

DEPARTMENT OF MASS COMMUNICATION & JOURNALISM
TEZPUR UNIVERSITY

Guidelines for the Ph.D. Entrance Examination
Autumn Semester, 2020
Programme: PhD in Mass Communication & Journalism

Candidates whose applications for Ph.D. programme in the Department of Mass Communication & Journalism have been approved are requested to make a Research Proposal/ Synopsis for consideration of selection into the PhD programme for Autumn Semester 2020. Candidates whose synopses are received on or before **18th August** will be considered for attending the Personal Interview (PI). The PI will be conducted during **20th to 22nd August 2020** through online mode. Details of PI and schedule will be mailed to candidates in the e-mail ID provided in TUEE application.

Guidelines for preparing the synopsis:

Cover Page should include the following: 1. Name 2. Area of Interest 3. Topic: (not necessarily PhD topic) 4. TUEE Application number

The synopsis should include: i) Introduction/Background ii) Literature review iii) Rationale/Significance of study iii) Research Design iv) References /Bibliography

Research Proposal/ Synopsis should be submitted to the mail id **hodmcjtu@gmail.com** on or before **18th August 2020, 12 midnight.**

Break up of evaluation will be –

- Academic credentials in qualifying degree including NET/JRF – 10 marks
- Research Proposal/ Synopsis – 50 marks
- Personal interview (judging domain knowledge, knowledge of research methodology and language & articulation) – 40 marks



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