



MAHAPURUSHA SRIMANTA SANKARADEVA VISWAVIDYALAYA (MSSV)

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ADVERTISEMENT NO: 03/21

Admission to Ph.D. Programmes: 2021 (February)

DETAILED INFORMATION

1. **Start date of issue of Forms & Detailed Information** : **08.02.2021**
2. **Last date of receipt of filled in Application Forms** : **24.02.2021**
3. **Application Submission Mode** : **Online & Offline.**
4. **Application Fee: Rs. 2000/- (Two Thousand only). Payment Mode: Online or Offline.**
5. **ELIGIBILITY FOR APPLYING FOR ADMISSION:**

Ph.D.: Persons with Post Graduate degree from any recognized University/Institute with at least 55% marks or equivalent Grade Point Average (GPA). A 5% of marks in the eligibility norms shall be relaxed for the candidates of the reserved category.

- (i) Persons working in national institutes /government / private organization nominated / sponsored by the respective employer. These persons should have recognized Post-Graduate degree, with minimum marks required.
- (ii) Above-noted rules will also be applicable to overseas candidates who have obtained master's degree from the statutory Indian / foreign Universities.
- (iii) Application for research in interdisciplinary subject areas and from applicants belonging to the faculty or subject other than the faculty or subject in which the research project is proposed to be undertaken shall be considered on the basis of the proven competence of the candidate. Application for such research projects will be meticulously examined by the research supervisor and the Research Advisory Committee of the department concerned, subject to approval by the Vice-Chancellor, MSSV.

- (iv) Admission for foreign students with 55% marks in the Master Degree or equivalent CGPA, relevant Passport and Visa, may be considered, subject to the approval of the Vice-Chancellor, MSSV.
- (v) During the pendency of the Ph.D. programme the candidate shall not pursue any more parallel programme or course.

N.B.: Eligibility for applying to the Centre for North East Studies: *Persons with Post Graduate degree in Anthropology, Cultural Studies, Economics, Folklore, Geography, History & Political Science from any recognized University/Institute with at least 55% marks or equivalent Grade Point Average (GPA).*

Applications for admission to the Ph.D. programme shall be scrutinized and a list of eligible candidates to appear in the Mahapurusha Srimanta Sankaradeva Research Admission Test (MSSVRAT) shall be prepared and put on the Notice Board of the University and the University website: www.mssv.ac.in.

6. PROCESSING OF APPLICATIONS OF FOREIGN STUDENTS:

Applications of foreign students with proper official documents, including passport and visa, either sponsored or non-sponsored, being qualified for admission to the research programme, shall be examined by the Registrar, and the same shall have to be approved by the Vice-Chancellor, subject to the ratification by the Academic Council, MSSV.

7. DURATION OF THE PROGRAMMES:

Ph.D.: Minimum 3 years (six semesters) and maximum of 5 (five) years (tensemesters).

8. ADMISSION PROCEDURE:

HOW TO OBTAIN ADMISSION FORMS, DETAILED INFORMATION & SUBMISSION: Candidates for admission to the Ph.D. Programme are to apply in the prescribed form available in the *University Website which can be downloaded (for offline submission) or they can Apply Online through the Admission 2021 Ph.D Section in the University Website and submit therein followed by Fee payment through the link available in the University website* for appearing in the Mahapurusha Srimanta Sankaradeva Viswavidyalaya Research Admission Test (MSSVRAT).

A. **OFFLINE MODE:**Eligible Candidates for admission to the Ph.D. Programmes are to apply in the prescribed form only (**available both Online and Offline**). Forms can also be downloaded from the website: www.mssv.ac.in in which case the filled in forms must be submitted to the **Assistant Registrar (Academic), Mahapurusha Srimanta Sankaradeva Viswavidyalaya, Haladhar BhuyanPath, Kalongpar, Nagaon-782001.**

➤ **SUBMISSION OF FILLED IN ADMISSION FORMS:**The *filled up downloaded forms* shall have to be completed in all respects. **Incomplete forms shall be rejected.** The completed forms **along with self-attested copies of all required testimonials along with a** payment of Rs. 2,000/- (two thousand only) in Cash in the Accounts Section of the University (enclose payment receipt) or accompanied by a **Bank Draft** drawn in favour of the *Mahapurusha Srimanta Sankaradeva Viswavidyalaya, payable at State Bank of India, Nagaon Main Branch (Code No- 00146).* Application Form accompanied with all details are to be **addressed to The Assistant Registrar (Academic), Mahapurusha Srimanta Sankaradeva Viswavidyalaya, Haladhar Bhuyan Path, Kalongpar, Nagaon-782001** and can be submitted **in both the campuses of the University** within the scheduled last date. Applications received **after the last date shall not be accepted.** (Applicable for Offline submission only).

B. **ONLINE MODE :**Candidates can also apply Online through the **website: www.mssv.ac.in.** They can access through the ‘**Admission 2021 -Ph.D. Section Apply now**’ banner “*Application Form for Ph.D. Programmes*” on the homepage of the University website, fill in the application form therein, upload documents followed by Online Payment.

SELECTION PROCEDURE:

- Selection of candidates for admission shall be made on the basis of the result of the Mahapurusha Srimanta Sankaradeva Viswavidyalaya Research Admission Test (MSSVRAT) and Viva-Voce. The Final Details relating to Examination, Viva-Voce, Selection, Admission and Schedule shall be notified by the University in due course of time in the *University website* www.mssv.ac.in.

- The list of eligible / shortlisted candidates in the MSSVRAT shall be put on the Notice Board of the University and also in the website of the University: www.mssv.ac.in. Intimation to the candidates shall not be conveyed individually.
- In case of Interview / Presentation / Viva-Voce candidates shall be intimated through email or list and schedule will be made available in the University website mentioning the schedule and venue to be decided by the University.
- Selected candidates shall have to get themselves admitted as per the schedule provided by the University on payment of the prescribed fee, failing which selection for admission shall automatically get cancelled.

The candidates who have qualified UGC/CSIR-NET/(JRF) including SLET/SET or passed M.Phil. Degrees (through regular mode only) in the concerned subject are exempted from the written examination of MSSVRAT. However, they shall have to appear in the Viva-voce examination.

9. CANCELLATION OF ADMISSION:

- (i) A candidate shall forfeit his/her seat, if admission is not taken on the specified date.
- (ii) A research scholar shall also forfeit the seat, if he/she fails to attend classes without valid ground and permission of the Head of the Department concerned for consecutive 15 (fifteen) days from the date of commencement of the Course Work classes.
- (iii) The name of the research scholar shall also be struck off the Rolls of the University, if he/she is found admitted to other University / Institution during the academic session in which he/she is admitted in the University.
- (iv) Admission of the research scholars may also be cancelled in case they fail to register their names in the University within the notified dates.
- (v) Admission/Registration of the research scholars may also be cancelled if found to have submitted doctored documents, at any point of time during the tenure of the programme or thereafter.

10. ADMISSION TO NEXT HIGHER SEMESTER:

Research scholars of the Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) on successful completion of a semester shall be admitted to the next higher Semester on payment of the Semester fee within the 1st week of the next semester or as notified by the University. They

must produce the official receipt of the payment of the semester dues to the respective Head of Department for record and to get their names registered in the Department.

11. ATTENDANCE:

All research scholars shall attend a minimum of 85% of the total number of classes held during the course work. In case the percentage of attendance does not fall below 75%, a scholar may be permitted to appear as a 'Non-Collegiate' scholar on payment of prescribed fee. If the percentage of attendance of a scholar during the course work falls below 75% he/she shall be declared as 'Dis-collegiate' and shall not be allowed to appear in the Course Work Examination.

12. RESERVATION OF SEATS FOR ADMISSION:

(i) Statutory Reservation:

- Scheduled Caste (S.C.) : 07% of the intake capacity
- Scheduled Tribes, Plains (S.T.P.) : 10% of the intake capacity
- Scheduled Tribes, Hills (S.T.H.) : 05% of the intake capacity
- OBC / MOBC : 15% of the intake capacity
- EWS : 10% from Unreserved.

NOTE:For consideration of admission under reserved categories Caste Certificates countersigned by the Deputy Commissioner of the District concerned must be produced.

(ii) PwD CANDIDATES:

- 5% of the total seats in each programme shall be reserved for the differently abled candidates.
- Candidates applying for admission under this category of reservation must submit Medical Certificate issued by an officer not below the rank of the Joint Director of Health Services of the district concerned.
- Candidates with negligible deficiency shall not be considered for admission under this category of reservation.

NOTE :

RAGGING in any form is strictly prohibited in the University. If any incident of ragging comes to the notice of the University administration, the same shall be dealt with as per rules. Students involved in ragging may be expelled or handed over to the police, if necessary.

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NAGAON : ASSAM

FEE STRUCTURE FOR Ph.D. PROGRAMME, SESSION 2021 (February)		
First Semester		
(A) Fee to be paid by Ph.D. Scholars at the time of Admission to 1st Semester:		
1	Admission Fee	₹ 5,000.00
2	Students' Identity Card	₹ 200.00
3	Course Fee/Semester Fee	₹ 40,000.00
4	Library Fee (Annually)	₹ 2,000.00
5	Internet Fee (Annually)	₹ 1,000.00
6	Games & Sports Fee (Annually)	₹ 500.00
7	Students' Aid Fund (Annually)	₹ 500.00
8	Students' Welfare Fund (Annually)	₹ 500.00
9	Development Fee	₹ 5,000.00
10	University Registration Fee (One time)	₹ 1,000.00
Total		₹ 55,700.00
Second Semester		
(B) Fee to be paid by Ph.D. Scholars at the time of Admission to 2nd Semester:		
1	Admission Fee	₹ 5,000.00
2	Course Fee	₹ 30,000.00
Total		₹ 35,000.00
Third Semester		
(C) Fee to be paid by Ph.D. Scholars at the time of Admission to 3rd Semester:		
1	Admission Fee	₹ 5,000.00
2	Course Fee/Semester Fee	₹ 30,000.00
3	Library Fee (Annually)	₹ 2,000.00
4	Internet Fee (Annually)	₹ 1,000.00
5	Games & Sports Fee (Annually)	₹ 500.00
6	Students' Aid Fund (Annually)	₹ 500.00
7	Students' Welfare Fund (Annually)	₹ 500.00
Total		₹ 39,500.00
Fourth Semester		
(D) Fee to be paid by Ph.D. Scholars at the time of Admission to 4th Semester:		
1	Admission Fee	₹ 5,000.00
2	Course Fee/Semester Fee	₹ 30,000.00
Total		₹ 35,000.00

Fifth Semester		
(E) Fee to be paid by Ph.D. Scholars at the time of Admission to 5th Semester:		
1	Admission Fee	₹ 5,000.00
2	Course Fee/Semester Fee	₹ 30,000.00
3	Library Fee (Annually)	₹ 2,000.00
4	Internet Fee (Annually)	₹ 1,000.00
5	Games & Sports Fee (Annually)	₹ 500.00
6	Students' Aid Fund (Annually)	₹ 500.00
7	Students' Welfare Fund (Annually)	₹ 500.00
Total		₹ 39,500.00
Sixth Semester		
(F) Fee to be paid by Ph.D. Scholars at the time of Admission to 6th Semester:		
1	Admission Fee	₹ 5,000.00
2	Course Fee	₹ 30,000.00
Total		₹ 35,000.00

And so on for subsequent Odd/Even semesters as applicable.

Sd/-
(Bichitra Bikash)
Assistant Registrar (Academic)
Mahapurusha Srimanta Sankaradeva Viswavidyalaya

Memo No: MSSV/AR(Ac)/68/2020/ 1234-1242

Dated: 08/02/2021

Copy to:

1. The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, MSSV, Nagaon for favour of information.
2. The Registrar, MSSV, Nagaon for favour of information.
3. The Assistant Registrar (Admin./Admin.-II), MSSV, Nagaon for information & necessary action.
4. The Head/Head (i/c) of all the Departments, MSSV, Nagaon for information & necessary action.
5. The Assistant Controller of Examinations, MSSV, Nagaon for information & necessary action.
6. The Members of the Admission Committee, MSSV, Nagaon for information & necessary action.
7. The Accounts Officer, MSSV, Nagaon for information & necessary action.
8. Dr. S. Kalita, Head i/c, Department of Computer Application, MSSV, Nagaon with a request to upload in the University website.
9. Notice Board.
10. Office File.

Sd/-
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