

**Department of Bioinformatics  
School of Earth, Biological and Environmental Sciences  
Central University of South Bihar  
Syllabus of M.Sc. Bioinformatics  
Session-2018 onwards**

### **Introduction**

Bioinformatics is a rapidly growing field of interdisciplinary study at the interface of biology and Information technology. As such, Bioinformatics brings together Molecular biology with areas from Statistics, Mathematics, and Computer science. Bioinformatics now entails the creation and advancement of databases, algorithms, computational and statistical techniques, and theory to solve formal and practical problems arising from the management and analysis of biological data. Considering the interdisciplinary nature of Bioinformatics, this master programme shall have a major component from related subjects under one umbrella.

### **Objectives**

The core objective of the programme is to provide quality education to the graduates, who want to pursue their career in the emerging areas of Bioinformatics and Computational Biology.

- To serve as a nodal point for Bioinformatics and its applications
- To provide industry interface to the students for research project
- To build skilled manpower for drug design and pharmaceutical industry

### **Target Group and Eligibility**

Bachelor degree in Biological Science/ Agricultural Science/ Pharmaceutical Science/ Veterinary Science/ Medical Science/ Mathematics/ Physics/ Chemistry/ Computer Science/ Information Technology or any other related discipline.

**Duration:** Two Years (Four Semester) – Full Time