NOTIFICATION FOR Ph.D REGISTRATION 2011-2012

Applications are invited from Indian Nationals seeking Provisional Registration for pursuing research work leading to Ph.D degree of the University of Mysore in various disciplines. The registration shall be made as per the Ph.D regulations governing the award of Degree of Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D) 2010 of the University of Mysore. The provisional registration process is through an Entrance Test (see B below for exemptions) followed by Interview. The candidates have to satisfy other eligibility conditions as stipulated in the regulations. Mere qualifying in the entrance test does not guarantee any provisional registration. Details are available in the Ph.D Regulations - 2010.

The prescribed Application Form can be obtained in person from the office of the Directorate of Research, Pareeksha Bhavan, University of Mysore, Mysore– 5, from July 11, 2011 onwards and/or can be downloaded from the university website http://www.uni-mysore.ac.in. The last date for submission of the filled in application form is August 01, 2011.

The Entrance Test is scheduled to be held on August 21, 2011 from 10AM to 1PM at Pareeksha Bhavan, University of Mysore, Mysore-05. For further details (including the syllabus for the entrance test) the candidates are advised to visit http://www.uni-mysore.ac.in

A. Conditions of Eligibility:
1. Candidates who have secured atleast 55% of aggregate marks (50% for SC/ST/Cat-1 candidates) or equivalent grade under grading system, in their Master's Degree or equivalent examination from the recognised Universities/Institutions.
2. Candidates who are in the final semester and are taking the final examination are also eligible to apply. However, such candidates should furnish successful course completion details at the time of interview (if called for), failing which their applications will be treated as rejected.
B. Exemptions:
1. Candidates who have qualified:
   (i) for UGC/CSIR JRF fellowships and/or Lecturership through UGC/CSIR NET
   Examinations,
   (ii) in GRE/GATE/SLET and further
   (iii) Foreign Nationals with Indian/Foreign Degrees, are exempted from the
   entrance test.

C. Syllabus and question paper for Ph.D Entrance Test:

a) Syllabus:
   1. Syllabus for the entrance test will be subject-wise.
      The content of syllabus shall be divided into 10 units of equal weightage.
      (Details of the syllabus will be notified shortly on the website).

b) Question Paper Pattern:
   1. For the test there will be only one question paper carrying 80 marks of 3 hours
      duration.
   2. The question paper will be in two parts - Part A and Part B. Under Part A,
      there will be 40 objective type questions of one mark each, and under Part B,
      10 essay type/short answer questions of 8 marks each.
   3. The candidates would be required to answer all the questions of Part A and
      any five questions from Part B.

D. Procedure to Apply:
   1. There are two Application Forms viz., Form-A for Entrance Test and Form-B
      for Registration to Ph. D.
   2. The candidates who are appearing for the Entrance Test should fill in both Form A and
      Form B as well as Entrance Test Hall Ticket sheet and submit the same along
      with necessary certificates and proof towards payment of fee.
   3. Candidates exempted from the entrance test need to fill in and submit only
      Form-B along with necessary certificates and proof of fee payment.
4. The candidates should remit an application fee of **Rs 1000/- (Rs.500/- for SC/ST/Cat-I candidates)** to the State Bank of Mysore, University Campus Branch, Mysore-5, through Bank Challan (Fees and Remuneration account of the University of Mysore) or Demand Draft in favour of the Finance Officer, University of Mysore, Mysore-5, payable at Mysore.

**E. General Instructions:**

1. Filled in Applications along with necessary certificates and Bank Challan/DD and other documents should reach the Director, Office of the Directorate of Research, University of Mysore, Pareeksha Bhavan (Behind Crawford Hall), Mysore-5, on or before **August 01, 2011**.

2. Applications received after the last date (**August 01, 2011**) will not be considered.

3. The Hall Tickets for the Entrance Test will be sent by Post or the candidates can collect the same from the Office of the Directorate of Research before the date of test during office hours.

4. Foreign Nationals with Indian/Foreign Degrees have to contact the Director, International Center, University college of Fine Arts Premises, Manasagangotri, Mysore-06, and submit the Application (Form-B) for admission to Ph.D Degree. These candidates are expected to follow the overseas student’s admission norms (for example – Equivalence certificates, award of scholarships from host country and such other agency etc.) in addition to the norms of Ph.D Regulations of the University of Mysore.

5. Any correspondence with regard to Ph.D Registration/Entrance Test for Ph.D registration including issue of Hall Ticket etc., be addressed to the Director of Research, University of Mysore (Ph. 0821-2419615, 9448150601).

**Director of Research**