Instructions for the Candidates

1. Those candidates who have qualified the Panjab University Ph.D. Entrance Test 2026 (declared on 20.11.2026), (for admission to the Ph.D. program in Management at the University Business School, Panjab University, Chandigarh) are advised to download the application form from UBS website link as under, for admission to Ph.D. programme for the academic session 2026-2027 and fill the details in Google form as well.

   https://ubs.puchd.ac.in/show-noticeboard.php?nbid=4

2. All candidates are required to submit the hard copy of duly filled application form with annexure(s) (wherever required) **via by post or by hand** in the UBS office latest by **02.12.2026 (4:00 P.M.).**

   (Note: The form will not be entertained after due date).

3. Ensure that you have filled the Google form in advance before submitting the hardcopy of application of Ph.D. form Annexure I:

   https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1vpu6zeog4vXOjxoemscY7-KRnmypsi8my93_c9izRFo/edit

4. Candidates are required to go through the Panjab University Ph.D. Guidelines 2023 (effective from 01.06.2023) on the following link.

   Ph.D./M.Phil. Guidelines and Notifications
   https://rdc.puchd.ac.in/show-noticeboard.php?nbid=30

5. Reservation of seats of SC/ST/BC/PWD candidates would be done as per guidelines given in 5.2.3 (b) of PU letter No. ST. 4313-4512 dated 01.06.2023.

Sd-

Chairperson -UBS

(Note: This form is only for PU Entrance test 2026 qualified candidates).

Annexure-I

UNIVERSITY BUSINESS SCHOOL
(FACULTY OF BUSINESS MANAGEMENT AND COMMERCE)
PANJAB UNIVERSITY CHANDIGARH

APPLICATION FORM FOR PH.D PROGRAMME 2026-2027

(Fill in capital letters only)

For Office Use Only	
Sr. No.	
Date	
Signature of Dealing official of UBS	

Applicant To Affix his/her Recent Passport Size Photograph

A. General Information:

Name													
D.O.B			**Gender (M/F/TG):**										
Father's Name													
Mother's Name													
Category			**Aadhaar No:**										
Indian/Foreign			**Annual Income:**										
Permanent Address													
	State / Union Territory												
	Pin Code :												
Telephone / Mobile No.	+	9	1										
E-Mail ID													

B. Academic Qualification(s)*:

MARKS (*In case of CGPI attach proof of formula for conversion*)	**Marks Obtained**	**Max. Marks**	**Percentage**	**Year of Passing**	**University**
Matriculation					
Bachelor's Degree					
Master Degree					

(*Attach self-attested photocopies)

	SCHOLARSHIP	FELLOWSHIP
Details of Scholarship/ Fellowship		
Qualifying Test(✓) Passed PU Ph.D. Entrance Test (Business Management & Commerce)	**Date of Declaration of Result of Qualifying Test** (Attach photocopy)	
Whether Completed M. Phil. *(Attached Self attested photocopy of M.Phil.)*	**Yes**	**No**
Specialization in which admission is sought (Please✓ only one)	○ Accounting & Finance, {UBS, GGDSD College Sector-32 Chandigarh, PURC Ludhiana} ○ Human Resources {UBS, USOL & Deptt. Evening Studies} ○ Business Economics/ Operations/ Information Systems {UBS }	○ Marketing {UBS, GGDSD College Sector-32 Chandigarh, PURC Ludhiana} ○ Strategic Management {UBS}

C. Any Other National Fellow (attach relevant proof).

1. Application would be rejected, if more than one specialization is ticked/indicated.
2. Applicant(s) called for Interview/Interaction should bring a written Research Proposal.

Declaration: The above information is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. Nothing has been concealed therein, and I shall be responsible for any false statement.

Date: _____ **Signature of Applicant**

Dealing Official **O.S. (UBS)** **Chairperson-UBS**

CHECK LIST IN ORDER:

1. Self-Attested Copy of Matriculation Certificate with DMC.
2. Self-Attested Copy of Bachelor's Degree with DMC's.
3. Self-Attested Copy of Master Degree with DMC's.
4. Self-Attested Copy of Migration Certificate (if student belongs to Other University) & Original Submit at the time of Admission Counseling.
5. Self-Attested Copy of Category Certificate.
6. Self-Attested Coloured Copy of NET/JRF/SLET ETC.
7. Self-Attested Copy of M.Phil.
8. Self-Attested Copy of Aadhaar Card.

Note: In case of CPI, CGPA or any attach proof of formula for conversion to percentage.

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PANJAB UNIVERSITY
CHANDIGARH

Instructions for Applicants to Ph.D Program 2026-2027.

- Students who have qualified the Ph.D. Entrance Test 2026 conducted by PU are required to fill the attached application form without any fee. The application form can be submitted to the **Office of University Business School, Panjab University, Chandigarh** from **21.11.2026 to 02.12.2026** by **4:00 P.M.**
- Applicant(s) called for Interaction / Interview should bring a written Research Proposal.

Eligibility criteria for admission to the Ph.D. Programme given at Point 3 on following link given below: Ph.D./M.Phil. Guidelines and Notifications
https://rdc.puchd.ac.in/show-noticeboard.php?nbid=30

1. Syndicate dated 25.03.2023 vide (Para 29), the following categories of candidates shall be eligible for enrolment/admission for Ph.D., if otherwise eligible:

Panjab University shall admit Ph.D. scholars through Entrance Test conducted at the level of the University.

i. However, exemption from the entrance test will be given to those who have already cleared any of the National Test for the eligibility of lectureship like UGC/CSIR (NET) including JRF, GATE, CEED, GPAT, ICMR, ICAR or any other prestigious test for National level scholarship/fellowship conducted by Govt. of India.
ii. Direct awardees of National/International fellowship for pursuing Ph.D. and working regular teachers of Panjab University are exempted from the entrance test. In case of Science and Engineering Departments / Institutes (because of the cost of the laboratory work) it will be the decision of the Academic Committee of the Department to decide whether the candidates who have cleared SLET/ Ph.D. entrance test without fellowship be admitted to Ph.D. Programme or not.
iii. The GATE/GPAT or any other national level test meant for admission to Ph.D. be considered as per validity of score card.
iv. Ph.D. Entrance Test of Panjab University for admission to Ph.D. shall be valid for 3 years.
v. International/Foreign Students who are being sponsored by the government body such as the ICCR or MHRD or a government agency of their own country, will be given direct admission to Ph.D. subject to the approval of the concerned Department or centre.
vi. International/Foreign students who have been studying in India and are present in India at the time of the Ph.D. CET, will have to sit for the test and clear it in order to be considered for enrolment.

2. Guidelines issued by the RDC vide letter No. 4313-4512 dated 01st June 2023 (available on PU website), may be carefully read by the Applicant(s).

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Chairperson (UBS)