

PU-ISSER, PANJAB UNIVERSITY, CHANDIGARH

Panjab University-Institute of Social Sciences Education and Research

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APPLICATION FOR THE POST OF GUEST FACULTY

Applications are invited from eligible candidates for the post of **One Guest Faculty** to teach the subject of **History** (Modern History) at the Institute of Social Sciences Education and Research, Panjab University (PU-ISSER), Chandigarh, for the Academic Session 2026-27.

Essential Educational Qualifications

Eligibility (A or B):

A.

i) A Master's degree with 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point-scale wherever the grading system is followed) in History from an Indian University, or an equivalent degree from an accredited foreign university.

ii) 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, 2018 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/Colleges/Institutions subject to the fulfilment of the following conditions:-

a) The Ph.D. degree of the candidate has been awarded in a regular mode;

- b) The Ph.D. thesis has been evaluated by at least two external examiners;
- c) An open Ph.D. viva voce of the candidate has been conducted;
- d) The Candidate has published two research papers from his/her Ph.D. work, out of which at least one is in a refereed journal;
- e) 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.

OR

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:

The Academic score as specified in Appendix II (Table 3A) for Universities shall be considered for short-listing of the candidates for interview only, and the selections shall be based only on the performance in the interview.

Note-2:

I. 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/Differently-abled ((a) Blindness and low vision; (b) Deaf and Hard of Hearing; (c) Locomotor 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.

II. A relaxation of 5% shall be provided, (from 55% to 50% of the marks) to the Ph.D. Degree holders who have obtained their Master's Degree prior to 19 September, 1991.

III. A relevant grade which is regarded as equivalent of 55%, wherever the grading system is followed by a recognized university, at the Master's level shall also be considered valid.

(The applicants are required to submit self attested copies of the required certificates along with applications and bring original certificates for verification on the day of interview)

Desirable Qualifications

- (i) Specialization in Modern Indian History
- (ii) Certificate/Diploma Course in Archives and Records Management
- (iii) Certificate/Diploma Course in Museology/Conservation

Selection Process

Eligible and shortlisted candidates will be called for an interview in the office of the Coordinator, PU-ISSER, Guru Tegh Bahadur Bhawan, Panjab University, Chandigarh.

Last Date To Apply

Applications to be submitted latest by **10 July, 2026** upto **4:00 p.m.** in the office of PU-ISSER, Guru Tegh Bahadur Bhawan, Panjab University, Chandigarh.

Interview

The interview of the shortlisted candidates for the post of **One Guest Faculty in History (Modern History)** will be held on **13 July, 2026** at 11.00 a.m. in the office of the Coordinator, PU-ISSER, Guru Tegh Bahadur Bhawan, Panjab University, Chandigarh. Candidates are required to report at 9:30 am sharp at Office of PU-ISSER prior to the interview, for document verification.

Honorarium and Work Details

The above assignment is on lecture basis with a token honorarium of Rs. 1500/- per lecture with an upper limit of Rs. 50,000/- per month. The candidate shall have to give undertaking that he/she will not draw any fellowship/stipend or any financial assistance from any agency/organisation during the period of teaching assignment at PU-ISSER.

- Working hours for the appointee will be **9:00 am to 5:00 pm.**
- No TA/DA shall be paid for appearing for the interview.
- Applicants are advised to visit the Notice Board of the department website: <https://isser.puchd.ac.in> for further updates.
- The application form for the post of Guest Faculty (Assistant Professor) is available at website <http://jobs.puchd.ac.in/forms.php>.

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(Coordinator, PU-ISSER)