# RAM KRISHNA DHARMARTH FOUNDATION UNIVERSITY BHOPAL



Established by an act of Govt. of Madhya Pradesh and Recognized under section 2(f) of UGC Act 1956

Airport Bypass Road, Gandhi Nagar, Bhopal, M.P. – 462033

# Ph. D. Entrance Test - 2022

# **Information Brochure**

## **About The University**

RKDF University, Bhopal was established in the year 2012 by an act of Govt. of Madhya Pradesh and Recognized under section 2(f) of UGC Act 1956. RKDF University Bhopal is one of the fastest growing university of central India with over 45,000 students and 1,550 faculties, offering a wide range of undergraduate, postgraduate and doctoral programs in Engineering and Technology, Pharmaceutical Sciences, Management, Computer Science, Education, Health sciences, Science, Arts, Commerce, Humanities and Languages, Architecture, Homoeopathy, Nursing and Law.

RKDF University strives to ensure that students' education is multidimensional and we have adhered to a multidisciplinary approach. It has an excellent ambience and distinctly hospitable environment for higher learning in various subjects. The University facilitates interaction with national and foreign institutions to broaden the knowledge and skill of students. Flexibility in choice of courses, periodical revisions of courses, interdisciplinary and integrated courses as per the national and global requirement are the emerging issues that University envisaged to introduce in future. Sound grasp of fundamentals, good analytical skills, awareness of contemporary problems, reasoning abilities and exposure to the rapidly changing technologies are an integral part of the teaching in the campus.

## Ph.D. Programme

Applications are invited for admission to Ph.D. programmes against vacant seats available in various disciplines under approved supervisors of the University. The

duration of the programme shall be a minimum of three years for Ph.D. (1 semester/6 months course work and 2.5 years of research).

The programmes are offered under regular mode in strict compliance of the UGC regulation (Minimum Standards and Procedure for award of Ph.D. Degrees) Regulations, 2016 and amendments thereof from time to time. Admitted candidates will be governed by Ordinance of RKDF University Bhopal.

The selection of candidate will be made on merit prepared from marks obtained in the entrance test, and percent obtained in post graduation examination.

Candidates, who have qualified UGC/CSIR/DST INSPIRE/National/State Level Fellowship GATE/GPAT/SLET/NET shall be exempted from Ph. D. entrance test 2022 and shall eligible for appearing in admission counseling directly. However he has to apply for admission.

The candidates who have been awarded teachers fellowship by statutory bodies for doing Ph.D. degree shall also be exempted from entrance test and shall be eligible for admission.

# Eligibility

For admission to the Ph.D. programme - 2022, applicants who fulfills following criteria shall be treated as eligible:

- (a) Candidates having passed Post Graduate Degree (Master's Degree) Examination with at least 55% marks or equivalent Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) of University/Deemed University or any other University incorporated by any law for the time being in force and recognized by the University. Relaxation in marks shall be given to candidates belonging to SC/ST, OBC (Non-Creamy layer) category and to physically challenged persons as per state government norms.
- (b) Foreign Candidates (those who have not obtained Master's degree from Indian Universities) who have passed post-graduate degree (Master's Degree) with at least 55% marks or equivalent CGPA.
- (c) The candidates having passed Masters' degree (Partly by Paper Partly by Research) from any recognized University which is a member of AIU, New Delhi or approved by UGC.

(d) Candidates who are in final year of Qualifying Degree can also apply. However, such candidates have to submit their provisional certificate on or before 30.07.2022.

## Fee structure

Subjects	Fee structure	
Pharmaceutical Sciences	Rs 50,000 per semester (For first 3 years)	
	Rs 20,000 per year (Onwards III Years)	
Commerce, Zoology, Botany,	Rs 25,000 per semester (For first 3 years)	
Architecture	Rs 10,000 per year (Onwards III Years)	
Computer Science and Engineering	Rs 50,000 per semester (For first 3 years)	
	Rs 20,000 per year (Onwards III Years)	
Management,	Rs 50,000 per semester (For first 3 years)	
Biotechnology	Rs 20,000 per year (Onwards III Years)	
Mechanical Engineering	Rs 50,000 per semester (For first 3 years)	
	Rs 20,000 per year (Onwards III Years)	
Electronics and Communication	Rs 50,000 per semester (For first 3 years)	
Engineering	Rs 20,000 per year (Onwards III Years)	
Law	Rs 50,000 per semester (For first 3 years)	
	Rs 20,000 per year (Onwards III Years)	

# **How to Apply**

- 1. Application forms are available on our website <u>www.rkdf.ac.in</u>. The applicant should fill the form as per given instructions.
- 2. Candidate should enclose documents in proof of their educational qualifications with the application form.
- 3. Requisite fees (Rs. 1000/-) may be paid either through demand draft/NEFT/ Challan (Only available in University Campus). The DD/fees payment receipt should be enclosed along with completely filled application form.

Demand draft (Nationalized Bank) in favor of	RKDF University Examination	
Online transaction	Account Holder's Name: RKDF University Examination Bank: Punjab National Bank, Gondermhow Branch, Bhopal Current Account Number: 7548002100000247 IFSC code: PUNB0754800	
Bank Challan	Punjab National Bank, Gondermhow Branch, Bhopal (available in University Campus)	

- 4. Candidate should write his/her name, e-mail id/mobile number on the back side of the fee transaction receipt.
- 5. The filled form along with self attested copies of all mark sheets and demand draft/transaction receipt may be sent by post or submitted in person to Director Research, RKDF University, Airport Bypass Road, Gandhi Nagar, Bhopal-462033.
- 6. The soft copy of filled forms may also be submitted through e-mail on directorresearch.rkdf@gmail.com
- 7. Necessary documents to be mailed along with the filled application form are:
  - (a) Scanned copy of documents towards proof of Graduation and Post graduation
  - (b) Scanned copy of demand draft
- 8. Last date for submitting the form (hard copy/soft copy) is **25.07.2022**.

However, the applicants who have mailed their forms on or before 25.07.2022 may submit hard copy of the application form along with necessary enclosures and proof of entrance test fees payment up to 30.07.2022.

# **Documents/Enclosure Required**

Candidate needs to submit duly filled Entrance test form with photocopies of following self-attested documents:

S. No.	Documents/Enclosures		
1	Recent Passport size Color Photograph		
2	Proof of Academic Qualifications (10th, 12th, Graduation, post graduation, etc.)		
3	Copy of Aadhar card		
4	Caste Certificate (if applicable)		
5	Physically challenged ( <b>if any</b> )		
6	Proof of Fellowships: UGC/CSIR/DST/ICMR/Others (National/State level)/GATE/GPAT/SLET/NET ( <b>if any</b> )		
7	Proof of online payment (If done)		

Important: Applicants who have submitted their forms through e-mail needs to submit original copy of the form along with other enclosures and proof of entrance test fees payment at the director research office on or before 25/07/2022, failing which they shall not be allowed to appear in the entrance test.

# **Details of Entrance test Fees**

The Entrance test fee for the Ph.D. Programme 2022 is Rs 1000/- (Rs One thousand only). The applicant may transfer requisite amount through online transfer or draw a Demand draft of the amount on any nationalized bank payable to **RKDF University Examination**, **Bhopal** or deposit the required amount through bank challan at Punjab National Bank, University Branch (Gondermhow, Bhopal).

Fee payments made after last date (25/07/2022) shall not be considered for appearing in the entrance test.

#### Details for online transfer:

Account Holder's Name: **RKDF University Examination** 

Bank: Punjab National Bank, Gondermhow Branch, Bhopal

Current Account Number: **7548002100000247** 

IFSC code: PUNB0754800

Written test: Scheme

# The Entrance test Paper will consist of two parts: Part – I and Part - II

#### Part- I:

Part – I shall consist of 40 multiple Choice Questions of General Awareness, Research Aptitude, Reasoning and Research Methodology. Questions shall be of 01 mark each.

#### Part - II:

Part- II shall consist of 60 multiple Choice Questions framed from within the Syllabus of concern subject uploaded/ provided at University website. Questions shall be of 01 mark each.

## Scoring

- (i) All objective type questions (four options with single correct answer) would carry one mark for each correct answer.
- (ii) More than one answer indicated against a question will be deemed as incorrect response.
- (iii) There will be no negative marking in objective type question paper.

  Qualifying the entrance exam does not confirm the final selection, after qualifying the entrance exam the candidate will have to appear for an interview.

## **Admission counseling**

Following candidates shall be eligible for appearing in admission counseling:

- (a) The entrance test qualified students
- (b) The Candidates who have qualified UGC/CSIR/DST INSPIRE/National/State Level Fellowship/GATE/GPAT/SLET/NET may be allowed without appearing for entrance test.

The candidates shall be required to discuss their research interests at the time of PI. Candidates are advised to bring proof of achievements/ projects/ dissertations/ publications in support of their candidature.

#### Entrance test admit card

- 1. Entrance test admit card will be provided on mail to all candidates as per Schedule.
- 2. Entrance test admit card will not be sent to the candidates by Post. Candidates have to download and get a printout of Entrance test admit card from mail.
- 3. Candidates must carry Entrance test admit card and one additional photo identity proof such as a Driving license, college/university identity card, Pan card, Aadhar card, etc. to the Entrance test center.
- **4.** Candidates without admit card and photo identity proof shall not be allowed to appear for the entrance test.

#### **Entrance test Center**

RKDF University, Airport Bypass Road, Gandhi Nagar, Bhopal Madhya Pradesh 462033, India

# Entrance test date and timing

Entrance test	Entrance test	Entrance test	Entrance test
	date	Day	Timing

Written Exam	30.07.2022	Saturday	10.00 am to 12.00 pm
Personal Interview	30.07.2022	Saturday	01.00 pm onwards

#### General Instruction:

- 1. Incomplete application forms will be rejected.
- 2. The candidates are advised to read all instruction given in this information brochure carefully before filling up the Application form.
- 3. The application form will not be scrutinized, and hence the onus of proving the eligibility criteria for admission to offered programmes lies solely with the candidate at the time of counseling/admission.
- 4. Candidate must preserve the admit card till the admission process is over.
- 5. The result of Ph.D. entrance Entrance test -2022 declared by the University shall be final. There is no provision of scrutiny.
- 6. The University is competent to take all decisions on matters relating to admission mentioned in this Brochure. The decision of the University shall be final.
- 7. If any declaration submitted by the candidate is found to be false at any stage including his/her stay in the institute, his/her admission shall be cancelled and he/she will be liable for prosecution under the law.
- 8. If a candidate, who is not eligible to appear in the Test, does so, he/she will not have any claim whatsoever for admission.

# Application forms should be submitted to

#### **Director Research**

**RKDF University** 

Airport Bypass Road

Gandhi Nagar, Bhopal

Madhya Pradesh 462033, India

E mail id: directorresearch.rkdf@gmail.com

Contact numbers: 09893968611, 9522708498, 9406567895