



CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF RAJASTHAN

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Ph.D. Admission Policy for Academic Year 2024-25

Online applications are invited from interested candidates for admission to the Ph.D. programme at Central University of Rajasthan (CURAJ) in 28 departments for the session 2024-25. The admission in PhD programme 2024-25 in CURAJ will be based on the Category-1 and Category-2 as per the UGC public notice No.F.4-1(UGC-NET Review Committee)/ 2024(NET)/140648, dated March 27, 2024.

Category-1: The candidates who have qualified for fellowship/scholarship in any national level examinations like CSIR-UGC-JRF/ICMR-JRF/, ICAR-JRF, and DBT-JRF etc.

Category-2: The candidates who have qualified any national level examinations like CSIR-UGC-NET, GATE/GPAT (for engineering/architecture/pharmacy streams), etc. and similar National level tests, sponsored candidates, teacher fellowship holders and teachers of Central University of Rajasthan (CURAJ). The candidates under this category must have the National level qualified examination certificate issued on or after dated May 01, 2023.

Eligibility: The candidates should have a master degree in the concerned subjects as per the eligibility criteria available on the university website (<https://curaj.ac.in/>). Selection for the Ph.D. program will be done following the provisions of the UGC REGULATION 2022 (minimum standards and procedures for award of the Ph.D. degree), UGC public notice No.F.4-1(UGC-NET Review Committee)/2024(NET)/140648, dated March 27, 2024, and CURAJ rule and regulations.

Maximum numbers of available seats: 196 (UR-80, OBC-NCL-54, SC-30, ST-13, EWS-19). Department wise seat matrix is available on the university website.

Application procedures: The interested candidates can apply online for various Ph.D. Programmes at the CURAJ admission portal (the admission web page link will be available on the CURAJ website: www.curaj.ac.in). The eligible candidates will be invited for the interview at CURAJ.

Instructions: Kindly read the instructions (available on the CURAJ website) before filling out the online registration form. **Candidates are advised to ensure their eligibility as per the chosen programme before applying to any programme.**

Last date: The online application submission portal will remain active until May 08th, 2024 (Wednesday).

Quick links: <https://curaj.ac.in/>, <https://curaj.ac.in/schools>, <https://curajadm.samarth.edu.in/>

For admission related queries, kindly email to admission2024@curaj.ac.in

General Guidelines:

1. **The candidates who have qualified for fellowship/scholarship in any national level examinations like CSIR-UGC-JRF/ICMR-JRF/, ICAR-JRF, and DBT-JRF etc. will be considered as category-1 candidates.**
2. **The candidates who have qualified any national level examinations like CSIR-UGC-NET, GATE/GPAT (for engineering/architecture/pharmacy streams), etc. and similar National level tests, sponsored candidates, teacher fellowship holders and teachers of Central University of Rajasthan (CURAJ) will be considered as category-2 candidates.**
3. The candidates under category-2 must have the National level qualified examination certificate issued on or after dated May 01, 2023.
4. Candidates will be required to pay a non-refundable registration fee (Rs.1000/- for UR candidates and Rs.750/- for EWS/OBC-Non-Creamy layers/SC/ST/PwD candidates) per department (plus transaction charges and taxes as applicable) to complete the online registration.
5. **If a candidate wishes to apply for more than one department, the registration fee has to be submitted accordingly and are required to apply separately.**
6. **Candidates are advised to go through the eligibility criteria of CURAJ before filling the online application form.**
7. Candidates must provide a valid e-mail ID, mobile number, Aadhaar number and upload readable soft copies of the required documents.
8. The University shall not be responsible for technical glitch or delay, if any, in submission of form or payment of application fee. Duly completed registration form with prescribed application fee must be submitted online within the stipulated date and time. In order to ensure that form is submitted online and the fee is transferred to the University account, PLEASE APPLY well in advance of the last date. No off-line form will be accepted.
9. Please keep visiting the University website regularly for updates.

Instructions Regarding the Admission Process

1. Based on information and documents uploaded by the candidates, their eligibility will be verified by the concerned department. If any document is not found satisfactory during the verification process, then her/his candidature shall immediately be cancelled.
2. The list of eligible and non-eligible candidates will be displayed on University website.
3. Candidates having grievances if any, regarding their eligibility, may submit the same to the given email id **admission2024@curaj.ac.in** within stipulated date and time.
4. After considering the grievances, final list of eligible and non-eligible candidates will be displayed on the University website.
5. All the eligible candidates are required to appear for the interview/viva-voce on the notified date and time in **offline mode** in respective departments at CURAJ campus.
6. Interview schedules for different departments will be notified on the University website (www.curaj.ac.in) along with interview guidelines.
7. Candidature for Ph.D. admission will not be considered if the candidate fails to appear in the interview/viva-voce.
8. The minimum qualifying marks in the interview/viva-voce is 50% marks (45% for candidates belonging to SC/ ST/ OBC (Non-Creamy layers)/ EWS/ PwD).
9. The merit list for admission shall be prepared on the basis of performance of the candidates in the interview.

10. Selected candidates will be offered provisional admission and their list will be displayed on the University Website.
11. The selected candidates will be required to deposit the prescribed academic fee using the link/information on the University website as per schedule within the stipulated time.
12. Failure to deposit the academic fees in the stipulated time frame, the admission shall stand cancelled and the name will be struck off from the merit list and the wait-listed candidate in order of merit will be offered the provisional admission.
13. Vacancies resulting due to non-deposit of fee / cancellation / withdrawal will be filled in order of the merit of candidates.
14. The University reserves the right to make any changes in the schedule and the process as outlined above without prior intimation and decide upon all matters related to the admission process, which shall be final and binding to all.