

The West Bengal National University of Juridical Sciences

ADMISSIONS TO Ph.D DEGREE PROGRAMME - 2017

NOTIFICATION No. Acad/PG/01/2017 DATED 21st July 2017

Applications are invited in prescribed proforma for admission to Ph.D. (Doctor of Philosophy) Degree. The last date for submission of the application is **21.08.2017** for 15 vacancies only. Final selection for these 15 vacancies will be on the merit as evident from the Ph.D. course work result.

The shortlisted candidates for Ph.D. Degree shall have to take an entrance examination on 5th September 2017 at 11.00 a.m. in the premises of NUJS followed by a personal interview on 6th & 7th September 2017 from 10.00 a.m. onwards.

1. The eligibility criteria for admission to Ph.D Degree is as follows:-

Any candidate who satisfies the following conditions is eligible to seek registration for Ph.D. in the University upon application for provisional registration.

- 1.1 The candidate shall have LL.M degree or any Masters degree having the potentiality of interdisciplinary study with law from any university recognized by UGC or equivalent LL.M or Masters Degree of foreign university with a minimum of 55% marks or equivalent CGPA. However, this condition is relaxed to 50% in case of candidates belonging to SC and ST/OBC (Non creamy layer) or differently abled categories.
- 1.2 Candidates who have qualified for UGC/SLET/SET/JRF fellowships are exempted from Entrance Test. However, they have to undergo interview.
- 1.3 Candidates with M.Phil degree from any recognized University are exempted from Entrance Test. However, they have to undergo interview

2) Admission Process:

2.1 Admission of candidates under 1.1 above to Ph.D shall be through an Entrance test and interview.

2.2 Admission of candidates under 1.2 and 1.3 above shall be on the basis of interview.

3.1 The Entrance Test shall consist of one paper of **100 marks** with 3 hours duration. The syllabus of the paper shall cover:

A. For law background candidates

- (i) Research Methodology
- (ii) Comparative Public Law /System of Governance
- (iii) Law & Justice in a Globalising World

B. For Candidates intending to do research in public policy and development studies having interdisciplinary relations with law who will be guided jointly by recognized research supervisors proposed by NUJS and Asian Institute of Public Policy & Development Studies or any other institute approved by the University

- (i) Research Methodology
- (ii) Subjects of their specialisation

C. For any other non law background candidates

- (i) Research Methodology
- (ii) Subjects of their specialisation

D. Interview for all - 100 marks

4) Selection of candidates for the 15 available seats shall be on the basis of percentage of marks obtained in the entrance test plus interview or interview only as the case may be.

5) Fees -

Registration fees of Rs. 15,000 (Non-refundable) (at the time of registration) plus annual fees of Rs. 50,000 per annum (Non-refundable).

The applications need to be accompanied by a Demand Draft of Rs. 2000/- (non refundable) in favour of the Registrar, WBNUJS, Kolkata payable at Kolkata.



Complete applications in all respect to be addressed to The Registrar, WBNUJS, 12 LB Block, Sector - III, Salt Lake City, Kolkata - 700 098 by **21st August 2017**.

NOTE: Applications may be downloaded from the university website www.nujs.edu or may be obtained directly from the office of the University.

