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## **NOTIFICATION**

Sub: Inviting applications for Ph.D Programme 2018-19.

Ref: 1. Approval of the Chairmen's meeting dated: 23.07.2018

2. Approval of the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor (Para-10) dated: 24.07.2018.

Applications are invited in the prescribed format from eligible candidates for admission to Ph.D (Full time and Part time) programmes in various disciplines of the University.

Ph.D. Programme offered in different subjects:- Kannada, English, Economics, Sociology, Political Science, Social Work, History & Archaeology, Commerce, Physics, Chemistry, Library & Information Science and Mathematics.

Candidates who have qualified in respective master's degrees have to appear for the Entrance Test and those candidates who have qualified for fellowships such as UGC-NET/ SLET; CSIR- JRF / GATE Examinations are exempted from the Entrance Test. However, all such candidates have to appear for an Interview along with the candidates who have qualified in the Entrance Test. Admissions shall be made as per the Ph.D. regulations governing the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy- 2017.

The prescribed application form can be downloaded from the University website (www. tumkuruniversity.ac.in.). The duly filled in application form should be sent to the Chairman/ Coordinator of the concerned Department. The application fee is Rs.1,500/-, for GM and OBC candidates (Rs.750/-, for SC/ST/Cat-I). Fee shall be paid through Demand Draft drawn in favour of "The Finance Officer, Tumkur University, Tumakuru", and a copy of the same to be enclosed along with the application.

Details	Dates
Issue of Application	24.07.2018
Last Date for the Submission of Application	08.08.2018
Entrance Test	13.08.2018
Announcement of Entrance Test Results	16.08.2018
Interviews	20.08.2018 to 24.08.2018
Announcement of Consolidated Merit List	25.08.2018
Counseling for Allotment of Guide	27.08.2018 to 31.08.2018

Incomplete applications or applications without supportive documents will be rejected. The candidates can contact the respective Departments for more information.

- 1. Eligibility: Candidates who have secured at least 55% of aggregate marks (50% for SC/ST) or equivalent grade under grading system, in their Master's Degree or equivalent examination from the recognized Universities/Institutions.
- 2. Applications submitted after the last date will not be considered and Fee once paid will not be refunded.

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## **General Instructions**

- Applications will be received on all the days between 10.00 a.m to 5.00 p.m, except on Sundays and General Holidays.
- Attested copies of all relevant documents should be enclosed.
- In case the candidates who claim reservation fail to enclose the supporting documents, their candidature will be considered under general merit.
- Candidates who are in service should submit their application through proper channel.
- Admission Tickets may be collected from the Chairperson of the respective Departments Tumkur University, Tumakuru in person.
- Candidates who take up Ph.D. programme on full-time basis shall give an undertaking to the effect that they will not take up any job during the period of research.
- The University reserves the right to fill or not to fill the seats.

## Note:

- 1. The Entrance Test will consist of one paper for 100 marks. It includes multiple choice questions -including 40 Marks on Research Methodology and 60 marks on concerned subject. The durations of the Test will be for 3 hours.
- 2. A candidate securing a minimum of 50 marks out of 100 (45 marks out of 100 in case of SC/ST/Cat-1 candidates) in the Entrance Test shall be eligible for admission to the Ph.D. programme.
- 3. Candidates shall be selected on the basis of their performance in the interview as well as in the written test 50% weightage will be considered for each category.
- 4. There shall be 50% weightage for the performance of the candidate in the interview and 50% weightage for entrance test marks for entrance test qualified candidates.
- 5. In the case of candidates who have passed UGC-NET/ SLET; CSIR- JRF / GATE the merit list will be prepared on the basis of 50% of marks secured in the interview and 50% marks in Master's Degree Examination. In case of candidates securing equal percentage of marks from both Master's Degree Examination and marks secured in the Interview, such candidates who have secured higher percentage in the Bachelor's Degree Examination will be placed higher in ranking.
- 6. The candidates eligible for exemption from the Entrance Test will be informed separately regarding the date, time and venue of the interview which will also be notified in University website.
- 7. The successful completion of Entrance Test and appearance for the interview will only imply the eligibility of a candidate for admission to Ph.D. at the University, but shall not guarantee to Ph.D. degree programme.
- 8. Seats are not reserved separately for UGC-NET/ SLET; CSIR- JRF / GATE and Entrance Test qualified candidates.

**Note**: For any other details / clarifications, contact:

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