

POST DOCTORAL PROGRAMMES

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- Doctor of Science (D.Sc.) (3 yrs.) (maximum duration)
- Doctor of Literature (D.Litt.) (3 yrs.) (maximum duration)
- Doctor of Laws (LL.D.) (3 yrs.) (maximum duration)

Sr. No.	Programme	Code	Duration	Eligibility and Guidelines for D.Sc., D.Litt. and LL.D.
287	Doctor of Science (D.Sc.)	P8H	3 yrs. (Semester System) (maximum duration)	<p>Doctor of Science (D. Sc.), Doctor of Literature (D. Litt.) and Doctor of Laws (LL.D.)</p> <p>The Doctor of Science (D.Sc.), Doctor of Literature (D.Litt.) and Doctor of Laws (LL.D) are the highest post doctoral degrees of the university. The university shall award D.Sc. Degree in the disciplines of Science, Engineering, Technology and other related areas; D.Litt. in the disciplines of Business, Humanities, Social Sciences, Design, Creative Arts and other related areas; LL.D in the discipline of Law and other related areas to a candidate whose work and research have made distinct contributions to the advancement of knowledge.</p> <p>Eligibility for D.Sc.</p> <p>A candidate who is awarded Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)# degree in the disciplines of Science, Engineering, Technology and other related areas by this university or degree recognized equivalent thereto from any other university may present his/her candidacy for the degree of Doctor of Science (D.Sc.) provided he/she must have:</p> <p>a) Been awarded a post-doctorate and the candidates should have published 10 research papers as the first or corresponding author in reputed journals indexed in Web of Science (WoS) or Scopus. Overall h-index of candidate should be more than 10 as per the Scopus database. OR b) Been awarded a post-doctorate and they should have successfully obtained two granted patents (at least one international patent). OR c) Minimum of 3 years of post-Ph.D. experience and the candidates should have published at least 10 research papers as the first or corresponding author in reputed journals indexed in Web of Science (WoS) or Scopus. Overall h-index of candidate should be more than 10 as per the Scopus database. OR d) Minimum of 3 years of post-Ph.D. experience and should have successfully obtained two granted patents (at least one international patent).</p> <p>Eligibility for D.Litt.</p> <p>A candidate who is awarded Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)# degree in the disciplines of Business, Humanities, Social Sciences, Design, Creative Arts and other related areas by this University or degree recognized equivalent thereto from any other University may present his/her candidacy for the Doctor of Literature (D.Litt.) provided that he/she must have:</p> <p>a) Been awarded a post-doctorate and the candidates should have published 10 research papers as the first or corresponding author in reputed journals indexed in Web of Science (WoS) or Scopus. Overall h-index of candidate should be more than 10 as per the Scopus database. OR b) Been awarded a post-doctorate and they should have successfully obtained two granted patents (at least one international patent). OR c) Minimum of 3 years of post-Ph.D. experience and the candidates should have published at least 10 research papers as the first or corresponding author in reputed journals indexed in Web of Science (WoS) or Scopus. Overall h-index of candidate should be more than 10 as per the Scopus database. OR d) Minimum of 3 years of post-Ph.D. experience and should have successfully obtained two granted patents (at least one international patent).</p>
288	Doctor of Literature (D.Litt.)	P8G		

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289	Doctor of Laws (LL.D.)	P8J	3 yrs. (Semester System) (maximum duration)	<p>Eligibility for LL.D.</p> <p>A candidate who is awarded Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)[#] degree in the disciplines of Law and related areas by this University or degree recognized equivalent thereto from any other University may present his/her candidacy for the Doctor of Laws (LL.D.) provided that the/she must have:</p> <p>a) Been awarded a post-doctorate and the candidates should have published 10 research papers as the first or corresponding author in reputed journals indexed in Web of Science (WoS) or Scopus. Overall h-index of candidate should be more than 10 as per the Scopus database. OR b) Been awarded a post-doctorate and they should have successfully obtained two granted patents (at least one international patent). OR c) Minimum of 3 years of post-Ph.D. experience and the candidates should have published at least 10 research papers as the first or corresponding author in reputed journals indexed in Web of Science (WoS) or Scopus. Overall h-index of candidate should be more than 10 as per the Scopus database. OR d) Minimum of 3 years of post-Ph.D. experience and should have successfully obtained two granted patents (at least one international patent).</p>

#The Ph.D. degree should have been awarded as per the minimum standard procedures of the concerned regulatory notified from time to time. Honoris causa degree will not be considered.

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

A candidate seeking to submit his candidacy for D.Sc./ D.Litt./ LL.D. shall apply to Division of Admissions along with the following documents and requirements:

- (i) CV with full particulars (academic and research)
- ii) A brief account of your recent research work (in about 1000 words)
- iii) List of publications, books, policy documents, newspaper articles, magazine articles etc.
- iv) 10 research papers
- v) Proof of h-index as per the Scopus database
- vi) At-least three Referrals/ Recommendation (If Applicable)
- vii) Proof of granted patents (If Applicable)
- viii) Title and proposal of research work
- ix) Research Contribution to Sustainable Development of proposed research work (in about 500 words)
- x) An application processing Fee: A non-refundable application fee of ₹3000/- is required to pay. The candidate is required to pay ₹1000/- along with the application form and after the scrutiny of application the candidate will be notified who will be required to pay an additional amount of ₹2000/- for an interview process. The payment process is as follows:
 - a) Deposit above mentioned fee to Account Name: Lovely Professional University, Account number: 1549002100028091, Bank Name: Punjab National Bank, Branch Name: Chotti Baradari-2, Jalandhar, IFSC Code: PUNB0154900, MICR: 144024008, Branch Code: 154900.
 - b) Candidate will share the proof of payment on drp@lpu.co.in
- xi) Copies of Certificates: After the successful completion of evaluation, the eligible candidate will be required to submit the hard copies of all the above mentioned documents
- xii) Admission Process:
 - a) University Post-Doctoral Research Degree Board will scrutinize and evaluate the submitted proposal for the candidacy of D. Sc./ D. Litt./ LL.D.
 - b) Upon approval, the candidate will be allowed to register for D.Sc./ D.Litt./ LL.D. by paying a semester fee of ₹50,000.

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