



Reference: ADYPU/SDS/RO/2023-2024/187

Date: June 5, 2023

## NOTIFICATION

### Ph. D. Entrance Examination 2023-2024

Completed Application Forms are invited by email / online/ by Post by the Ajeenkya DY Patil University, Pune from all eligible candidates for admission to Ph.D. programme in the University Departments Research Centers.

Candidate shall be admitted to Ph. D. programme by a two-stage process through: -

- PhD Entrance Test, which shall be a qualifying examination. The Ph.D. Entrance Test will be of 100 marks with multiple choice questions. The test will carry two parts, Part I will be common for all and part II will be subject specific.
- Personal interview of candidates qualifying in Entrance Test as well as Candidates exempted from Ph.D. Entrance Test, to be conducted by the respective Recognized Research Centre.

**Ph.D. Entrance Test:** The syllabus of the Entrance Test shall consist of 50% of research methodology and 50% shall be subject specific.

Measure	Marks	Standard Time
<b>Part One-Common for All (Research Methodology)</b>		
Analytical Writing	50 marks	1.5 hours
Verbal Reasoning		
Quantitative Reasoning		
<b>Part-Two—Subject Specific (Specialization)</b>		
Physics	50 marks	1.5 hours
Chemistry		
Biology		
Mathematics		
Law		
Management		
Liberal Arts		



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**Interview / viva-voce:** The interview / viva-voce shall be organized by ADYPU wherein the candidates are required to present their research interest / area through a presentation before a duly constituted Doctoral Research Committee.

### Schedule of Entrance Test

a) Commencement of filling application form	June 6, 2023
b) Last date of application form submission	July 20, 2023
c) Date of Ph.D. Entrance Examination	July 23, 2023
d) Publication of PET result on the University website/email	July 27, 2023
e) Personal Interview & Research Aptitude	August 8 to 10, 2023

- Duration & Timing of Entrance Exam

**Part One (Common for all Schools): 11.30 am to 1.00 pm (1.5 hours)**

**Part Two (Subject Specific-Specialization) \*: 1.00 pm to 2.30 pm (1.5 hours)**

*(Note: The candidates shall note that the ADYPU-PET examination results will be declared after only successful qualification of Part I and Part II Entrance Test).*

- **Minimum Qualifying Marks : 50 percent marks**

The Entrance Examination shall be conducted through online platforms. It shall be notified by the University.

### Fees:

- Application Fee **Rs.2000/-** for PET-2020 (For both General & Reserved Category)
- Examination Fee **Rs.5000/-** for appearing for the Entrance Examination (For both General & Reserved Category)
- Mode of payment: - Payment method using online payment. Debit/Credit Card/ Net Banking or Demand Draft
- Hard copy of registration form, passing certificates & payment details should be posted to the following on or before July 20, 2023.

The Registrar,  
Ajeenkya DY Patil University,  
Charholi K, via Lohegaon,  
Pune 412105  
Maharashtra (India)  
Email: phd@adypu.edu.in



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**Minimum Eligibility Criteria:** The Minimum eligibility criteria required for admission to the Ph.D. Program is a degree in any one of the areas given below:

- Master of Technology or Engineering / Science
- Master in Business Administration
- One/Two year of LLM programme after either at least 5 years of integrated LLB degree after 10+2 examination or 3 years LLB degree after 10+2+3 examination
- Masters in Arts
- M.Phil.

Or

- A Masters Degree equivalent to any of the above

**The candidates seeking admission to the ADYPU's Ph. D. program shall have to possess requisite grades as shown below:**

A Master's degree with at least **55 percent marks** in aggregate or its equivalent grade 'B' / CGPA/ SGPA in the UGC seven-point scale (or an equivalent grade / CGPA/SGPA in a point scale wherever grading system is followed).

**Exemption from appearing in Entrance Examination:**

The Candidates fulfilling at least one of the following conditions will be exempted from

**Entrance Examination:**

- Candidates qualified in UGC-NET (Including JM) AJGC-CSIRNET (Including JRF) /SLET /GATE (valid score) or teacher fellowship holders will be exempted from the Entrance Test for Ph.D. programme.
- Candidates who have passed M. Phil. Programme of any other university will be exempted from the Entrance Test for Ph.D. programme.

Cc to

1. Hon'ble Vice Chancellor for information
2. Registrar
3. Controller of Examinations
4. Accounts



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