Instructions for filling Online Application Form

[These pages may be printed for your own convenience and easy reference]

General Instructions:

- 1. Before applying online, candidates are advised to download the Admission Notification for Ph.D. Admission (Session Spring 2018) and read it carefully.
- 3. Please ensure that all information provided is correct and accurate. Admission on false information and certificate will be ipso facto null and void and also punishable under the various provision of Indian Penal Code.
- 4. After filling the complete form, you will be prompted to "Save for Later" before you click on the "Generate Application Number" button. Candidates will have the option to save the form to a maximum of only three times. Please ensure that all fields are correctly filled in before you finally click on the "Final Application Submission" button. Take a printout of application form by clicking on "Print Application" button. Note: Once you click on the "Final Application Submission" button, the Form is set to read only. You may however return to the form to view or print it again.
- 5. Candidates who seek admission under any reservation category:
 - a) All candidates belonging to the SC and ST categories must obtain caste certificates which should be in proper format, and should be signed by appropriate authority of rank not less than SDO. They must enclose photocopy of the same. (Note: The final reservation proportion will depend on notification, if any, issued by competent authority and as accepted by the Institute).
 - b) Candidates belonging to Persons with Disability [PwD] category must provide photocopy of certificate in proper format from appropriate authority.

Specific Instructions:

6. While filling the form please note the following:

On opening the webpage by clicking the link ["Click here to Apply Online" (under the relevant programme heading)]. A login page will be opened where you will see 2 options:

- <u>New user register here</u> (If you have not yet registered before and you are accessing this for first time)
- Or, in case you have already registered and created a profile using a 'username' and a 'password', re-enter the same in the box and click on 'Login'. All the previous information that you have saved during registration will be available to you on the screen.

After clicking on the 'Login' a new page will appear where you have to click on the "Add Application" button to proceed for the registration.

- a) For first time users: you will be prompted to enter the following details on a new screen that will appear. Follow the instructions & fill correctly using instructions given below ['b' to 'j']:
- b) **Programme Applying for:** Select appropriate programme from the prompt
- c) Name: Type your name as printed on your Class 10 certificate
- d) **Date of Birth:** Select the appropriate date, month and year in the given boxes, as appears on your Class 10 pass certificate.
- e) Gender: Click on the appropriate radio button
- f) Father's Name, Mother's Name: Type names in the following format: First Name, Middle Name(s) and Surname. If space is insufficient, use initials for middle name(s). Do not use any titles, such as, Mr. / Mrs. / Sri / Smt. etc.
- g) State of Eligibility: Please select appropriate state (from the dropdown box) from where you have passed / are appearing for qualifying examination [i.e. state in which your Institute /

- University / College is located where you have completed / are completing postgraduation (qualifying examination)]
- h) Category / Caste: Click on the appropriate radio button.
- i) Other Category (PwD): If you are a Person with Disability, please select "Yes".
- j) Email ID: Type your and your parents Email ID currently using. Prospective candidates must maintain a valid & unique email account throughout the selection process.
- k) Enter any chosen 'username' [atleast one special character] and 'password' in the appropriate boxes and Click on 'Register' button.

[At this stage, basic details filled by you will be saved for future. You may view your details and proceed further or stop for now and come back later at a different time/ sitting as well by using the same 'username' and 'password']

- I) Select Full-Time Self financed / Sponsored or Part-Time Self Financed / Sponsored from the drop down box.
- m) Department of Interest: Select the Department of interest from the prompt. Please use separate application forms to apply for two or more Departments. However, information of the same additional department (s) must be provided in each application form. Each application form must be complete in all respects and sent in a separate envelope along with all required enclosures as above. Candidates may apply for the Ph.D. programme in a maximum of three Departments.
- n) Choice of Campus: Select Centre of Place for Study from the prompt, where seat is available in the Department applying for.
- o) Educational Record: Calculate as mentioned under eligibility criteria (Please keep photocopies of your marksheets and pass certificates of Class X, Class XII, Graduation and Postgraduation/equivalent exam in hand for reference).
- p) Please fill name of Board / University for Class 10, Class 12, Graduation and Postgraduation / equivalent exam and 'Year of Passing' referring to the photocopies of the aforesaid marksheets/ pass certificates.
- q) Please fill name of the Postgraduation/equivalent exam referring to the photocopies of the aforesaid marksheets/ pass certificates
- r) Indicate percentage of total marks secured for Class 10, Class 12, Graduation and Postgraduation / equivalent exam in appropriate box.
- s) If you have cleared all the subjects in the said examinations in the first attempt- fill 1. If you have had to clear one or more subjects later [back papers etc.] fill 2 or 3 etc counting the total number of attempts you had to make to clear the subjects and receive pass certificate.
- t) Write all the subjects that you passed in Class 10, Class 12, Graduation and Postgraduation / equivalent exam in the appropriate box: e.g. Phys, Math, Stat, Eng, Eco, B.E., M.E., M.Tech etc
- u) UGC-JRF / CSIR-NET / Any other national level test for pursuing Ph.D.: Enter validity of examination, Roll No, Score / Percentile and discipline papers
- v) Institute / University Details: Please fill the details [name of college, address, telephone number] referring to relevant papers of your own college. You should note these down in a piece of paper beforehand.
- w) Qualification: Type M.E. / M.Tech / M.Sc./ M.Pharm. or as the case may be [qualifying examination]
- x) Professional Work Experience: Type name of Employer, Post Held, Duration and work description in appropriate fields.
- y) Address for Communication: Click on Edit Address. Type full address including your full name, PIN code in the appropriate boxes.

- z) **Permanent Address:** Click on Edit Address. Type full address including your full name, PIN code in the appropriate boxes.
- aa) **Contact Number:** Provide your Mobile number and Telephone number with STD code in the appropriate boxes.
- bb) Please ensure that you have chosen the option either 'Yes" or 'No' regarding RTI provisions in the Online application.
- cc) **Photograph of the candidate:** Upload your recent colour passport size photograph (the size of photograph should not be exceed by 5kb)

At this stage, you will see 2 different buttons: 'Save for Later' and 'Generate Application No.'. If you have fully completed: click on 'Generate Application Number'. If you have not completed filling everything click on 'Save for Later'. You will be able to enter once again only using your 'username' and 'password' to complete all the required details.

- dd) Payment Details: After generation of 'Application Number' click on the link State Bank Collect for payment towards application fee as mention in the admission notification.
- ee) A new page/ screen will appear. Read the instructions on the screen carefully [candidate may use the net banking or debit / credit card payment through any nationalized bank].
 - On clicking the link "State Bank Collect" a disclaimer clause page will appear, where candidate has to click on check box to proceed for the payment.
 - New page will appear where candidate need to select "Application Fee" from the drop down box.
 - Type / select the following details:
 Name, Programme, Session, Date of Birth, Mobile Number, Caste/Category, Application
 Number, Candidate Address and Application form fee etc. (while filling form, please do not use special character e.g. % # @ & ^ * etc. including brackets and commas).
 - Take a print out of the payment receipt that is generated after successful payment transaction.
 - Please enter the Transaction ID / Reference No. (starting with DU......) same as provided on the payment receipt.
 - After entering <u>Transaction ID / Reference No.</u> click on the "Final Application Submission" button to complete the online application process.
 - (a) The original copy of the payment receipt should be attached along with printout of online application form.
 - (b) Bank charges are extra and will be payable by the candidate only. Fee once remitted shall not be refunded under any circumstances.

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ff) **Declaration and Undertakings:** After filling the above details, your online form filling is complete. You and your legal guardian / parent are required to sign the declarations and undertaking on the last page of the printed form.

Note:

The Admissions Office / concerned Departments may not undertake detailed scrutiny of applications before Test / Interviews, and all shortlisted applicants called for Test / Interviews, except those whose applications are summarily rejected, are allowed to appear at the Test / Interviews on purely provisional basis, subject to their eligibility being verified at the time of Test / interviews. Merely being allowed to appear at the Test / Interviews will not be considered as a ground for being eligible for admission to the Ph.D. programme. Further, mere submission of application form does not entitle a candidate to appear for the Test / Interviews.