Admission Notice For the Faculty of Fine Arts

Admission Notice: FC/PGF/06/19

3rd July, 2019

The University invites online applications for admission to Post-graduate Courses (M.A) of 2-year duration consisting of 4 Semesters of 6-month each in the following subjects under the Faculty of Fine Arts in the session 2019-2020. Online Application can be made on the University Website: www.rbu.ac.in and admission.rbu.net.in from 04/07/2019 to 15/07/2019 (upto 5.00 p.m.). Last date for online payment through Payment Gateway is 16/07/2019

A. Academic Programmes : M.A. (2 – year under semester system):

Subjects: Rabindra Sangeet, Vocal Music, Dance, Drama, Musicology, Instrumental Music {Sitar, Sarod, Violin, Flute, Esraj, Harmonium, Santoor and Guitar (Hawaiian)} , Percussion (Tabla, Pakhwaj, Khole and Flock Drum ) and Western Classical Music(Piano, Violin, Guitar).

Eligibility: Honours graduate/ Post Graduate with Honours from any U.G.C. recognized University in any subject or its equivalent having special aptitude in the concerned subject are eligible to apply.

Admission to the courses under the Faculty of Fine Arts will be made through Admission Test. Marks obtained in the Admission Test will be counted towards preparation of merit list.

Break of study permissible up to only 2 years i.e the candidates who have passed Graduation with Honours or its equivalent or Post Graduate in 2019, 2018 & 2017 are only eligible to apply. Admission to the above courses will be taken according to merit as per norms prescribed by the University.
## B. Norms being adopted for preparation of merit list:

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<th>(a)</th>
<th>H.S or its equivalent (best 4 subjects other than Environmental Education (ENVS))</th>
<th>10 (on pro-rata basis when full score will be considered equivalent)</th>
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<td>(b)</td>
<td>BA (Hons) or its equivalent <strong>OR</strong> MA or its equivalent (if applicant has a Master’s degree, the marks of Master’s will be considered equivalent)</td>
<td>10 (on pro-rata basis when full score will be considered equivalent)</td>
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<td>(c)</td>
<td>Admission Test (including theory, practical etc)</td>
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### Qualifying Marks:

1. Practical Test: 40% (30% for SC/ST and 36% for OBC-A&B candidates)
2. Theoretical (Written): 40% (30% for SC/ST and 36% for OBC-A&B candidates)

The candidates who will qualify the Practical Test will only be eligible for the Theoretical (Written).

Aggregate of the total score \((a + b + c = \text{total score})\) will be counted towards preparation of the provisional merit lists which will be subject to verification.

## C. Publication of Lists for Admission Test:

1. **Provisional lists of the candidates selected for Admission Test will be published on the University website on 22/07/2019.**

2. **Downloading of Admit Cards:** 25/07/2019 to 27/07/2019

Admit Cards will have to be downloaded by the candidates themselves by entering their Application Identification Number (AIN) printed on their downloaded Application Form. The candidates must print two copies of the downloaded admit card. The admit Card will be required to be produced at the time of Admission Test. Candidate will not be allowed to sit for the Admission Test without Admit Card.
D. Schedule of Admission Test:

1. A) Prospective dates of Admission Test for Fine Arts (Practical): 29/07/2019 & 30/07/2019
   B) Publication of the Selected List of Candidates for Written Test (Theory) on basis of the Result of Practical test: 02/08/2019
   C) Prospective dates of Written Test (Theory): 05/08/2019

E. Publication of Provisional Merit Lists & Modes of Admission:

1. 1st Provisional Merit list of the candidates selected for admission and other details will be published on the University website on 09/08/2019.

2. Provisional Admission: On 10/08/2019 to 13/08/2019 the selected candidates will be required to pay the following Course fees online (for 1st semester):
      For Foreign Students: Rs. 5115/- + additional charge of Bank.
   (ii) Rs.3265/- + additional charge of Bank for Musicology.
      For Foreign Students: Rs. 4065/- + additional charge of Bank.

For payment of Admission fees once again the candidate will be offered to pay through Payment Gateway. After successful transaction of payment of Course fee, the candidate will be treated as admitted provisionally. Please note that this provisional admission will be categorically treated as cancelled, if the information particularly marks entered during the filling up of Application Form do not tally with the actual marks reflected on the original mark sheets.

iii) Prospective date of commencement of classes: 16/08/2019

iv) Admission Confirmation: 20/08/2019 (between 11:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. on any working day of the University) For confirmation of admission, provisionally admitted candidates must bring all original marksheets, SC/ST/OBC-A & B /PWD certificates issued by the competent authority (in case of candidates belonging to SC/ST/OBC-A & B /PWD category), and other relevant documents for physical verification. Only after successful verification, the provisional admission will be confirmed. If any discrepancies are found during verification of documents, marks, scores, etc. the provisional admission in the respective academic programme will be categorically cancelled and no refund of payment will be made. No further application for
rectification will be entertained at this stage.

A set of hard copy of duly filled-in downloaded Application Form along with self-attested copies of all mark sheets, certificates and other relevant documents and copy of payment receipt will be required.

**F. Reservation of Seats:**

1. Reservation of seats for the reserved categories of ST/SC/OBC/PH will be as per the West Bengal Higher Educational Institutions (Reservation in Admission) Rules, 2013. Reserved category candidates from the state other than West Bengal will be treated as unreserved category.

1. Few seats are reserved in each course for Foreign / NRI students against a higher rate of tuition fees. In case of non-availability of Foreign / NRI students, Indian students may be considered in those seats against the same higher rate of tuition fees. For these seats, application will be invited after the admission of 2nd merit list. Such applications will have to be downloaded from the University website by entering the system generated Application Identification Number (AIN) which has already been submitted for consideration of admission.

Therefore, it is to be noted that only the candidates who have already submitted application form for admission in this session i.e. 2019-20, will only get the chance to apply.

Sports quota is not applicable in the subjects under the Faculties of Fine Arts.

**G. Exercise of Option:**

As per Govt. Rules, the candidates belonging to reserved categories (SC / ST / OBC-A / OBC-B) who have found place in the general merit list on the basis of their merit will also be placed in the merit list for the reserved categories of candidates. It is mandatory for such candidates to exercise their option on whether they would like to be placed in the general merit list or the separate merit list for reserved categories of candidates. Admission would be made as per the option exercised by the candidates. The option once exercised shall not be altered under any circumstances.
H. Application Processing Fees & Course fees:

1. **Application Processing Fee**: Rs.250/- + additional charge of Bank (Rs.150/- + additional charge of Bank for PWD candidates)

2. **Course Fees to be paid at the time of admission for 1st Semester**:

3. (i) **Subjects**: Rabindra Sangeet, Vocal Music, Instrumental Music, Percussion, Dance, Drama and Western Classical Music: Rs.1965/- + additional Bank Charge.

   For **Foreign Students**: Rs.5115/- + additional Bank Charge.

   (ii) **Subject**: Musicology: Rs.3265/- + additional Bank Charge

   For **Foreign Students**: Rs.4065/- + additional Bank Charge

I. **How to Apply**:

The applicants are advised to follow the instructions noted hereunder while filling up the Application Forms online:

- In order to apply online, applicants have to register themselves first.

- During registration, applicant will be asked to provide an e-mail id and a mobile number, these must be valid ones because initial login password will be sent to the provided e-mail id and mobile number via SMS, and in future, all correspondences in this regard may be made to these e-mail id and the given mobile no. via SMS.

- Applicants must provide valid email id & mobile number, else the registration process will not be completed.

- After registration, the password will be sent to the registered e-mail id and mobile number.

- It is recommended that the applicant should change their password on the first login, if required.

- After successful login, applicant will be required to select course(s) he/she may wish to apply and check the eligibly first. Once found eligible he/she can fill up rest of the Admission Form.

- An applicant will be required to upload his/her scanned Photograph and Signature during filling up the admission form, therefore, he/she is advised to keep these ready before filling up the admission form.
• If the applicant does not have all required information at the time of filling the form, he/she can save the incomplete application as a draft (by clicking on ‘Next’ or ‘Previous’ button) and log out. Later, by login back to his/her account again he/she may complete the rest of application form.

• After filling up all required information to submit the same, applicant must agree with the given declaration, clicking on check box. It is important to note that, once it is submitted, the information already entered cannot be altered under any circumstances. Therefore, they are advised to be sure about the accuracy and relevance of the filled up information before clicking the submit button.

• After Submission of the application, applicant will be able to download or take print out of the filled up ‘Application Form’ bearing the AIN (Application Identification Number) and his / her other information relating to instructions for payment of Application Processing Fees through Payment Gateway. Application shall be summarily rejected, if payment is not made as per instructions given in the auto-generated Instruction Sheet for Payment.

• The automatically generated AIN (Application Identification Number) number shall be treated as unique identification number for an application during the admission process. Therefore, any Application Form erroneously downloaded and printed without automatically generated AIN (Application Identification Number) will not be accepted under any circumstances.

• The applications, once applied by the Applicant cannot be cancelled or altered and the amount paid for the same by the Applicant is not refundable. All amount(s) paid by the Applicant, for application to the course(s) offered by ‘Rabindra Bharati University’ shall stand appropriated. In case of multiple payments, being processed for a single application, the extra amount may be refunded to the Applicant after verification, if applied for.

J. How to Make Payment:

After successful Submission of the application, applicant will be able to download or take print out of the filled up ‘Application Form’ bearing the AIN (Application Identification Number) and his / her other information relating to instructions for payment of Application Processing Fees through Payment Gateway. Application shall be summarily rejected, if payment is not made as per instructions given in the auto-generated Instruction Sheet for Payment.

Step.1: The Applicant will be asked to click on the Payment Button. Once it is clicked on the Payment Button, the applicant will be redirected to the Payment Gateway for payment of requisite Application Processing Fees.
Step.2: Any one of the following 3(three) methods for payment of Application Processing Fees can be opted:

1. **Online payment** through Net Banking or Credit Cards or Debit Cards of any bank.
2. Through **Cash/Challan**: A Pay-in-slip will have to be generated. The candidate can submit the fees through **Cash/Challan** in any of the branches of **Allahabad Bank** after 24 hours of **printing the auto-generated Cash/ Challan**.
3. Through **NEFT**: A Pay-in-slip will have to be generated. The candidate can submit the fees through **NEFT** in any branch of the **Bank in which he/she has his/her Bank Account**.

Example: If a candidate has bank account in **State Bank of India (SBI)**, he/she can submit the fees through **NEFT** in any branches of the **State Bank of India (SBI)**.

Step.3: After payment of fees through any one of the aforesaid methods, the candidate is advised to log in again into the admission portal with his/her log in id and passwords and see payment history. Candidates are advised to see the payment history at least after 24 hours of successful transaction.

a. **General Instructions and Information to the Applicants:**

1. No student will participate in, abet or propagate ragging in the University campus and hostels as per order of the Honorable Supreme Court.
2. Candidates applying for more than one subject will have to apply separately following procedures mentioned above.
3. Candidates admitted elsewhere in any degree course must submit certificate or any other relevant document showing cancellation from the said degree course at the time of admission. Failing which, his/her candidature will be treated as cancelled.
4. No candidate will be allowed for admission to pursue two or more concurrent degree courses (regular/external) simultaneously as per UGC norms.
5. Candidates interested in admission will be required to collect all information regarding interview/test and admission dates in this regard from the University Website: www.rbu.ac.in.
6. Admission of a candidate will be cancelled if any information given by him/her is found to be wrong or suppressed.
7. Submission of application Forms for admission does not imply any right to admission and selection for admission does not assure accommodation in University Hostels.

8. The list of the Candidates selected for interview/written test /admission will generally be treated as cancelled as soon as the corresponding last date is over.

9. Candidates applying for more than on subject will have to apply separately following procedures mentioned above.

10. Duly filled-in downloaded application form should be signed by the candidate and his/her parent/guardian at the given spaces of the form.

11. The duly filled-in application form along with self-attested copies of all mark sheets, certificates and other relevant documents and copy of Bank payment receipt, has to be retained by the candidate.

12. The applicant is not required to submit the hard copy of duly filled-in downloaded Application Form to the University. However, the hard copy of duly filled-in downloaded Application Form along with self-attested copies of all mark sheets, certificates and other relevant documents and copy of payment receipt will be required only at the later stage during admission test and if the candidate is provisionally selected for admission.

13. In case of any disputes, the decision of the University will be final and binding to all concerned.

Secretary, Faculty Councils
Schedule for Admission in MA in the Faculty of Fine Arts :-

As desired by the Hon’ble Vice-Chancellor, the following schedule for admission to P.G Courses in the Various Subjects under the Faculty of Fine Arts in 2019-20 session is hereby notified for information to all concerned:

i) Publication and Notification of Advertisement in the website (www.rbu.ac.in & admission.rbu.net.in) : 01/07/2019

ii) Publication and Notification of Advertisement in the Newspaper : on or before 01/07/2019

iii) Availability of online Admission form (Arts & Fine Arts): 04/07/2019 to 15/07/2019 (up to 5.00 p.m.).

iv) Last date of online payment of application fees through Payment Gateway: 16/07/2019 (up to 4.00 p.m.)

v) Publication list for admission test : 22/07/2019

vi) To collect Admit Card from the University Website : 25/07/2019 to 27/07/2019

Admission Test:

a) Date of Practical – 29/07/2019 & 30/07/2019

b) Publication the result of Practical test for Theory : 02/08/2019 at 5.00 p.m

c) Date of Theory – 05/08/2019

vii) Publication of 1st Provisional Merit List : 09/08/2019 after 5.00 p.m.

i) Provisional Admission of 1st Merit List through Payment Gateway: 10/08/2019 to 13/08/2019

ii) Commencement of Classes of the provisionally admitted Students : 16/08/2019

x) Confirmation of Admission through verification of original documents in the Faculty office: 20/08/2019