

# **DEVI AHILYA VISHWAVIDYALAYA, INDORE**

## **DOCTORAL ENTRANCE TEST (DET)-2018**

### **Ph.D. ADMISSIONS-2018**

#### **GUIDELINES FOR STUDENTS ELIGIBLE FOR INTERVIEW**

The following students are eligible for interview to be taken by the Research Advisory Committee for admission in Ph.D.:

1. The candidates who secured 50 or more than 50 marks in Ph.D. Entrance Test (May, 2018) and declared qualified for interview.
2. The candidates who are exempted from Ph.D. Entrance test due to fulfilling one of the following criteria:
  - a. Have valid JRF awarded through UGC-NET / UGC-CSIR-NET
  - b. Have Teacher Fellowship for Research awarded by UGC/ AICTE or any other Govt. agency
  - c. Have Government/ Foreign Research Fellowship
  - d. Have M.Phil. degree (as per UGC Regulations 2009 or amended thereafter) with course work.

The interview shall be conducted by the Research Advisory Committee.

The candidates are expected to bring the No Objection Certificate (As per Annexure) from the proposed Supervisor and Co-supervisor (if applicable) duly forwarded from the Head of the research centre (s).

The candidates should also bring with them the following documents for verification before interview:

- (i) Original certificates and mark sheets along with a self-attested copy of each of the certificate and mark sheet of 10<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, Graduation, and P.G. classes.
- (ii) Original documents along with a self-attested copy of SC/ ST/ OBC /MP domicile certificate (whichever is applicable) to claim the benefit of reservation, as per MP Govt. rules.
- (iii) The candidates who are exempted from Ph.D. Entrance Test should also bring the documents related with the applicable exemption criterion.

The candidates are required to discuss their research interest / area through a presentation before a duly constituted Research Advisory Committee. The interview/*viva-voce* shall also consider the following aspects, viz. whether:

- the candidate possesses the competence for the proposed research;
- the research work can be suitably undertaken at the research centre;
- the proposed area of research can contribute to new/additional knowledge.

The evaluation in interview will be based on 100 marks to be allocated in the following criteria, each of 25 marks:

- (i) Research plan
- (ii) Research potential/ aptitude
- (iii) Communication skills
- (iv) Subject knowledge in the respective area of research.

The RAC shall decide the cut-off marks in interview for admission for Ph.D.

The Chairperson, RAC, will allocate the marks in each of above criterion after consensus. In case of disagreement among the members the average of the marks given by individual member will be the final marks in the criterion. Merit list will be prepared on the basis of the marks obtained out of 100 marks in the interview and the decided cut-off marks.

The RAC shall finalize the list of the candidates to be admitted to the Ph.D. programme in the concerned subject as per the merit and availability of seats. It shall also allot the Research centre, Supervisor, Co-Supervisor (if any), and approve the tentative area of the proposed research work.

**Note:** (i) While granting admission to Ph.D. programme, the RAC will pay due attention to the State Reservation Policy.

(ii) The RAC should also see that only the predetermined number of students shall be admitted to Ph.D. programme.

The final list shall be notified on the University website.

**NO OBJECTION CERTIFICATE**

I, \_\_\_\_\_name of the Supervisor / Co-supervisor\_\_\_\_\_, have been recognised Ph.D. supervisor in \_\_\_\_\_ (name of the subject)\_\_\_\_\_ at Devi Ahilya Vishwavidyalaya, Indore since \_\_\_\_\_(year)\_\_. Current status of the Ph.D. seats with me is as follows:

No. of Ph.D. scholars registered under my direct Supervision: \_\_\_\_\_

No. of Ph.D. scholars registered under my Co-Supervision: \_\_\_\_\_

No. of Vacant seats as Supervisor: \_\_\_\_\_

No. of Vacant seats as Co-Supervisor: \_\_\_\_\_

(A recognised Supervisor can take 4/6/8 seats as Supervisor and same number of seats as Co-supervisor as per his/ her current position of Assistant Professor/ Associate Professor/ Professor).

I do not have any objection if the following student is allotted to me by the Research Advisory Committee for Ph.D. under my Supervision / Co-Supervision:

Name of the Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature (with date) of the Supervisor / Co-Supervisor: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of the Supervisor / Co-Supervisor: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Post of the Supervisor / Co-Supervisor: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of the College / UTD where Supervisor / Co-Supervisor is working: \_\_\_\_\_

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*Note: Please strikeout whichever is not applicable.*