

RAMAKRISHNA MISSION SIKSHANAMANDIRA

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Guidelines on Viva-voce for admission to Ph.D. Programme–2021

All the candidates are instructed to read the followings carefully

1. All eligible candidates (as per published list of Viva-voce) for Ph. D. programme-2021 are required to appear for online Viva-voce in front of the Viva-voce Board.

The online Viva-voce will be organized by Ramakrishna Mission Sikshanamandira in **Zoom Cloud platform** as per the schedule displayed on the Ramakrishna Mission Sikshanamandira website (www.rkmsm.org). The **Zoom Cloud platform** invitation link for the Viva-voce session will be provided in advance on the day of Viva-voce by the college authority.

2. The candidates must ensure proper internet connectivity during the period of their Viva-voce. The online Viva-voce will be based on subject knowledge, research aptitude and a general understanding of the topic in which candidates are desirous of pursuing research.

3. **The hard and soft copy of the abstract must be kept with the candidate during Viva-voce.**

4. The candidates are expected to report between **10:30 AM-10.45 A.M. (for 1st session)** and **1.00 PM-1.15 PM (for 2nd session)** on the day of the Viva-voce over the **Zoom Cloud platform**.

5. The candidates are requested to keep their **photo identity-card** (preferably the one the candidate used while filling the application form) with them. Further, the candidates must adhere to the following conditions:

A) **Sign in** should be done in the Zoom meeting through your **registered email-id** which has been submitted in the application form.

B) In Your Zoom profile, **set the photo** which has been used in the filling up of application form.

C) In the **Display Name of your Zoom Profile**, write the **application form no.** at the first section and **full name** at the second section.

D) **The video must be on** during the Viva-voce and the seat position must be so selected that there is no light behind the candidate and the face is well lit and clearly visible to the Viva-voce panel. The candidates are advised to please be mindful of their background during viva voce.

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E) **Keep a blue/black marker/sketch pen and A4 sheets ready** to be able to draw/write during the Viva-voce.

F) The candidates are advised to **test their device** (smartphone/tablet/laptop/desktop) and **internet connection in advance**.

G) **No PPT is required for presentation**. However, during the presentation of proposal, the soft copy of the abstract submitted by the candidates will be screen shared by the college authority during Viva-voce. The candidates are advised to make themselves well versed with **Zoom Cloud platform** for presentation and Viva-voce.

H) Please note that the candidates **may have to wait for his Viva-voce for extended hours** or may have to appear (due to any unavoidable circumstance) on next day as per the instructions provided by the college authority.

(Note: The College authority may contact the candidates immediately using WhatsApp group created for Ph.D. admission in case of any technical difficulty/glitch during the Viva-voce.)

6. The list of selected candidates will be displayed on the Ramakrishna Mission Sikshanamandira website (www.rkmsm.org) after the approval of the competent authority.

7. Decision of the Ph.D. Research Advisory Committee (duly approved by the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor) is final under all circumstances.

8. Seats may remain vacant if eligible candidates are not found even after admission procedure is over.

Date: 09/04/2021

Sd/-

Swami (Dr.) Divyagunananda

Principal

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Dr. Abhijit Guha

Convenor

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