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DEPARTMENT OF ANCIENT INDIAN AND WORLD HISTORY

M. PHIL ENTRANCE TEST NOTICE

- The following candidates are eligible to appear in the written entrance test and Viva- voce, 2019 of M. Phil. in the Department of Ancient Indian and World History.

Shortlisted Candidates for Written Test

Sl No.	ID No.	Name
1	64	SANAUL KHAN
2	57	SAINI SAHA
3	58	SAMUDRA BISWAS
4	191	ARABINDA SASMAL
5	118	RIDDHI MANDAL SAHA
6	206	SOUMI SAMADDAR
7	22	BABLU KUMAR MALLICK
8	19	SUBRATA MONDAL
9	98	SAMIR GIRI

Shortlisted Candidates for Direct Interview

Sl No.	ID No.	Name
01	104	PATIT ROY
02	166	SWAGATA ROY
03	164	MD SALIM MONDAL

- The applied candidates with JRF, NET and SET are eligible for the Viva-voce directly.
- In the Written Entrance Test, the percentage of qualifying marks is 50.
- Syllabus of Written Entrance Test:

Admission Test Question Pattern

Full Marks – 50

2 questions of 20 marks each (out of 7 options)

2 questions of 5 marks each (out of 5 options)

Syllabus for written test

- Historiography of Ancient, Medieval and Modern Indian History – Sources of Ancient, Medieval and Modern Indian History – Historical Methodology
 - Harappan civilization – The Vedic Age – The Mahajanapadas – The Rise of Heterodox Religions – Second Urbanization – The Mauryan Period – The Kushanas, Shakas and Satavahanas – The Sangam Age – The Gupta Period – Trade in Early India – Early Indian Literature and Art – The Feudalism Debate – The Early Medieval Debate.
 - The Coming and the Nature of the Delhi Sultanate – The Khaljis and the Tughluqs – The Mughal-Afghan Conflict – The Mughal State – Medieval Indian Economy – Mughal Art and Architecture – Bhakti and Sufi Movement – The Marathas – Medieval Indian Literature.
 - The Decline of the Mughals – The Eighteenth Century Debate – The Early Colonial Expansion – Colonial Ideology and Apparatus – The Revolt of 1857 – The Rise of Indian Nationalism – The Swadeshi Movement – The Gandhian Movements – Communalism and Indian Politics – The INA – The Partition of India and Its Aftermath – Nehruvian India and Five Years' Plans – Dalit Movements and Women's Movements – Modern Indian Literature – Modern Indian Society and Culture.
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- The date of written test is **14th September, 2019 at 12 noon.**
 - The date of publication of the result will be announced later. Candidates are requested to consult the website for further notification.