



Doon University, Dehradun

Office of the Registrar

Admission Announcement for Ph.D. programs for the session 2024-25

Information/Guidelines for admissions to Ph.D. programs for academic session 2024-2025:

1. The University Grants Commission (UGC), vide its notification dated 27.03.2024 decided that from the Academic Session 2024-25, the National Eligibility Test (NET) score can be used for admission to Ph.D. programs in place of entrance tests conducted by the different Universities/HEIs.

Therefore, from the academic session 2024-25, the Doon University will use the National Eligibility Test (NET) scores for admission to Ph.D. Programs.

2. The following will be the key eligibility requirements for Ph.D. Admissions at the University:
 - i) Candidates with National Level Examinations: Candidates who have qualified national level exams like JRF (UGC/CSIR), NET (UGC/CSIR) and GATE.
 - ii) Candidates with NET Qualification (Ph.D. only): Candidates who have cleared the National Eligibility Test (NET) for Ph.D. (Category-3).
 - iii) DST-INSPIRE Fellowship Holders: Candidates who have secured a DST-INSPIRE Fellowship.
3. Based on the scores obtained in NET, the candidates will be eligible in three categories.

Qualified for	Eligible for		
	JRF	Assistant Professor	Ph.D. Admission
Category-1: Award of JRF and appointment as Assistant Professor	Yes	Yes	Yes
Category-2: Appointment as Assistant Professor and admission to Ph.D.	No	Yes	Yes
Category-3: Admission to Ph.D. only	No	No	Yes

In accordance with the above table, Ph.D. Admissions will be given as below:

- i) JRF- Qualified students may be given admission into the Ph.D. Programme based on Interview as per the UGC Ph.D. Regulations, 2022. The Candidates with valid UGC NET with JRF shall be called for interview and, the interview shall carry 100% weightage.
- ii) Students who qualify in Categories 2 and 3, 70% weightage will be given for test scores and 30% weightage for the interview for admission to Ph.D. program. The Ph.D. admission will be based on the combined merit of NET marks and the marks obtained in the Interview.
- iii) The marks obtained in the NET by the candidates in Category 2 and 3 will be valid for a period of one year for admission to Ph.D. Programs.

4. For GATE Qualified candidates, 70% weightage will be given for valid GATE test marks and 30% weightage for the interview for admission to Ph.D. program. The Ph.D. admission will be based on the combined merit of GATE marks and the marks obtained in the Interview.
5. Candidates who have secured a Provisional Offer for DST-INSPIRE Fellowship may be given admission based on Interview and, the interview shall carry 100% weightage. However, admission of such a candidate shall be provisional till he/she gets Final Offer for DST-INSPIRE Fellowship (after clearing Level-2). If the candidate fails to get a Final Offer, his/her admission shall be cancelled. The Department concerned of the university shall make it very clear to such candidates and shall seek an undertaking to the effect before granting provisional admission to such candidates into their Ph.D. Programmes.
6. After concluding the process of filling of online application form candidates will be called for interview and merit list will be prepared. For which information will be notified through the university website.
7. Candidates are required to fill the online application form by visiting the University website.
8. **Details of subject and no. of seats are given as under:-**

S.N.	School & Programme of Study	Mode & Duration	Details of Seats
1	Ph.D. Environmental Science	Full time, 3/6yrs	10
2	Ph.D. Management	Full time, 3/6yrs	23
3	Ph.D. Physics	Full time, 3/6yrs	04
4	Ph.D. Mathematics	Full time, 3/6yrs	02
5	Ph.D. Chemistry	Full time, 3/6yrs	05
6	Ph.D. Computer Science	Full time, 3/6yrs	08
7	Ph.D. Media and Communication Studies	Full time, 3/6yrs	03
8	Ph.D. Economics	Full time, 3/6yrs	04
9	Ph.D. Geology	Full time, 3/6yrs	06
10	Ph.D. Geography	Full time, 3/6yrs	03
11	Ph.D. English	Full time, 3/6yrs	02
12	Ph.D. German	Full time, 3/6yrs	02
13	Ph.D. French	Full time, 3/6yrs	03
14	Ph.D. Spanish	Full time, 3/6yrs	03

Note: Reservation will be applicable as per the State Govt. Rules.

9. Registration/Application Fee

- i. The candidates seeking admission are required to deposit application fee of Rs. 800/- (Rs. 400/- for Uttarakhand SC/ST candidates).
- ii. Application fee shall not be refundable and no correspondence shall be entertained in this regard.

- ❖ Seats can be increased or decreased.
- ❖ University reserves the right to withdraw any programme if the situation so warrants. seats can be increased or reduced.
- ❖ The admission in the academic program is subject to fulfillment of the eligibility criteria. The University reserves the right to cancel the admission at any point of time, if the provided information by the candidate is found to be incorrect/ misleading.

10. Schedule for the admission process is as under:

S.N.	Particulars	Date
1	Last date for filling Application Form in the University	January 30, 2025
2	Interview	February 15 onwards
3	Admission	First week of March
4	Commencement of classes	March 15, 2025

11. Fee Structure

(i) Common Fee (irrespective of academic programs):

1. Admission Fee (one time – non-refundable):	Rs. 2000.00
2. Caution Money (One Time-Refundable):	Rs. 5000.00
3. Degree Fee (one time for one degree- non-refundable):	Rs. 750.00
4. University Magazine Fee (on annual basis):	Rs. 100.00
5. Student Council Fee (on annual basis)	Rs. 100.00

(ii) Hostel Fees

1. Lodging (per semester):	Rs. 6000.00
2. Electricity, water, utilities charges (per semester):	Rs. 2000.00
3. Mess Caution Money (One time- refundable):	Rs. 2000.00
Mess charges: Actual as per tender rates for food.	

(iv) Tuition and other fees (per Semester):

Tuition Fee- Rs. 10,000 and Other Fee- Rs 10,000 (Total Rs. 20,000/- per semester)

Important information:

1. For more details, please contact at 0135-2533136 & 2533137.
2. Final Admission in the program will be subject to verification of necessary documents.

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Registrar
January 8, 2025