

The Department of Physics, SRM University-AP, is inviting applications for its full-time Ph.D. programme from highly motivated and passionate students for the academic year 2025-26.

### **Research Areas**

- · Advanced Materials and Device Physics
- Laser Physics and Photonics
- · High Energy Physics
- Computational Materials and Soft Matter Physics

## **Eligibility Criteria**

First Class Master's degree and Bachelor's degree in Physics

### We Offer

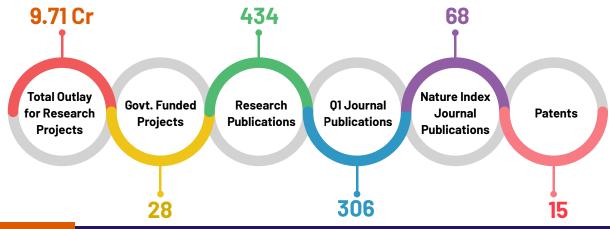
- Fellowship of ₹36000/- per month for the first two years and ₹41000/- per month for the next two years
- Professional Development Grant (PDG) of ₹20000/- (per annum) for first two years and ₹30000/- (per annum) for the subsequent two years
- Full waiver of annual tuition ₹41000/-
- Subsidised boarding & lodging/transport facility

### **Selection Process**

- Written test followed by a personal interview
- Candidates with valid GATE scores are exempted from the written test

Application Deadline: Sep 30, 2025
Interested candidates can apply
here: <a href="https://shorturl.at/hjLT9">https://shorturl.at/hjLT9</a>

Written Test Date: Oct 18, 2025



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# **Our Faculties**



**Prof. C V Tomy** Dean-SEAS and Professor

- 1.Low Temperature Physics
- Magnetism and Superconductivity
   Manganites, Thermoelectric materials, Multiferroic compounds



**Dr Soumyajyoti Biswas**Associate Professor & Head of the Department Expertise

- 1. Statistical physics, complex systems, machine learning
- 2. Fracture, breakdown and earthquakes
- 3. Multi-agent models of society.



Dr Sabyasachi Mukhopadhyay Associate Professor

- 1. Optoelectronic Materials
- 2. Molecular Electronics
- 3 Atomic Force Microscopy



**Dr Jatis Kumar Dash** Associate Professor **Expertise** 

- 1. Fabrication of 2D materials for Flexible Nanoelectronic Devices and Sensors
- 2. Green energy and Hydrogen evolution
- 3. Synthesis of Energy materials and supercapacitors



Dr Siddhartha Ghosh Associate Professor Expertise

- 1. Novel Physics at exotic interfaces grown by pulsed laser deposition (PLD)
- 2. Wettability studies of metal-oxide thin-film surfaces
- 3. Nano-magnetism in transition metal oxides (TMO) and metal-organic frameworks (MOF)



Dr Mallikarjuna Rao Motapothula Assistant Professor

- 1. Discovery of Heterogeneous catalysts.
- Ion beam applications.
- 3. Functional nanostructures.



**Dr Supravat Dey** Assistant Professor Expertise 1.Statistical Physics

- 2.Soft-matter
- 3.Biophysics



Dr Ravi Kumar Assistant Professor 1. Optical Information Processing 2. Digital Holography

- 3. Computational/Optical Imaging



**Prof. Ranjit Thapa**Dean Research and Professor **Expertise** 

- 1. Quantum Mechanics/Machine Learning Approach
- 2. Catalyst: Theory
- 3. Carbon and Boron Based Materials



**Dr Pranab Mandal** Associate Professor Expertise

- 1. Materials synthesis
- 2. Piezoelectrics and ferroelectrics
- 3. Magnetoelectric multiferroics



Dr Gangi Reddy Salla Associate Professor Expertise

- 1. Quantum Optics
- 2. Free optical communication
- 3. Quantum Sensing



Dr Laxmi Narayana Patro Associate Professor **Expertise** 

- 1 Solid state ionics
- 2. Materials for solid state batteries and chemical sensors
- 3. Nonlinear conductivity



**Dr Amit Chakraborty** Assistant Professor

### Expertise

- 1. Theoretical Particle Physics
- 2. Higgs boson Physics, Jet Substructure Physics, Dark Matter Phenomenology
- 3. Machine Learning Applications for Physics Beyond the Standard Model



Dr Debabrata Pramanik Assistant Professor Expertise 1. Computational Biophysics

2. Statistical Physics

3. Rare Events Sampling



Dr Pankaj Bhalla Assistant Profess<u>or</u>

- 1. Quantum Transport
- 2. Quantum engineered Thermoelectrics
- 3. Theoretical and Computational Quantum Condensed Matter Physics



**Dr Ashmita Das** Assistant Professor

- 1. Semiclassical Gravity Theories
- 2. Unruh- Fulling Effect and its Applications
- 3. Relativistic Quantum Information & Quantum Gravity Phenomenology



Dr Anita Halder Assistant Professor

- 1. First principles electronic & magnetic structure calculation
- 2. Study of strongly correlated materials
- 3. Machine learning assisted materials prediction



Dr Basabendu Barman Assistant Professor **Expertise** 

- 1. Particle Physics Phenomenology
- 2. Early Universe Cosmology
- 3. Collider Phenomenology



Dr Nilakantha Meher Assistant Professor Expertise

- 1. Quantum Optics
- 2. Quantum Information Processing, Entanglement
- 3. Quantum interferometry, Optomechanics



**Dr Krishna Prasad Maity** Assistant Professor

- 1.2D semiconductors and ferroelectric 2. Conducting polymers
- 3. Neuromorphic computing



**Dr Swetamber P Das** Assistant Professor

- 1. Nonlinear Dynamics and Chaos
- 2. Complex Systems
- 3. Nonequilibrium Physics



**Dr Arghya Dutta** *Assistant Professor* 

- 1. Machine learning
- 2. (Bio)-Material design
- 3. Quantum mechanics



Dr Arghajit Jana Assistant Professor Expertise

- 1. Accretion and obscuration properties in AGNs
- 2. High energy astrophysics
- 3. Time-domain Astrophysics & Variability

## Some of our former Ph.D. students



Dr Anjana Tripathi Post-doc, Denmark Technical University



Dr Samadhan Kapse Post-doc, University of Barcelona, Spain



Dr Deepak S Gavali Post-doc, Sejong University Seoul,

South Korea



Dr Patnala Vanitha Post-doc, Gwangju Institute of Science and Technology, South Korea



Dr Y Bhaskara Rao Post-doc, Umea University, Sweden

