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### REVISED CIRCULAR

Sub: Research and Publication Ethics (CIE) Coursework for Research Scholars-reg.  
Ref1:VTU/COE/2025-26/948/116 Dated 08/04/2026.  
Ref2: VTU Regulations (Ph.D.) / M. S. (Research)-2023.

With reference to the above subject, Research and Publication Ethics (RPE-CIE) Coursework for the research scholars who have registered for the Ph.D.(Part-Time/Full Time)/M.S.(Research)-program.

All provisionally registered research scholars are required to register for the course "Research and Publication Ethics (RPE-20RPE000)", which will be conducted by the university in a blended mode. Research scholars must register for the **online component** of the course (RPE-CIE) by paying a **registration fee of Rs.800**. This fee must be paid **directly to VTU** through the online payment gateway using their respective login credentials at:  
<https://jnanashodha.vtu.ac.in>

The research scholars (USN: XX21XX, XX22XX, XX23XX, and XX24XX) have to register for "Research and Publication Ethics (RPE-CIE)" on or before 15-04-2026.

In view of the above, VTU Centre for Online Education, Mysuru, will be providing e-resources (video lectures and PowerPoint presentations) and conducting Internal Assessments as per VTU Regulations (Ph.D) / M.S.(Research) - 2023 through the VTU-COE portal. ([online.vtu.ac.in](http://online.vtu.ac.in)). The detailed schedule will be notified soon.  
For RPE Coursework registration & confirmation Queries, contact [phd@vtu.ac.in](mailto:phd@vtu.ac.in), and for any issues related to VTU-COE portal, schedules, and technical assistance, contact [vtucoe.online@gmail.com](mailto:vtucoe.online@gmail.com) / 8971745133/9739866930

Note: Scholars who have already secured marks in the "Research and Publication Ethics (RPE-CIE)" course are not required to register again.

The contents of this notification may be brought to the notice of all the concerned.

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