

# SHIV NADAR UNIVERSITY

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Department of Economics

School of Humanities and Social Sciences

**Last date of application is June 17, 2020**

**Admission to M.Sc. (Economics)**

The Department of Economics at the Shiv Nadar University would like to announce that admissions into the M.Sc. (Economics) programme are now open for the academic year 2020-21.

The M.Sc. (Economics) is a two-year (four semesters) program. Students enrolled into the program undergo rigorous training, which prepares them to take up jobs with the government, the private sector, NGOs as well as offers an opportunity for admission into the PhD programs if they wish to pursue a research career. The department has a vibrant faculty with varied research interests offering the masters students the option of selecting from a wide range of exciting sub-disciplines within economics. Please see the graduate prospectus of the department for further details.

## **Eligibility:**

Students who have or will have a bachelor's degree (in any discipline) with at least 55% in aggregate by September 2020 may apply. Prior economics training is not required.

The eligibility criteria mentioned above are minimum standards and applications not meeting the same will be summarily rejected. Short-listed candidates will be required to demonstrate their knowledge through an on-site written test. Selections will be based on performance in the written examination.

**Please note that not all candidates meeting the minimum eligibility criteria may be shortlisted.**

## **Admission Process:**

1. The first step in the admission process is a written test normally held across four cities in India: Delhi- NCR, Kolkata, Bengaluru and Pune. Candidates are informed about the venue of the test at least a week before the exam date. **However, given the public health situation this year, the entrance exam for M.Sc. in Economics will be conducted online on June 28, 2020.**

Applications for admission are to be made online. **The last day for applying to the program is June 17, 2020.** You will be required to pay a non-refundable application fee of Rs. 1,200 (One Thousand Two Hundred Only) by credit/debit card or Demand Draft drawn in favor of **Shiv Nadar University** payable at **NOIDA**. Admit Card for the written examination will

be sent out to the candidates by email. Do note there is no need to send anything by post if you are paying online.

2. The test will have 30 multiple choice questions. There will be a few questions that test comprehension and analytical abilities. The remaining questions will be from Economics (Undergraduate level) and Basic Mathematics. Detailed syllabus for the admission test and information about the grading and ranking scheme are available in the graduate prospectus.

### **Fees and Assistantships:**

Detailed information about the fee structure and the nature of assistantships is available in the department's graduate prospectus.

### **Application Instructions:**

All interested applicant shall apply online. Please follow the instructions carefully.

- Fill all the mandatory fields
- Choose an examination centre. Examination will be held in **Delhi, Bengaluru, Kolkata and Pune.**
- Online upload of following documents is required
  - Passport size color photograph
  - Current CV
  - All Mark sheets/Degree Certificates (10<sup>th</sup> Standard onwards)
- After the payment option you will be given the choice of selecting the Entrance Examination centers, please rank them in order of preference.
- If you are submitting a Demand Draft for the application fee, please print the completed online form and send by speed post to the University at the address given below.

**Please note that the application is not deemed complete until we receive all the necessary prescribed documents and application fees.**

For any information regarding the programme and the admission process, please write to:

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