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## **NOTIFICATION**

### **Admission to Ph. D. Programme**

Read Notification 1) No: GU/Acad-PG/Ph.D./September 2023/376 dated 29/09/2023

Read Notification 2) No: GU/Acad-PG/Ph.D./September/2023/429 dated 18/10/2023

The University vide Notification No. GU/143/Acad-PG/Ph.D.-July/2023/230 dated 25/07/2023, initiated the process for admission to the Ph.D. Programme in accordance with Ordinance OA-19A and conducted GU-PET 2023 on 30th and 31st August 2023 and the results of entrance exam were declared on 29th September 2023. In the meanwhile, Notification No. 2/718/2023-Legal(Vol.XXVII)/606 dated 6th September 2023, the University notified the new Ordinance OA-40 Governing the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D) effective from 31st August, 2023 based on which the Notification dated 29/09/2023 (Sr. No.1) was issued.

However, in view of the fact that the Admission Process was initiated under Ordinance OA-19A, the University, in partial modification to Notification No: GU/Acad-PG/Ph.D./September 2023/376 dated 29/09/2023 to the extent applicable, has decided to complete the process for the selection of candidates to the Ph.d. Programme under Ordinance OA-19A.

Goa University Ordinance OA-19A is available on the University website: [www.unigoa.ac.in](http://www.unigoa.ac.in)

### **IMPORTANT DATES:**

Conduct of Interview	28/11/2023 & 29/11/2023
Declaration of list of Selected Candidates	11/12/2023
Last date of verification of Documents	22/12/2023
Last date of payment of fees	30/12/2023

### **SELECTION PROCESS:**

The Selection Process as per OA-19A shall be as follows:

While grading the candidates for admission to Ph.D. Programme, a weightage of 70% shall be given for the Entrance Test and 30% to the performance in the Interview/Viva-Voce. A Candidate shall be required to score a minimum of 50% marks at the Interview. (5% relaxation for SC/ST/OBC(NCL)/Person with Disability, or other categories of Candidates as specified by the State Government).

- (i)** The Candidates who have cleared any of the National or State Level Tests like CSIR-UGC/UGC NET/JRF/lectureship/DBTJRF/SET/SLET/JEST/ICAR-NET/GATE/GPAT/GU-PET and M.Phil. Examinations shall be admitted by normalizing their marks/score/ percentage in such tests with respect to the 70% component of GU-PET.

For normalizing the marks obtained in National Level and State Level Tests, the following formula shall be used.

$$\text{Normalized \% Marks} = 70 - [0.45 \times (100 - \text{Obtained \% Marks})]$$

Provided that in case of the Candidates who do not possess certificates of the National or State level tests / fellowships mentioned above showing the score earned by the Candidates, the percentage score obtained by them at Master's level shall be considered for normalizing.

In case of Candidates with GPAT score, obtained marks shall be calculated by dividing the GPAT score by 5 and then normalised using the above formula.

In case of Candidates with M. Phil. normalized marks shall be equal to percentage marks scored by the candidate times 0.7.

- (ii)** The actual marks scored by candidates at the GU-PET shall be treated as normalised marks.
- (iii)** Senior Citizens shall be deemed to have scored 50% marks in the GU-PET.
- (iv)** There shall be two rounds of interviews; (a) For candidates who have qualified the M.Phil CSIR-UGC/UGC NET JRF/lectureship/DBTJRF/SET/SLET Examinations (b) For candidate who have qualified the GU-PET and Senior Citizens.
- (v)** Candidates shall be admitted to the Ph.D. Programme in the respective Schools/Research Centres only against the predetermined number vacancies announced in the previous Notification (reference mentioned above).
- (vi)** In case of a tie in scores, preference shall be given to those who have been awarded like M.Phil/CSIR-UGC/UGCNETJRF/lectureship/DBTJRF/SET/SLET/JEST/ICAR-NET/GATE/GPA over GU-PET qualified candidates in that order. If the tie still persists then interview performance shall be used as a tiebreaker.
- (vii)** Candidates who have been selected for admission to the Ph.D. Programme shall be placed under category A.
- (viii)** Candidates who have not been selected for admission to the Ph.D. Programme shall be placed under category B.

**ASSISTANCE**

For assistance and clarifications candidates may send your queries to Assistant Registrar (Academic-Admissions) Google Form link <https://forms.gle/2n4wiakfXgj8sSzD7>

Sd/-  
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