

# Information brochure 2023-24 for admission to Doctor of philosophy (Ph.D.) Programme

## Important Dates

• Last date of receipt of application forms	June 21st, 2023
• Date of written exam and interview	June 24th, 2023
• Tentative date of display of result	June 30th, 2023
• Last date of payment of fees for selected candidates	July 10th, 2023

## Admission Process, Date of Written Exam and Interview

- Admission process will be conducted on June 24th, 2023(Saturday) 09:30 am and the admission process shall consist of:
  - Entrance Test
  - Presentation on the proposed research before the Departmental Research Committee (DRC)
  - Interview

The detailed admission process will be as follows:

• Reporting & Registration	09.30 am to 10.15 am
• Entrance Test	10.30 am to 12.00 noon
• Presentation to DRC	14:00 pm onwards
• Interview	15.00 pm onwards

for timings and mode during Covid 19 induced lockdown, please get in touch with Program coordinator for more details: [phd@gdgoenka.ac.in](mailto:phd@gdgoenka.ac.in)

## Format of Entrance Test & Presentation:

Description	Entrance Test	Presentation
<b>Duration</b>	90 Minutes	15 Minutes
<b>Mode</b>	Multiple Choice Questions	Power Point Presentation
<b>Focus Areas</b>	Research Aptitude <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ability and Research Terminologies</li> <li>• Reasoning</li> <li>• Awareness</li> </ul> Subject awareness <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Domain Knowledge</li> </ul>	Research Intent <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Topic of research</li> <li>2. Why research on the topic?</li> <li>3. Proposed Research Objectives</li> <li>4. Literature Review done (if any)</li> <li>5. Intended outcome of the Research</li> </ol>

Please note that the admission process may take whole day.

Remaining seats: Basic & Applied Sciences- 10, Engineering- 8, Medical & Allied Sciences- 37, Agriculture- 41, Management-10.

## Category of Scholars

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Scholars can be registered on full time or on part time basis

- A full time scholar has to attend the University regularly and will be subject to the prescribed attendance rules of the University.
- Professionally employed personnel may be allowed to pursue PhD on part time basis. Such candidates are required to submit a “No Objection Certificate” from their parent organization/department/employer stating that he/she is permitted to pursue studies on a part-time basis and that his/her duties permit him/her to devote sufficient time for research. Part time scholars will have to attend the classes for assigned course-work as per the rules of the University/UGC.

## Candidates are required to bring the original and attested copies of the following documents.

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- Photo ID Card (Issued by Government Agency)
- 10th 12th Mark sheets & Certificates
- Graduation Mark sheets & Degree / Provisional Certificate
- Post-Graduation Mark sheets & Degree / Provisional Certificate
- Four copies of recent passport size photographs
- Any other document supporting prior research work undertaken, if any.

## Minimum Qualifications for Admission

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- The minimum qualification required for admission to a PhD Programme is a Master’s Degree in the relevant field with a minimum of 55% marks or equivalent grade. Relaxation of 5% of marks from 55% to 50% maybe allowed to SC/ST/OBC/differently abled candidates.
- Additional Minimum qualifications as per University’s PhD Regulations Version 6.0
- An Equivalence Committee will be constituted by the Vice Chancellor of GDGU to consider applications other than covered under section (a) who may propose other qualifications/requirements in specific areas, consistent with the norms of the statutory bodies, to the University Research & Innovation Council (URIC) for its recommendation to the Academic Council for approval.
- If considered necessary, DRC may propose other qualifications/requirements in specific areas, consistent with the norms of the statutory bodies, to the URIC for its recommendation to the Academic Council for approval.

## Eligibility Conditions for Admission

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- It is desirable that eligible applicant who possess minimum prescribed qualifications for admission to the PhD Programme, have excellent academic/professional track record in the relevant discipline.

The applicant for part-time PhD should:

- prove to the satisfaction of DRC that his/her official duties permit him/her to devote sufficient time to research.
- ensure that facilities for pursuing research are available at his/her place of work in the chosen field of research, where required.

## Time Period requirement for Submission of the PhD thesis

### Minimum Time Period:

- The minimum period for submission of PhD thesis is 3 years from the date of registration.

### Maximum Period:

- The maximum period for submission of PhD thesis is 6 years from the date of registration. Thereafter, the registration shall stand cancelled automatically unless, for valid reasons, the President of GDGU grants an extension.

## Fee for year 2023-24

	Annual Fee (INR)	Admission Fee (INR)	Security Deposit (INR)
<b>Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) (part time)</b>	1,30,000	25,000	25,000
<b>Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) (full time)*</b>	1,20,000	25,000	25,000

\*Please get in touch with us to know the exact fee for your specific discipline. Fee for Management will vary.

## GD Goenka University Invites applications for the PhD Programme through its advertisement for 2023.

Gurugram, Delhi NCR UGC Approved



Applications invited for admission to  
**Ph.D Programme**  
for the session 2023-24

**University with Focus on Inter-disciplinary Research**  
GD Goenka University has intense research engagements with large numbers of universities worldwide. This provides PhD scholars global exposure to best practices for conducting research

**Research Domains**

## Ph.D

(Full-Time or Part-Time)

GD Goenka University is a research-intensive university that inculcates the spirit of inquiry and dissemination of knowledge. We invite applications for PhD programmes in disciplines within the following domains:

- Agriculture
- Engineering & Sciences
- Humanities & Social Sciences
- Hospitality & Tourism
- Law
- Management
- Medical & Allied Sciences

The University also offers fulltime PhD scholars opportunities for teaching or Research Assistantship at a stipend of Rs. 25,000/ month on evidence of satisfactory progress in the first year of the programme • Post-Doctoral Teaching or Research Fellowship at a stipend of Rs. 45,000 on earning their doctorate qualification

**Application Procedure**  
For details on selection process, number of seats, eligibility and to fill online forms, visit [www.gdgoenkauniversity.com](http://www.gdgoenkauniversity.com) or download form and send to: The Registrar, GD Goenka University, GD Goenka Education City, Sohna Gurugram Road, Haryana 122103.

**Important Dates**  
Entrance exam    May 13, 2023  
Interview        May 13, 2023

For more details and apply online, Please visit [www.gdgoenkauniversity.com](http://www.gdgoenkauniversity.com)

**Last date to apply May 10, 2023**

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GD Goenka University, Gurugram Sohna Road, Delhi NCR Haryana  
Phone: 8800 992040



## Additional information

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Full Time PhD scholars who have successfully completed their course work and demonstrate good progress in their research work would be eligible to apply for Teaching or Research Assistantships. On completing their PhD, DTFs will be considered for Postdoctoral Fellowships.

## Correspondence

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All correspondence concerning PhD admissions should be addressed to: Office of Dean R & D  
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