

CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF PUNJAB, BATHINDA

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CHAIR PROFESSOR –SHRI GURU GOBIND SINGH CHAIR

- Designation:** Shri Guru Gobind Singh Chair Professor
- Essential Qualifications:**
- a) An eminent scholar with a doctoral degree in Social Sciences (preferably Religious Studies/History/Literary or Cultural Studies) who has published work of high quality on Sikh Religion/Sikh History/Sikh Philosophy/Guru Gobind Singh Studies.
- or
- An Academic/scholar of outstanding track record in the designated areas of studies.
- b) A minimum of ten years of teaching experience at the post-graduate level in a University/College, and/or experience in research at the University/National level institutions.
- Desirable Qualifications:** A Scholar with background in Sikh Studies (may be retired) who has worked on Sh. Guru Gobind Singh and fulfils requisite criteria.
- Age:** 55-70 years
- Pay Scale:** Professor's Scale of pay of Rs. 37400-67000 (PB4) + AGP of 10,000/- (in case of a working professor is selected to chair) and Rs. 1 Lakh (Consolidated) for a retired person.
- Period of Appointment:** 5 years (can be extended for another two years subject to a maximum of 7 years, not exceeding 70 years of age)
- Duration of the Chair:** Maximum of 5 years or until the incumbent attains the age of 70 years whichever is earlier and not exceeding 70 years of age.

Areas of Study for the Chair

1. Religious, cultural and literary history

- a. Life, philosophy and work of Sh. Guru Gobind Singh Ji
- b. Religious and cultural space of medieval Punjab, especially with special reference to Sh. Guru Gobind Singh Ji
- c. Religious and cultural space of medieval India, especially with special reference to Sh. Guru Gobind Singh Ji
- d. Literary culture of medieval India, with special reference to the oeuvre of Sh. Guru Gobind Singh Ji
- e. Historical memory of Sh. Guru Gobind Singh's life, mission and work in subsequent periods
- f. Role and place of Guru Ki Kashi (Damdama Sahib) in the larger context of educational and literary leanings of Sh. Guru Gobind Singh Ji

2. Political history

- a. Origin and creation of Khalsa Panth
- b. Inter-relations amongst the Sikhs, Mughals and Hindu Rajas in medieval India, with special reference to Sh. Guru Gobind Singh Ji

3. Social history

- a. Social basis of Sikhism and Khalsa Panth, with special reference to the period of Sh. Guru Gobind Singh Ji
- b. Social relations amongst Sikhs and non-Sikhs with special reference to the period of Sh. Guru Gobind Singh Ji

4. Documentation and archives

- a. Translation and/or publication of hitherto unpublished manuscripts pertaining to the life and period of Sh. Guru Gobind Singh Ji
- b. Audio-visual documentation with special reference to Sh. Guru Gobind Singh's life and contribution, preferably in and around Bathinda (Malwa region)
- c. Creation of a descriptive bibliographical documentation with reference to literary and socio-cultural studies related to Sh. Guru Gobind Singh Ji

Academic functions, financial assistance, logistic support and additional benefits etc. will be as per UGC guidelines.

For detailed overview of requisite academic credentials for Shri Guru Gobind Singh Chair visit:

http://cup.edu.in/Recruitment/Teaching/Chairs_advertisement/Proposal%20Shri%20Guru%20Gobind%20Singh%20Chair.PDF

Other Conditions of Service:

Other conditions of service will be governed by the relevant Central University of Punjab bye-laws and rules and orders in force from time to time. In case the University bye-laws, rules and orders are silent on any service condition, the **UGC/MHRD rules would** be applicable. It will be obligatory on the part of an employee to get himself/herself acquainted with various regulations and rules and their amendments from time to time.

Procedure to apply:

- Applicant must fill online application form available at university websites: www.cup.ac.in; www.cup.edu.in.
- **Last date to apply online: 22.09. 2017 by 1700 Hours**
- Applicants are required to send the duly signed printout of the online application form along with photocopies of all the Qualifications/ Experiences/ Caste certificate/ proof of claim/NOC as made in the online application form & send the same to the below mention address. The printout of the online applications form along with supporting documents must be submitted by **29.09.2017 by 1700 Hours**

**Deputy Registrar (Establishment)
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Note: Only one set of self-attested certificates and other supporting documents are to be attached with application form.

Registrar