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Advertisement for Departmental Research Fellowship (DRF)
(School of Physical Sciences)

In response to the circular (Ref. No. PAHSUS/ARD/Research Section/ 2022/7346, dated 16/09/2022), the School of Physical Sciences, Punyashlok Ahilyadevi Holkar, Solapur University, Solapur invites application from eligible Ph.D. research students for the award of Departmental Research Fellowship for Two (02) posts. The filled application form should be submitted to the Director, School of Physical Sciences, on or before 29/11/2025. Details regarding Eligibility criteria, selection procedure, fellowship amount, and application form are available on the University website.

[Signature]
 Director 19/11/2025

School of Physical Sciences,
 P. A. H. Solapur University, Solapur

Director
School of Physical Sciences
Punyashok Ahilyadevi Holkar
Solapur University, Solapur.

School of Physical Sciences, Punyashlok Ahilyadevi Holkar

Solapur University, Solapur

School of Physical Science

1. Name of the post - Departmental Research Fellowship (DRF)

2. Number of Vacancies. - Two (02)

- 3. Eligibility.** -
1. Only full time Ph.D. Research students shall be eligible to apply for Departmental research fellowship (DRF) whose Research guide is a faculty member of the School of Physical Sciences, Punyashlok Ahilyadevi Holkar Solapur University, Solapur.
 2. A Candidate having at least 55 % Marks at M. Sc. Degree of the P.A.H. Solapur University, Solapur is eligible to apply. The upper age limit will be 28 years and relax able to 5 years in case of reserve categories, Women and Physical handicapped applicants. The selection will be made purely on the basis of merit.

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Director
School of Physical Sciences
Punyashok Ahilyadevi Holkar
Solapur University, Solapur.
19/11/25

**PUNYASHLOK AHILYADEVI HOLKAR
SOLAPUR UNIVERSITY, SOLAPUR**

Departmental Research Fellowship (DRF)

GENERAL:

Looking at the recent trends, and emerging areas in the research field there is need to encourage large number of students from Solapur University jurisdiction to take the opportunities in research field and have a free access to the research work facilities. As large number of students are from rural areas, and due to their financial problems they are unable to avail the research facilities. In view of this it is proposed to introduce fellowship scheme to the deserving research students, which is coined as 'Solapur University Departmental Research Fellowship' from the academic year 2013-2014.

One fellowship will be awarded to each school and it can be assigned to next candidate after the successful completion tenure of the first research student, who has received the fellowship. The fellowship is entitled only within the university premises schools.



ELIGIBILITY:

A candidate having at least 55% marks at M.A./M.Sc./M.Com./M.Ed./M.C.A. degree of the Solapur University is eligible to apply. The upper age limit will be 28 years and relaxable up to 5 years in case of reserve categories, women, and physical handicapped applicants. The selections will be made purely on the basis of merit.

SELECTION PROCEDURE:

- Every eligible candidate who has already registered for Ph. D. the University Department can apply along with copies of certificates and an undertaking that he/she is not a recipient of any financial assistance from any agency for the Ph.D. studies, not employed elsewhere and will not give up award before completing the tenure which is subject to recovery.
- The application along with the copies of the testimonials should be submitted to the respective Directors of the School in person or by the Registered A.D. Post.
- The Departmental Research Committee will scrutinize the applications, and after taking oral interview the committee will recommend the name of candidate for the award of fellowship to University authorities.
- The candidate selected for the award of fellowship will be informed accordingly by the ARD Section of the University.
- Preference will be given to the reserved categories, women and Physically handicapped applicants; on the basis of merit.
- Applications for the award of DRF will be invited by floating advertisement on the university website and copy of same will be circulated to all schools in the University premises.

TENURE & EMOLUMENTS:

- The tenure of the DRF will be initially for a period of 2 years extendable for 1 more year only after rigorous assessment of the work done for first 2 years.
- The value of DRF will be Rs. 10,000/- p.m.

- The contingency grant of Rs. 5,000/- p.a. will be payable for purchase of chemicals, consumables, field work, attending seminars / symposia / workshops etc. in relation to the research work including stationary. However, annual expenditure on stationary will not exceed 20% of the annual component, as per details given in all expenditure incurred by the scholar will have to be certified by the research guide / supervisor and the Director of the School concerned.
- If the recipient of the Departmental Research Fellowship fails to complete the research work, he/she will have to refund the entire amount of fellowship and contingency grant received during the fellowship period.

OPERATIONAL FEATURES:

- At the end of every month, a progress report in the prescribed proforma will be sent to the BCUD Section for payment of DRF.
- The remark of the guide in monthly report should be SATISFACTORY / GOOD PROGRESS / VERY GOOD PROGRESS, otherwise the monthly fellowship will not be drawn.
- The researcher can avail 30 days leave with fellowship in a year.
- The tenure of the DRF will continue from the date of joining the DRF award and the fellow will work as a full-time researcher during the summer and winter vacations.
- In extreme emergency such as accident/severe illness, the fellow will be granted 1 month medical leave during the entire tenure of the DRF.
- Applications for discontinuation of DRF will be submitted to the Vice-Chancellor with the recommendation of the Departmental Research Committee.
- For the award of DRF of Solapur University, the guide or co-guide (if taken) of the candidate must be a regular / retired teacher of the University.

Any problem in context of the rules and procedural matters will be referred to the Honorable Vice-Chancellor for final decision.

EXTENSION : 3rd YEAR

The researcher any time after completing his tenure of first 21 months, however, not after completing 24 months, will submit a detailed work-done report duly signed by the researcher and his guide to the concerned Director of the School. On receipt of the work-done report, the Director of the School will put before the Departmental Research Committee and the committee will take review of the work-done report and recommend to the Vice-Chancellor whether the 3rd year extension should be/should not be granted to the fellow. The work-done report will have to be submitted to the Vice-Chancellor before or after the completion of the 24th months of the tenure of the researcher.

GENERAL

To facilitate speedy day-to-day working of the Research scholarship, the following power can be exercised by the Guides of Research student in concurrence with the Director of the, 9chbol.

1. Sanctioning of leave when it is due.
2. Approving of tours of Research Fellows for attending Symposia /Seminars/Conferences in India provided Fellow is presenting paper/papers which has been accepted and for attending workshop/training courses relevant to the research work.
3. Field work connected with the research.

4. Computation work.
5. Consulting rare reference volumes in the nearest University / Research Institution library.
6. The fellows may be given maximum 2 clock hour teaching / practical work in a week.
7. The researcher should perform biometry and remain present for at least 8 hours in the Department.

Utilization of contingent grant for :

1. Actual II class train fare and D. A. during tours for attending Symposia / Seminars / Conferences / Workshops and Training Courses and field work.
2. Chemicals / consumable items required for the research work.
3. Photographic materials for research.
4. Computation charges.
Stationary and postal charges (Stationary expenditure to be limited @ 20% of the annual component).
6. Registration fee for attending conference / seminar/ symposia etc.

Note: Stationary items such as pen, pencils, folders, file covers, carbon papers etc. will not be considered for payment.



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here firmly affix your
recent photograph duly
attested from Director
of the School
(3.5 c.m. x 4.5 c.m.)

Application form for Departmental Research Fellowship (DRF)

Particulars of the Student

1. Subject :
2. Name in full (in block letters beginning with surname) :
3. Address for communication :
4. Mobile No. : DISTRICT PINCODE
5. Date of Birth :
6. Gender : Male / Female
7. Education Qualification :

Name of the degree	Name of the Board/University	Year of Passing	Class/Grades Percentage	Subject offered

8. Whether belongs to SC/ST/VJ-NT/OBC etc. :
9. Physically Handicapped : YES / NO
10. Area of Research :
11. Date of Ph.D. Registration :
12. No of Publications * (if any) :
13. No of Conferences / seminars / workshop attended * (if any) :
(*Give details on separate sheet)
14. Are you availing any scholarship/stipend or financial help from any agency ? :

I undertake to abide myself by the rules and regulations in existence and those may be made from time to time in this behalf by PAH Solapur University, Solapur.

Yours faithfully,

Date : / /20

Signature _____