Syllabus for MPhil/ PhD in Italian Studies

The Entrance Test consists of 50 Multiple Choice Questions of different types including simple and multiple choice, match-the-following, assertion-reasoning, etc. Questions will cover the following areas:

- 1. Language Use: questions will include comprehension, grammatical categories including vocabulary of approximately B2-C1 levels of the Common European Framework.
- 2. Key concepts of literary theory, translation theory and teaching methodologies
- 3. Literary and cultural movements of Italy
- 4. Historical developments in Italy
- 5. Important authors and texts of Italian Literature (XX and XXI century)

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- 1. Language Use: questions will include basic comprehension, grammatical categories including vocabulary of approximately B1-B2 levels of the Common European Framework.
- 2. General awareness related to the history, geography, political events, political figures, sports, cinema, music and other art forms, etc. of Italy
- 3. Important authors and works and key literary epochs

NOTE: In any case, most importance is given not to factual knowledge but to comprehension and ability to reason and understand.