

NOTIFICATION

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Sub: - Admission for Ph.D Programme – 2019.

Applications are invited from eligible candidates for admission to Doctoral Programme leading to Ph.D in the prescribed format,

Candidates who have cleared UGC/UGC-CSIR JRF Test/ NET/ SLET/ GATE / M.Phil degree through regular course work/ young scientists recognised by DST /UGC / CSIR/ AICTE etc./ Research Fellows/Project Assistants working in a Sponsored major research project/FIP/QIP/Foreign candidates fulfilling the requirements of eligibility as per Regulations 4.1 and 4.2 Governing the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy 2013 are exempted from appearing Entrance Test. Interested candidates who are exempted from entrance test may also apply for both streams by submitting separate applications (Form A and Form B) along with prescribed fees.

The admission for candidates exempted from Entrance Test and those appear in the Entrance Test will be in the ratio of 50-50 among the available vacancies in each Department / Research Centre.

Interested candidates shall submit duly filled application through '*online mode only*' by remitting the prescribed fee of ₹3,000/- online towards application fee and entrance test. Candidates exempted from entrance test shall pay application fee of ₹2,000/-. Candidates belonging to SC/ST and Category -1 are eligible for a 50% concession in the fee. Foreign nationals shall pay ₹10,000/- as application fee. The application and fees, received after the last date will be rejected automatically and fees will be forfeited.

The candidates fulfilling the below mentioned eligibility requirement alone shall apply for Ph.D. Programme . They shall produce all the original marks cards, caste certificate, relevant certificate for claiming exemption from Entrance Test, at the time of admission / counselling for verification along with a **SET** of copies of all the said documents, failing which they will not be considered for admission to Ph.D. programme in spite of their passing entrance test etc. or claiming eligibility under non-entrance category, and the fees once paid shall not be refunded under any circumstances.

1. ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION TO Ph.D. COURSE

Regulations

- 1.1 Any candidate who has obtained a Post-Graduate Degree from a recognized University securing not less than 55% marks shall be eligible to apply for the Ph. D Degree Programme.
- 1.2 In the case of SC/ST/Cat-I/Differently abled candidates, and those who are appointed on regular basis prior to March 31, 1992 as teachers / librarians and physical education personnel in colleges and University Departments, the minimum marks shall be 50% provided the employees are continuing in service at the time of submission of application for registration.
- 1.3 If the results of Master's Degree are declared in the form of grades/credits/cumulative grade points in their marks cards/transcripts, such grades/points shall be converted into percentage to assess the minimum eligibility criteria as specified above in Regulations 1.1 and 1.2.
- 1.4 The candidates who have cleared the UGC/UGC-CSIR JRF Test/ NET/ SLET/ SET/ GATE/ M.Phil. Degree through regular course work / young scientists recognised by DST/UGC/CSIR/AICTE etc./Project Fellows/Project Assistants working in a sponsored major research project/FIP/QIP/Foreign Candidates are exempted from the Entrance Test.
- 4.5 All eligible applicants except those mentioned under 1.4 shall appear for the Entrance Test.

2. **The Entrance Test.**

- 2.1. Maximum marks for the Entrance Test: 100.
- 2.2. Nature of questions: Multiple choice questions of one mark each.
- 2.3. Syllabus for the Entrance Test shall be as per UGC-NET Examination in the concerned subject.
- 2.4. Duration of Entrance Test: 120 minutes.

The Entrance Test will be held at Bengaluru Central University, Central College Campus, Bengaluru – 560 001.

3. **Preparation of Merit List of Successful Candidates:**

- 3.1 A Merit list of candidates who clear the entrance test by scoring the minimum cut off percentage of 50% and above (45% in case of SC/ST, and Category-1 candidates) shall be prepared. In the event of a tie in entrance score, percentage scored in the qualifying examination shall be considered for ranking. Candidates who are successful in the entrance shall be called for Viva-Voce / interview.
- 3.2 A separate Merit list of Entrance test exempted candidates shall be prepared in the order of UGC/CSIR JRF, NET, SLET/SET, GATE, Young Scientist recognised by DST/UGC/CSIR/AICTE etc., M.Phil degree through regular course work, Project Fellows, Project Assistants working in Sponsored Major research projects, Teachers under FIP/QIP, Foreign nationals, based on the percentage of marks scored in their qualifying examinations. In case of tie in the percentage, within a subgroups, seniority by birth shall be criterion for ranking.
- 3.3 An interview/Viva-Voce shall be conducted by the University /Department to assess the research interest, communication skills, analytical skills and depth of knowledge in the concerned subject.
- 3.4 Candidates will be selected for admission from both entrance and exempted stream in a 50:50 ratio based on overall performance in entrance test and Viva-Voce with weightage ratio of 80:20 % for score in entrance test and Viva-Voce.

In case of entrance exempted candidates, weightage of 80% and 20% shall be given to marks scored at qualifying exam and Viva-Voce respectively. ***The final merit list will be valid until the next Ph.D notification.***

4. Regulations No. 11 Course Work:

After Provisional Registration, all the registered candidates shall take up the course work in the respective P.G. Department/ Research Centres . The full time and the part-time candidates have to complete the course work in a semester on full time basis. In exceptional cases the part time research candidates may be allowed to complete the course work in two semesters. During full time course work, the candidates shall take papers I.II.III and work on the Research Proposal under the supervision of the guide in the first semester. In part time course work, the candidates shall take papers I, II, & III in the first semester and work on the Research Proposal in the second semester.

5. Vacancy List

The tentative Subject-wise vacancy list of various Post Graduate Departments and Research Centres affiliated to Bengaluru Central University is as under:

Sl. No	Name of the Department / Research Centre	Subject	Total
FACULTY OF ARTS			
1.	Govt. Arts College, Bengaluru-1	Kannada	02
2.	Centre for Global Languages, Central College Campus	French	03
3.	Maharani's Women's Arts, Commerce and Management College, Bengaluru-1	History	06
4.	1. Mount Carmel College Autonomous, Bengaluru – 52. 2. Maharani's Women's Arts, Commerce and Management College, Bengaluru-1	Economics	05
5.	College of Fine Arts, Bengaluru-1.	Visual Arts	04

B. FACUTLY OF SCIENCE			
6.	Mount Carmel College Autonomous, Bengaluru – 52.	Electronics	3
7.	Mount Carmel College	Life Science	3
8.	1. Department of Mathematics, Central College Campus 2. MES College of Arts, Commerce and Science Malleswaram, Bengaluru – 03. 3. Govt. Science College, Bengaluru – 1.	Mathematics	15
9.	1. Department of Chemistry, Central College Campus 2. Govt. Science College, Bengaluru – 1. 3. St. Joseph's College (Autonomous) Lalbagh Road, Bengaluru – 27	Chemistry	46
10.	St. Joseph's College(Autonomous) Lalbagh Road, Bengaluru – 27	Botany	3
11.	Dept. of Biochemistry, Central College Campus	Biochemistry	5
12.	Smt.VHD Central Institute of Home Science, Seshadri Road, Bengaluru – 1.	Human Development	12
13.	Smt.VHD Central Institute of Home Science, Seshadri Road, Bengaluru – 1.	Food & Nutrition	2
14.	Smt.VHD Central Institute of Home Science, Seshadri Road, Bengaluru – 1.	Resource Management	7
15.	Smt.VHD Central Institute of Home Science, Seshadri Road, Bengaluru – 1.	Extension Education and Communication	2
16.	Department of Apparel Technology & Management, Central College Campus	Apparel Technology & Management	1
C. FACULTY OF COMMERCE			
17.	1. Post Graduate Department of Commerce Central College Campus 2. Mount Carmel College	Commerce	25

	Autonomous, Bengaluru – 52. 3. Govt. Ramnarayan Chellaram College of Commerce & Mgt. Bengaluru 1 4. St. Joseph's College of Commerce (Autonomous) Bengaluru – 25. 5. KLE Society's S. Nijalingappa College, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru – 10.		
18.	1. Canara Bank School of Management, Central College Campus 2. Presidency College, Hebbal, Bengaluru – 24. 3. RV Institute of Management Jayanagar, Bengaluru – 41. 4. Adarsh Institute of Management & Information Technology, Bengaluru - 18	Management	11
D. FACULTY OF EDUCATION			
19.	RV Teachers College, Jayanagar, Bengaluru - 11	Education	4

- Note: 1. The vacancy position is tentative and may vary. The exact number of vacancies will be announced prior to the date of counselling.
2. Roaster system will be followed as per the regulations
3. Seat Matrix will be notified before Ph.D counselling

6. Procedure for downloading and Submission of Application Form:

- Candidates shall visit and browse the Application Form from the University Website www.bcu.ac.in
- Shall enter the required details in the Application Form and submit
- For successful registration of application form, candidate shall upload a valid scanned copy of the recent passport size photo and valid e-mail address.
- The candidates shall also pay the prescribed fee online. The Hall ticket will be generated only to those candidates who have made the online payment.

- Set the registered e-mail address of the candidate. E-mail will contain the user name and password and other instructions to further proceed with the completion of registration process.
- Thereafter, the candidates shall download the duly filled in Application Form and shall retain a copy for reference and submit another to the **Registrar, Bengaluru Central University , Bengaluru- 560 001.**
- Incomplete/ineligible Applications and Applications received after the last date shall automatically stand rejected and no communication regarding the same will be made to the candidates.
- The admission tickets of the eligible candidates shall be downloaded by entering their date of birth or mobile number.

Enclosures:

The copies of the following documents shall be scanned and enclosed to the application form.

- Copies of statements of marks of Master's degree & M.Phil. degree course work Part-I & II examinations (wherever applicable).
- Copy of the Caste certificate in case of SC/ST/Category-I / II-A / II-B / III-A/ III-B candidates.
- Documents pertaining to UGC/UGC-CSIR JRF Test/ NET/ SLET/ GATE/.
- However, selected candidates have to submit Migration Certificate and Eligibility Certificate at the time of registration.
- Proof for having paid the required fees i.e. copy of online payment receipt.

For more details / information please Contact:

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Calendar of Events

1. Date of opening of online Application Forms : **12.01.2019**
2. Closing date of online submission of Application forms: **30.01.2019**
3. Date of downloading Hall Ticket for Entrance Test : **05.02.2019**
4. Date of Entrance Test: **12.02.2019**
5. Announcement of answer key : **16.02.2019**
6. Objections, if any, by the candidates for key answers, **up to 5pm on 20.02.2019**
7. Announcement of provisional eligibility list of Qualified candidates : **25.02.2019**
8. Date of Viva-Voce for eligible candidates: **01.03.2019**
9. Date of interview / counselling / Admission : **11.03.2019**
 - In case, last date is declared as holiday the next working day will be the last date.
 - Applicants are required to enquire personally in the concerned Department and also check the University website for information regarding their selection and no correspondence is entertained in this regard.


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Copy to:

1. The Chief Co-ordinator, Ph. D Admissions-2019
2. The Co-ordinators of PG Departments, Central College Campus, BCU
3. The Principals of Research Centres coming under BCU.
4. All the Principals of affiliated Colleges of BCU – through email.
5. The P.S. to VC/Registrar/Registrar (Evaluation.)/Finance Branch, BCU.
6. Office copy / guard file.