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(ગુજરાત સરકારના ગુજરાત અધિનિયમ ક્રમાંક : ૨૦/૨૦૦૭ દ્વારા સ્થાપિત)

Date: 10/09/2014

Instruction to Candidates appearing for Research Proposal Presentation/Interview

- 1. Candidates should register themselves at GTU's Website at https://docs.google.com/a/gtu.edu.in/forms/d/1-NGFi5ynnbMjO37LoZF7UHREiwo2f68DDDLMJNnw5Oc/viewform before appearing for the Research Proposal Presentation/Interview.
- 2. Candidates are informed to strictly follow the guidelines for Research Proposal Preparation published on GTU website on 30.08.2014.
- 3. As the registration form could not be edited once submitted; therefore the candidates are advised to fill the respective relevant details correctly. The last date of the registration is 15.09.2014 till 17:00 hrs.
- 4. The candidates have to submit the percentage of marks obtained by him/her at PG and UG levels on the registration portal. In case of CGPA/CGPI, the candidate are required to convert the same into percentage as obtained by them and submit the attested copy of the conversion formula at the time of Research Proposal Presentation/Interview.
- 5. No requests for change of Research Proposal Presentation/Interview date, timings, schedule etc. will be entertained. The candidates have to strictly adhere to the Research Proposal Presentation/Interview schedule which would be declared shortly.
- 6. If the candidate is not present for the Research Proposal Presentation/Interview his candidature for admission in the PhD programme 2014-15 would not be considered and shall be cancelled forthwith.
- 7. The candidates should bring all original relevant documents etc. for appearing for the Research Proposal Presentation/Interview.
- 8. At the time of appearing for the Research Proposal Presentation/Interview all candidates are required to submit 2 copies of the proposed Research Proposal along with the attested copy of the following documents (whichever applicable).
 - a. NET/ JRF/MPhil/ Work Experience certificates (Certificate/s on the basis of which the candidate has sought exemption from appearing for the PhD Entrance Examination-2014)
 - b. Post graduation degree certificate.
 - c. Post graduation mark sheet.
 - d. Graduation degree certificate.
 - e. Graduation mark sheet.

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f. Candidates belonging to reserved categories shall produce Caste Certificate and Current Non-Creamy layer certificate (if applicable)

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- 9. Candidates who have applied for PhD admission under GTU faculties with 15 or more years of experience are required to submit 3 letters of recommendations as mentioned in their online application at the time of Research Proposal Presentation/Interview.
- 10. The candidates will be evaluated on the basis of their performance, on the following parameters:
 - A. Research Proposal Presentation/Interview shall comprise of Maximum Marks= 100.
 - B. Distribution of Marks for Research Proposal Presentation/Interview
 - (i) 20 marks for relevant content of the research proposal
 - (ii) 20 marks for research aptitude
 - (iii) 20 marks for presentation followed by question answers
 - (iv) 20 marks for Publication/Presentation in relevant Journals/Conference2
 - (v) 10 marks for PG Degree (Marks/CGPA on which final PG Degree was awarded)
 - a) 6 marks if PG marks % is between 50-59.99
 - b) 7 marks if PG marks % is between 60-69.99
 - c) 8 marks if PG marks % is between 70-70.99
 - d) 9 marks if PG marks % is between 80-80.99
 - e) 10 marks if PG marks % is between 90-100
 - (vi) 10 marks for UG Degree (Marks on which final UG Degree was awarded)
 - a) 6 marks if UG marks % is between 50-59.99
 - b) 7 marks if UG marks % is between 60-69.99
 - c) 8 marks if UG marks % is between 70-70.99
 - d) 9 marks if UG marks % is between 80-80.99
 - e) 10 marks if UG marks % is between 90-100

In addition to the above, candidates those who have been conditionally approved for appearing for the PhD entrance examination 2014 are being called conditionally/provisionally under the Result Awaited category and will only be allowed to appear for the Research Proposal Presentation /Interview subject to production of necessary document/s which fulfils all criterias as mentioned in the GTU's Detailed Notification and Eligibility Criteria for admissions in PhD Program dated 30/05/2014. The candidates should submit the attested copy of document/s at the time of Research Proposal Presentation /Interview.

Full/Part -Time PhD Admissions-2014 in Humanities and Sciences disciplines is restricted strictly for faculties of GTU's affiliated colleges. The candidates seeking admission in these branches are advised to produce the NOC from concerned Head of the Department/Head of the Institution of laboratories, departments, institutions etc. from where they propose to work.

It may be noted that appearing for the Research Proposal Presentation /Interview will not entitle a candidate for any claim on PhD admission if she/he is not fulfilling the required eligibility conditions for admission as prescribed in the Detailed Notification and Eligibility Criteria for admissions in PhD Program which will be thoroughly verified at the time of admission, if granted. At any stage if it is found that any candidate does not fulfill the minimum eligibility requirements, his/her candidature will not be considered for admission and if the admission is granted, it shall be cancelled forthwith.

GTU WILL NOT provide TA/DA or accommodation for appearing for the Research Proposal Presentation/Interview.

In case of any dispute, the decision of the University shall be final and binding.