

Ph.D. Scholar Admission Policy

This document summarizes the approach of Mangalayatan University, Aligarh to prepare the admission list for its Ph.D. Scholars for the every year intake. Mangalayatan University, Aligarh will decide the total number of candidates based on the Departments / Institute's requirements. Mangalayatan University, Aligarh reserves the right to modify any part of this document, including the various criteria and cut-offs mentioned at any time till the actual admission process for the batch is completed.

1. Admission Process

The admission process of Mangalayatan University, Aligarh consists of: Entrance Examination MURET every six month in academic year. Short listing of candidates by entrance examination and Personal Interview preparing the Merit List based on the Admission Criteria and OPI Process

2. Eligibility Criteria – As per UGC guideline.

- a) A 1-year/2-semester Master's Degree Programme after a 4-year/8-semester bachelor's degree programme or a 2-year/4-semester master's degree programme after a 3-year bachelor's degree programme or qualifications declared equivalent to the master's degree by the corresponding statutory regulatory body, with at least 55% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed or equivalent qualification from a foreign educational institution accredited by an assessment and accreditation agency which is approved, recognized or authorized by an authority, established or incorporated under a law in its home country or any other statutory authority in that country to assess, accredit or assure quality and standards of the educational institution.
- b) A relaxation of 5% marks or its equivalent grade may be allowed for those belonging to SC/ST/OBC (non-creamy layer)/Differently-Abled, Economically Weaker Section (EWS) and other categories of candidates as per the decision of the Commission from time to time. Provided that a candidate seeking admission after a 4-year/8-semester bachelor's degree programme should have a minimum of 75% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade on a point scale wherever the grading system is followed. A relaxation of 5% marks or its equivalent grade may be allowed for those belonging to SC/ST/OBC (non-creamy layer)/Differently-Abled, Economically Weaker Section (EWS) and other categories of candidates as per the decision of the Commission from time to time.

- c) Candidates who have completed the M. Phil. programme with at least 55% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed or equivalent qualification from a foreign educational institution accredited by an assessment and accreditation agency which is approved, recognized or authorized by an authority, established or incorporated under a law in its home country or any other statutory authority in that country to assess, accredit or assure quality and standards of educational institutions, shall be eligible for admission to the Ph.D. programme. A relaxation of 5% marks or its equivalent grade may be allowed for those belonging to SC/ST/OBC (non-creamy layer)/Differently-Abled, Economically Weaker Section (EWS) and other categories of candidates as per the decision of the Commission from time to time.
- d) A scholar who is already registered as a Ph. D. scholar at another university or whose supervisor joins Mangalayatan University may be transferred. The scholar will get a 'No Objection Certificate' from his or her previous university and will have his or her registration at the previous university revoked once enrolled in this university. The University Research Committee will examine the candidate's transfer of course work credits, time spent at a previous university, and progress on work achieved when determining the beginning point for research activity at Mangalayatan University.
- e) Recipients of the National Doctoral Fellowship or any other fellowship from a government/semi-government organisation (via an All-India selection procedure conducted by the agency/organization for awarding research fellowships), such as the Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR), University Grants Commission (UGC), All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE), Department of Science and Technology, will also be admitted to the Ph.D. Scholars.
- f) Foreign students [who have secured and are holding a research visa] would be needed to provide permission from the Government of India/relevant authorities in order to be considered eligible. All candidates, excluding those who have passed the UGC/CSIR/GATE or comparable test, will take the University's Ph. D. Entrance test. Registration will be confirmed only for those applicants who pass the exam and have either completed an M. Phil. or have passed the UGC/CSIR/GATE examination.

2.3. Reservation

Mangalayatan University, Aligarh would take scholars under Ph.D. (Full time/Part time) program in accordance with State Reservation Policy.

3. Personal Interview

Upon being shortlisted as per the score of entrance test the candidate has to appear for a personal interview at Mangalayatan University, Aligarh in front of the departmental selection panel. The departmental selection panel will assess the suitability of the candidates for research work based on the portfolio of the candidate. The committee will look into a consistently good academic record, professional accomplishments, research interest etc.

4. Preparing the Merit List

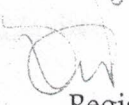
Merit List will be prepared based on Entrance Exam and Personal Interview, Research Aptitude & Publications and Reference Letter, Academic Qualification and Relevant Work Experience. The applicant is expected to submit the testimonials and eligible for the provisional admission till the verification of original documents before the research department.

5. Important Month For Application

For July batch – Second week of May and First week of June

For January batch – Second week of November and first week of December

This admission process is applicable for the Doctoral Programme. Mangalayatan University, Aligarh reserves the right to change/modify any part of the process, with due notice, at any stage of the admission process.

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Registrar