



Assam down town University

Gandhinagar, Panikhaiti, Guwahati-26

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PhD Admission July-August 2021

Assam down town University (AdtU) is one of the leading Universities of North East India, offering students a unique amalgamation of academic and research excellence. AdtU has coupled the experience of eminent academicians, highly motivated teachers and top industry leaders to foster a worldly approach towards life and its challenges among the students. Being one of the largest educational groups in Assam, AdtU has more than 7500 students and over 300 faculty members. Set up on an 80-acre land, the sophisticated laboratories and up-to-date research facilities of the University have been built to support and encourage extensive research activities.

Applications invited for full-time and part-time PhD programmes under the following Faculty of Study: Apply now!

- Faculty of Science
- Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences
- Faculty of Paramedical Science
- Faculty of Engineering & Technology
- Faculty of Commerce & Management
- Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

AdtU PhD Programme July-August 2021 Batch - Important Dates

- Date of notification: **15th July, 2021**
- Date of opening of link for application for AdtU-RET: **19th July, 2021**
- Last date of receiving application for AdtU-RET : **14th August, 2021**
- Date of Online Examination : **22nd August, 2021**
- Last date of submission of concept note on their research interest / area along with PPT: **23rd August 2021**
- Interview/ Presentation (online mode) : **26th, 27th & 28th August 2021**
- Announcement of List of Selected Candidate: **15th September, 2021**
- Last date of Admission to PhD programme: **30th September, 2021**
- Classes for PhD Course Work: October 2021 to March 2022

Details of PhD seat Vacancy & Area of Research

Faculty of Study	Disciplines/Departments	Vacancy
Pharmaceutical Science (Total Vacancy 13)	Pharmaceutical Science	13
Engineering & Technology (Total Vacancy 6)	Civil Engineering	5
	Computer Science and Engineering	1
Science (Total Vacancy 62)	Biotechnology	8
	Microbiology	11
	Biochemistry	6
	Botany	14
	Zoology	4
	FND	1
	Mathematics	7
	Statistics	1
	Physics	2
Chemistry	8	
Paramedical Sciences (Total Vacancy 17)	Physiotherapy / Operation Theatre/ Emergency and Critical Care/ Trauma Emergency and Disaster Management/Dialysis	11
	Optometry	1
	Medical Laboratory Technology	2
	Radiology and Imaging Technology	3
Commerce & Management (Total Vacancy 8)	Management	6
	Hospitality and Tourism Management	2
Humanities and Social Sciences (Total Vacancy 14)	Sociology	5
	Psychology	4
	Social Work	3
	English	2

*If students want to carry out multidisciplinary research despite of his /her enrolment in one of the faculties, she / he will be able to propose the multidisciplinary research proposal write up including more than one faculty and can apply for admission to PhD Program of a particular faculty.

Eligibility Criteria:

- a) Candidates for admission to the PhD programme shall have a Master's degree from a recognized university or a professional degree declared equivalent to the Master's degree by the corresponding statutory regulatory body, with at least 55% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade 'B' in the UGC 7-point scale (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) or an equivalent degree 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 for the purpose of assessing, accrediting or assuring quality and standards of educational institutions.
- b) A relaxation of 5% of marks, from 55% to 50%, or an equivalent relaxation of grade, may be allowed for those belonging to SC/ST/OBC (non-creamy layer)/differently able and other categories of candidates as per the direction of the UGC received by AdtU time to time, or for those who had obtained their Master's degree prior to 19thSeptember, 1991. The eligibility marks of 55% (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) and the relaxation of 5% to the categories mentioned above are permissible based only on the qualifying marks without including the grace mark procedures.

AdtU-RET:

- 1. The AdtU-RET examination has the following two components: (a) Written test [60 marks] (b) Interview/Personal interaction [40 marks]
- 2. The combined pass mark for the two components, i.e., written test and personal interaction together are fifty (50) out of the total marks of one hundred (100).

WRITTEN TEST

Components of PhD –RET (Written Examination) & Mark distribution

Sl. No	Name of the subcomponents	Marks
(i)	Subject Specific Questions	Twenty (20)
(ii)	Basics of Computer	Forty (40)
(iii)	Basics of English Language	
(iv)	Basics of Research Methodology	

Exemption from Entrance test:

The candidates who have qualified UGC/CSIR-NET/(JRF) including SLET/SET or passed M.Phil. Degrees (through regular mode only) in the concerned subject are exempted from the written examination of AdtU-RET. However, they shall have to appear in counseling for getting admission into the programme.

INTERVIEW/PERSONAL INTERACTION

All the applicants need to submit a concept note on their research interest / area (2-3 pages) to phd@adtu. Candidates are required to present and discuss their research interest / area before the selection panel. Candidates are advised to prepare Three (03) minute presentation (03 slides) for this purpose.

Application Fees: Rs. 1000/- (non-refundable)

Note:

1. After online submission of AdtU-PhD RET application, send the scan copy of following documents in a **single pdf file** to Ph.D Cell Coordinator
 - Acknowledgement of online submission of application for AdtU-RET
 - All testimonials (All Marksheet and pass certificates) in single pdf
 - Certificate of qualification/grade card of UGC/CSIR-NET/(JRF) including SLET/SET, M.Phil
 - Certificate of qualification / score card GPAT/GATE/MAT/CAT if any
2. Merit list will be declared considering the performance of written (online) examination and PhD interview/interaction altogether.
3. Admission will be subject to merit and as per the availability of seats.
4. Selected candidate need to take admission within the stipulated time after verification of original documents and submission of NOC from employer.

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