

**Savitribai Phule Pune University**  
(Formerly University of Pune)



**Circular**

**Personal Interview for M.Phil./Ph.D. Admission 2017-18**

In continuation with the Notification No. PGS/2550 and PGS/2551 dated 24/07/2017, the University through this notification hereby issues following directions for the information and compliance by all eligible candidates for Personal interview. (Qualified in Entrance Test/ Candidates exempted from Entrance Examination for M. Phil./ Ph. D. Admission 2017-18).

As per provision of University Circular No. 14/2017 dated 09/01/2017, schedule of personal interview for M.Phil./Ph.D. Admission shall be declared shortly by all respective University Departments /Research Centres on their website.

**Instructions to the Candidates appearing for the interview:**

- Eligible candidates are required to discuss their research interest/area before a duly constituted Selection Committee.
- The following aspects shall be considered during the interview, namely:-
  1. Whether the candidate possesses the competence for the proposed research;
  2. Whether the research work can be suitably undertaken at the Institution/College;
  3. Whether the proposed area of research can contribute to new/additional knowledge.
- The candidate shall produce all the required documents in ORIGINAL as mentioned in Notification dated 24/07/2017 along with one set of photocopy, including online application for M.Phil./Ph.D. PET Entrance Examination 2017-18, at the time of personal interview. Further, following documents, as applicable should be produced :
  - Original Result of PET Entrance Examination 2017.
  - Photo copy of UGC-NET (Including JRF) / UGC-CSIR NET (Including JRF) /SET / GATE (valid score) Certificate.
  - Photo copy of M.Phil. Degree Certificate of SPPU.
- The candidates shall note the following:
  - a) They shall report at the centre One hour before scheduled time.
  - b) They have to appear before the panel on scheduled day and time only. In any circumstances, the late comers will not be allowed and there will not be any "out of turn" chance given to the late comers.
  - c) Candidates can appear for interview only once at the chosen research centre. Appearing for interview at multiple centres shall lead to disqualification of the candidate.
  - d) TA/DA will not be provided to the candidates for attending the interview.

All other directions of the above-referred notification remain unchanged."

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