

**VISVA-BHARATI
SANTINIKETAN**



OFFICE ORDER

The undersigned is directed to convey that the Academic Council in its meeting dated 30.05.2016 (as Appendix-XXV) has accepted the University Grants Commission's Notification (published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary Part III – Section 4, No.196 dated May 10, 2016) dated 4th May, 2016 on Minimum Qualification for Appointment of Teachers and Other Academic Staff in Universities and Colleges and Measures for the Maintenance of Standards in Higher Education (3rd Amendment), Regulation, 2016.

By virtue of the above UGC notification and resolution of Academic Council the award of degrees of candidates registered for the M.Phil/Ph.D. programme prior to July 11, 2009, shall be governed by the provisions of the then existing Ordinances/Bylaws/Regulations of the Institution awarding the degrees and the Ph.D. candidates shall be exempted from the requirement of the minimum eligibility condition of "NET/SLET/SET for recruitment and appointment of Assistant Professor or equivalent positions in Universities/Colleges/Institutions subject to the fulfillment of the following conditions:

- (a) Ph.D. degree of the candidate awarded in regular mode only;
- (b) Evaluation of the Ph.D. thesis by at least two external examiners;
- (c) Candidate had published two research papers out of which at least one in a refereed journal from out of his/her Ph.D. work;
- (d) The candidate had presented two papers in seminars/conferences from out of his/her Ph.D. work;
- (e) Open Ph.D. viva-voce of the candidate had been conducted.

(a) to (e) as stated above are to be certified by the Vice-Chancellor/ Pro-Vice-Chancellor/ Dean (Academic Affairs)/Dean (University Instructions) on the enclosed format to the successful Ph.D. candidate.

Memo No. Aca/R-6.7/ 642 /2016-2017


Santiniketan, Dated 23.06.2016

Enclosure: Format of Certificate


Deputy Registrar
(Academic & Research)
Visva-Bharati
23/6/16

Copy forwarded for information / necessary action to:

1. All Adhyakshas of Bhavanas/Vibhaga
2. Heads of all Academic and Administrative Departments/Offices
3. Deputy Registrar & C.S. to Vice-Chancellor
4. Assistant Registrar to Pro-Vice Chancellor
5. P.A. to Registrar
6. University Webmaster – to upload it on the University website


Deputy Registrar
(Academic & Research)
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Certificate for fulfillment of five conditions of M.Phil./Ph.D. award



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This is to certify that Shri/Ms. Obtained his/her M.Phil/Ph.D. Degree on day of month in the year in (subject) in the Department of under Bhavana/Vibhaga of this University.

The Degree of Doctor of Philosophy/Master of Philosophy of Shri/Ms. Complies with the following criteria as per UGC (Minimum Standard and Procedure for award of M.Phil./Ph.D. Degree) Regulation, 2009 and 3rd Amendment Regulations, 2016 vide UGC Notification dated 4th May, 2016 published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary Part III – Section 4, No.196 dated 10th May, 2016.

Criteria	Criteria satisfied by Candidate
(a) Ph.D. degree of the candidate awarded in regular mode only;	Yes/No
(b) Evaluation of the Ph.D. thesis by at least two external examiners;	Yes/No
(c) Candidate had published two research papers out of which at least one in a refereed journal from out of his/her Ph.D. work;	Yes/No
(d) The candidate had presented two papers in seminars/conferences from out of his/her Ph.D. work;	Yes/No
(e) Open Ph.D. viva-voce of the candidate had been conducted.	Yes/No

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Dean (Academic Affairs)/
Dean (University Instructions)