

## DELHI TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

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## NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred under sub-section (1) of Section 23 of the Delhi Technological University Act, 2009 (Delhi Act 6 of 2009), the Board of Management in its 37<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 29.05.2020 vide agenda number 37.7 approved the Guidelines for Direct Admission to Ph.D Program for DTU full time M.Tech students. The Guidelines for direct admission to Ph.D Program for DTU full time M.Tech students is as unders-

- 1. Candidate wishes to pursue full-time Ph.D program.
- Candidates must have qualified UGC-NET (including JRF)/UGC-CSIR NET (including JRF)/SLET/GATE/ICMR JRF/DBT JRF/teacher fellowship.
- The specified area for the Ph.D program shall be the extension of their M.Tech research or aligned/allied with an area which can be mapped up with the concurrent research area.
- 4. Candidate has opted for research project in the third semester of M.Tech program. Candidate must satisfy the Ph.D eligibility conditions. Moreover, the candidates who have not taken research project/track may also be considered for direct Ph.D admission in exceptional circumstances with the approval of Vice Chancellor.
- Candidate has at least one paper accepted/published in SCI/SCIE/SSCI journals as specified in categories of publications in the M.Tech. scheme of DTU. Further, the following condition must be satisfied:
  - Journal must not be levy any article processing fees. This exclude journals that charge extra page charges and colour print charges.
- 6. Candidate has been recommended by the M.Tech Thesis/dissertation supervisor and the M.Tech Thesis/dissertation supervisor agrees to take the candidate under his/her supervision for the Ph.D program. If no slot is available with a supervisor, a temporary slot will be created and the same will be adjusted in future as and when the slot is vacant.
- 7. Candidate has been recommended by the HOD and Departmental Research Committee (DRC).

If a candidate admitted in M.Tech program satisfies all the above conditions, he/she may be allowed to be exempted from the Ph.D entrance test. After receiving a proposal from the candidate the DRC meeting will be conducted for consideration of the candidate for admission in the Ph.D program.

Such a candidate will be entitled for Ph.D fellowship for a period of two years and the amount of the fellowship will be same as Ph.D fellowship given by DTU from time to time. The candidates receiving fellowship from external agencies will not be entitled for DTU fellowship. The candidate will become eligible for enhanced fellowship before the expiry of period of two years also after publication/ acceptance of prescribed research paper(s). Hence, the admitted Ph.D candidates shall become eligible to be considered for an enhanced fellowship amount as per the guidelines given in Notification No. F.1/Acad-PG/2019-Policy Matters/2804 dated 30/09/2019 or revised notification released from time to time. Further, if the candidate does not become eligible for enhanced fellowship and the period of two years expires, then such candidate will be converted to Full-time student without fellowship.

## NOTES:

- (i) It may be noted that the paper published by the candidate as part of the M.Tech Degree will not be counted in the Ph.D program.
- (ii) The Ph.D program, in which the candidate is seeking extension of the M.Tech research, shall be under the guidance of the same supervisor who had been instrumental in formulation of the research problem in their M.Tech program.
- (iii) The candidate will be governed by Ph.D ordinance of DTU.
- (iv) The candidates admitted to the M.Tech full time program without fellowship may also be considered for admission in the Ph.D program in conformity of the above guidelines.
- (v) Power to remove difficulties: If any difficulty arises in giving effect to the provisions of these guidelines, the Vice Chancellor may, make such provisions, not inconsistent with the provisions in these guidelines, as appear to be necessary or expedient for removing the difficulty.

(Prof. Samsher) Registrar

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