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ORDINANCE NO. 141

Master of Library & Information Science (M.L.I.Sc.)

(Two years Integrated Course)

1. Candidates seeking admission to this course must possess Bachelor's degree of the Pt. Ravishanker Shukla University, Raipur, or of any other University recognised by the Pt. Ravishanker Shukla University with at least second class will be admitted to the First year Examination for the degree of Master of Library and Information Science, provided they have completed a regular course of study in the teaching department of the University or in a college to Pt. Ravishanker Shukla University.
2. A Candidate who after passing the First year examination of M.L.I.Sc, has completed a regular course of study for one academic year in the teaching department or in a college affiliated to the University, shall be admitted to the second year (Final) examination for the degree of M.L.I.Sc.
They must fulfill other conditions as may be laid down by the University.
In all case of admission the decision of the Head of the department/Lib.Sc. Courses Admission committee shall be final.
3. Foreign Candidates- Applications of these candidates will be considered by the Head/Admission Committee on the basis of individual merit.
4. Scheduled Castes & Scheduled Tribes- Candidates belonging to SC,ST & OBC will form a separate category for admission and will be required to furnish evidence of belonging to a SC,ST or OBC category. There will be reservations under each category as per Government's Instructions/University Authority.

Note- The Master of Library & Information Sc. (M.L.I.Sc.) is a ~~required to produce N.O.C~~ whole time course. A candidate in service is required to produce N.O.C. from his employer with the recommendation that he will get leave for study.

5. Examination & Scheme of Papers-

- (a) The duration of the course for the Degree of Master of Library and Information Science shall be two academic years. There shall be an examination at the end of each year.
- (b) Medium of instructions of examination shall be English/Hindi.
- (c) Subject to provisions of ordinance no candidate shall be deemed to have pursued a regular course of study for the academic year unless he has attended not less than 75% of the lectures, ~~stx~~ tutorials and discussion classes, taken together, held every year.

A candidate who does not fulfill the attendance requirements as above at the end of the academic year, shall not be allowed to appear at the examination and shall be required to discontinue the course forthwith.

In case a candidate has put in the requisite attendance at the end of the first year, but has not been able to put in the requisite attendance in the ^{second} ~~xxxx~~ year, he/she shall not be permitted to appear at the second year examination. Such a candidate will have to rejoin the course in the second (Final) year immediately following, if otherwise eligible. In the following, requisite attendance put in by such a candidate will ~~xxxxxxxrejoinxxxxthe coursexxxxinxxxxthe~~ determine his eligibility to appear at the final year examination of the current year.

- (d) The scheme of the written papers and the course of study shall be prescribed every year indicated in the University prospectus.

(6. Marks and Classification

A candidate will be declared successful every year, if he/she obtains atleast-

- (a) 36% in each written paper
- (b) 36% in sessional work
- (c) 50% in aggregate of written papers and sessional work taken together.

7. Division-

No division will be assigned on the result of the First year Examination. Division will be awarded on the basis of total marks obtained in aggregate of First year and second year taken together as given below-

- (a) Second division 50% or more but less than 60%
- (b) First division 60% or more

Notwithstanding anything contained in the aforesaid ordinance any examinee, who fails in one paper but secures more than the minimum aggregate marks required, may have the deficiency of his/her marks in the paper in which he/she condoned upto the limit of 5 marks at the rate of one mark for every 10 marks earned by the candidate above the minimum aggregate. After condoning the deficiency his/her result shall be declared in the division to which his/her aggregate entitles him/her.

8. It shall be competent for the kulpati to condone the deficiency of one mark in case the candidate is failing by one mark or missing a division by one mark.

Where the deficiency is so condoned, one mark shall be added.

9. Failed Candidates-

(a) A candidate who fails in one or more papers ~~ix~~ in the First year examination or the second year examination, will be allowed to reappear in a subsequent year without again attending the course of study.

(b) A candidate who secures 50% or more marks in any paper shall not be permitted to reappear in that paper at a subsequent examination.

(c) Provided if the course of study is changed then the failed candidates are required to reappear as per revised courses/papers.

Scheme of Papers & Marks

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First Year

Paper No.	Title	Total Marks	Duration
I	Foundations of Library & Information Science	100	3 Hrs
II	Knowledge Organisation & Information Processing	100	3 Hrs
III	Information Sources & Services	100	3 Hrs
IV	Information Technology : Basics	100	3 Hrs
V	Information Analysis, Consolidation & Users Study	100	3 Hrs
VI	Information Processing Retrieval	100	3 Hrs
VII	Information Processing (Practice-I: Classification.)	100	3 Hrs
VIII	Information Retrieval (Practice - II ^I : Cataloguing)	100	3 Hrs
		Total Marks	800

Second Year

IX	Research Methods & Statistical Techniques	100	3 Hrs
X	Management of Library & Information Centres	100	3 Hrs
XI	Information and Communication	100	3 Hrs
XII	Information Retrieval	100	3 Hrs
XIII	Information Technology: Applications	100	3 Hrs
XIV	Electives: Information Systems - (Any one of the following)	100	
	(a) Management Information Systems		
	(b) Business Information Systems		
	(c) Biotechnology Information Systems		
	(d) Health Science Information Systems		
	(e) Social Sciences Information Systems		
XV.	Information Processing (Practice-II: Depth Classification)	100	3 Hrs
XVI	Information Retrieval (Practice-II-Advanced Cataloguing)	100	3 Hrs

(Note- The Schemes of Papers&allotment of Marks & Course contents may be revised from time totime as per suggestion of Board of Studies in Library & Informaetion Science).-