JAGAT GURU NANAK DEV PUNJAB STATE OPEN UNIVERSITY, PATIALA

*(Established by the State Legislature Act No.19 of 2019)*

# Advertisement No.16/2023

Online applications are invited from eligible candidates for the Post of Assistant Professor-Chair, Bhagwan Sri Parshuram Ji in the Jagat Guru Nanak Dev Punjab State Open University, Patiala on Contractual Basis for 5 years or till the receipt of grant from the State Government, whichever is earlier as per details given below. Candidates must also fill the Score Card Proforma for Assistant Professor, which is an essential component of the online application form. Candidates are required to deposit the prescribed fees (**nonrefundable**) through online mode only using Credit Card/ Debit Card/Net banking. Application fees will be Rs. 1180/-(including GST) (Rs. 590/-(including GST) for SC/ST & PWD candidates). The SC/ST and PWD candidates who are not domicile of the State of Punjab shall have to pay the application fee of Rs. 1180/- (including GST). The application submitted through online mode **ONLY** shall be accepted. Candidates should appear for walk-in-interview along with hard copy of their online application forms.

**Important Dates**

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| Opening Date for on-line Registration of Applications | : | **17.08.2023** |
| Last Date for on-line Registration/Submission of Applications | : | **24.08.2023** |
| Walk in Interview | : | **25.08.2023** |

### Note:

1. The qualification required for the above said position and selection criteria shall adhere to the UGC Guidelines 2018, furthermore, a consolidated salary of Rs 57700/- per month will be provided for the duration of the appointment.
2. The selected candidate needs to join on the above said post with immediate effect.

## Walk-in-Interview Schedule

**Date: 25.08.2023**

## Reporting Time: 9:30 AM

**Venue: Committee Room, Admin Block, Jagat Guru Nanak Dev Punjab State Open University, Patiala (C-28, Lower Mall, Patiala).**

## Note:

* Candidates should attend the interview as per above mentioned schedule.
* While coming for Interview, candidates shall bring with them all the certificates, Degrees, DMCs, supporting documents for the marks claimed in Score Card, Punjab Domicile/Punjab Residence Certificate (In case of reserve category) and testimonials (in original).
* The candidate must bring 05 sets of hard copy application form and 01 complete set of self- attested testimonials.
* In case he/she is already in Government service and has not sent his/her application through proper channel, he/she will also bring with him/her a No Objection Certificate from his/her present employer.
* No additional paper/document which is not a part of the original application at the time of

submission of online application be presented before the Selection Committee.

* In the wake of COVID-19 pandemic, Candidates should follow the State Govt. instructions/ guidelines while attending the Walk-in-Interview.

# QUALIFICATIONS

**Assistant Professor**

## Eligibility (A or B)

**A**.

* 1. A Master's degree with 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point-scale wherever the grading system is followed) in a concerned/relevant/allied subject\*# from an Indian University, or an equivalent degree from an accredited foreign university.
  2. Besides fulfilling the above qualifications, the candidate must have cleared the National Eligibility Test (NET) conducted by the UGC or the CSIR, or a similar test accredited by the UGC, like SLET/SET or who are or have been awarded a Ph.D*.* Degree in accordance with the University Grants Commission (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of M.Phil./Ph.D. Degree) Regulations, 2009 or 2016 and their amendments from time to time as the case may be exempted from NET/SLET/SET :

*Provided*, the candidates registered for the Ph.D. programme prior to July 11, 2009, shall be governed by the provisions of the then existing Ordinances/Bye-laws/Regulations of the Institution awarding the degree and such Ph.D. candidates shall be exempted from the requirement of NET/SLET/SET for recruitment and appointment of Assistant Professor or equivalent positions in Universities subject to the fulfillment of the following conditions: -

* + 1. The Ph.D. degree of the candidate has been awarded in a regular mode;
    2. The Ph.D. thesis has been evaluated by at least two external examiners;
    3. An open Ph.D. viva voce of the candidate has been conducted;
    4. The Candidate has published two research papers from his/her Ph.D. work, out of which at least one is in a refereed journal;
    5. The candidate has presented at least two papers based on his/her Ph.D. work in conferences/seminars sponsored/funded/supported by the UGC / ICSSR/ CSIR or any similar agency.

*The fulfilment of these conditions is to be certified by the Registrar or the Dean (Academic Affairs) of the University concerned.*

**Note:** NET/SLET/SET shall also not be required for such Masters Programmes in disciplines for which NET/SLET/SET is not conducted by the UGC, CSIR or similar test accredited by the UGC, like SLET/SET.

#### B.

The Ph.D degree has been obtained from a foreign university/institution with a ranking among top 500 in the World University Ranking (at any time) by any one of the following: (i) Quacquarelli Symonds (QS) (ii) the Times Higher Education (THE) or (iii) the Academic Ranking of World Universities (ARWU) of the Shanghai Jiao Tong University (Shanghai).

**Note:**

1. \* History/ Religious Studies
2. # Candidate having knowledge of Sanskrit will be given preference
3. A minimum of 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point-scale, wherever the grading system is followed) at the Master's level shall be the essential qualification for direct recruitment of teachers and other equivalent cadres at any level.
4. A relaxation of 5% shall be allowed at the Bachelor’s as well as at the Master‘s level for the candidates belonging to Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe/Other Backward Classes (OBC)(Non-creamy Layer)/ Differently abled ((a) Blindness and low vision; (b) Deaf and Hard of Hearing; (c) Loco motor disability including cerebral palsy, leprosy cured, dwarfism, acid- attack victims and muscular dystrophy; (d) Autism, intellectual disability, specific learning disability and mental illness; (e) Multiple disabilities from amongst persons under (a) to (d)including deaf-blindness) for the purpose of eligibility and assessing good academic record for direct recruitment. The eligibility marks of 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever the grading system is followed) and the relaxation of 5% to the categories mentioned above are permissible, based only on the qualifying marks without including any grace mark procedure.
5. A relaxation of 5% shall be provided, (from 55% to 50% of the marks) to the Ph.D. Degree holders who have obtained their Masters Degree prior to19 September, 1991.
6. The time taken by candidates to acquire M.Phil. and/or Ph.D. Degree shall not be considered as teaching/research experience to be claimed for appointment to the teaching positions. Further the period of active service spent on pursuing Research Degree simultaneously with teaching assignment without taking any kind of leave, shall be counted as teaching experience for the purpose of direct recruitment.

***Guidelines: -***

1. Candidates are required to apply in the online mode only through Jagat Guru Nanak Dev Punjab State Open University, Patiala website [www.psou.ac.in. No](http://www.psou.ac.in.No/) other means / mode of application (through post, email, fax, deposit of CV etc.) will be accepted. Applicants are required to take printout of the Online Application Form. Affix the same passport size photograph (which was uploaded with the online form) on it and bring it with them while coming for walk-in-Interview along with self-attested copies of all the certificates of Educational/ Professional **QUALIFICATIONS (DEGREES AND DMC’S WITH CONVERSION FORMULA OF CGPA/OGPA), EXPERIENCE CERTIFICATE, RESERVE CATEGORY CERTIFICATE (Latest Reservation certificate issued by the competent authority as a proof of claiming the reserve category as made in the online application form), Punjab Domicile/Punjab Residence Certificate(In case of reserve category)** etc. Candidates must also bring with them Certificates of Educational Qualifications, Experience and Latest Reserve Category Certificate (In original) for verification. Candidates claiming Backward Class Category will have to bring with them latest valid BC certificate along with income certificate issued by the competent authority.
2. Copy of circular containing detailed instructions, qualifications, etc. for the posts, is available only at [http://www.psou.ac.in.](http://www.psou.ac.in./)
3. A Candidate needs to register only once by filling online application form.
4. Candidates must have a valid Email-ID of his own, which should be active throughout the recruitment process. Candidates should keep checking the Inbox or even the Spam box of his/her Email ID regularly during the recruitment process as the University may send any important intimations on the University Website and/or through Email. Candidates should also check the University website regarding any updates during the recruitment process.

Candidates should check their Email account for updates. JGND PSOU will not be responsible for any loss of Email sent, due to invalid/wrong Email Id provided by the candidates or for delay/ non receipt of information if a candidate fails to access his/her email/website in time. Candidates are requested in their own interest to remain in touch with the University website [www.psou.ac.in.](http://www.psou.ac.in/) Issuance of notifications in the newspaper is not obligatory on the part of the university

1. Candidates should take utmost care to furnish the correct details while filling in the online application. Any mistake committed by the candidates shall be his/her sole responsibility.
2. The candidates should ensure the completion of all the steps of the registration process and depositing of application fee by the stipulated date and time given in the advertisement.
3. Please scan your Photograph and Signatures individually and save them in the JPEG format. The size of any of these individual images should not exceed 150 KB (photograph) and 150 KB (signature) for online uploading.
4. Age criteria/relaxation thereof will be as per Punjab Government norms
5. Please keep the following details ready with you before clicking on the registration button for starting your online application:-
   1. Personal details including Date of Birth and Nationality
   2. Mobile Number
   3. Valid Email ID
   4. Reservation Category Details
   5. Percentage of your Educational Qualification starting from Matriculation examinations to onwards. (Please calculate percentage from CGPA/OGPA in advance).
   6. Soft Copies of scanned Photograph and Signatures.
6. Application fee once paid shall neither be refunded under any circumstances nor it shall be held reserve for any other recruitment or selection process in future.
7. Before applying for the post, candidates are advised to satisfy themselves about their eligibility.
8. Incomplete applications in any respect will not be entertained.
9. University reserves the right to fill or not to fill up the post.
10. Mere applying and satisfying the essential/ minimum qualification required for a post does not entitle the candidate any right of appointment.
11. The University shall verify the antecedents/documents submitted by the candidates at the time of appointment or any time during the tenure of the service. In case, it is detected that the documents submitted are fake or the candidate has a clandestine background and has suppressed the said information, his/her services shall be terminated forthwith.
12. Canvassing in any form will lead to cancellation of candidature.
13. Any dispute with regard to the selection/recruitment process will be subject to the courts/tribunals having Jurisdiction of Patiala.
14. For any enquiry regarding online application form, please email at [jobshelp@psou.ac.in](mailto:jobshelp@psou.ac.in) or call at 0175-5051138 between 9.00 A.M. to 5.00 P.M. in working days.
15. Candidates should attend the Walk-in-Interview as per the above mentioned schedule. No Separate call letters will be issued. No TA/DA will be paid for attending interview.

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### Patiala REGISTRAR

#### 16.08.2023