



University of Kashmir, Srinagar-6, J&K

NAAC Accredited Grade "A"

P.G. Department of Geography & Regional Development
(DST-FIST and UGC-SAP (DRS-II) Assisted Department)

Year of Establishment : 1979

Faculty Details:

i.	Dr. Mohammad Sultan Bhat	:	Professor
ii.	Dr. Ishtiaq Ahmed Mayer	:	Professor
iii.	Dr. Shamim Ahmed Shah	:	Associate Professor
iv.	Dr. Pervez Ahmed	:	Sr. Asstt. Professor
v.	Dr. Harmeet Singh	:	Sr.Asstt. Professor
vi.	Dr. G.M. Rather	:	Sr.Asstt. Professor
vii.	Dr. Javeed Ahmed Rather	:	Asstt. Professor
viii.	Mr. M. Shafi Bhat	:	Asstt. Professor
ix.	Dr. Akhtar Aalm	:	Asstt. Professor

Present Head : *Prof. M.Sultan Bhat*

Programme Offered :

1. M.A. / M.Sc. Geography

Duration : Two years (four Semesters)

Intake capacity : 30 + 09 Self-financed seats

Eligibility Criteria : Three year B.A/ B.Sc
with Geography as one of the subjects.

2. M.A/M.Sc Disaster Management

Duration : Two years (four Semesters)

Eligibility Criteria : Graduate in any discipline under 10+2+3 Scheme

Intake capacity : 12 + 3 self-financed seats

For course curriculum & P.G Entrance Syllabi, kindly access the Departmental website:

<http://geogrd.uok.edu.in>

Research Programmes Offered:

- M.Phil.
- Ph.D.

Thrust Areas:

- Applied Geomorphology / Glacial Studies
- Urbanization & Spatial Development Planning
- Environment & Health
- Tourism and Developmental planning
- Watershed Studies.
- Remote Sensing and GIS Applications in Resource Evaluation and Appraisal.

Thrust Areas identified under UGC-SAP at the level of DRS-II

- Disaster Vulnerability and Mountain Resource Planning

Additional Information:

- The Department has been inducted by University Grants Commission to their prestigious UGC-SAP Programme at the level of DRS-II. The Department has already successfully completed UGC-SAP at the level of DRS-I.
- The Department has established Advanced Land Surveying Lab equipped with Total Stations and Differential Global Positioning Systems (GPS) besides other surveying instrumentation. It has also established a well equipped Digital Cartography Lab.
- The Department has a well established Remote Sensing and GIS (Geographic Information System) laboratory equipped with about fifty computer systems and related accessories. This laboratory has been established with financial support from the Department of Science and Technology, Govt. of India under their DST-FIST Support Programme.

Infrastructural Facilities

- such as Vidar A0 size scanner, Hp A0 size Plotter, GPS (Model Trimble JUNO AS05) with its allied accessories, Lieca Differential Global Positioning System (DGPS), 30 Hand held GPS, 26 KVA UPS for power backup, GIS software's like Erdas Imagine Professional version 9.0 (5 licenses), Arc info GIS version 9.2 (1 floating license) , Map Info latest version (10 licenses) and PCI Geomatica (10 licenses) are available for the benefit of students/scholars. Besides these, IBM server, Trimble Total Station, Real Time Kinematic(RTK)GPS and Telescopic Theodolites are other additional facilities. The classrooms are also equipped with modern gadgetry like LED's, DLP's and fitted with Air conditioners.

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