraj Desai,
Cabinet Minister
Government of Maharashtra |  |  Dr. Vaishnavi Kirad (MPG 12)
National Secretary,
Indian Youth Congress |
|  |  Snehil Desai (MPG 14)
President, BJYM,
Valsad District, Gujarat |  |  R Judah Jeba Kumar (MPG 15)
Constituency Manager for
Anbil Mahesh Poyyamozhi
Minister for School Education
of Tamil Nadu |

