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Ph.D. PROGRAMME (Full-time/Part-time)

For Researchers/Academicians/Industrialists as Full-time/Part-Time Programme

(In All areas like Engineering, Computer Science, Basic Science, Management, Hotel Management & Tourism, Physiotherapy, Education, Health Science and also Inter-disciplinary)

Duration of the Programme:

Full-time: Minimum 3 years

Part-time: Minimum 4 years

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS FOR ADMISSION:

The required minimum qualification for admission to a Ph.D. programme shall normally be a Master's Degree in the subject/relevant field with a minimum of 55% marks or equivalent grade (50% for SC, ST or those who have minimum ten years teaching/industry experience). Or with M.Phil. Degree

ADMISSION PROCEDURE:

Admission to Ph.D. shall be through an Entrance Test and Interview.

Applications for Entrance Test shall be invited twice a year in the months of January & June, depending on the vacancies existing in each subject. Candidates who have qualified for Lectureship only in the UGC / CSIR / AICTE / NET examinations, SET examinations conducted by centre's recognized by the UGC and candidates possessing MPhil qualifications are exempted from Entrance Test. However, they shall apply with all necessary certificates and take Interview along with other candidates who have appeared for entrance test and are found eligible.

COURSE WORK EXAMINATION:

As part of course work completion, all candidates shall be required to take an examination in the prescribed manner to test his/her knowledge in his/her broad field of research and his/her academic preparation and potentials to carry out the research work. This shall be conducted by the DRC. The candidate should secure at least 50% marks in the examination for successful completion of course work.

CONSTITUTION & FUNCTIONS OF DEPARTMENT RESEARCH COMMITTEE (DRC):

- (a) This Committee is constituted for each College of the University and shall comprise of Guide(s), two other faculty members in the related area and Dean/HOD as the Chairman.
- (b) DRC shall perform the following functions:
 - (i) Invite the candidate for scrutinizing his/her research proposal to ensure that the proposal is suitable.
 - (ii) Ascertain the availability of facilities required for the proposed research.
 - (iii) Prescribe the Course Units to be taken by the candidate, and recommend exemption from the requirement if so, with justification.
 - (iv) Recommend to URC the suitability or otherwise of the candidate and his/her proposal along with relevant details and documents.
 - (v) Periodically monitor the work performance of the candidate and provide advice to candidate, wherever necessary.
 - (vi) Approve the final synopsis of the thesis on its completion and the final title of the thesis.
 - (vii) Recommend the panel of examiners.

PERFORMANCE MONITORING:

The academic/research progress of each candidate shall be monitored by the DRC. For this purpose each candidate shall submit a progress report at the end of each Semester to the Chairman, DRC through his Guide(s). DRC shall evaluate the work of the candidate and award S (Satisfactory) or U (Unsatisfactory) grade. (a) If the progress is "unsatisfactory", on the first appearance of "U" grade, a warning would be issued to the candidate. (b) If a candidate gets three "U's" or two successive "U's", his registration is liable to be terminated.

PUBLICATIONS:

The student before submitting the final synopsis of his/her Ph.D. thesis must have published minimum of three research papers as first author along with his/her research supervisor/(s) in refereed indexed journals. DRC shall constitute a Doctoral Committee, before which the student has to present the final synopsis in the form of a seminar to get approval to submit final Thesis. Thereafter, a copy of the synopsis along with the copy of published papers shall be forwarded to the URC for obtaining the permission for submitting the Thesis.

THESIS GUIDE(S)

- (i) A list of the approved guides in respective subjects will be constituted by the URC and maintained by the University.
- (ii) The Guide(s) shall be any full-time faculty member of the University/Constituent Unit with a Ph.D. degree and minimum of five years teaching experience and substantial research publications.
- (iii) An external person with proven merit and experience in the subject/area may be appointed as Co-Guide if the URC seems fit.
- (iv) No person who himself/herself has registered for Ph.D. degree at Srinivas University or any other Institution would be eligible to act as a Guide or Co-guide.

PH.D FEE STRUCTURE:

Full time Candidates 40,000/year

Part time candidates 60,000/year (Karnataka candidates)

Part Time candidates 90,000/year (Non Karnataka Candidates)

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