



Krishna Kanta Handiqui State Open University

Ph.D. Admission Announcement- 2026-27

Total Seats: 35 (Disciplines: Commerce: 1 (OBC/MOBC-1), Management: 1 (SC-1), Economics: 1 (Gen.-1), History: 2 (Gen.-1, OBC/MOBC-1), Philosophy: 2 (Gen.-1, STH-1), Political Science: 1 (OBC/MOBC-1), Sociology: 1 (Gen.-1), Journalism & Mass Communication: 5 (Gen.-3, OBC/MOBC-2), English: 6 (Gen.-1, SC-1, STP-3, OBC/MOBC-1), Assamese: 5 (Gen.-2, STH-1, OBC/MOBC-1, PWD-1), Mathematics: 4 (Gen.-4), Computer Science: 6 (Gen.-4, OBC/MOBC-2), *

*The number may vary subject to the availability of seats at the time of admission.

The Ph.D. Programme of KKHSOU is offered in Regular Mode. The time schedule for the Ph.D. admission, 2026-27 is as follows:

- a. Opening of Online Application form: 24th July, 2026
- b. Closing of Online Application form: 3rd August, 2026
- c. Conduct of Entrance exam: 9th August, 2026 **
- d. Publication of merit list and call for interview: 17th August, 2026
- e. Interview for selection against vacancies: 20th-25th August, 2026
- f. Declaration of selected list of candidates: 26th August, 2026
- g. Date of Admissions for Ph.D. Programme: 27th August-6th September, 2026.
- h. Beginning of Course Work: 7th September, 2026.

The applicants are requested to visit the link <https://adm.kkhsou.ac.in/admission/public/> for online application and detailed advertisement. The application fee for Ph.D. program will be Rs 1000/- only.

** The candidates with the following criteria are exempted from appearing in the entrance exam

- i. Category I: UGC-NET with JRF
- ii. Category II: UGC-NET (Eligible for Assistant Professor and Ph.D.)
- iii. Category III: UGC-NET (Eligible for Ph.D. only)