

INSTRUCTIONS RELATING TO THE ONLINE INTERVIEW FOR M.A. LITERARY ART, CREATIVE WRITING CANDIDATES

1. Prior to the interview date, candidates are requested to email their creative writing portfolios (max 10 pages pdf, 12 font size Times New Roman) to the Programme Coordinator of MA Literary Art, Creative Writing at akhilkatyal@aud.ac.in

Please ensure the following:

- a. Please send the portfolio as a pdf file, not exceeding 10 pages. Use 12 font size Times New Roman.
 - b. If sending audio/video work, kindly send only as a link within the pdf file.
 - c. The portfolio file names should carry the candidate's full name.
 - d. The total size of the attachments should not exceed 25mb.
 - e. The Subject of the email should be 'MALA Portfolio' followed by the candidate's full name.
2. The duration of the online interview will be approximately 10 minutes. Once candidates log in using the meeting link provided by the University, they may need to wait in the app's waiting room until it is their turn to appear for the interview.
 3. During the interview, candidates need to turn their video camera on. They need to ensure there is adequate light/visibility in the place where they are seated. At the start of the interview, candidates will be requested to show a photo identity card to the camera to establish their identity.
 4. Candidates may be required to present their portfolio using the presentation/screen share facility available on the online meeting platform/app.
 5. The interview panel members will test candidates for their:
 - a) Interest and preparedness for a practice-based, yet theoretically and conceptually oriented Masters level programme in Literary Art - Creative Writing;
 - b) Awareness regarding the field of contemporary writing;
 - c) Ability to speak about their creative writing practice persuasively with concrete examples;
 - d) Organization and presentation of the portfolio of their own written works.
 6. Please note MA Literary Art - Creative Writing is a practice-based programme and a certain amount of practical skills and familiarity with contemporary literary practices and the field is a prerequisite. Kindly consult the list of courses offered within the programme by visiting the AUD Website > Programmes > MA Literary Art - Creative Writing, so that you are well aware of the nature of the programme and the courses offered.
 7. The programme is conducted with the aim of meeting equity with excellence and full efforts are made to ensure that all students are able to sustain and enjoy the courses.