



**Department of Education  
University of Delhi**

**Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) Programme**

**PROSPECTUS – 2021**

## **Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) Programme in Education**

The Doctoral Programme in Education aims to develop an understanding of research, public policy and educational theory and practice, and the relationships among them. It begins with a study of specific courses followed by rigorous research leading to a dissertation.

The course work gives students the opportunity to study individualized courses that are tailored to suit their research interests. These could be a combination of courses designed within the Department of Education and those chosen from courses across disciplines offered by other departments of the University of Delhi, including courses on qualitative and quantitative research methods. The doctoral program is based on the premise that rigorous research will help develop a cadre of professionals who can develop specialised knowledge in areas of educational practice and public policy. The programme prepares students to assume roles as university faculty members, senior-level educational leaders, professional practitioners, policy makers, and researchers.

Prospective students should look into the research interests of the Department/Faculty, and discuss courses that can be offered in order to complete the application for admission.

### **Eligibility Conditions:**

The candidate must have obtained a Masters or an M.Phil. Degree in Education of the University of Delhi, or any other recognized University to be eligible for admission to the Ph.D. programme.

The candidate must have obtained either a minimum of 55% marks or an equivalent grade in the M.Phil. Degree or a minimum of 55% marks or an equivalent grade in the Masters degree in Education.

***Note: Rounding off of fraction is not allowed while computing the percentage of marks of eligibility.***

**Admission to the Ph.D. Programme is governed by the Amendments to Ordinances VI, VI-A and VI-B (M.Phil. and Ph.D.) dated August 9, 2017 of the University of Delhi.**

## **Total Number of Seats: 38 (Thirty-Eight)**

### **Reservation of Seats**

Reservation of seats for SC/ST/OBC/EWS/PWD candidates will be done as per Rules of University of Delhi.

In a year, foreign nationals may be registered over and above the maximum admissible strength provided they fulfil the eligibility criteria. However, at any given time, the total number of foreign students should not exceed 10% of the total admissible strength.

### **Seat Distribution in Ph.D**

<b>UR</b>	<b>SC</b>	<b>ST</b>	<b>OBC</b>	<b>EWS</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>PWD 5%</b>	<b>Foreign</b>
						<b>Supernumerary</b>	
15	6	3	10	4	<b>38</b>	<b>2</b>	As per university rule

### **Major Areas of Research offered by Department of Education for admissions in MPhil, Ph.D. programmes for the academic session 2021-22**

Academic Research Writing in Education; Adolescence Education; Art Education; Assessment in Education; Childhood and Adolescence Studies; Cognitive Psychology; Comparative and International Education; Computer Assisted Learning; Creativity in Education; Democratic Education; Curriculum Studies; Disability Studies; Diversity Pedagogy; Early Childhood Education; Economics of Education; Education for Democratic Citizenship; Education for Social Justice; Education of the Marginalised Communities; Educational Policy, Planning and Administration; Educational Technology; Educational Theory; Educational Studies; Environmental Education; Equality; Experimental Research in Education; Gender Issues and Concerns in Education; Gifted Education; Guidance, Counselling and Mental Health; History Education; History of Education; Higher Education; Inclusive Education; ICT in Education; ICT for Research in Education; ICTs in Teacher Education; Language and Literacy Education; Learning and Cognition; Mathematics Education;

Measurement and Evaluation; Philosophy of Education; Psychological Foundations of Education; Science Education; Science of Learning; Secondary Education; Social Science Education; Social Theory; Sociological Foundations of Education; Teacher Education; Youth, Education and Democracy.

### **Admission Procedure**

- All candidates seeking admission to the Ph.D. Programme are required to register online on [www.du.ac.in](http://www.du.ac.in)
- Applicants are required to upload their Research Area and a Research proposal while registering online. **Applications without Research Area and a Research proposal will be considered incomplete and will be rejected.**

In case a candidate wishes to apply to both the Ph.D. and the M.Phil. Programmes, there is no need to fill two separate registration forms for M.Phil and Ph.D. Such candidates should tick on the option *Both M.Phil and Ph.D* given in the registration form. Further, such candidates will have to make payment of only Rs. 750/ (concession for EWS/SC/ST/PwD categories remain applicable).

- For information about Faculty members willing to supervise scholars for this academic year and their area of research, please refer to Annexure A.
- Eligibility for appearing in the written examination/ interview is subject to the candidate fulfilling the minimum eligibility requirements as prescribed. In case a candidate does not meet these minimum eligibility criteria and appears in the written examination/interview, it is at the candidate's own risk and cost, and if at any stage, it is found that the minimum eligibility requirements are not fulfilled, the admission, if granted, shall be cancelled ipso facto.
- For the date of the Written Examination, please visit the Delhi University M.Phil./ Ph.D. admission portal at [www.du.ac.in](http://www.du.ac.in)
- The information related to Interview will be available on the M.Phil./Ph.D. admission portals <http://doe.du.ac.in> and [www.du.ac.in](http://www.du.ac.in)

**Note: The research proposal in Hindi should be typed in Unicode/Mangal, Font size 14 with line spacing 1.5. Research proposal in English should be typed in Times New Roman, font 12, line Spacing 1.5)**

## **Process for Selection of Candidates**

As per Bulletin of information of M.Phil./Ph.D. admission 2021, University of Delhi.

All candidates must fill in the online application form.

Candidates without a UGC NET in Education will have to first appear in an Entrance Test (DUET). Candidates who score minimum 50% of marks in the DUET, will then be called for one or two levels of interview for final recommendation for admission to the Programme..

Candidates with a UGC NET in Education do not have to appear for the written test (DUET). Such candidates will be directly called to appear for one or two levels of interview for final recommendation for admission to the Programme..

Candidates with a NET certificate in other subjects will have to take the DUET.

**The Syllabus for the Entrance Test will consist of 50% questions from Research Aptitude/Methodology and 50% subject-specific questions from the following areas:**

- Philosophy of Education
- Sociology of Education
- Psychology of Education
- History-Political Economy of Education
- Teacher Education
- Inclusive Education

**Note:** Admission to Ph.D. will be done according to the Amendments to Ordinances VI, VI-A and VI-B (M.Phil. and Ph.D.) dated August 9, 2017), University of Delhi.

- Please visit the websites of both Department of Education i.e. <http://doe.du.ac.in> and University of Delhi [www.du.ac.in](http://www.du.ac.in) regularly for up to date information.

## **Intimation regarding Admission**

- Results of the Written Examination will be notified on the M.Phil./Ph.D. admission portal of Delhi University website.
- Results of the interview will be notified on the M.Phil./Ph.D. admission portal of Department of Education website.
- Selected candidates are required to furnish the necessary documents at the time of admission.

### **Nodal Officer cum Convenor for Admission to M.Phil/PhD Programme:**

**Dr. Ashish Ranjan**

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## Annexure – A

### Tentative list of faculty members with Areas of Specialization for taking supervisorship under Ph.D. Programme – 2021

S.No.	Name	Email ID	Area of Specialization
1	Prof. Alka Behari	alka_behari@yahoo.co.in	1. Teacher Education 2. Science Education
2	Dr. Ananthula Raghu	<a href="mailto:raghu.education@gmail.com">raghu.education@gmail.com</a>	1. Teaching of Mathematics 2. Information Communications Technology (ICT) in Education
3	Dr. Ashish Ranjan	<a href="mailto:ashishofcie@yahoo.com">ashishofcie@yahoo.com</a>	1. Comparative & International Education 2. History/ Social Science Education
4	Dr. D. Parimala	<a href="mailto:dparimala_univ@yahoo.com">dparimala_univ@yahoo.com</a> , <a href="mailto:parimalaciedu@gmail.com">parimalaciedu@gmail.com</a>	1. Education in South Asia 2. Women's Education
5	Dr. Geeta Rai	<a href="mailto:dr.geetarai@gmail.com">dr.geetarai@gmail.com</a> <a href="mailto:geetaraicie@gmail.com">geetaraicie@gmail.com</a>	1. Multilingual Education, English Language Teaching (ELT) 2. Educational Psychology
6	Dr. Gyanender Kumar	<a href="mailto:gyanenderk78@gmail.com">gyanenderk78@gmail.com</a>	1. Psychology, Language 2. Indian Philosophy
7	Dr. M. Rajendran	<a href="mailto:rajendran78r@gmail.com">rajendran78r@gmail.com</a>	1. ICTs in Education 2. Teacher Education
8	Dr. Mahima Chhabra	<a href="mailto:mahima.chhabra@gmail.com">mahima.chhabra@gmail.com</a>	1. Science Education 2. Educational Psychology (Learning and Cognitive)
9	Dr. Meenakshi Ramuji Ingle	<a href="mailto:meenakshi.ingole21@gmail.com">meenakshi.ingole21@gmail.com</a>	1. Cognitive Psychology 2. Science Pedagogy
10	Prof. Neera Narang	<a href="mailto:nnarang2611@rediffmail.com">nnarang2611@rediffmail.com</a>	1. Language 2. Hindi Pedagogy
11	Prof. Pankaj Arora	<a href="mailto:pankajcie@yahoo.com">pankajcie@yahoo.com</a> , <a href="mailto:pankajcie@gmail.com">pankajcie@gmail.com</a>	1. Adolescence Education 2. Democratic Education
12	Dr. Pinkal Rajubhai Chaudhari	<a href="mailto:pinkal-chaudhari7986@gmail.com">pinkal-chaudhari7986@gmail.com</a>	1. Science Education 2. ICT
13	Dr. Preeti Vivek Mishra	<a href="mailto:preetimishraa@yahoo.com">preetimishraa@yahoo.com</a>	1. Educational Psychology 2. Mental Health
14	Dr. Rajendra Prasad	<a href="mailto:jareduggu@gmail.com">jareduggu@gmail.com</a>	1. Teacher Education 2. Inclusive Education and Disability Studies

15	Dr. Ram Niwas	<a href="mailto:prnce1977@gmail.com">prnce1977@gmail.com</a>	1. Social Science & History 2. Educational Psychology
16	Dr. Ritu Bala	<a href="mailto:rituaug@rediffmail.com">rituaug@rediffmail.com</a>	1. Equality 2. Gender
17	Dr. Sandeep Kumar	<a href="mailto:sandy1502@gmail.com">sandy1502@gmail.com</a>	1. Educational Psychology 2. Social Theory
18	Dr. Seema Sarohe	<a href="mailto:seema_sarohe@rediffmail.com">seema_sarohe@rediffmail.com</a>	1. Sociology of Education 2. Citizenship Education
19	Prof. Shobha Sinha	<a href="mailto:shobhasinha@outlook.com">shobhasinha@outlook.com</a>	1. Literacy 2. Language
20	Dr. Sunil Kumar	<a href="mailto:vermasunilskt@gmail.com">vermasunilskt@gmail.com</a>	1. Teacher Education 2. Mathematics Education & Inclusive Education.
21	Dr. Sunita Singh	<a href="mailto:nitivasudev@gmail.com">nitivasudev@gmail.com</a>	1. Philosophical Inquiry in Education 2. Gender Education in Society
22	Dr. Susmita Lakhyani	<a href="mailto:susmitalakhyani@gmail.com">susmitalakhyani@gmail.com</a>	1. Art Education
23	Dr. Sweta Gupta	<a href="mailto:sweta.gupta991@gmail.com">sweta.gupta991@gmail.com</a>	1. Educational Psychology 2. Economics of Education
24	Prof. Vandana Saxena	<a href="mailto:vsaxena69@gmail.com">vsaxena69@gmail.com</a>	1. Diversity Pedagogy 2. Science Education
25	Dr. Vikas Baniwal	<a href="mailto:vikas.cie@gmail.com">vikas.cie@gmail.com</a>	1. Philosophy of Education 2. Educational Psychology
26	Dr. Vinod Kumar Kanvaria	<a href="mailto:vinodpr111@gmail.com">vinodpr111@gmail.com</a>	1. Mathematics Education 2. Educational Technology
27	Dr. Yukti Sharma	<a href="mailto:ygosain@gmail.com">ygosain@gmail.com</a>	1. Inclusion 2. Science Education

### **Tentative list of faculty members from Affiliated Colleges, University of Delhi**

<b>S.No.</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Email</b>	<b>Area of Specialization</b>
1.	Dr. A.R. Sitalakshmi Dept of Elementary Education, Miranda House, North Campus, University of Delhi, Delhi-7	<a href="mailto:a.r.sitalakshmi@mirandahouse.ac.in">a.r.sitalakshmi@mirandahouse.ac.in</a> ; <a href="mailto:ars.lakshmi@gmail.com">ars.lakshmi@gmail.com</a>	1. Science Education 2. Teacher Education
2	Dr Abhilasha Bajaj, Aditi Mahavidyalaya, Bawana, Delhi 110039	<a href="mailto:abhilasha_du2012@yahoo.in">abhilasha_du2012@yahoo.in</a>	1. Language Education
3.	Dr. Deepa Idnani Shyama Prasad Mukherji College for Women, Road No.57, Punjabi Bagh, New Delhi- 110026	<a href="mailto:deepaid2000@gmail.com">deepaid2000@gmail.com</a>	1. Comparative and International Education 2. Social Science, Teacher Education, Higher Education



4.	Dr. Jonaki B. Ghosh Lady Shri Ram College for Women, University of Delhi	jonakibghosh@gmail.com	1. Mathematics Education 2. Use of Technology in Mathematics Teaching and Learning
5.	Dr. Jyoti Dalal, Institute of Home Economics, University of Delhi	jyoti.ihe@gmail.com	1. Childhood, Children's Identities and Schooling 2. Ethnography of Schools
6.	Dr. Jyoti Kohli M.V. College of Education, University of Delhi, Geeta Colony, Delhi-110031	jyotikohli.elt@gmail.com	1. English Language Teaching 2. Teacher Education
7.	Dr. Jyoti Sharma, Cluster Innovation Centre (CIC), University of Delhi	jyotisharmacic@gmail.com	1. Mathematics Education 2. Education of Gifted Students
8.	Dr. Mamta Singhal Institute of Home Economics, University of Delhi	mamta.ihe@gmail.com	1. Nature of Science 2. Pedagogy of Science
9.	Dr. Mani Bhasin Kalra, Lady Irwin College, Sikandra Road, New Delhi-110001	manibkalra@yahoo.com	1. Teacher Education 2. Elementary Education
10.	Prof. Manisha Wadhwa nee Dabas Aditi Mahavidyalaya, Bawana, Delhi 110039	manisha.edu@gmail.com	1. Science and Environment Education 2. Elementary Education
11.	Dr. Monica Gupta Departmental of Elementary Education, Gargi College	monicag21@rediffmail.com	1. Development Psychology 2. Integral Education and Psychology
12.	Dr. Neelam Mehta Bali M.V.College of Education,University of Delhi, Geeta Colony, Delhi-110031	neelam.phil@yahoo.co.in	1. Philosophy of Education 2. Teacher Education
13.	Dr. Neelima Asthana Lady Irwin College, Sikandra Road, New Delhi-110001	neelima.asthana@gmail.com	1. Inclusive education 2. Teacher education
14.	Dr. Nidhi Gulati Institute of Home Economics University of Delhi F-4, Hauz Khas Enclave Near Hauz Khas Metro Station New Delhi-110016	nidhi.a.gulati@gmail.com	1. Childhood Studies 2. Culture Studies and Education 3. Development Psychology
15.	Dr. P. K. Sharma Maharshi Valmiki College Of Education (MVCE)(University Of Delhi), Geeta Colony, Delhi-110031	pksedu@yahoo.com	1. Foundation of Education 2. Mathematics Education

16.	Dr. Radhika Menon Mata Sundri College for Women (University of Delhi), Mata Sundri Lane, Near Rouse Avenue, New Delhi-110002	radhikamenon1@gmail.com	1. Class, Caste, Gender and Urban Education 2. Education, State, Market and Society
17.	Dr. Raghvendra Prapanna Maharshi Valmiki College Of Education (MVCE)(University Of Delhi), Geeta Colony, Delhi-110031	r.parapanna@gmail.com	1. Gender and Education 2. Sociology of Education
18.	Dr. Ramjee Dubey Maharshi Valmiki College Of Education (MVCE)(University Of Delhi), Geeta Colony, Delhi-110031	ramjee.dubeydr@gmail.com	1. Value Education 2. Peace Education
19.	Dr. Renu Malaviya Deptt. Of Education, Lady Irwin College, Sikandra Road, New Delhi-110001	malaviyadelhi@gmail.com	1. Inclusive and Special Education 2. Adolescence
20.	Dr. Ruchira Das Institute of Home Economics University of Delhi F-4, Hauz Khas Enclave Near Hauz Khas Metro Station New Delhi-110016	ruchira79@gmail.com	1. Marginal Identities and Schooling 2. City, Migrant Social Groups and Education
21.	Dr. Satveer S. Barwal, M.V.College of Education, Geeta Colony, Delhi-31	satveerb@yahoo.com	1. History and Social Science Education 2. Educational Planning and Policies, Social Historical Perspectives
22.	Dr Suneeta Mishra, Institute of Home Economics University of Delhi F-4, Hauz Khas Enclave Near Hauz Khas Metro Station New Delhi-110016	suneeta.mishra@ihe.du.ac.in	1. Language Education
23.	Dr. Vandana Gupta M.V.College of Education, Geeta Colony, Delhi-31	leovandana@gmail.com	1. Science Education 2. Gender, School and Society

\* Some more faculty members from different colleges of the University of Delhi may also be included as per their fulfillment of eligibility conditions for supervisorship and the needs of scholar's specialization.