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NOTIFICATION

Supplementary agenda item No. 33.18 regarding guidelines for the progress linked award of DTU Teaching and Research Fellowship to the Ph. D. Students and approved by the Board of Management in its 33rd meeting held 19.08.2019 are notified as under: -

1. Full time Ph.D. students admitted w.e.f. the session 2019-20 will be paid a consolidated amount of Rs. 32500/- (inclusive HRA and any other allowance) per month and a contingency of Rs. 17500/- annually. They will also be assigned a teaching load of 08 hours (lab/lectures) per week by the department.
2. They shall become eligible to be considered for an enhanced amount of Rs. 36000/- per month after getting acceptance/ publishing one SCI/SSCI Index Journal paper. The paper published must have been communicated after his/her date of Ph.D. admission at Delhi Technological University and the sole authors of the paper must be the candidate/ or candidate and supervisor(s) both, as per requirement of Ph.D. Ordinance 2017, Clause R15.2(iii).
3. A committee consisting of Chairman DRC, HoD, Supervisor(s) and a nominee of the Vice Chancellor will consider the request of the candidate for enhancement of fellowship and will give specific recommendations to the Dean-PG who will send the case for approval of the Vice Chancellor.

In case Supervisor of the candidate happens to be the DRC Chairman and/or HoD, then Vice Chancellor will nominate another senior Professor from the department to this committee.

4. In case a Ph.D. scholar publishes or got accepted second SCI Index Journal paper, then he/she may be considered to be eligible for enhanced fellowship amount of Rs. 40000/- per month by the same procedure as mentioned above. However, again the sole authors of the paper must be the candidate/ or candidate and supervisor(s) both, as per requirement of Ph.D. Ordinance 2017, Clause R15.2(iii).
5. In general a candidate will be awarded fellowship only up to 04 years from his date of admission; however it can be extended to fifth year in case he has published at least two papers as per the specifications given in Ph. D Ordinance 2017, Clause R15.2(iii).
6. Full time Ph.D. Scholars admitted w.e.f. 01/08/2017 will be considered eligible for enhancement from JRF to SRF or for fifth year of fellowship only if they have publications as per specifications given in Ph.D. Ordinance 2017.

7. To encourage the existing full time registered Ph.D. students without fellowship, it was decided that they may also be eligible to be considered for the award of Ph.D. fellowship at the rate of Rs.36000/40000 per month plus contingency in case they publish one/two SSCI/SCI index journal papers as per specification given in Ph.D. Ordinance 2017, subject to availability of fellowships at in that academic year.


All eligible cases will be considered once in the odd semester, and once in the even semester. If approved, they will be awarded fellowship w.e.f. the subsequent 1st August or 1st January as applicable. However, no arrear will be given in any such cases and the fellowship will be awarded maximum up to four/five years, as the case may be, from their date of admission to the Ph.D. program. They will also be assigned a teaching load of 8 hrs. per week.

8. In case X number of fellowships are announced by the University at the beginning of an academic year, then a suggested distribution can be as under:

Direct Admissions	:	70% of X Fellowships
Existing Admitted Scholar(s)	:	30% of X Fellowships

However, the number of fellowships to be announced for a specific academic year and their distribution will be decided by a Committee with Vice-Chancellor as Chairman, Pro Vice-Chancellor, Dean (PG), Dean (IRD) as Members and Registrar as its Member Secretary.

9. In case a Ph.D. scholar getting fellowship submits his/her thesis before the expiry of the duration of fellowship; then he/she will continue to get the fellowship till the expiry of the duration or till the end of that semester, that is, up to 30th November for odd semester and 30th June for even semester, whichever is earlier.
10. The students already admitted in the Ph.D. program without fellowship will not be allowed to apply afresh against any subsequent admission announcement. A student will be considered to be eligible only if he/she is not on the roll of Ph.D. program of the University on or before the date of his/her submitting application against the fresh admission program announced.


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Registrar

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