



Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University, Faizabad(U.P)

Ph.D. Admission 2018

Instruction for On-line Application Procedure

1. **Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University, Faizabad** hereby commences the process of admission to full-time Ph.D. program in various subjects (as per University Rules), run by the residential departments and affiliated colleges.
2. All the candidates who are willing to participate in the admission process are advised to apply on-line through university website www.rmlau.ac.in/www.rmlauonline.in.
3. Overall admission process for Ph.D. programs of Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University, Faizabad is divided in following two phases:-

Phase-1:- Candidate has to appear in a Common Entrance Test (CET-2018) that will be conducted by the University for the session 2018. Candidates who had qualified NET/JRF/GATE examinations or laying under any of the category mentioned in UGC norms shall be exempted to appear in CET-2018 and shall be allowed to appear directly in the second phase of the admission process but strictly required to apply on-line in phase 1 to participate in the second phase of admission process. If candidate fails to apply on-line, he/she will not be considered to participate in the admission process for various PhD programs of Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University, Faizabad.

Phase-2:- Candidates, declared eligible after CET-2018 are participate in the second phase will be invited to appear in the Interview on the basis of CET merit or, in accordance of UGC guidelines. Research Development Committee (RDC)/ Equivalent Committee will conduct the interview of invited eligible candidates and prepare final merit for admission.

4. **Syllabus:** Syllabus of CET-2018 of Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University will be similar to that is prescribed for NET/JRF Examinations of University Grants Commissions (UGC), Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR), Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) which may be seen from their respective website.
5. **Eligibility:** A candidate applying for CET-2018 of Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University must hold a postgraduate Degree in concerned/allied subject with a minimum of 55% marks or equivalent Letter-grade/Grade-point under the seven Point Letter-grade-scales as laid down by the UGC. A relaxation of 5% in minimum marks shall be given to SC/ST and physically handicapped/disabled candidates. Candidates appearing for Final Year/Final Semester of their postgraduate degree examination are also eligible to appear for the admission process subject to the fulfillment of minimum eligibility criteria in the final result at the time of counseling.

6. **On-line Application Procedure:** Candidate may fill on-line application form for PhD admission process/CET-2018 of Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University through the University website www.rmlau.ac.in. During on-line application form filling process candidate has to upload scanned copies of his passport size photograph and signature.
7. **Registration Fee for On-line Application:** Registration fee for the online application to CET-2018 of Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University is Rs. 1000/- for General and OBC candidates whereas for SC/ST candidates it is Rs. 500/-. Bank transaction charges will be charged as applicable.
8. Registration fee for Online Application to PhD admission process/CET-2018 of Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University can be submitted online through Net-Banking or Debit/Credit-Card of any nationalized bank. Applicants are advised to note down bank transaction Reference Number and Registration ID for any future communication with the University. After the fee submission, applicants will be redirected to the University website where options for printing admission form and fee receipt are given. Printout of the pay-in-slip of SBI along with the print out of the application form is to be taken by the applicant.
9. **University reserves the right to seize admission in Ph.D. program in any subject at any time subjected to the unavailability of Supervisors. Similarly, number of admission seats in Ph.D. program in any subject at any time may also be increased or decreased in view of the supervisor's availability.**
10. The candidate is solely responsible for all the entries made by him/her in the on-line application form. If the candidate conceals or misrepresents any fact in the entries on the form, his/her candidature will automatically stand cancelled and he/she will be liable to be debarred from the present and future admissions in the University.
11. Entries made by the candidate in the Form will be considered final, and no subsequent request for change(s) or modification(s) in the same will be entertained.
12. **Guidelines for Entrance Test:**
 - a. The CET-2018 for various PhD programs of Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University as specified in Table-A, will be conducted at the University Campus but in special circumstances Centers may also be allocated at different institutions in Faizabad district.
 - b. Candidates are advised to fill up the Answer-OMR sheet carefully during Examination.
 - c. The Eligibility Test will be based on Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs) containing two question papers:

First Paper – The Paper will be of 100 marks comprising of 100 questions to assess general awareness, academic aptitude and subject proficiency. This paper will be of 2 hours duration.

Second Paper – The paper will be of 200 marks comprising of 200 questions to assess subject expertise, research aptitude & subject knowledge. This paper will be of 3 hours duration.

- d. There will not be any **negative marking**.
- e. The minimum qualifying marks for the test is 50 percent marks on the aggregate but minimum 40 percent marks required separately in each paper.
- f. A relaxation of 5 percent in qualifying marks (in the aggregate and in each paper as well) will be provided to the candidates belonging to the SC/ST/PH categories.
- g. The average percentage of marks will not be rounded off to the next higher integer.
- h. Black Ball Point Pen should be used for blackening the circles on the answer sheet.
- i. Correction fluid should not be used.
- j. Candidates are not permitted to carry in the examination Hall/Room paper, mobile phone or any other type of gadget for communication.
- k. Nothing should be written on the Question Booklet except Roll Number.
- l. The candidates should ensure that the answer sheet is not folded or damaged and there are no stray marks on the answer sheet.
- m. The candidate must bring his/her admit card in order to appear in CET-2018. If a candidate fails to bring the admit card he/she will not be allowed to appear in the CET-2018.
- n. The Duration of the Examination will be two hours for first paper and three hours for second paper.
- o. Based on the marks obtained in this entrance test, category wise merit list will be prepared and the category wise result of the successful candidates will be displayed on the website of the university.
- p. A category wise Merit Score Certificate will be issued and dispatched to the candidate by Speed/Registered Post and to his/her e-mail address, if provided.

13. Exemptions From The Entrance Test- The following categories of candidates shall be exempted from the CET for admission to Ph.D. program (as per Doctor of Philosophy Degree Ordinance-2013).

- a. Regular Teachers of the University, its constituent college or a college affiliated/associated to the University, who has completed their probation period successfully.
- b. International students (including NRIs)
- c. Candidates selected by the UGC/CSIR/ICAR or other central regulatory bodies for their fellowship.
- d. UGC/NET qualified.
- e. Candidates having GATE Score of not less than 75%.
- f. All the candidates desirous of seeking participation in Ph.D. admission process, whether exempted from CET-2018 or not, shall have to fill on-line application.
- g. Serving Army, Navy and Air force Officers on Colonel or equivalent rank with not less than 15 years of Service Applying for Ph.D. in Defense and Strategic Studies.

TABLE-A

Courses for PhD available in the residential campus departments	Courses for PhD available in the affiliated colleges
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Biochemistry2. Environmental Science3. Microbiology4. Physics & Electronics5. Electronics6. Mathematics & Statistics7. Economics & Rural Development8. History, Culture & Archaeology9. Business Management & Entrepreneurship	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Chemistry2. Mathematics3. Botany4. Zoology5. Psychology6. English7. Geography8. Urdu9. Economics10. Sociology11. Political Science12. Sanskrit13. Hindi14. Ancient History15. Medieval & Modern History16. Commerce17. Education18. Physics19. Military Science20. Philosophy21. Law

14. The available positions will be divided as per Reservation Policy of the State-Vertical & Horizontal-categories into unreserved, reserved for OBC, and reserved for SC/ST, and so classified for each Department. Numbers of seats for PhD programs in various subjects are tentative. Subject wise number of seats may vary at the time of counselling subjected to the availability of Supervisors in respective subjects.

Documents required at the time of Admission for PhD courses.

- High School Certificate (As age proof)
- High School Mark sheet
- Intermediate Mark sheet & Certificate

- under Graduate Mark sheet & Degree
- Post Graduate Mark sheet & Degree
- Caste Certificate (if applicable)
- UGC NET Certificate (if applicable)
- Fellowship certificate of UGC/CSIR/ICAR or other central regulatory Bodies. (If applicable)
- 'No Objection Certificate' from present employer, if employed
- Any other relevant certificate