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**Sub:** Appointment of RAC Members for Research Scholars bearing USN-25 reg...

With reference to the above subject, it is hereby informed that the constitution of the Research Advisory Committee (RAC) is mandatory for the Research Scholars admitted during the academic years 2025–2026. Therefore, all the Principals of Colleges under the ambit of VTU / Chairpersons of University Departments / Directors, Principals or Deans of Architecture Colleges or Schools / Heads or In-charge Persons of the recognized Research Centers located in State, Central, Private, Corporate Organizations, Research Laboratories, Research Organizations, and Research Institutions are requested to constitute the Research Advisory Committee (RAC) for the eligible Research Scholars as per the VTU Ph.D. Regulations– 2023.

The concerned authorities shall submit the details of the Research Advisory Committee (RAC) through their respective login credentials in the Jnanashodha Portal: (<https://jnanashodha.vtu.ac.in>.)

The portal for submission of RAC details will remain open from **11-05-2026 to 30-05-2026 up to 05:00 PM**.

The concerned are requested to refer to the User Manual available in the above portal while filing the application.

Further, it is hereby informed that the Coursework Selection process for the Research Scholars will be enabled only after the approval of the Research Advisory Committee (RAC).

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1. The Principals 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.

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