



# हिमाचल प्रदेश केंद्रीय विश्वविद्यालय

## Central University of Himachal Pradesh

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### NOTICE

#### Entrance Test for Ph.D. Programmes of Study—2021-22

1. The Central University of Himachal Pradesh invites applications from the eligible candidates/applicants for **Entrance Test for Ph.D. Programmes of Study**.
2. The application forms will be submitted via ONLINE mode only. Please visit the university website [www.cuhimachal.ac.in](http://www.cuhimachal.ac.in) for more information regarding the process of filling the application form.
3. **The online portal/link for filling out application forms will be active w. e. f. 09-11-2021 on the university website and the last date for applying is 19-11-2021.**
4. The Central University of Himachal Pradesh is a public funded university and follows Government of India Reservation Policy.
5. **Eligible applicants shall have to qualify Entrance test** which will be conducted by the University. The syllabus for the Entrance test shall be 50% research methodology and 50% subject specific.

#### 6. Minimum Eligibility:

To be eligible, the applicant must have qualified any of the following:

- (i) UGC-NET (including JRF)
- (ii) UGC-CSIR NET (including JRF)
- (iii) ICAR-NET (including JRF)
- (iv) SLET
- (v) GATE
- (vi) Teacher Fellowship Holder
- (vii) M.Phil
- (viii) *Himachal Pradesh Kendriya Vishwavidyalaya Shodh Patrata Pariksha (HPKVSPP)*

#### 7. Admission to Ph.D. programme shall follow a **Two-Stage Process** which will be as follow:

**7.1** The entrance test will be of qualifying nature and a minimum of 50% marks (for all candidates irrespective of category) are required to be scored by each candidate in entrance test to be eligible for admission to Ph.D. degree programme. The candidates awarded with JRF/any other fellowship shall be exempted from entrance test. All other candidates (including those with NET/ SLET/ GATE/ MPhil etc.) are mandatorily required to appear in the entrance test. The syllabus of the entrance test shall comprise of 50% research methodology and 50% subject specific knowledge related content. Entrance test shall comprise of 100 marks with 20% weightage in composite score (Candidates with JRF /any other fellowship shall be given 20 marks).

7.2 The candidates who will qualify the entrance test shall move to second stage of selection process. This second stage will include interaction and interview/viva-voce and shall have following weightage given to different components :

Sr. No.	Criteria for Admission	Maximum Weightage Assigned
1	UG Degree in Concerned Relevant Subject	10% of Percentage of Marks obtained
2	PG Degree in Concerned relevant Subject	30% of Percentage of Marks obtained
3	JRF / Any other Fellowship NET / SLET / M.Phil./HPKVSP	20 Marks for JRF / other Fellowship Holders (All other remaining candidates will be given 20% weightage of the marks obtained in Entrance Test)
4	Subject Knowledge	10 Marks
5	Concept Note (to be prepared by candidate) and its presentation	10 Marks
6	Communication Skills	10 Marks
7	Interview and Viva-Voce	10 Marks
<b>Total Marks / Total Composite Score (Maximum Composite Score)</b>		<b>100 Marks</b>

The interview/viva-voce shall take into consideration specifically that whether the candidate possesses the research aptitude and competence for undertaking the research work.

7.3 The admission of candidates to Ph.D. programme shall be made on the basis of merit drawn in accordance to above criteria i.e. out of 100 marks (Maximum Composite score)

## 8. Departmental Standing Committee (DSC)

8.1 For making admissions to Ph.D. programme of study, a Departmental Standing Committee (DSC) shall be constituted by each department which shall have following composition:

- i. Head of the Department - Chairman
- ii. All Professors of the Department - Members
- iii. Senior Most Associate Professor of Department (On Rotation Basis) - Member
- iv. Senior Most Assistant Professor of Department (On Rotation Basis) - Member
- v. Representative/s of SC/ST/OBC/ Women/ PWD, if none of above members (i) to (iv) belong to these categories who may be Professor/ Associate Professor / Assistant Professor from other departments, if required (to be appointed by Vice Chancellor).

8.2 The reservation to candidates belonging to different categories in Ph.D. admissions will be made at the departmental level. Initially, the reservation roster for admissions to Ph.D. programme of study shall be made available to each department by the office of the Director (Research). The departments (through its DSC) will maintain proper records of reservation to different categories in Ph.D. programme of study while making admissions in future.

- a) For complete information regarding eligible research supervisors, Departments/ Centres along with their area/s of specialization/ interest, and **number of vacant seats** available with them, please visit the university website [www.cuhimachal.ac.in](http://www.cuhimachal.ac.in).

- b) **The number of vacant seats in a Department/ Centre and the seats to be actually allotted may vary keeping in mind the infrastructural constraints of the University.**
- c) Reservation to various social categories has been done Department/Centre wise strictly in accordance with the Reservation Policy of the Government of India, and its implementation will be the responsibility of the Head/Director of the Department/Centre.

Name of the School/Department/ Centre	Intake	SC	ST	OBC	EWS	GEN	TOTAL
<b>School of Business &amp; Management Studies</b>	<b>15</b>						
HPKVBS	15	2	1	4	2	6	<b>15</b>
<b>School of Earth &amp; Environmental Sciences</b>	<b>10</b>						
Department of Environmental Sciences	10	1	1	3	1	4	<b>10</b>
<b>School of Education</b>	<b>8</b>						
Department of Educational Studies	8	1	1	2	1	3	<b>8</b>
<b>School of Languages</b>	<b>15</b>						
Department of English	2	1				1	<b>2</b>
Department of Sanskrit	10	1	1	3	1	4	<b>10</b>
Department of Punjabi and Dogri	3			1		2	<b>3</b>
<b>School of Journalism, Mass Communication &amp; New Media</b>	<b>9</b>						
Department of Journalism & Mass Communication	4	1		1		2	<b>4</b>
Department of New Media	5	1		1	1	2	<b>5</b>
<b>School of Life Sciences</b>	<b>21</b>						
Department of Animal Science	4	1		1		2	<b>4</b>
Department of Plant Sciences	12	2	1	3	1	5	<b>12</b>
Department of CBB	5	1		1	1	2	<b>5</b>
<b>School of Mathematics, Computer &amp; Information Sciences</b>	<b>22</b>						
Srinivasa Ramanujan Department of Mathematics	13	2	2	3	1	5	<b>13</b>
Department of Library & Information Science	8	1	1	2	1	3	<b>8</b>
Department of Computer Science and Informatics	1					1	<b>1</b>
<b>School of Performing &amp; Visual Arts</b>	<b>2</b>			1		1	<b>2</b>
<b>School of Physical &amp; Material Sciences</b>	<b>48</b>						
Department of Physics & Astronomical Science	34	5	3	9	4	13	<b>34</b>
Department of Chemistry and Chemical Sciences	14	2	1	4	1	6	<b>14</b>
<b>School of Social Sciences</b>	<b>32</b>						<b>0</b>
Department of History	6	1		2		3	<b>6</b>
Department of Political Science	2			1		1	<b>2</b>
Department of Sociology and Social Anthropology	1					1	<b>1</b>
Department of Economics	4	1		1		2	<b>4</b>
Centre for Kashmir Studies	2			1		1	<b>2</b>
Ambedkar Chair	0						
Centre for Deen Dayal Upadhyay Studies	3	1		1		1	<b>3</b>
Department of Social Work	14	2	1	4	1	6	<b>14</b>
<b>School of Tourism, Travel &amp; Hospitality Management</b>	<b>17</b>						<b>0</b>
Department of Tourism & Travel Management	17	2	1	5	2	7	<b>17</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>199</b>

9. List of the Department/Centre wise vacant seats actually to be filled, and category wise allocation of seats to be filled strictly as per Reservation Policy of Government of India is given above (**The number of seats to be filled may increase or decrease as decided by University**)

**Note:**

- All the allocations of seats department-wise are based on Reservation in Admission Act 2006 as amended in 2012.
- The numbers of seats in each department are calculated by rounding off equal to or greater than 0.5 decimal of the percentage to ensure that the reservation representation of each category shall be fairly maintained at the department level.
- In some departments, the number of seats are quite less and it is not possible to maintain the equal and fair representation of reservation in respective categories, hence, the seats were rearranged in such a way that in the larger interest of the genuine implementation of reservation roster, the overall allocation for each category shall be ensured as per their marked strength.
- Vacant seats under reserved category which could not be filled due to non-availability of the candidates in this admission year shall be considered in the next due admission year. The record of the same shall be maintained by the departments and a copy of the same record shall also be submitted to the Office of the Director Research to ensure the compliance of the implementation of reservation policy in admissions.
- Five percent seats were allocated to Persons with Disabilities (PwD) as per CI 32 (1) of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016. However, such candidates shall be adjusted against the appropriate category to which they belong.
- Ten percent seats were allocated to the candidates belonging to Economically Weaker Sections with reference to the OM of Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment vides no. 20013/01/2018-BC-II dated 17<sup>th</sup> January 2019.

**Note: *\*\* Minimum Eligibility: Postgraduate degree in any subject of faculty of social science, arts, humanities, law or fine arts and other relevant field/subject. Besides that, the applicant must fulfill eligibility criterion as per clause 6 above***

**Application Fee:**

- A) GENERAL CATEGORY /EWS/OBC (CREAMY): RS 500/-.  
B) OBC NON CREAMY CATEGORY : RS 400/-  
C) SC/ST/DIVYANG CATEGORY : RS 200/-

**IMPORTANT DATES:**

1.	Date of downloading admit card	23-11-2021
2.	Date of Entrance Test	28-11-2021
3.	Date of declaration of result	02-12-2021

10. No material/information will be sent by post. Students must visit the university website regularly to know the updates regarding admission schedule, etc.
11. Entrance Test for Ph.D. will be conducted at Dharamshala, Shahpur, Dehra Campus of Central University of Himachal Pradesh, Distt. Kangra (H.P.).
12. After Declaration of Result, Departments are advised to complete point 7.2, point 7.3 and admission process within one week (03-12-2021 to 13-12-2021).
13. For Additional Information or any query, applicants may contact the Heads of Departments concerned. Pl contact:

**FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR ANY QUERY, APPLICANTS ARE ADVISED TO CONTACT DURING OFFICE HOURS (MONDAY TO FRIDAY - (09.00 AM TO 05.30 PM)**

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Landline : 01892-228701

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**Controller of Examinations**