

THE MAHARAJA SAYAJIRAO UNIVERSITY OF BARODA

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Notification

Ph.D. Admissions: 2025-26

Applications for admissions to the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) of various disciplines in the prescribed form are invited from the eligible candidates for the academic year 2025-26.

Eligibility for Admission:

- ♣ Any candidate who has obtained a Post-Graduate Degree in respective subject from a recognized University including foreign candidates (sponsored by their Embassies) and sponsored candidates securing minimum 55% marks (50% for EWS/SC/ST/Differentlyabled candidates) at the Post-Graduate Degree shall be eligible to apply for Ph.D. Programme.
- If the results of Master's Degree are declared in the form of Grades/Credits/Cumulative Points in their marks cards/transcripts, such Grades/Points shall be converted into percentages to assess the minimum eligibility criteria as per the Grade point norms specified by the respective qualifying examination's marks statement.
- The candidates fulfilling the above requirements and who qualifies the Tests conducted by statutory bodies such as UGC CSIR / NET / GSET / GATE / GPAT / DBT / ICMR / ICAR / NBHM / CEED / DST-INSPIRE or Ph.D. Entrance Test of The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda (MSU-PET) in the concerned subject or such other Eligibility Tests of National Level, as recognized equivalent thereto by Vice-Chancellor or has passed M.Phil. Programme shall be eligible for admission to Ph.D. Programme.

Instructions for submitting applications with fees:

The interested candidate have to fill up online Ph.D. Application on MSUIS Portal (Link: https://admission.msubaroda.ac.in/applicant/#/application-programme-list).

(Visit the University website for other instructions.)

The Fees details are as under:

1) Application Fees: Rs. 1000/-

Filled Application form shall be download from the website along with all enclosures (including online payment Receipt for Application Processing fee) and shall be submitted to the faculties of the concerned Department at The Maharaja Sayajirao University, Vadodara from **25/08/2025** to **09/09/2025**.

Note:

- 1) In case of any difficulty please contact to the respective faculty for further assistance.
- 2) Only UGC CSIR / NET / GSET / GATE / GPAT / DBT / ICMR / ICAR / JRF / NBHM / CEED/ DST- INSPIRE student will be considered eligible for Ph.D. Program this time. (The student who had already cleared the PET of MSU in past can also apply)

Sd/-

Registrar (Offg.)

Date: 25/08/2025

Vacancies:

- The Vacancies of various departments: Annexure-1
- **♣** For Detailed Eligibility Criteria: **Annexure-2**

Annexure-1

Ph.D. Vacancy for the A. Y. 2025-26 (As on August 2025)

Sr No	Name of the Faculty	Name of the Department	Ph.D. Guiding Subject	Vacancy in Department
1	Arts	Economics	Ph.D. in Economics	5
2	Arts	English	Ph.D. in English	15
3	Arts	Gujarati	Ph.D. in Gujarati	9
4	Arts	Hindi	Ph.D. in Hindi	22
5	Arts	History	Ph.D. in History	3
6	Arts	Political Science	Ph.D. in Political Science	7
7	Arts	Sanskrit, Pali, Prakrit Language & Lit.	Ph.D. in Sanskrit	10
8	Arts	Traditional Sanskrit Studies	Ph.D. in Sanskrit	6
9	Commerce	Accounting and Financial Management	Ph.D. in Accounting and Financial Management	13
10	Commerce	Banking and Insurance	Ph.D. in Banking and Insurance	4
11	Commerce	Business Economics	Ph.D. in Business Economics	23
12	Commerce	Commerce and Business Management	Ph.D. in Commerce and Business Management	65
13	Education & Psychology	Education & Educational Administration	Ph.D. in Education	3
14	Family & Community Sciences	Clothing and Textile	Ph.D. in Clothing and Textile	4
15	Family & Community Sciences	Extension & Communication	Ph.D. in Extension and Communication	9
16	Family & Community Sciences	Family and Community Resource Management	Ph.D. in Family and Community Resource Management	5
17	Family & Community Sciences	Foods and Nutrition	Ph. D. in Foods and Nutrition	14
18	Family & Community Sciences	Human Development & Family Studies	Ph.D. in Human Development & Family Studies	4
19	Fine Arts	Museology	Ph.D. in Museology	4
20	Law	Law	Ph.D. in Law	10
21	Management Studies	Management Studies	Ph.D. in Management Studies	5
22	Performing Arts	Dance	Ph.D. in Dance	2
23	Performing Arts	Dramatics	Ph.D. in Dramatics	1
24	Performing Arts	Music (Instrumental)	Ph.D. in Music	4
25	Performing Arts	Music (Vocal)	Ph.D. in Music	1
26	Performing Arts	Tabla	Ph.D. in Tabla	6
27	Pharmacy	Pharmacy	Ph.D. in Pharmacy	12
28	Science	Bio-Chemistry	Ph.D. in Bio-Chemistry	8

Sr No	Name of the Faculty	Name of the Department	Ph.D. Guiding Subject	Vacancy in Department
29	Science	Botany	Ph.D. in Botany	17
30	Science	Cell & Molecular Biology	Ph.D. in Cell & Molecular Biology	4
31	Science	Chemistry	Ph.D. in Chemistry	53
32	Science	Environmental Studies	Ph.D. in Environmental Science	2
33	Science	Geography	Ph.D. in Geography	3
34	Science	Geology	Ph.D. in Geology	7
35	Science	Mathematics	Ph.D. in Mathematics	19
36	Science	Microbiology	Ph.D. in Microbiology	4
37	Science	Physics and Meteorology	Ph.D. in Physics	23
38	Science	Statistics and Actuarial Science	Ph.D. in Statistics	13
39	Science	Zoology	Ph.D. in Zoology	3
40	Technology & Engineering	Applied Chemistry	Ph.D. in Applied Chemistry	15
41	Technology & Engineering	Applied Mathematics	Ph.D. in Applied Mathematics	6
42	Technology & Engineering	Applied Physics	Ph.D. in Applied Physics	10
43	Technology & Engineering	Architecture	Ph.D. in Architecture	6
44	Technology & Engineering	Chemical Engineering	Ph.D. in Chemical Engineering	1
45	Technology & Engineering	Civil Engineering	Ph.D. in Civil Engineering	21
46	Technology & Engineering	Computer Science & Engineering	Ph.D. in Computer Science & Engineering	15
47	Technology & Engineering	Electrical Engineering and Electronics	Ph.D. in Electrical Engineering	1
48	Technology & Engineering	Mechanical Engineering	Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering	27
49	Technology & Engineering	Textile Chemistry	Ph.D. in Textile Chemistry	2
50	Technology & Engineering	Textile Engineering	Ph. D. in Textile Engineering	22
51	Technology & Engineering	Water Resources Engg. & Management	Ph.D. in Civil Engineering	10
52	Technology & Engineering	Applied Mechanics	Ph.D. in Civil Engineering	1
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NOTE: INTAKE MAY VARY SUBJECT TO THE AVAILABILITY OF VACANCY UNDER THE GUIDE AS PER THE UNIVERSITY ORDINANCE



The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda, Vadodara

O.Ph.D.1: ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA for ADMISSION to Ph.D. PROGRAMME

Eligibility Criteria

1.1 A One-year / Two Semester Master's Degree after a Four year / Eight Semester Bachelor's Degree Programme **or** a Two year / Four -Semester Master's Degree after a Three year Bachelor's Degree **or** integrated Master's Degree wherever applicable, **or** qualifications declared equivalent to the Master's Degree by the corresponding statutory regulatory body, with at least 55% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed **or** a Four year / Eight Semester Bachelor's Research Degree Programme with minimum 75% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed.

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- Equivalent qualification from a foreign educational institution accredited by an assessment and accreditation agency which is approved, recognized or authorized, established or incorporated under a law in its home country or any other statutory authority in that country to assess, accredit or assure quality and standards of the educational institution.
- 1.2 Candidates holding a Post Graduate Degree from an approved University / Institution or a Course recognized by the UGC / AICTE / DEC and MHRD, Government of India and those with a postgraduate degree or a Professional Degree/Course like CA / CS / ICWA shall be considered to be equivalent to an approved Master's Degree Programme in the concerned subject. However, the candidate shall have to clear the MSU Ph.D. entrance test in the subject concerned.
- 1.3 A relaxation of 5% of marks or its equivalent grade may be allowed for those belonging to SC / ST / SEBC-OBC (Non-creamy layer) / Differently-abled, EWS and other categories of candidates as per the decision of the Government of Gujarat and other statutory bodies, as applicable, from time-to-time. The eligibility marks of 55% (or an equivalent grade) or 75% (or an equivalent grade) in case of candidates with **Four (04) year / Eight (08) Semester** Bachelor's Degree with research shall have a relaxation of 5% marks (or an equivalent grade) to the categories mentioned above. However, the relaxation will be based on the qualifying marks only and the grace mark procedures, if any, shall be excluded.
- 1.4 Candidates who have completed the M.Phil. Programme with at least 55% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade or equivalent qualification from a foreign educational institution accredited by an assessment and accreditation agency which is approved, recognized or authorized, established or incorporated under a law in its home country or any other statutory authority in that country to assess, accredit or assure quality and standards of educational institutions, shall be eligible for admission to the Ph.D. Programme. A relaxation of 5% marks or its equivalent grade may be allowed for those belonging to SC / ST / SEBC-OBC (non-creamy layer) / Differently-Abled, Economically Weaker Section (EWS) and other categories as per the decision of the Government of Gujarat and other statutory bodies, as applicable from time to time.

Related / Conjunct Subject(s)

1.5 A candidate eligible for admission to a Ph.D. Programme can apply for research in a Related / Conjunct subject(s).

O.Ph.D.3: PROCEDURE for ADMISSION to Ph.D. PROGRAMME and PROGRESSION of STUDY

- 3.1 The candidates fulfilling the requirements as stated in O.Ph.D.1 and who qualifies the Tests conducted by statutory bodies such as UGC CSIR / NET / GSET / GATE / GPAT / DBT / ICMR / ICAR / NBHM / CEED / DST-INSPIRE or Ph.D. Entrance Test of The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda (MSU-PET) in the concerned subject or such other Eligibility Tests of National Level, as recognized equivalent thereto by Vice-Chancellor or has passed M.Phil. Programme shall be eligible for admission to Ph.D. Programme.
- 3.2 Employees who are in service in any other recognized University / College / Research institute / Industry / Organization etc. in India will be considered for Registration to Ph.D. Degree only if they submit 'No Objection Certificate' from the parent organization.
- 3.3 All the Employees (Permanent and Temporary) of this University shall be required to submit the
 'No Objection Certificate' from the concerned Head through the Dean of the Faculty /
 Principal of the College / Head of the Institution to the effect of his / her Research work shall not adversely affect the teaching assignment / administrative assignment of the concerned faculty / college / institution.