Savitribai Phule Pune University

(Formerly University of Pune)



Circular

Instructions to the candidates for Personal Interview for Ph.D. Admission 2021

In continuation with the Notification No. PGS/2507, dated 10/07/2021, PGS/2713, dated 29/07/2021 and PGS/2850 dated 11/08/2021, the University through this notification hereby issues following directions for the information and compliance by all eligible candidates for Personal interview. (Qualified in Entrance Test/ Candidates exempted from Entrance Examination for Ph. D. Admission 2021).

As per provision of University Circular No. 14/2017 dated 09/01/2017, personal interviews are scheduled between 25th Oct. – 25th Nov. 2021 for Ph.D. admission. Detail scheduled will be declared shortly by all respective University Departments /Research Centres on their website.

Instructions to the Candidates appearing for the interview:

- Eligible candidates are required to discuss their research interest/area before a duly constituted Selection Committee.
- The following aspects shall be considered during the interview, namely:-
 - 1. Whether the candidate possesses the competence for the proposed research;
 - 2. Whether the research work can be suitably undertaken at the Institution/College;
 - 3. Whether the proposed area of research can contribute to new/additional knowledge.
- The candidate shall produce all the required documents in ORIGINAL as mentioned in Notification dated 11/08/2021 along with one set of photocopy, including online application for Ph.D. PET Entrance Examination 2021, at the time of personal interview. Further, following documents, as applicable should be produced:
 - o Result of PET Entrance Examination 2021.
 - o Photo copy of UGC-NET (Including JRF) / UGC-CSIR NET (Including JRF) /SET / GATE (valid score) Certificate.
 - O Photo copy of M.Phil. Degree Certificate of SPPU.
- The candidates shall note the following:
 - a) They shall report at the centre One hour before scheduled time.
 - b) They have to appear before the panel on scheduled day and time only. In any circumstances, the late comers will not be allowed and there will not be any "out of turn" chance given to the late comers.
 - c) Candidates can appear for interview only once at the chosen research centre. Appearing for interview at multiple centres shall lead to disqualification of the candidate.
 - d) TA/DA will not be provided to the candidates for attending the interview.

All other directions of the above-referred notification remain unchanged."

Deputy Registrar (P.G. Admission)

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