

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 127
TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.02.2019**

Vacant Faculty Positions in CUs

127. DR. SHASHI THAROOR:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of vacant posts for faculty in Central Universities (CUs) across the country and the designation of the vacant faculty positions, university-wise;
- (b) the number of faculty posts in CUs which have been lying vacant for more than a year, university-wise;
- (c) whether the Government has taken a review of the reasons for such large number of vacancies in faculty positions in CUs, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (d) whether the Government can list the number of faculty present as of date in each of the Central Universities and if so, the details thereof, university-wise?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(Dr. SATYA PAL SINGH)**

(a) to (d): At present, there are 41 Central Universities under the purview of the Ministry of Human Resource Development. The total number of sanctioned teaching posts in 40 Central Universities is 17425 and out of these, 6141 teaching posts are lying vacant as on 1.11.2018. In Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU), out of 454 teaching posts, 190 posts are vacant as on 31.7.2018. The University-wise details of sanctioned, filled up and vacant teaching posts are annexed.

Occurring and filling up the vacancies is an ongoing and continuous process which goes on round the year. The onus to fill up the teaching and non-teaching posts lies with the Central Universities being autonomous bodies created under Acts of Parliament. Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD) and UGC continuously monitor the filling up of the vacancies in all the Central Universities. This issue is discussed regularly in meetings with Vice Chancellors chaired by Minister of Human Resource Development and also in the Conference of Vice-Chancellors held every year under the chairmanship of Hon'ble President of India.

UGC and MHRD have also taken various steps which include providing 5 Visitor's nominees for Selection Committees of teachers for all the Central Universities, appointment of regular Vice Chancellors, enhancement of the age of superannuation for teachers in Central Educational Institutions to 65 years, etc. The UGC requested all Vice Chancellors of the Central Universities on 27th February, 2018 to prepare a time bound action plan indicating the timeline for advertisement of posts, scrutiny of applications, calling of interviews, selection/appointments of candidates etc.

Most of Central Universities had started the recruitment process for filling up of vacancies of teachers. In the meantime, the Hon'ble High Court of Allahabad passed an Order in April, 2017 directing UGC/MHRD to consider implementing the roster by taking Department as a Unit in place of University. The recruitment process was withheld in all the Central Universities as per the directives of UGC issued on 19.7.2018 in view of the SLP filed by the Government against the order of High Court of Allahabad. Now, the Hon'ble Supreme Court has dismissed the SLP Nos. 14099/2018 and 14318/2018 on 22.1.2019. With a view to protect the interests of SCs, STs and OBCs, it has been decided to file a review petition in the Supreme Court.

Annexure as referred to in reply to parts (a) to (d) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question 127 for 04.02.2019 regarding Vacant Faculty Position in CUs

Statement of Teaching positions as on 01.11.2018 indicating sanctioned/filledup/vacant positions in Central Universities

Sl. No.	Name of the State	Name of University	Name of the Post	No. of Sanctioned posts	No. of Filled up Posts	No. of Vacant Posts
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	TELAGANA	MAULANA AZAD NATIONAL URDU UNIVERSITY	Professor	47	26	21
			Associate Professor	95	48	47
			Assistant Professor	259	s	32
2		UNIVERSITY OF HYDERABAD	Professor	112	74	38
			Associate Professor	232	177	55
			Assistant Professor	228	190	38
3		THE ENGLISH & FOREIGN LANGUAGES UNIVERSITY	Professor	32	19	13
			Associate Professor	60	37	23
			Assistant Professor	146	136	10
4	CHHATTISGARH	GURU GHASIDAS VISHWAVIDYALAYA	Professor	58	12	46
			Associate Professor	108	34	74
			Assistant Professor	269	171	98
5	DELHI	UNIVERSITY OF DELHI	Professor	264	104	160
			Associate Professor	648	225	423
			Assistant Professor	794	544	250
6		JAMIA MILLIA ISLAMIA	Professor	128	73	55
			Associate Professor	203	161	42
			Assistant Professor	518	443	75
7		JAWAHARLAL NEHRU UNIV.	Professor	199	96	103
			Associate Professor	362	222	140
			Assistant Professor	334	253	81
8	MADHYA PRADESH	DR. HARISINGH GOUR VISH.	Professor	52	5	47
			Associate Professor	99	24	75
			Assistant Professor	216	180	36
9		INDIRA GANDHI NATIONAL TRIBAL UNIVERSITY	Professor	35	16	19
			Associate Professor	67	29	38

			Assistant Professor	155	127		28
10	MAHARASHTRA	MAHATMA GANDHI ANTARRASHTRIYA HINDI VISHWAVIDYALAYA	Professor	19	12		7
			Associate Professor	19	11		8
			Assistant Professor	76	57		19
11	PUDUCHERRY	PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY	Professor	67	24		43
			Associate Professor	144	87		57
			Assistant Professor	278	227		51
12	UTTARAKHAND	HEMWATI NANDAN BAHUGUNA . GARHWAL UNIVERSITY	Professor	43	12		31
			Associate Professor	84	32		52
			Assistant Professor	341	228		113
13	UTTAR PRADESH	ALIGARH MUSLIM UNIVERSITY	Professor	195	128		67
			Associate Professor	393	260		133
			Assistant Professor	1050	852		198
14	UTTAR PRADESH	BANARAS HINDU UNIVERSITY	Professor	263	156		107
			Associate Professor	537	378		159
			Assistant Professor	1205	886		319
15		BABASAHEB BHIMRAO AMBEDKAR UNIVERSITY	Professor	30	15		15
			Associate Professor	56	41		15
			Assistant Professor	120	112		8
16		UNIVERSITY OF ALLAHABAD	Professor	79	13		66
			Associate Professor	201	48		153
			Assistant Professor	572	259		313
17	WEST BENGAL	VISVA BHARATI	Professor	74	40		34
			Associate Professor	157	105		52
			Assistant Professor	423	339		84
18	BIHAR	CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH BIHAR	Professor	24	8		16
			Associate Professor	47	17		30
			Assistant Professor	113	74		39
19		MAHATMA GANDHI CENTRAL UNIVERSITY	Professor	20	1		19
			Associate Professor	40	14		26
			Assistant Professor	80	54		26
20	GUJARAT	CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF GUJARAT	Professor	24	8		16
			Associate Professor	46	17		29

			Assistant Professor	92	69		23
21	HARYANA	CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF HARYANA	Professor	30	4		26
			Associate Professor	62	22		40
			Assistant Professor	133	48		85
22	HIMACHAL PRADESH	CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF HIMACHAL PRADESH	Professor	27	4		23
			Associate Professor	53	11		42
			Assistant Professor	108	60		48
23	JAMMU & KASHMIR	CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF JAMMU	Professor	23	3		20
			Associate Professor	44	9		35
			Assistant Professor	91	83		8
24		CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF KASHMIR	Professor	23	7		16
			Associate Professor	47	6		41
			Assistant Professor	106	62		44
25	JHARKHAND	CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF JHARKHAND	Professor	25	7		18
			Associate Professor	46	15		31
			Assistant Professor	100	74		26
26	KARNATAKA	CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF KARNATAKA	Professor	21	6		15
			Associate Professor	41	8		33
			Assistant Professor	102	49		55
27	KERALA	CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF KERALA	Professor	22	11		11
			Associate Professor	43	24		19
			Assistant Professor	88	79		9
28	ORISSA	CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF ORISSA	Professor	23	0		23
			Associate Professor	43	1		42
			Assistant Professor	88	16		72
29	PUNJAB	CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF PUNJAB	Professor	24	6		18
			Associate Professor	44	17		27
			Assistant Professor	88	71		17
30	RAJASTHAN	CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF RAJASTHAN	Professor	26	5		21
			Associate Professor	51	21		30
			Assistant Professor	132	89		43
31	TAMIL NADU	CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF TAMIL NADU	Professor	22	7		15
			Associate Professor	48	16		32
			Assistant	96	71		25

			Professor				
32	ASSAM	ASSAM UNIVERSITY	Professor	45	23		22
			Associate Professor	111	85		26
			Assistant Professor	286	249		37
33		TEZPUR UNIVERSITY	Professor	50	39		11
			Associate Professor	74	55		19
			Assistant Professor	162	155		7
34	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	RAJIV GANDHI UNIVERSITY	Professor	27	11		16
			Associate Professor	44	30		14
			Assistant Professor	131	127		4
35	MANIPUR	MANIPUR UNIVERSITY	Professor	39	12		27
			Associate Professor	91	36		55
			Assistant Professor	219	175		44
36	MEGHALAYA	NORTH EASTERN HILL UNIV.	Professor	93	45		48
			Associate Professor	147	90		57
			Assistant Professor	205	181		24
37	MIZORAM	MIZORAM UNIVERSITY	Professor	47	21		26
			Associate Professor	74	45		29
			Assistant Professor	261	234		27
38	NAGALAND	NAGALAND UNIVERSITY	Professor	46	12		34
			Associate Professor	64	43		21
			Assistant Professor	150	136		14
39	SIKKIM	SIKKIM UNIVERSITY	Professor	32	8		24
			Associate Professor	71	39		32
			Assistant Professor	126	111		15
40	TRIPURA	TRIPURA UNIVERSITY	Professor	46	7		39
			Associate Professor	69	30		39
			Assistant Professor	163	136		27
	TOTAL		Professor	2456	1080		1376
			Associate Professor	4865	2570		2295
			Assistant Professor	10104	7634		2470
	GRAND TOTAL			17425	11284		6141

IGNOU (As on 31.07.2018)					
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1	DELHI	Professor	69	26	43
		Associate Professor	135	80	55
		Assistant Professor	250	158	92
	Total		454	264	190