POSTGRADUATE STUDIES

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NOTIFICATION
RESEARCH ENTRANCE TEST [R.E.T.] – 2019
for Admission to Ph.D. Programme

Applications are invited for admission to Ph.D. Programme in the Faculties of Science, Commerce, Management, Social Sciences, Humanities, Law, Earth Sciences and Education. Admission to the Ph.D. programme will be made through Research Entrance Test (RET) and interviews as per Ph.D. Regulations of the University based on U.G.C. Regulations-2016. Application form and other details are available on the University website **www.mlsu.ac.in** and **www.dpsmlsu.org**. Last date of submitting online application form is **February 2, 2019.**

Date of Examination	:	March 11, 2019 (Sunday)	
Schedule	Paper – I	:	01:00 p.m. to 02:00 p.m.
	Paper – II	:	02:00 p.m. to 03:00 p.m.

Eligibility:- Postgraduate degree in the relevant subject with minimum 55% marks from a recognized University or should have qualified in an examination conducted by professional bodies leading to CA, CS, ICWA, PGDM approved by AICTE, New Delhi. A relaxation of 5% marks at the PG level will be given to SC/ST/OBC (Non-creamy layer) and PH students.

Exemption: - No candidates shall be exempted from the Research Entrance Test irrespective of their having qualified UGC/CSIR NET (JRF) etc.

Reservation (Subject-wise while allotting Supervisor against vacancies)

For SC-16%, ST-12%, OBC–21% and SBC–1%. Further, 3% reservation as per Government rules will be available for PH candidates in each department. If candidates from reserved categories are not available, vacancies will be filled by General candidates as per the University rules. One additional seat in each department will be created specifically for ST candidates from TSP region of Rajasthan who have qualified in the Research Entrance Test but could not get supervisor allotted in the interview.

SCHEME OF TEST:

The examination will consist of two papers. Each Consisting of 50 Multiple Choice Questions and there will be no negative marking

Paper-I

(a) For all subjects except under Faculty of Science
The questions shall be of general nature, intended to assess the research aptitude of the candidate. It will primarily be designed to test reasoning ability, comprehension, divergent thinking and general awareness of the candidate. A total of 50 multiple choice questions (MCQ) will be set. There will be no negative marking.

(b) For all subjects under Faculty of Science:

Paper I shall contain two parts

Part A: General Science; Part "A" of Paper-I shall contain 40 General Science questions including computer awareness. These questions shall be common to all Science subject areas. Topics will be the same as that normally covered in secondary school as well as recent developments in Science which a student of Science is expected to know. A candidate shall be required to answer a maximum of 25 questions from PART-A. In case a candidate answers more than 25 questions, only first 25 questions answered will be taken up for evaluation.

Part "B" of the Paper-I shall contain 25 questions to test reasoning ability, comprehension and divergent thinking to assess the research aptitude of the candidate.

Paper – II

This paper will be separate for each subject and will consist of 50 MCQ. There will be no negative marking. The syllabus for this paper will be the same as that of UGC /CSIR NET examination and wherever not available, as uploaded on this website.

Paper – II will be evaluated only for those candidates who are able to secure the minimum qualifying marks in Paper-I as per the table given below:

Category wise Minimum Qualifying Marks:

	Paper-I	Paper-II
General/OBC	50	50
PH /SC /ST/ OBC (Non-creamy layer)	45	45

Roll number and name of candidates eligible for appearing in the Research Entrance Test will be uploaded on the University website. Candidates who have applied for the test will be required to download their admit card from the University website 7 days, prior to the date of examination.

The Subject wise vacancies are as below:

Vacancies (Subject to Change)					
Faculty of Social Sciences			**Faculty of Science**		
1	Sociology	39	1	Physics	28
2	Economics	6	2	Zoology	32
3	Public Administration	10	3	Botany	18
4	Political Science	5	4	Computer Science	7
5	Home Science	11	5	Pharmaceutical Sciences	32
6	Psychology	12	6	Mathematics and Statistics	18
7	Journalism & Mass Communication	1	7	Chemistry	25
8	Library & Information Science	2	8	Biotechnology	13
Faculty of Commerce			**Faculty of Earth Sciences**		
1	Banking and Business Economics	27	1	Geology	10
2	Business Administration	1	2	Geography	12
3	ABST	8	3	Environmental Science	3
Faculty of Humanities			**Faculty of Management Studies**		
1	Urdu	5	1	Management Studies	6
2	Hindi	17	2	Tourism Management	2
3	English	16			
4	Philosophy	1	**Faculty of Education**		
5	History	6	1	Education	11
6	Jainology and Prakrit	5	2	Physical Education	4
7	Music	3			
8	Rajasthani	3	**Faculty of Law**		
9	Sanskrit	12	1	Law	3
10	Visual Arts	9			

Admissions to the Ph.D Programming will be made in accordance with the vacancies available at the time of the interview.

Special Note:

1. Those candidates who have passed Ph.D. Research Entrance Test of this University in December 2017 and have not appeared for more than one interview for allotment of supervisors shall be eligible to appear in the interview along with candidates qualified in the current admission test.

2. Candidates are advised to appear in the subject of their post-graduation only.

The candidates whose post-graduation subject is not covered in the list of subjects given above may appear in a related subject. As per the resolution No. S/9 of the Academic Council dated 16.03.2017, the Ph.D. degree will be awarded only in the subject in which the candidate has appeared for Research Entrance Test.

All instructions/ notifications on website.

Further notifications/ instructions etc. to the candidates related to Ph.D. admission, interview, joining course work and all other related to Ph.D. programme etc. will be issued electronically only through the website (www.mlsu.ac.in and www.dpsmlsu.org) so all candidates applied /admitted to the Ph.D. programme are advised to check the website regularly. University shall not be responsible for lapses on the part of the candidate resulting from missing to note website notifications.

Contact No. :

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1. The Chairman, Faculty of Science /Social Sciences /Humanities /Commerce /Management /Law /Education /Earth Sciences………………………….……………………………………..
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