

Jadavpur University
Faculty Council of Arts
Admission Requirements for the Foreign Students to the
Ph. D Programme

Minimum Qualifications:

1. Should have passed 2-year Master's Degree in any discipline (In case an applicant has one-Year Master's Degree, then she/he must have completed at least a total of five (5) years of under-graduate and post-graduate study in a recognized university/institute)
2. Should have valid Passport (with Research Visa at the time of admission).
3. obtained his/her high school leaving (10+2 level) certificate from an accredited institution of his/her country.
4. Should have certificate of proficiency in English such as TOEFL or IELTS etc.
5. Should have a valid Advanced GRE score in the relevant subject.

Procedure:

1. Along with duly filled out application form, a Statement of Purpose and/or Research Proposal must be submitted.
2. Two letters of recommendations from course instructor/faculty in the institute/university/college from where the applicant had obtained the Master's Degree.

Selection Procedure:

1. Selection will be made on the basis of (a) Statement of Purpose and/or Research Proposal (within 3000 words), (b) letters of recommendations, and (c) satisfactory performance in the interview conducted by the department concerned. The candidates need to appear for the online audio visual interview through video-conference/skype on the date and time of the interview to be fixed by the Department concerned.
2. The application form duly filled in sealed envelope along with recommendation letter and a bankers draft of US \$ 50 or equivalent **in favour of 'Jadavpur University' payable at Kolkata, India**, should reach by post to the International Students Advisor, Jadavpur University at the following address:

Dr. Sanjay Gopal Sarkar
Joint Registrar &
International Students Advisor
Jadavpur University
Aurobindo Bhavan
188 Raja S.C. Mallik Road
Kolkata 700 032, India
Email: isa@jadavpuruniversity.in
Phone: 91 33-2457-2298/2633

Course-Work:

- Course-work in the relevant subject/discipline, usually of one-semester (6-months duration including examinations), is compulsory for all foreign applicants.
- Only after successful completion of the course-work with at least 50% marks obtained in the internal assessments and end-semester examinations together for each paper taught in the course, the applicant shall be assigned supervisors to pursue his/her Ph.D. research
- All other Ph.D. Rules and Regulations of the university shall be applicable. Such Rules and Regulations are specified in the university website <http://www.jaduniv.edu.in> under **Provisions Relating to Doctorate degree.**

N.B.: In case of fees to be deposited in Indian Rupee (Rs.), fixed conversion rate i.e. US \$1= 70/- be followed.