

**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**.

**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