

**Ph.D Entrance Examinations 2018**  
**Department of International Relations,**  
**Jadavpur University**

**Question Pattern:**

- The question paper shall be divided into *Group A* and *Group B*. **Group A** shall consist of **4 questions on** Research Methodology out of which candidates shall answer any two. All questions will carry 25 marks.
- **Group B** will consist of a comprehension consisting of 50 marks.
- Time of the examination shall be **two hours and thirty minutes**.

**Syllabus**

**Research Methodology**

1. Science versus tradition debate
2. Steps in Research Process: Research Questions; Literature review; Research Design; Concepts: Hypotheses; Variables
3. Qualitative analysis: Case Study; Semiotic/Discourse Analysis; Ethnography
4. Quantitative analysis: Survey; Content Analysis; Aggregate Data Analysis