

Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar

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Online applications are invited for the post of Professor (Chairperson), Namdhari Guru Ram Singh Chair in the University. **Online registration of application for the post will start w.e.f. 11.02.2026 and end on 03.03.2026. Last Date for submitting Hard Copy of the Online submitted application is 10.03.2026.**

For further details visit University Website: <http://www.gndu.ac.in>.

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Online applications are invited from eligible candidates for the post of Professor (Chairperson), Namdhari Guru Ram Singh Chair in the Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar as per details given below. Candidates are required to deposit the prescribed fees (**non refundable**) through online mode only using Credit Card/ Debit card/ Net banking. Application fees for Posts at Sr. No. 1 will be Rs. **1180/-** (including GST) (Rs. 590/- (including GST) for SC/ST & PWD candidates). The SC/ST and PWD candidates who are not domicile of the State of Punjab shall have to pay the application fee of Rs. **1180/-** (including GST) for posts. The application submitted through online mode **ONLY** shall be accepted and submission of its Hard Copy is also must. The Candidates desirous to apply against the reserved category Posts must also attach their Punjab Domicile Certificate/Punjab Residence Certificate issued by the Competent Authority.

For the post of Professor candidates must send the downloaded Score Card and Academic/Research Score Proforma, as approved by the Syndicate of the University duly filled in all respect as per guidelines, along with the supporting documents with the hard copy of their application form, which is an essential component of the application form. This Score Card, Academic/Research Score Proforma and guidelines are available at the university website: www.gndu.ac.in. No modification will be allowed subsequently.

Research Publications of the Candidates will be considered as per the decision of Syndicate of the University.

Important Dates:

Opening date for on-line Registration of applications	:	11.02.2026
Last date for on-line Registration/submission of application.	:	03.03.2026
Last date for submitting the hard copy/print out of online application and supporting documents to the Registrar, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar-143005 (Pb.)	:	10.03.2026

Detail of Posts

S.No.	Name of the Post(s)/ Department	Pay Scale	No. of Post(s)
1.	Professor (Chairperson) # Namdhari Guru Ram Singh Chair	Academic Level 14 with Entry Pay of Rs. 1,44,200/- as per 7 th CPC Pay Matrix	01

- (#) (i) The tenure of the chair is likely to be continued subject to receipt of grant from the State Govt. or concerned funding agency.
- (ii) The incumbent will be appointed to the chair initially for a period of 2 years (extendable on the recommendation of the committee to be constituted by the Vice Chancellor) or till the receipt of grant from the State Govt. or concerned funding agency, whichever is earlier.
- (iii) Salary of the incumbent will be protected.
- (iv) Serving Professors who wish to apply for these chairs need not submit the Score Card and Academic/Research Score Proforma, if they have been regularized by any of the University as a Professor as per UGC norms. They may only submit a detailed Curriculum vitae.
- (v) The candidate with age below 58 years will be preferred. However, if the candidate is of more than 58 years of age, if found suitable by the selection committee, truncated term upto the age of 60 years will be offered as per university rules.

Professor (Chairperson)

Namdhari Guru Ram Singh Chair

Qualification:

- I. An eminent scholar having Ph.D. degree with published work of high quality in the relevant field with evidence of published work with, a minimum of 10 research publications in the peer-reviewed or UGC-listed journals /UGC CARE LIST and a total research score of 120 as per **UGC Regulations July 2018**.
- II. A minimum of ten years of teaching experience in university/college as Assistant Professor/Associate Professor/Professor, and / or research experience at equivalent level at the University/National Level Institutions with evidence of having successfully guided doctoral candidate.

Note:

- (a) **Candidates who are not already working as Professor are required to submit their five sets of Bio-data and reprints of five best publications along with the application for evaluation purpose. The publications submitted by the candidate shall have been published during the qualifying period.**
- (b) A minimum of 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point-scale, wherever the grading system is followed) at the Master's level shall be the essential qualification for direct recruitment of teachers and other equivalent cadres at any level.
- (c) A relaxation of 5% shall be allowed at the Bachelor's as well as at the Master's level for the candidates belonging to Scheduled Caste/ Scheduled Tribe/ Other Backward Classes (OBC)(Non-creamy Layer)/Differently abled ((a) Blindness and low vision; (b) Deaf and Hard of Hearing; (c) Locomotor disability including cerebral palsy, leprosy cured, dwarfism, acid-attack victims and muscular dystrophy; (d) Autism, intellectual disability, specific learning disability and mental illness; (e) Multiple disabilities from amongst persons under (a) to (d) including deaf-blindness) for the purpose of eligibility and assessing good academic record for direct recruitment. The eligibility marks of 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever the grading system is followed) and the relaxation of 5% to the categories mentioned above are permissible, based only on the qualifying marks without including any grace mark procedure.
- (d) A relaxation of 5% shall be provided, (from 55% to 50% of the marks) to the Ph.D. Degree holders who have obtained their Master's Degree prior to 19 September, 1991.
- (e) A relevant grade which is regarded as equivalent of 55%, wherever the grading system is followed by a recognized university, at the Master's level shall also be considered valid.
- (f) The time taken by candidates to acquire M.Phil. and / or Ph.D. Degree shall not be considered as teaching/research experience to be claimed for appointment to the teaching positions. Further the period of active service spent on pursuing Research Degree simultaneously with teaching assignment without taking any kind of leave, shall be counted as teaching experience for the purpose of direct recruitment.

Note: -

1. Candidates are required to apply in the online mode only through Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar website www.gndu.ac.in. No other means / mode of application (through post, email, fax, deposit of CV etc.) will be accepted. Applicants are required to take TWO printouts of the Online Application Form. Affix the same passport size photograph (which was uploaded with the online form) on it and **SEND a COPY to 'THE REGISTRAR, GURU NANAK DEV UNIVERSITY, AMRITSAR-143005', PUNJAB along with self attested copies of all the certificates of Educational/ Professional QUALIFICATIONS (DEGREES AND DMC'S WITH**

CONVERSION FORMULA OF CGPA/OGPA), EXPERIENCE CERTIFICATE, RESERVE CATEGORY CERTIFICATE (Reservation certificate issued by the competent authority as a proof of claiming the reserve category as made in the online application form) etc. keep the 2nd copy with him/her.

2. **In the case of the Candidate(s) who passed their qualifying examination through Distance Education mode/Correspondence mode must attach the following documents along with their hard copy of the application form for the post applied for :**
 - (i) Self attested copies of Certificate(s)/Degree(s) & all the DMC's of the examinations passed.
 - (ii) Territorial Jurisdiction/UGC-DEB approval certificate of particular session in which he/she has completed the course(as per attached proforma). This certificate must have been issued by the concerned University/Board.
3. Copy of circular containing detailed instructions, qualifications, etc. for the posts, is available only at <http://www.gndu.ac.in>. The qualifications for all the teaching posts are as per UGC norms.
4. **IMPORTANT:** Applicants for the posts of Professor must attach the Academic/Research Score Proforma as approved by the Syndicate of the University (duly filled-in all respects by them) and attested copies of supporting documents, with hard copy of their application form to be submitted as per note 1 above.
5. Candidates for the posts of Professor must also fill the Score Card Proforma, which is an essential component of the application form. Score Card Proforma available at University website (<http://www.gndu.ac.in>).
6. A Candidate needs to register only once by filling Registration Form, even if he/she wishes to apply for more than one post/ department/campuses.
7. Candidates must have a valid Email-ID of his own, which should be active throughout the recruitment process. Candidates should keep checking the Inbox or even the Spam box of his/her Email ID regularly during the recruitment process as the **University** may send any important intimations on the University Website and/or through Email. Candidates should also check the University website regarding any updates during the recruitment process.

Candidates should check their Email account for updates. GNDU will not be responsible for any loss of Email sent, due to invalid/wrong Email Id provided by the candidates or for delay/ non receipt of information if a candidate fails to access his/her email/website in time. Candidates are requested in their own interest to remain in touch with the University website www.gndu.ac.in. Issuance of notifications in the newspaper is not obligatory on the part of the university
8. Candidates should take utmost care to furnish the correct details while filling in the online application. Any mistake committed by the candidates shall be his/her sole responsibility.
9. The candidates should ensure the completion of all the steps of the registration process and depositing of application fee by the stipulated date and time given in the advertisement.
10. Please scan your Photograph and Signatures individually and save them in the JPEG format. The size of any of these individual images should not exceed 100 kb (photograph) and 100 kb (signature) for online uploading.
11. Please keep the following details ready with you before clicking on the registration button for starting your online application:-
 - a. Personal details including Date of Birth and Nationality

- b. Mobile Number
 - c. Valid Email ID
 - d. Reservation Category Details
 - e. Percentage of your Educational Qualification starting from Matriculation examinations to onwards.
(Please calculate percentage from CGPA/OGPA in advance).
 - f. Soft Copies of scanned Photograph and Signatures.
12. Application fee once paid shall neither be refunded under any circumstances nor it shall be held reserve for any other recruitment or selection process in future.
 13. Before applying for the post, candidates are advised to satisfy themselves about their eligibility.
 14. **Persons already in service must apply online and send the hard copy of application through their employer. All those candidates working in organizations/institutions including affiliated colleges of the university may be allowed to appear in interview without "No Objection Certificate" with the condition that in case the candidate is selected, no extension in joining time will be allowed. Such candidates are required to give an undertaking on the format available on university website: www.gndu.ac.in. All such candidates will be given standard joining time i.e. one month from the issuance of appointment letter.**
 15. The candidates are required to apply separately for each post earmarked for each Deptt.
 16. **Incomplete applications not duly substantiated with supporting documents in any respect or hard copy of application received after the due date will not be entertained.**
 17. University reserves the right to fill or not to fill up the posts and to call only suitable number of candidates for interview/counseling.
 18. The number of posts can be increased or decreased.
 19. Bio-Data of any candidate can be placed before the Selection Committee.
 20. Mere applying and satisfying the essential/ minimum qualification required for a post does not entitle the candidate any right of appointment.
 21. The University shall verify the antecedents/documents submitted by the candidates at the time of appointment or any time during the tenure of the service. In case, it is detected that the documents submitted are fake or the candidate has a clandestine background and has suppressed the said information, his/her services shall be terminated forthwith.
 22. The candidature of the candidate for reserve category will be considered only for the category he/ she has applied online/offline. Under No Circumstances, reserve category of the candidate will be changed. No request in this regard will be entertained.
 23. A relaxation of 5% is admissible at the Graduate and Master's level for Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes candidates.
 24. The screening criteria and template to be used by the selection Committee for academic record and research performance etc. are also available on the University Website.
 25. Candidates within India may not be considered in absentia.
 26. Reservation Policy for direct recruitment will be followed as per instructions issued by the Govt. of Punjab and adopted by this university. The benefits of reservation policy will be given to the residents of Punjab State only. The SC/ST/OBC/PWD, etc candidates are required to attach the relevant certificate issued by the competent authority as a proof of claiming the reserved category as made in the online application form along with Punjab Domicile Certificate/Punjab Residence Certificate issued by the Competent Authority.
 27. Candidates claiming Backward Class Category will have to submit the photocopy of their latest valid BC certificate issued by the competent authority.
 28. Good academic record means atleast 2nd class with 50% marks in graduation level.
 29. Canvassing in any form will lead to cancellation of candidature.

30. Any dispute with regard to the selection/recruitment process will be subject to the courts/tribunals having Jurisdiction of Amritsar.
31. **The candidate who have already applied against this post in response to Advt. No. 11/2025 are mandatorily required to apply afresh for the current advertisement and they will be exempted from payment of recruitment fee. Their previous application will not be considered. They must also attach the proof of having paid the requisite fees earlier with hard copy of their online application form.**
32. For any enquiry regarding online application form, please contact Phone No.0183-2258802-09 (3182) (For Technical Enquiry regarding filling online application form) and 3099 (For General Enquiry regarding advertisement) Timing: 9.00 A.M. to 5.00 P.M. in working days.

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