Appendix 1:

## Instructions for the Remote Online Reexamination of the School of

## New Media, Peking University

The interview for the recruitment and reexamination of PhD students (English-Taught PhD Program) in the School of New Media in 2025 will be conducted remotely via online meeting system. Please prepare in advance to participate in the reexamination:

- The reexamination will be conducted via the online meeting platform Tencent Meeting. Please download and install the Tencent Meeting application in advance and register an account.
- 2. Domestic version: https://meeting.tencent.com/
- 3. International version VOOV: https://voovmeeting.com/download-center.html
- 4. Please prepare a relatively enclosed, quiet, and well-lit space for interview, as well as two devices equipped with camera functions (smartphones or computers that can download and run the Tencent video conferencing platform). The main examination room uses "dual-camera" for the interview. The first camera in the front should ensure that the candidate's head and hands can be captured, and the second camera on the side rear should ensure that the candidate , the examination environment, and the examination screen can be photographed from the side and back during the video interview (as shown in the figure below). The second device is only used to monitor the examination environment, so it is essential to ensure that the second device is on mute and will not interfere with the interview process.

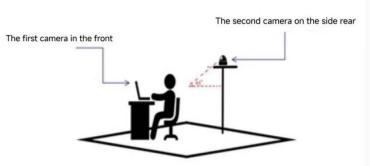


Figure 1: Video interview seating diagram

- 5. Please name the first front camera as "Candidate's Name + Front" and the second side and back camera as "Candidate's Name + Back".
- 6. Please adjust the equipment as required before the reexamination, and test the equipment and network in advance. It is not allowed to use mobile phones during the entire interview process to prevent unexpected interruptions.
- 7. All candidates are required to test the meeting system and the double-camera position at 10:00 AM on March 25, 2025. The meeting ID is 244638389. Please enter the meeting room on time. The platform test will be conducted one by one in the order of the reexamination list. Please wait patiently in the waiting room.
- 8. Each candidate will receive an email invitation one day before the reexamination. On the day of the reexamination, the staff will arrange the order of the interview by drawing lots 30 minutes before the reexamination. According to the draw results, the staff will check the identity of the candidates one by one, and give them the meeting number of the main examination room. The candidates then log on the reexamination platform using the Tencent Meeting ID and wait for the interview.
- 9. It should be noted that the following behaviors are strictly prohibited and all violate the Criminal law: the act of organizing cheating, providing cheating equipment or other assistance to others for the implementation of organized cheating, illegally selling or providing examination questions or answers to others for the implementation of exam cheating, taking the examination instead of others or allowing others to take the examination on one's behalf.
- 10. The reexamination is part of the national graduate admissions examination, and the content of the reexamination is classified as a state secret. During the reexamination process, recording, video recording, and screen recording are prohibited, and relevant information should not be leaked or disclosed.
- 11. Candidates need to choose an independent room to participate in the online remote reexamination. During the reexamination, the room must be quiet, bright, and enclosed. Throughout the reexamination, only one candidate is allowed in the interview room, no one else is permitted. Any violation will be regarded as cheating.
- 12. During the reexamination, the audio and video of the first camera must be turned on at all times, the hands should be put on the desktop, the desktop should be clean and free of clutter. The full frontal face should be facing the camera, ensuring that the head, shoulders, and hands appear in the middle of

the video screen, and keep looking at the camera. Hats, masks, sunglasses, headphones, and earrings are prohibited. Hair should not block the ears.

- 13. When taking the reexamination, the candidate must use their real name to enter the Tencent Meeting, and nicknames are prohibited. The video background must be a real environment and virtual backgrounds are prohibited. The candidates are not allowed to change their voice or alter their image.
- 14. During the reexamination, any books and materials related to the examination and any electronic devices with query functions such as electronic dictionaries are strictly prohibited from being placed in front of and around the candidate.
- 15. In case of a device or network failure during the reexamination, please contact the Academic Affairs Office of the School of New Media immediately. The contact number is 010-62756517.

The reexamination is a very important part of the graduate admissions process. Candidates are required to read and understand the above guidelines carefully, and follow the instructions of the examination staff during the interview. Good luck, everyone!