

Full time Ph.D Research Scholar Fellowship Policy (with effect from AY 2024-25)

New Horizon College of Engineering offers research fellowship assistantships to full-time Ph. D research scholars admitted to the research centers of the institution through VTU. The research fellowship scheme of NHCE, is open to candidates who are registered in Research Centre of various departments of New Horizon College of Engineering (VTU) as full time Ph. D scholars after fulfilling the eligibility criteria as per VTU.

Objective:

The objective of the research fellowship scheme is to enable students who are registered to Full Time Ph.D Programme in NHCE to produce high quality research and publication, leading to the award of a Ph.D degree as per VTU norms. This policy is aimed to help research scholars to complete the degree requirements as per VTU.

Common Features of a Ph.D Fellowship:

1. Eligibility Criteria:

- The candidate must be registered to the full time Ph.D Programme in any of the VTU research centres of New Horizon College of Engineering, Bengaluru
- Academic eligibility and admission process are as per VTU norms.
- Admission process is through VTU Entrance Test. Application, interview process and other formalities as prescribed by VTU
- o VTU Ph.D regulations are applicable to all research scholars admitted to the VTU research centres of the institution
- o The candidate must not be in employment.
- The candidate must not be in receipt of any other fellowship from other sources including Government and Non-Government fellowships scheme.

2. Fellowship Details:

- o Stipend: Monthly financial support provided.
- o College Fee: Waived off completely.
- o Duration: 3 years or till the completion of the programme whichever is less.

Benefits:

- 1. All full time Ph.D research scholars are eligible for college fee waiver in the form of scholarship.
- 2. The fellowship Rs. 20,000 /- per month will be paid to all full time Ph.D research scholars on monthly basis for the period of 3 years or till the completion of the programme whichever is less
- 3. Fellowship amount will be paid based on satisfactory performance reports from the Ph.D supervisors.
- 4. All the full time Ph.D research scholars are required to take a teaching load of 10 units (5 hrs / week) per academic term towards the support of teaching learning process in the institution assigned by the respective department.

- 5. Financial assistance will be given for research publications in Q-rated Journals and Scopus indexed Conferences, book chapters, patent publication as per Research promotion policy of the institution.
- 6. Free transport facility will be provided in Institution buses.
- 7. Employment opportunity will be provided based on the vacancy after successful completion of Ph.D Degree.

Cancellation of fellowship:

This fellowship is liable to cancellation in case of

- a. Misconduct
- b. Unsatisfactory performance of research work/failure in anu examination related to Ph.D
- c. Any false information furnished by the applicant or any fraudulent activity by the research awardee shall lead to penal action against him/her/them.
- d. Transfer to other institution.

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