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PANJAB UNIVERSITY, CHANDIGARH

NOTICE

National Apprenticeship Training Scheme is one of the flagship programmes of Government of India for Skilling Indian Youth in Trade disciplines. The National Apprenticeship Training Scheme under the provisions of the Apprentices Act, 1961 amended in 1973; offers Graduate, Diploma students and Vocational certificate holders; a practical, hands-on On-the-Job-Training (OJT) based skilling opportunities with duration ranging from 6 months to 1 year. Board of Apprenticeship Training, Northern Region (Kanpur), sponsored by Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, had introduced a 12-month Apprenticeship Training Programme. Accordingly, the A.C. Joshi Library, Panjab University, Chandigarh invite applications for Apprenticeship Training for a period of 12 months (session 2026-2027).

Position offered:	**Apprentice Trainee in A.C. Joshi Library, Panjab University, Chandigarh (5 seats)**
Training Duration of the Apprenticeship:	**12 Months**
Stipend* (To be revised)	**In case of Bachelor in Library& Information Science (B. Lib & Inf. Sc.) Rs. 9000/- p.m.* (for 12 Months)** **&** **In case of Diploma in Library & Information Science Rs. 8000/- p.m.* (for 12 Months)** ***(To be revised)** **(No other financial benefits will be given)**
Qualifications:	**1-Year Bachelor in Library& Information Science or 3-Years Diploma in Library & Information Science**
Percentage	**55% (percentage)**

Interested candidates, who have already passed out examination **of 1-Year Bachelor in Library& Information Science or 3-Years Diploma in Library & Information Science** from the Recognized University/College/Institute/any State Board of Technical Education in India, may apply through NATS (National Apprenticeship Training Scheme) portal. In case of any query, the students may contact Dr. Suman Sumi on her phone number or on her email id 0172-2534561/ 9872114404/ suman.sumi@pu.ac.in on any working day (Monday to Friday) in between **10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

The list of eligible candidates will be displayed on the NATS portal, Notice Board of the Librarian's Office and will also be uploaded on the website of the library under the category "Notice board" (https://library.puchd.ac.in/show-noticeboard.php?nbid=1) of A.C. Joshi Library, Panjab University, Chandigarh.

Sd/- Librarian
Panjab University, Chandigarh

Note:

1. **Only those candidates will be considered for the training that are registered on the NATS portal. *click on the below link of student manual to know how to apply / get registered on the NATS portal https://nats.education.gov.in/assets/manual/student_manual.pdf**
2. **Preference will be given to those candidates who have knowledge in computer and IT, Library software anddata entry skills.**
3. **Reservation as per apprenticeship act 1961.**
4. **The candidates are required to bring original certificates on the date of test/ interview. (No TA/DAwill be paid for appearing in the selection process).**
5. **As per the Apprentices Act conveyed by B.O.A.T., (N.R.) Kanpur, those who passed the course before Five years are not eligible for apprenticeship training. In other words, the gap between the dateof declaration of results and date of recruitment should not be more than five years.**
6. **Accommodation/Hostel facility will not be provided to the selected candidates.**
7. **Last date to apply 05.11.2026.**