

**UGC Non-NET Fellowship for PhD and MPhil Scholars under UGC XII Plan General Development Assistance vide UGC D.O. No. F.87-1-2012(SU) dated 24<sup>th</sup> June 2013**

The UGC has sanctioned Rs.10 crore for this fellowship for the entire XII<sup>th</sup> plan period for release of fellowship to the eligible MPhil and PhD Scholars. Prior to that, the UGC had issued the following DOs describing quantum of fellowship and contingency as well as some eligibility criterion:

- 1) No. F.14-2/2008(NS/PE) dated 19<sup>th</sup> June 2012
- 2) No. F.14-2/2008(NS/PE) dated 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2013 and
- 3) No. F.14-2/2008(NS/PE) dated 4<sup>th</sup> July 2013

Guidelines for UGC Non-NET Fellowship for PhD and MPhil Scholars

For Ph.D Scholars

- a) The scholars who are registered under **full time Ph.D Programme** in the University is eligible for fellowship @ Rs. 8,000 p.m. and it is applicable to the scholars who are not NET qualified and are not receiving any fellowship/scholarship/salary from any source. However, NET (LS) scholars, who are not receiving any fellowship/scholarship/salary from any source, are also eligible for the fellowship. The Fellowship shall be started from the date of Ph. D. Registration or 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2012, which ever is later in Science Subjects and Humanities & Social Science subjects. It will be awarded for three years from the date of registration in general and extendable up to one year after recommendation of the Ph. D. Research Committee of the relevant Department and approval of the relevant Doctorate Committee.
- b) Reimbursement of contingency will be allowed @ Rs. 10,000 p.a. for Science Subjects and @ Rs. 8,000 p.a. for Humanities and Social Science subjects under this scheme during the fellowship period as in (a).

For M. Phil Scholars

- c) The students who are enrolled under **full time M. Phil Programme** in the University in Science Subjects and Humanities & Social Science subjects are eligible for fellowship @ Rs. 5,000 p.m. and it is applicable to the M. Phil. Students who are not receiving any fellowship/scholarship /salary from any source. The Fellowship shall be started from the date of admission or 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2012, which ever is later. The Fellowship shall continue till end of the M. Phil. programme.
- d) Reimbursement of contingency will be allowed @ Rs. 10,000 p.a. for Science Subjects and @ Rs. 8,000 p.a. for Humanities and Social Science subjects under this scheme during the programme period as in (c).

**Common Rules for all Ph.D & M. Phil Scholars:**

- e) It is applicable to eligible scholars w.e.f. 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2012.
- f) Monthly fellowship shall be released on submission of attendance/performance report from the Department/School.
- g) No House Rent Allowance (HRA) is admissible to the scholar.
- h) The scholar should refund the entire amount of fellowship drawn for the period during which he/she has received any fellowship/scholarship/salary (part time/full time) from any other source.
- i) The scholarship is liable to be terminated, if (a) the scholar is found to be involved in any act of misconduct or any other ground which may be considered detrimental to the interest of the university by the competent authority and (b) the academic performance of the scholar as assessed by the relevant academic body of the university, is not satisfactory such as work-in-progress seminars/ workshop in the department etc.

As per decision of the meeting held on 22.07.2013 in the chamber of the Vice-Chancellor in presence of the VC, Dean Arts, Dean FET, Dean ISLM, Registrar, FO, JR(SGS), DY FO.