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### **NOTIFICATION – PG ADMISSIONS – GU-ART 2021-22 – ROUND IV**

Goa University Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART) Round-I, II & III, for admission to various Post Graduation Degree Programmes at Goa University and its Affiliated Colleges offering Post Graduation Programmes for the academic year 2021-22 was held in January, July & August 2021 respectively.

The University has decided to invite applications for admission to following PG Programmes where seats are vacant:

#### **ROUND-IV**

- 1. M.A. International Relations**
- 2. M.A. Hindi**
- 3. M.A. Women's Studies**
- 4. Master of Commerce**
- 5. MSc. Environment Science**

Applications will be accepted through the online mode only till **31<sup>st</sup> August 2021.**

**Candidates who have already answered GU-ART 2021-22 previous Rounds for a particular Programme are not required to answer again.**

#### **Eligibility:**

Admissions to the Post Graduate Programmes shall be entirely based on the **Goa University - Admissions Ranking Test (GU-ART)**. The marks/percentage obtained by the students while graduating would only be used to ascertain the eligibility of candidates for the Programme. The purpose of the GU-ART is only to rank the prospective students and not for determination of pass/fail.

**Candidates who are in their Final Year of Graduation are also eligible to apply.**

Selected candidates who are in the Final Year of Graduation shall be granted Provisional Admission. Their admission shall be confirmed after the results are declared based on the eligibility. In case a candidate fails to clear the Graduation Examination, the admission shall stand cancelled and the Seat Confirmation Fees shall be refunded.

Eligibility for admission to the Programmes and for Change in Faculty /Subject refers [Annexure I](#) .

**Filling up of the application form:**

**Admissions Portal Link:** <https://tinyurl.com/v326ta2z>

- a) The **LAST DATE** for submission of applications is **31<sup>st</sup> August 2021**.
- b) Candidates are advised in their own interest to apply online much before the closing date and not wait till the last date for applying/payment of application fee to avoid the possibility of disconnection/inability/ failure to log on to the website on account of heavy load on the website.
- c) Goa University does not assume any responsibility to candidates in case they are unable to submit their application by the last date on account of the aforesaid reasons or for any other reason beyond the control of the Goa University.
- d) Printout of the application form is **not required** to be sent to the University.

**Application Fees (To be paid online through GUMS portal only):**

- INR 600 per subject/specialization.
- INR 300 in case of SC/ST of Goa.\*
- No fees shall be charged from Persons with Disability.

\*Candidates applying for admission under these categories shall be required to submit a certificate to that effect issued by the officer of the rank of the Deputy Collector or above.

**GU-ART:** Candidates are requested to note the following details regarding the GU-ART.

1. Candidates shall be permitted to apply for a maximum of three subjects/specializations only for the PG Programmes.
2. Candidates who wish to apply for more than one programme are required to use the same login details. No changes shall be entertained after the application is submitted online.
3. The GU-ART shall be of one paper of 100 marks, containing 50 objectives Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ) of 2 marks each. There shall be negative marking, where half a mark shall be deducted for each wrong answer. No marks shall be deducted for unanswered questions. The duration of the GU- ART shall be 90 minutes.
4. The breakup of 100 marks for the GU-ART Question paper shall be as follows:

Section I (Least difficult)	- 15 Questions
Section II (Difficult)	- 15 Questions
Section III (Most difficult)	- 20 Questions
5. In case of candidates who have answered the GU-ART and have secured equal marks in the ranking list:
  - a) Section III scores shall be the first level of tie breaker, followed by Section II
  - b) In case the tie still exists, the University shall decide the order of merit.
6. The GU-ART syllabus of the respective programmes is available on the University website at: <https://www.unigoa.ac.in/systems/c/admissions/announcementsnotices.html>

7. Candidates answering the subsequent GU-ART Rounds shall be ranked after the previous Round candidates.

*Example: If 100 candidates apply for Round I, all 100 will be assigned a rank based on the marks scored. For Round II, candidates shall be ranked from 101 onwards. The candidate scoring highest marks at GU-ART Round II will be ranked 101.*

**GU-ART Schedule:**

The GU-ART Test shall be conducted in **ONLINE** mode.

The Test shall be held tentatively on **3rd September 2021**. The Confirmed dates shall be announced later.

The Admission for the academic year 2021-22 shall be based on the following Ordinances. Hyperlink to refer the following Ordinances: <https://tinyurl.com/4cva48np>

OA-20	Ordinance relating to the Policy of Admission to the Post Graduate Academic Programmes of Goa University
OA-18A	Ordinance OA-18A governing the M.A., M.Sc., M.Com., M.S.W., M.T.T.M. and M.P.Ed. programmes of study conducted by the on-campus Departments of the Goa University and its Affiliated Colleges in the Faculties of Languages and Literature, Social Sciences, Natural Sciences, Life Sciences and Environment, Commerce and Management and Education based on the Choice Based Credit System of Instruction.

Refer queries/difficulties relating to GU-ART application process and PG Admission to be sent to the Admission Team by filling the following **Query Form** [ <https://forms.gle/PkVTb3w447cKgiHK6> ]

Sd/-  
(Prof. Radhika S. Nayak)  
Officiating Registrar

## ANNEXURE I

### ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION TO PG PROGRAMMES

**A. M.A. in Hindi**

For being eligible for admission to the Programmes leading to the Degree of Master of Arts (M.A.) a candidate shall have passed the examination of Degree of Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) of the University with minimum of 32 credits or three units in the subject for which admission is sought or an examination of any other University recognised as equivalent thereto.

**B. Masters of Commerce (M.Com)**

For being eligible for admission to the programme leading to the degree of Master of Commerce (M.Com.) a candidate shall have passed the examination for a degree of B.Com/BBA/BBA (FS), of this University or an examination of any other University recognized as equivalent thereto.

**C. M.A. International Relations**

Graduates in any discipline of the University any of any other University recognised as equivalent thereto shall be eligible to apply for admission

**D. M.Sc. in Environmental Science**

A candidate seeking admission to M.Sc. Environmental Science Programme must have passed the examination of the degree of Bachelor of Science of the University or from any other University recognized as equivalent thereto.

**E. M.A. in Women's Studies**

Graduates in any discipline of the University any of any other University recognized as equivalent thereto shall be eligible to apply for admission