

Inter-University Centre for Astronomy and Astrophysics (IUCAA), Pune**IUCAA National Admission Test (INAT)-2026****List of Candidates Shortlisted for Ph.D. Interviews (Ph.D. Admissions: August 2026)****Date of Interviews (In-Person): March 24 to 26, 2026****Location of Interviews: IUCAA, Pune**

Sr. No.	Application Number	Name of the Candidate
1	10	Merric Christraj
2	21	Akshaya Praveen
3	112	Ankita Maity
4	165	Sandipan Ghosh
5	225	Abhishek Kumawat
6	242	Yudhisthir
7	294	Ishan
8	300	Vishal Sai Vetrivel
9	301	Ashutosh Kushwaha
10	306	Kartik Kambhampati
11	320	Aryan Jain
12	337	Aryan Thakur
13	345	Aakash
14	360	Jani SK
15	370	P Praveen
16	376	Soham Singh
17	380	Annapurna Pandey
18	391	Ritika Prajapati
19	392	Shailendra Rajput
20	400	Nazim Raihan KN
21	410	Abhinav Roy
22	415	Arnab Biswas
23	442	Harmanjeet Singh Hardeep Singh Bilkhu
24	444	Sakshi Hansaria
25	458	Lipasha Ganjeer
26	465	Arindam Mondal
27	473	Anas Barkat
28	523	Khushi Gupta
29	562	Kritiraj Kalita
30	587	Siddhartha Pandey
31	591	Deepak Kumar Kar
32	597	Vasudev Dubey
33	639	Sarvesh Gupta
34	650	Muhammed Sinan T S
35	652	Abhinav A B
36	653	Richik Bhattacharya
37	661	Shambhavi Mishra
38	687	Aiswarya S M
39	698	Pratyaksh Raj
40	700	Harsh Yadav
41	710	Anindya Kr Kundu
42	766	Vasu Sharma
43	800	Nisha

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44	812	Vikas Rathour
45	839	Amulya Srivastava
46	846	Saptarshi Bhaduri
47	862	Sankalp Dwivedi
48	906	Aditya Sagar Shukla
49	911	Keerthi Krishnanath Prabhu Shirodkar
50	917	Aftab Ahmad
51	931	Subhankar Datta
52	934	Ananya R
53	1001	Harsh Kumar
54	1009	Mrinmoy Mahata
55	1010	Aviral Srivastava
56	1037	Antara Ghosh
57	1045	Nivedhya Hemachandran
58	1051	Ankit Sarkar
59	1066	Priyanka Maurya
60	1078	Punit Dubey
61	1142	Pallavidas K
62	1162	Vyaas Ramakrishnan
63	1181	Suman Das
64	1219	Naman Jain

Please Note:

- 1. The list has been arranged by application number in ascending order.**
- 2. Candidates whose names appear in the above mentioned list should check their email for further details. In case you do NOT receive an email by 16:00 hrs on February 12, 2026, then please write to inat@iucaa.in.**
- 3. Please note that TA/DA will be paid to shortlisted candidates for attending the interviews, as per the Institute's norms.**
- 4. Accommodation at IUCAA will NOT be available for candidates attending the interviews.**
- 5. This list also contains names of candidates who have been shortlisted for interviews to be pre-selected for the Ph.D. programme commencing from August 2028.**