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NOTIFICATION

Sub: Submission of Applications for Recognition as Research Supervisor at VTU reg...
Ref.: Approval by Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, dated 28-03-2024.

Applications are invited from prospective Research Supervisors having Doctoral Degree in the Faculty of Civil Engineering Sciences, Mechanical Engineering Sciences, Electrical and Electronics Engineering Sciences, Computer and Information Sciences, Technology, Management, Applied Sciences, and Faculty of Architecture., working in recognized academic institutions and/or Scientists/Engineers/ working in recognized research Establishments/ Industries.

(A) The requisites of applicants for consideration as Research Supervisors/Co-Supervisor are as follows;

- Applicants shall have Ph.D. Degree from a UGC recognized University in the relevant discipline (Engineering/Technology / Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and Geology / Management Studies / Computer Applications/Architecture).

- An applicant shall be a full-time regular Faculty working in VTU approved Research Centres at the University Departments/ Constituent College/Affiliated Colleges (Autonomous and Non-Autonomous) under VTU / VTU recognized Research Centres at other Academic and Research Institutions / Scientists or Engineers working regularly in a VTU recognized research establishment or industry.

- Applicants working in any other recognized Universities/Academic and Research Institutions / Scientists or Engineers on regular basis in research establishments or industries/and not having approved Research Centre of VTU shall be considered only as Co-Supervisors.

- In case, an applicant has a Ph.D. Degree from Foreign University, he/she shall submit an equivalence certificate obtained from the Association of Indian Universities (AIU) along with the application.

- The applicants should have research experience of at least one academic year, after obtaining the provisional Ph.D. Degree.

Applicants must have the Research publications to his / her credit as under;

(iv) **Professor Cadre:** Must have published atleast five research publications in peer-reviewed or refereed journals, of which one publication must be in a UGC Care journal/ any journal indexed under SCOPUS/SCI/WoS.

(v) **Associate Professor Cadre:** Must have atleast Five research publications in peer-reviewed or refereed journals of which one must be in a UGC Care journal/any journal indexed under SCOPUS/SCI/WoS.

(vi) **Assistant Professor Cadre:** Must have atleast three research publication in peer-reviewed or refereed journals of which one must be in a UGC Care journal/any journal indexed under SCOPUS/SCI/WoS.

In the case of applicants from Research establishments/industries, the requirements would be mapped with one of the above-referred cadres.

Applicants who have patents or substantial research grants would be given the due weightage.

(B) Obligations of the applicants after recognition as Research Supervisor/Research Co-Supervisor

The recognized Research Supervisors shall function as Research Supervisors or Research Co-Supervisors to supervise Ph.D./M.S.(Research)/ Integrated Ph.D. Scholars.

The recognized Research Supervisors and Research Co-Supervisors shall strictly adhere to the VTU Ph.D. Regulations - 2023 and to the amendments notified from time to time.

In case, the University allots Candidate/s, without seeking the consent of the Research Supervisors/Research Co-Supervisors, the Supervisors shall accept the responsibility of supervising the Research Scholar/s.

Whenever the Research Supervisors/Research Co-Supervisors change their place of working, they shall inform the same to the University and update the information along with the age of superannuation at the new place of work.

General Instructions to Applicants for submission of applications

The applicants shall submit the softcopy of their particulars by filling the online format available on the home page of the online portal **https://jnanashodha.vtu.ac.in** under "Application for Research Supervisor recognition". **from 05:30PM.on 02-04-2024 to 05:30PM on 16-04-2024.** The Online Fee of Rs.2000/- has to be paid to VTU, directly using by online mode through the payment gateway.

For applying, applicants are requested to refer to the user manual provided under "Application for Research Supervisor/Co-Supervisor recognition".

The applicants shall also send the printout of the submitted form along with the enclosures specified in the application to The Registrar, Visvesvaraya Technological University, Belagavi – 590018 **On or before 22-04-2024.** The envelope should be super scribed as "Application for Research Supervisor".

In case, any assistance for completing the online application and submission is required, the applicants shall submit any technical queries, write to phdsupport@vtu.ac.in. rnddirector@vtu.ac.in.

Acceptance or rejection of an application shall be at the discretion of the University.

The university has discretionary power of relaxing the eligibility conditions in case of deserving applicants with exceptionally good research profiles concerning patents, research projects executed, grants received, etc.

The norms for recognition of the supervisors or related matters will be as per the guidelines issued by statutory bodies viz., UGC/AICTE, and University from time to time.

Incomplete applications and not forwarded through the Head of Institution shall be rejected.

This notification does not apply to Research Supervisors/ Research Co-Supervisors who have already been recognized as Research Supervisors by VTU.

REGISTRAR

To,
1. The Principal of all Affiliated, Autonomous, and Constituent Colleges under the ambit of VTU, Belagavi.
2. All Chairpersons of Department VTU Belagavi.
3. The Heads of Recognized Research Centers of VTU.
4. The Regional Director (I/c), of VTU's Regional Office at Bengaluru, Belagavi, Kalaburagi, and Mysuru.
5. The Director, R&D, VTU, Belagavi for information.
6. The Director (I/c), ITISMU VTU, Belagavi for information and uploading on a website.

Copy to:
1. The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, through the Secretary to VC, VTU, Belagavi
2. The Registrar's office, VTU, Belagavi for information
3. The Registrar (Evaluation), VTU, Belagavi for information
4. Office copy.