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**NOTICE**

With reference to UGC Public Notice No.F.4-1(UGC-NET Review Committee)/2024/(NET)/140648 dated 27<sup>th</sup> March, 2024, the registration link for CUJRET - 2024 has been **De-Activated temporarily**. Further any decision in this regard will be notified to the University website.

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### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### **National Eligibility Test (NET) as an Entrance Test for Admission to Ph.D.**

The University Grants Commission conducts the National Eligibility Test (NET) through the National Testing Agency (NTA). The NET is conducted twice a year, in June and December. Currently, the NET scores are used (a) to award Junior Research Fellowship (JRF) and (b) as eligibility for appointment as Assistant Professor for those with a Master's degree.

Many universities conduct their entrance tests for admission to their Ph.D. programmes, requiring the students to write multiple Ph.D. entrance tests. To help the students with one national entrance test for Ph.D. admissions as a part of implementing the National Education Policy 2020, the UGC constituted an expert committee to review the provisions of the National Eligibility Test (NET).

Based on the expert committee's recommendations, in its 578<sup>th</sup> Meeting held on 13 March 2024, the UGC has decided that from the academic session 2024-25, the NET score can be used for admission to Ph.D. programmes in place of entrance tests conducted by the different universities/HIs.

From June 2024 onwards, therefore, the NET candidates will be declared eligible in three categories:

**Category-1:** Eligible for (i) admission to Ph.D. with JRF and (ii) appointment as Assistant Professor.

**Category-2:** Eligible for (i) admission to Ph.D. without JRF and (ii) appointment as Assistant Professor.

**Category-3:** Eligible for admission to Ph.D. programme only and not for the award of JRF or appointment as Assistant Professor.

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