



# जम्मू केंद्रीय विश्वविद्यालय

## Central University of Jammu

राया – सूचानी (बागला), जिला सांबा – 181143, जम्मू (जम्मू एवं कश्मीर)  
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### Ph.D. Programme Admission for session 2025-26 (January 2026)

### विज्ञापन / ADVERTISEMENT

जम्मू केंद्रीय विश्वविद्यालय में सत्र 2025-26 (जनवरी 2026) के लिए विभिन्न विषयों में पी.एच.डी. डिग्री कार्यक्रम में प्रवेश के लिए पात्र उम्मीदवारों से ऑनलाइन आवेदन आमंत्रित किए जाते हैं।

Online applications are invited from the eligible candidates for admission to Ph.D. degree programme in different disciplines in the **Central University of Jammu** for the **session 2025-26 (January 2026)**.

#### 1. Eligibility criteria for admission to the Ph.D. Programme.-

##### A) Full time Ph.D Programme

1.1 The following are eligible to seek admission to the Ph.D. programme:

Candidates who have completed:

1.1.1 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 60% 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.

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 UGC from time to time.

- 1.1.2 Candidates who have completed the M.Phil. programme with at least 60% 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.

**B) Ph.D. Programme for In-service candidates**

- 1.2 The following are eligible to seek admission to the Ph.D. programme:
- 1.2.1 In-service candidates seeking admission in Ph.D. Programme shall fulfil the eligibility conditions laid down under Clause 2(a) of the ordinance 6B of the Central University of Jammu.
- 1.2.2 In-service candidates seeking admission to Ph. D Programme should have minimum experience of 5 years permanent service in Defence or Para-Military services or in Central University of Jammu, as the case may be.
- 1.2.3 Defence / Paramilitary Personnel: For in-service defence & paramilitary personnel, special arrangements will be made if the situation so warrants.
- 1.2.4 In-service candidates (Teaching / Non-Teaching staff of Central University of Jammu) shall only be considered for admission if they fulfil eligibility criteria as per clause 2(a) and have obtained No Objection Certificate prior to moving the application for admission and for attending online course-work. However, it may be ascertained to what extent the Ph.D. programme to be pursued by the applicant employee (Non-Teaching) shall be in the interest of administration and beneficial to the corporate life of the University.  
 Provided further that one confirmed teacher in a Department / Centre may be only considered in an academic year as approved by the Vice Chancellor.
- 1.3 Scholars who are selected as JRFs / Research Fellows through national level advertisement and selection process in various research projects awarded by external government funding agencies for duration of minimum 2 years may also be considered for admission to Ph.D programme in respective departments / centres.

**2. Eligibility and specializations\***

**Table I**

S. No.	Programme (Subject)	Eligibility	Specialization
1	Ph.D. Computer Science & Engineering	Master’s Degree in the relevant subject (M.Tech. /M.E.(Computer Science Engineering or Information Technology),from a recognized	Internet of Things (IoT) Security, Cyber Physical System and Cyber Security and AI Sensors, IoT, Information Security, Machine Learning
			Computer Programming and Robotics
			Information and Cyber Security, Natural Language processing

		University/Institute.	Biometrics, Digital Image Processing, Machine and Deep Learning
	Ph.D. Computer Science and Information Technology	Master's Degree in the relevant subject (M.Tech./M.E.(Computer Science or Information Technology), MCA, M.Sc. (IT), M.Sc. (Computer Science)) from a recognized University/Institute.	Artificial Intelligence, Digital Forensics
			Machine Learning, NLP, Generative, Artificial Intelligence
			Machine Learning, Computer Vision, Soft Computing, Artificial Intelligence
			Biometric, Computer Vision, Optimization, and Machine Learning.
			Time Series Analysis, Computer Vision Machine Learning Deep Learning, Nature inspired Algorithms
2.	Ph.D. Mass Communication and New Media	Master's Degree in the concerned/allied subject from the recognized University/Institute.	Mass Communication; New Media and AI; Media, Science and Society; Science Communication; Science and Technology Studies(STS)
3.	Ph.D. Chemistry	Master's Degree in the concerned/allied subject from the recognized University/Institute.	Synthetic Organic Chemistry, Polymer Chemistry and Functional Materials, Theoretical and Computational Chemistry, Synthetic Inorganic Chemistry
4.	Ph.D. Comparative Religion and Civilization	Master's Degree in the concerned/allied subject from the recognized University/Institute.	Hindu Studies, Buddhist Studies, History of Religions, Anthropology and Sociology of Religions, Pali and Sanskrit Studies.
5.	Ph.D. Human Resource Management	MBA from a recognized University/Institute.	Human Resource Management Organizational Behaviour, Marketing, HRM, Marketing and Entrepreneurship, Human Resource Analytics
6.	Ph.D. Botany	Master's Degree in the concerned/allied subject from the recognized University/Institute.	Plant Microbe Interaction & Biotechnology, Plant Pathology, G-proteins mediated Plant Cell Signaling, Genetics, Botany, Taxonomy and Systematics of Plants
7.	Ph.D. Mathematics	Master's Degree in the concerned/allied subject from a recognized University/Institute.	Queueing Modelling, Optimization, Non-linear Dynamical Systems, Soft Computing, Image Processing, Quantum Image Processing, Operations Research, Commutative Algebra, Quantum Cryptography, Complex Analysis, Functional Analysis
8.	Ph.D. Hindi	MA Hindi from a recognized University/Institute.	कथा साहित्य, हिंदी साहित्य का इतिहास, भारतीय साहित्य, मध्यकालीन एवं आधुनिक काव्य, हिंदी नाटक, कथेतर साहित्य, गद्य साहित्य, हिंदी कविता, भक्ति काव्य, लोक साहित्य, हिंदी गजल, भाषा विज्ञान एवं काव्य शास्त्र
9.	Ph.D. Zoology	Master's Degree in the concerned/allied subject from the recognized University/Institute.	Genetics and Health: Probiotic, gut microbiome, lifestyle disease and disease pedigrees Neurobiology and circadian biology Biodiversity and ecology: Entomology, Limnology and Wildlife Conservation Biology

10.	Ph.D. Economics	Master's Degree in the concerned/allied subject From the recognized University/Institute.	Development Economics
			Health Economics, Demographic Economics
11.	Ph.D. Marketing Management	MBA from a recognized University/Institute.	Marketing Strategy
			Customer Engagement Management
			Consumer Behaviour
			Retail Management
			Digital Marketing
			Social Media Marketing
			International Marketing
			Supply Chain Management
			Innovation and Sustainability in Marketing
12.	Ph.D. Physics	Master's Degree in the concerned/allied subject From the recognized University/Institute.	Condense Matter Physics
			Nuclear Physics
13.	Ph.D. Public Policy & Public Administration	Master's Degree in the concerned/allied subject from the recognized University/Institute.	Public Leadership; Policy implementation & evaluation; public trust
			Policy & Governance Issues; Police Studies, Urban Issues; Rural Development; and Community Engagement
			Social Justice and affirmative action; Rural Local self-government; administrative reforms
			Environmental Policy and Governance; Organizational Behaviour; Corporate Social Responsibility
			Issues of Governance in Jammu and Kashmir; Indian Political and Administrative Thought; Ethnicity and Public Policy; Global Governance and International Relations
14.	Ph.D. Electronics and Communication Engineering	ME/M.Tech in Electronics and Communication Engineering (ECE)/ Electrical Engineering (EE)/Computer Science Engineering(CSE).	6G wireless communication network, wireless security, Artificial Intelligence/ Machine Learning, NB-IoT, Green Communication
			UAV/Drone Communication, Cryptography and Network Security, Wireless Networking, MANET ,ITS, IoT, SDN
			Digital Signal Processing
			RF and microwave
			Security in wireless communication, 6G network, security attack modelling, artificial intelligence, satellite communication
			5G/6G communications, SWIPT, IRS, mm Wave, Rf and Microwave Engineering, etc

			Wireless Communication, Physical layer Security analysis in MIMO system, Multiuser MIMO system and Massive MIMO system, Control system
15.	Ph.D. Tourism and Travel Management	MBA (MTTM/MTA/M.A in Tourism), from a recognized University/Institute.	<p>Destination Management, Influencer Marketing, Tourist Behavior, Sustainability, Entrepreneurship</p> <p>Hotel &amp; Hospitality, Gastronomic Tourism, Sustainable Tourism, Rural Tourism, Folk &amp; Cultural Heritage of India, Tourism Trends, Tourism and Digital India</p> <p>Cultural and heritage tourism, creative tourism, sustainable, spiritual, peace and Pilgrimage tourism</p>
16.	Ph.D. National Security Studies	Master's Degree in the concerned/allied subject from the recognized University/Institute.	<p>Maritime Security Issues: Indian Ocean Region, International Politics: China and Africa, India's National Security Dynamics and Foreign Policy</p> <p>Central Asian Republics Energy Reserves and Security Issues, South Asian Security Affairs, Energy Security</p> <p>Comprehensive Security, Maritime Security, Conflict Resolution, Disarmament &amp; Peace Studies, Environmental security</p> <p>Radicalization, Conflict Dynamics, Terrorism, West Asia &amp; South Asia</p> <p>Internal Security, India-China Bilateral Relations, Non-Traditional Security</p> <p>India's Foreign Policy, Security and Foreign Policy of Russia &amp; Central Asia, BRICS and South-South Cooperation</p> <p>Soft Power, Geo-politics, Climate change, India-US Relations</p>
17.	Ph.D. Social Work	Masters Degree in concerned or allied subject, from a recognized University/Institute.	<p>Women Issues and Empowerment, Child Protection, Health and Mental Health, Urban Development</p> <p>Tribal Health ,Criminology, Cultural Studies</p> <p>Climate Change Adaptation, Disaster Management, Community Organisation, CSR (Corporate Social Responsibility)</p>

18.	Ph.D. Education	Master's Degree in the concerned subject (M.Ed./M.A. Education), from a recognized university/Institute with dissertation as one of the courses completed during Master Degree	Indian Knowledge System. Teacher Education. Language Education. Academic Leadership. Sociology & Education Educational Technology. Contemporary issues in Education. School Education. Higher Education. Technology Education. Inclusive Education.
19.	Ph.D. Environmental Science	Master's Degree in the concerned/allied subject from the recognized University/Institute.	Environmental Nanotechnology, Green technologies; Ion Exchange and Adsorption System Atmospheric Chemistry
20.	Ph.D. English	Master's Degree in the concerned/allied subject from the recognized University/Institute.	South Asian Writings ,Eco-Literature, Indian Knowledge Traditions Indian Literatures Fiction, Myth and Folk Studies, Women Studies, Post Colonial Studies Culture Studies, Popular Culture, Decolonial Studies, Memory Studies Dalit Literature, subaltern Writings
21.	Ph.D. Biotechnology	Master's Degree in the concerned/allied subject from the recognized University/Institute.	Bioinformatics, Bio control Agents& Sustainable Agriculture. Molecular Diagnostics Bio design and Genetics. Causes of Non-communicable diseases Precision Medicine

**Seats available:**

**Table II**

S.No.	Programme (Subject Name)	No. of Seats available					
		SC	ST	OBC	EWS	UR	Total
1	Ph.D. Comparative Religion & Civilizations	0	1	3	1	6	11
2	Ph.D. Economics	2	1	5	1	10	19
3	Ph.D. National Security Studies	3	1	6	1	6	17
4	Ph.D. Public Policy & Public Administration	2	1	5	2	4	14
5	Ph.D. Social Work	1	0	3	2	4	10
6	Ph.D. Biotechnology	2	2	6	2	13	25
7	Ph.D. Botany	2	1	4	1	8	16
8	Ph.D. English	1	0	3	0	3	7
9	Ph.D. Environmental Sciences	1	1	7	1	8	18
10	Ph.D. Hindi	0	1	3	2	2	8
11	Ph.D. Zoology	1	0	5	1	7	14

12	Ph.D. Chemistry	3	1	7	2	13	<b>26</b>
13	Ph.D. Computer Science & Information Technology	0	0	3	1	7	<b>11</b>
14	Ph.D. Computer Science & Engineering	5	3	10	3	18	<b>39</b>
15	Ph.D. Human Resource Management	2	1	5	2	10	<b>20</b>
16	Ph.D. Mathematics	4	1	10	3	14	<b>32</b>
17	Ph.D. Marketing Management	1	2	4	2	5	<b>14</b>
18	Ph.D. Electronics & Communication Engineering	7	3	13	5	22	<b>50</b>
19	Ph.D. Physics	9	4	13	5	13	<b>44</b>
20	Ph.D. Tourism & Travel Management	0	0	0	1	6	<b>7</b>
21	Ph. D. Education	0	0	6	1	4	<b>11</b>
22	Ph.D. Mass Communication & New Media	3	1	6	1	7	<b>18</b>

**\*The number of seats may change as per the availability of Supervisor(s).**

## **2. Mode of selection**

### **Procedure for Admission**

- Only those candidates who have qualified JRF/NET/GATE examination are eligible to apply for admission to Ph.D. programme.

The distribution of weight age to different components for determining the merit shall be as under:

<b>JRF/NET/GATE</b>	<b>Quality of proposal for presentation &amp; Interview</b>
50 %	50 %

The final selection shall be made on the basis of composite marks (as mentioned above) awarded by the Committee.

## **3. Reservation of Seats in Admission**

The University shall follow reservation in admission as per GOI reservation policy as mandated under the Central Educational Institutions (Reservation of Seats) Act 2006, the Persons with Disabilities (Equal Opportunities, Protection of Rights and Full Participation) Act, 1995 and The Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 as amended from time to time.

#### **4. Completion of Admission Formalities**

- 4.1 A candidate shall be considered as admitted to a Programme of Study and be eligible to be bonafide student of the University only after he/she has completed all the required formalities for admission including payment of the prescribed fees. If a candidate fails to complete the admission formalities by the prescribed date, he/she will automatically forfeit his/her right for admission. List of selected candidates shall be displayed on the **University Website. No intimation to the selected candidates will be sent by post.**
- 4.2 The candidates shall be required to get their admissions completed by the dates as notified by the University from time to time and the candidates are advised to remain in touch with the University website **www.cujammu.ac.in** and other Admission related website that may be launched by the University (students are advised to be in regular touch with University website [www.cujammu.ac.in](http://www.cujammu.ac.in) for further updates).
- 4.3 The selected candidates shall be required to produce, for verification at the time of reporting / last date prescribed for completion of the admission formalities, as the case may be the original documents thereof.
- 4.4 In case of a candidate who is already in employment, No Objection Certificate (NOC) from the employer clearly mentioning that the employer has no objection in the candidate's selection/admission for pursuing higher education in the respective discipline/Programme of study in the Central University of Jammu on regular basis. Such candidate (s) will be considered for admission only on production of a certificate from the employer that he/she has been granted leave for the prescribed duration in the University.
- 4.5 Only those candidates whose results of the qualifying examination is clear in all respects on the last date prescribed for admission in the University will be considered for admission to the Programme of Study.
- 4.6 Each candidate admitted for the Programme of study shall be required to submit his/her Migration Certificate in original within the prescribed time frame failing which his/her admission in the University shall stand cancelled.
- 4.7 Degrees obtained through distance education mode and off- shore campus/study centre will be valid only if they are issued in accordance with relevant regulations, guidelines and instructions issued by the Distance Education Council, UGC, AICTE & AIU.

#### **5. Anti-Ragging Measures**

The University is committed to prevent ragging and an anti-ragging Committee has been constituted in accordance with the relevant Supreme Court guidelines.

6. Fee Structure is available on university website.

7. Fellowship will be provided as per Govt. and University norms.

## 8. IMPORTANT DATES

S. No	Admission Activity	Date
1.	Start date of submission of online application form	16.02.2026
2.	Closing date of submission of online application form	08.03.2026

The admission process shall be governed by Ordinance No. 6b. For more details w.r.t. Ordinance No. 6b, kindly visit University website @ [www.cujammu.ac.in](http://www.cujammu.ac.in)

### Fee for Submission of Application Form

S.No	Category (s) as per Central Govt. List	Fee (in Rupees)
1.	UR/OBC-(NCL)/EWS	Rs. 1000/-
2.	ST/SC/PWD	Rs. 500/-

### Submission of Application Form & Documents

1. The online application form for admission to Ph.D. programme in different Departments/Centres/Disciplines is available on the University website [www.cujammu.ac.in](http://www.cujammu.ac.in). The eligible candidates may visit the University website and submit the online application form.
2. The candidates shall be required to upload/submit the following documents along with online application form.
  - Master's degree final mark sheet and Certificate
  - NET/NET-JRF/GATE Certificate (CSIR/DBT/ICMR/UGC) (if applicable)
  - Category Certificate (if applicable)

Link for admission is: <https://cujammuadm.samarth.edu.in/>

For any query related to online application form, the candidates may email at [phdadmissions.2025@cujammu.ac.in](mailto:phdadmissions.2025@cujammu.ac.in)

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