

DEVI AHILYA VISHWAVIDYALAYA, INDORE

DOCTORAL ENTRANCE TEST (DET)-2019

Ph.D./M.Phil. ADMISSIONS (2019-20)

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./M.Phil.:

1. The candidates who secured minimum 50 marks (45 for SC/ ST/ OBC) in Ph.D./M.Phil. Entrance Test (December, 2019).
2. The candidates who are exempted from Ph.D./M.Phil. 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.

If a candidate wants to pursue Ph.D./M.Phil. in an interdisciplinary/ allied subject other than the subject in which he/she has appeared in DET should apply for interview in the School of Studies of allied subject along with a certificate from the respective Head of the Department (DET subject) certifying that the candidate has qualified the DET and eligible for interview. The name of such candidates will be deleted from the list of the candidates qualified for interview in the subject in which he/she appeared in DET and will be included in the list of the candidates for interview in the allied subject in which he/ she wants to do Ph.D./M.Phil.

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 10th, 12th, 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./M.Phil. 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. No cut-off marks for admission in M.Phil.

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./M.Phil. 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./M.Phil. programme.

The final list shall be notified on the University website.

NO OBJECTION CERTIFICATE

I/We, _____ name of the Supervisor
/ Co-supervisor, have been recognised Ph.D. supervisor in _____
(name of the subject) at Devi Ahilya Vishwavidyalaya, Indore. I/ We do not have any
objection if the following student is allotted to me/us by the Research Advisory
Committee for Ph.D. under my/our Supervision / Co-Supervision:

Name of the Student	
Signature (with date) of the Supervisor	
Signature (with date) of the Co-Supervisor	

Name of the Supervisor	
Current Post of the Supervisor	
Name of the College / UTD	

Name of the Co-Supervisor (if any)	
Current Post of the Co-Supervisor	
Name of the College / UTD	

Name of the Student: _____ Signature of the Student: _____

Proposed Research Centre	
Signature of the Head of the Proposed Research Centre (with date and seal)	

Note: Please strikeout whichever is not applicable.