

**Department of Persian**  
**University of Lucknow**  
**Ph.D Programme**  
**(w.e.f. academic session 2019-20)**

**Programme Objective:**

The PhD program in Persian aims at:

1. Developing critical thinking among the research scholars of the Department to address fundamental questions in their primary area of study (Research).
2. Highlighting major themes and current research problems to the researchers in their area of specialization
3. Enhancing research standards in the discipline or the inter-disciplinary project.
4. Developing research ethics among the scholars in their fields.
5. Inculcating a sense of responsibility in the researchers towards the betterment of the society and country.
6. Promoting composite culture through the inter-disciplinary researches.
7. Safeguarding rich Indo-Persian cultural heritage by encouraging research in these areas.

**Ph.D Course Work (2019-20)**  
**Paper I**  
**Research Methodology**

**Total Marks 100**

**UNIT-I**

1. Meaning, Scope, Objective and purpose of Research
2. Research Terminologies
3. Orientalism: Contribution to Persian Literature

**UNIT-II**

1. Eminent researchers of Persian and their Contribution to Persian Literature
2. Criticism in Persian Literature
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**UNIT-III**

1. Literary Styles (سبک های ادبی)
2. Different forms of Prose and poetry (انواع سخن)

**UNIT-IV**

1. Review of Published Research in the relevant field
2. Critical Analysis

**Ph.D Course Work (2019-20)**  
**Paper II**  
**Selected Research Area**

**Total Marks 100**

UNIT-I

A brief history of the area of specialization/ Relevance Study

UNIT-II

Review of Literature

UNIT-III

Important themes and issues that can be pursued in the area of specialization

UNIT-IV

Presentation of a Project