GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. The Candidate must ensure that he / she fulfills the eligibility conditions for the post on or before the closing date.
- 2. Candidates with requisite qualifications acquired from recognized University/institutions need only apply.
- 3. Candidates already in service in India should send their application through proper channel. In such cases an advance copy should be sent directly, along with the original demand draft meant for application fee within the stipulated time. However, in such cases the candidates called for interview will have to produce No Objection Certificate or original applications duly forwarded by the competent authority of their institutions, failing which he/she shall not be allowed to appear before the Selection Committee.
- 4. Mere fulfilling the conditions does not guarantee that the applicant will be shortlisted for interview. The University has a right to decide the mode of screening and testing the applicant for shortlisting and selection.
- 5. In case the Screening Committee recommends restricting the number of candidates to be called for interview by applying any other criteria/benchmark in addition to the required essentials and desirable qualifications, the same will be followed for calling applicants for interview.
- 6. The eligibility limit of 55% marks at the Master's level (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) and the relaxation of 5 % to the categories of Scheduled Caste / Scheduled Tribe / Differently-abled (Physically and Visually) are permissible, based on only the qualifying marks without including any grace marks procedures as per GOI norms.
- 7. Relevant grade which is regarded as equivalent of 55% wherever the grading system is followed by a UGC recognized University shall also be considered eligible
- 8. Percentage equivalence of Grade Points for a Seven Points scale as per the UGC Guidelines dated 30.06.2010 is as follows:

It is hereby clarified that where the University/College/Institution declare results in grade points which is on scale of seven, the following yardstick shall be adopted to determine equivalent marks in percentage

| Grade | Grade Point | Percentage Equivalent |
|-------------------|-------------|-----------------------|
| 'O' – Outstanding | 5.50 - 6.00 | 75 -100 |
| 'A' – Very Good | 4.50 - 5.49 | 65 - 74 |
| 'B' – Good | 3.50 - 4.49 | 55 - 64 |
| 'C' – Average | 2.50 - 3.49 | 45 - 54 |
| 'D'-Below Average | 1.50 - 2.49 | 35 - 44 |
| 'E' – Poor | 0.50 - 1.49 | 25 - 34 |
| 'F' – Fail | 0 - 0.49 | - 24 |

- 9. Candidates may note that the qualification as amended by the UGC/MHRD from time to time shall be applicable for the respective posts.
- 10. Age limit will be taken into account as on the closing date mentioned for receipt of applications.
- 11. Experience & Qualifications will be reckoned as on the closing date prescribed for receipt of application.

- 12. The University reserves the right to withdraw any advertised post(s) at any time without giving any reason.
- 13. It will be open to the University to consider names of suitable candidates who may not have applied. Nominations of highly qualified candidates from very well established Academics/Research Institutions, etc., will also be considered. The University also reserves the right to relax minimum qualifications marginally in case of otherwise highly qualified candidates.
- 14. Call letters to attend the interview will be sent only to the shortlisted candidates by E-mail or Speed Post or Registered Post. No Correspondence will be made with applicants who are not short-listed /not called for interview.
- 15. Candidates should enclose self-attested copies of certificates towards the evidence of Age, Educational Qualifications, Community, Physical Disability, Experience, etc. Do not enclose originals along with applications as the University will not be responsible for their loss.
- 16. All Certificates, Degrees, NOC and other original documents must be produced at the time of interview, if called for the same. Failure to produce these may result in ineligibility to appear for the interview.
- 17. In case of any inadvertent mistake in the process of selection which may be detected at any stage even after the issue of appointment letter, the University reserves the right to modify/withdraw/cancel any communication made to the candidate.
- 18. In case of any dispute/ambiguity that may occur in the process of selection, the decision of the University shall be final.

19. Canvassing in any form will disqualify the candidates

20. The University shall verify the antecedents or documents submitted by the candidate at any time at the time of appointment or during the tenure of the service. In case, it is detected that the documents submitted by the candidates are fake or the candidate has undesirable clandestine antecedents/background and has suppressed the said information, then his services shall be terminated.

MISCELLANEOUS

- 21. Those applicants attending the interview, who are coming from their hometown which is more than 500 kms away from Puducherry, will be reimbursed the amount spent for the train (II Sleeper class) or Bus (not more than II Sleeper Train-fare) journey. For SC/ST candidates II class Rail Fare will be reimbursed on production of the tickets as per rules. No DA will be paid to anyone.
- 22. The University reserves the right to fill or not to fill the post.
- 23. No correspondence/queries will be entertained from candidates regarding, conduct and result of interview and reasons for not being called for interview.
- 24. No accommodation will be provided in the University Guest House.
- 25. The University reserves the right to alter/insert any corrections/additions in the advertisement/website in the event of any typographical error before the last date prescribed for the receipt of applications
- 26. Amendments/Changes, if any, in the advertisement will be published only on the University's Website

- 27. University will not be responsible for any postal delay at any stage.
- 28. No request for conduct of interview through Telephone/Video Conference/Skype etc., will be considered.

APPLICATION (DOWNLOADABLE)

29. The prescribed Application Form, Proforma for certificate verification and the details of the advertisement can be downloaded from the university website www.pondiuni.edu.in.

APPLICATION FEE

- 30. SC/ST/PWD/Ex-Servicemen and all the Women Candidates are exempted from payment of application fee.
- 31. As regard to Persons With Disabilities, the exemption will be considered in respect of candidates having the percentage of disability 40% and above only.
- 32. All other candidates shall submit a Demand Draft for **Rs. 500/- (Five Hundred only)** drawn from any Nationalized bank in favour of "**Finance Officer, Pondicherry University**" payable at Puducherry. The DD should be drawn on or after the date of advertisement but before the last date prescribed for the receipt of the applications.
- 33. Local candidates may remit the application fee in University A/C (New No.: 413264148 old No. 201) through Challan at Indian Bank, Pondicherry University Branch
- 34. Candidate shall write his / her Name and Post Applied on the reverse side of the Demand Draft without fail.
- 35. Candidates who are desirous of applying for more than one post will have to submit a separate application form for each post with requisite application fee for each position, if applicable.
- 36. Application fee is non-refundable under any circumstances.

APPLICATION (SUBMISSION)

- 37. Application for each post must be placed in a **SEPARATE COVER**. The name of the post applied for must be **superscribed** on the envelope without fail.
- 38. The University shall not be responsible for any misplacement, omission etc. if two or more applications are put in one cover by the candidate.
- 39. If the cover containing an application is not marked properly as per the information given above, it is likely to be misplaced. The University does not take any responsibility of such misplaced applications.
- 40. If an application is not strictly prepared as per advertised format then the application will be summarily rejected. Application other than the prescribed format will not be entertained.
- 41. Receipt of filled in Application Form without self attested copies of all relevant certificates will be rejected.

- 42. Applications received after the stipulated date or incomplete in any respect or not readable will not be entertained and no further correspondence will be made in this regard
- 43. Application or CV/Bio-Data sent through e-mail will not be considered under any circumstances, unless followed by hard copy with signature within the prescribed last date.
- 44. It is not possible to send individual acknowledgement. Those who want acknowledgment may send their applications by registered post with acknowledgement due.
- 45. Application submitted for a particular post is not transferable to any other post.
- 46. The University reserves the right to consider the applications received after the last date, in exceptional cases
- 47. Candidate, who has applied earlier informally and sent his/her bio-data/academic vitae earlier to the Vice-Chancellor or any other competent authority of the University, must apply following the above procedures.
- 48. Submission of proof is mandatory with reference to the information given in the application, wherever required.
- 49. Certificates in support of experience should be in proper format i.e. it should be on the organization's letter head bearing the date of issue, specified period of work, name and designation of the issuing authority along with signature.
- 50. A completed application form should have:
 - Duly filled in Application Form and Proforma for Certificate Verification.
 - A Demand Draft for <u>Rs. 500/-(five hundred only)</u> except SC/ST/PwD/Ex-Servicemen and all the Women Candidates) drawn from any Nationalized Bank payable at Puducherry in favour of "Finance Officer, Pondicherry University".

51. Self Attested copies of:

- Age proof
- SSLC/Matric or equivalent certificate
- HSC/PUC/or equivalent certificate
- Diploma/Degree Certificates (UG,PG,M.Phil & Ph.D)
- SC/ST/OBC/PwD certificate in appropriate format, if applicable,
- Experience certificate, if any
- NOC from the employer, if applicable
- Recent proof for salary drawn, if any
- Publications/event records/relevant documents, etc.
- Any other relevant documents.
- 52. Completed application with all the required enclosures must reach:

The Deputy Registrar Recruitment Cell Pondicherry University R.V.Nagar, Kalapet, Puducherry – 605 014

53. Last date for receipt of filled in application is 31st AUGUST 2018 by 05.00 pm