

MANGALORE UNIVERSITY



**GUIDELINES FOR THE AWARD OF POST-DOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS TO CANDIDATES
BELONGING TO SCHEDULED CASTES AND SCHEDULED TRIBES**

1. Introduction

Mangalore University has instituted the Post-Doctoral Fellowship (PDF) to scholars belonging to Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes to pursue Post-Doctoral programme in Mangalore University from the year 2013-14.

2. Objective

The objective of instituting this scheme is to enable the SC/ST candidates to conduct advanced studies and research in the various disciplines of Mangalore University; to provide them an opportunity to make significant contribution in their chosen field; and to broaden their expertise and improve their professionalism.

3. Eligibility

SC/ST candidates who hold Ph.D. degree are eligible to apply for this fellowship. Applicants who have already submitted their Ph.D. theses and waiting for the award of their degrees are also eligible to apply but their selection will be subject to the condition that they would obtain Ph.D. degree before the registration to the Post-Doctoral programme on award of this Fellowship.

SC/ST candidates who apply from the States other than Karnataka or who have migrated from other states to Karnataka or who have done their lower studies in Karnataka are not eligible for this Fellowship. Suitable action will be initiated as per the relevant law, if candidates found to be ineligible in terms of their educational qualification, caste status, etc.

4. How to Apply

The candidates belonging to SC/ST category fulfilling the eligibility conditions as above are required to apply in the prescribed format available at www.mangaloreuniversity.ac.in. Application duly filled in the prescribed format and complete in all respect should be sent to:

The Registrar
Mangalore University
Mangalagangothri- 574199

Last date for submitting application: 31.01.2014

Applications sent through post should be clearly superscripted as follows:

“Application for SC-ST Post-Doctoral Fellowship in Mangalore University”

5. Selection Procedure

Selections will be made based on the soundness of the proposed research topic/project followed by interview of shortlisted candidates by the committee chaired by Hon'ble Vice Chancellor.

6. Nature of Fellowship Facility:

Initially 12 fellowships are available (10 for SCs and 2 for STs) starting from this year 2013-14. The tenure of the award is two years with a provision of extension for only one year.

The financial assistance available under this scheme is as follows:

Fellowship	@Rs.15,000/- p.m.
Contingency	@Rs.20,000/- p.a.

No separate/fixed medical assistance is provided. However, the Post Doctoral Fellows may avail the medical facilities available in the University.

7. Leave:

Leave for maximum period of 30 days in a year in addition to public holidays may be availed with the approval of the Supervisor. However, they are not entitled to any other vacations, such as summer, winter and pooja vacations. Women candidates are eligible for maternity leave at full rates of the Fellowship as per the concerned law.

8. Procedure for release of the Fellowship:

The candidates selected for the award of this PDF will be automatically enrolled for the Post -Doctoral programme in the concerned PG Department of Mangalore University. Such enrollment will be effective from the date of joining (duty-reporting) into the concerned PG Department by the candidate on award of this PDF and he/she will be eligible for the Fellowship from that date of joining. Selected candidates will have to enter into an agreement with the university before the release of the first installment of the fellowship through a bond.

9. Monitoring the Progress:

The progress of the research is monitored by the designated research Supervisor and the concerned Chairperson of the Department. The Candidate is required to submit a half-yearly progress report of the research work duly certified by the Supervisor and forwarded by the Chairperson of the concerned P.G Department to the Registrar and SC-ST Cell.

10. Cancellation of Award:

The fellowship is liable to cancellation, in case of:

- Misconduct.
- Unsatisfactory progress of research work.
- Candidate is later found ineligible in terms of educational qualification, caste status etc.

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No.MU/SCT-Cell/PDF/2013-14

Office of the Registrar
Mangalagangothri - 574199
Date: 10.01.2014

NOTIFICATION

Sub: Post–Doctoral Fellowship to Scheduled Castes/ Scheduled Tribes Candidates.

Ref: 1. Proceedings of the SC/ST Standing Committee dated: 05.07.2013.
2. Approval of the Syndicate dated: 24.07.2013.

The Mangalore University has instituted Post–Doctoral Fellowships (PDF) to the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Candidates.

Initially twelve Post–Doctoral Fellowships will be awarded (10 for SCs/ 2 for STs), from this academic year 2013-14.

The Post–Doctoral Fellowship carries a monthly fellowship of Rs.15,000/- and an annual contingency of Rs.20,000/-.

The objectives of this fellowship is to provide opportunity for the eligible SC/ST scholars to conduct advanced studies and research in various disciplines of Mangalore University.

The candidates with good academic record with a Ph.D. degree in Arts, Science, Commerce, Education and related disciplines will be eligible for this Post–Doctoral Fellowship.

Duly filled in **applications shall reach this office not later than 31.01.2014.**

Application format and guidelines may be downloaded from University website www.mangaloreuniversity.ac.in

REGISTRAR.

To,

1. The Chairpersons/Co-ordinators, all the P.G. Departments with a request to bring it to the notice of all SC/ST Teachers/Research Scholars.
2. The Chairman, Dept. of Microbiology/Bio-Chemistry/Physics/ P.G. Centre, Cauvery Campus, Madikeri and Chikka Aluvvara, Kushalnagara.

Copy To:

1. The Registrar (Evaluation), Mangalore University, Mangalagangothri.
2. The Librarian, University Library, Mangalore University, Mangalagangothri.
3. The Finance Officer, Mangalore University, Mangalagangothri.
4. The Directors of Physical Education/Student Welfare/College Development Council/All Study Centres/Chairs, Mangalore University, Mangalagangothri.
5. The Principal, University College, Mangalore
6. The Principal, F.M.K.M.C. College Madikeri
7. The Principal of all Affiliated/Autonomous Colleges of Mangalore University.
8. The Deputy Registrar/ Deputy Registrar (Evaluation), Mangalore University, Mangalagangothri.
9. The Special Officer, SC/ST Cell, Mangalore University, Mangalagangothri.
10. The Director, Computer Centre, Mangalore University, Mangalagangothri – **with a request to publish in the University website.**
11. The Assistant Registrars, ACC/DEV/EST/SC-ST-Cell, Mangalore University, Mangalagangothri.
12. The Public Relations Officers, Mangalore University, Mangalagangothri.
13. P.S. to the Vice Chancellor/P.A. to the Registrar, Mangalore University, Mangalagangothri.

5. Subject :

6. Academic qualification:

Sl. No.	Examination	Year	University	% of marks & division	Subject Studied
1.	SSLC				
2.	Graduation				
3.	Post-graduation				
4.	Ph.D.				

(Please attach copies UG, PG and Ph.D. Certificate and PG marks cards)

7. Date of birth (day/month/year):

8. Details of JRF/NET/SLET examination qualified :

Name of Organizer	Roll Number	Year of Passing

9. Publication of research papers: Yes/No :

- (a) If yes, please indicate the number of papers published/accepted in standard refereed journals: (i) Indian (ii) Foreign (A list of research papers published/accepted for publication should be attached. It should give, for each publication, the title, name of all authors, name of journal, volume, number, year and pages. Enclose copies of reprints and accepted papers. Photocopy of the letter of acceptance from the editor should be enclosed for papers accepted for publication.)
- (b) Presentation of papers in seminars, workshops, conferences, etc.:
(National/International):
(Attach details indicating the title of the paper presented and name of the conference/
Seminar)
- (c) Teaching/work experience, if any (indicate the number of years)

10. Title of Ph.D. thesis:

11. Proposed topic of post-doctoral research work to be undertaken during Fellowship :

(Describe in detail on a separate sheet, the research proposal you would like to pursue, along with year- wise plan of work for two years. The proposal I should be made in Consultation with the Supervisor/Guide with whom you intend to work)

12. Name of the Supervisor/Guide:

(Please write a paragraph on his/her research interest)

13. Whether belong to Scheduled Caste or Scheduled Tribe. (State the name of caste/tribe):

14. Any other relevant information:

15. Candidate's Undertaking:

- a) I hereby certify that I am not in receipt of any other award/ fellowship/ scholarship/gainful employment in Government or Private Sector and the above particulars are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
- b) I hereby undertake to state that all the conditions as given in the Advertisement/ Guidelines of this PDF are acceptable to me.
- c) I also undertake to state that all the information furnished by me in this application regarding my educational qualification, caste status etc. are true and genuine and if anything found otherwise either on any complaint or suspicion on any future occasion my admission to this Post Doctoral course shall be cancelled and suitable action shall be initiated against me including the termination of this PDF and recovery of the same amount which would have paid there unto if the competent authority invalidates my caste certificate.

Signature of the Candidate

Name:

Date:

16. Supervisor's Certificate :

- (i) I recommend the candidate for the award and undertake to guide/supervise her/his for the research work. General facilities required such as laboratories, equipment, etc. are available in the department and will be provided to the applicant.
- (ii) This research proposal has not been submitted to any other agency for financial assistance.

Signature

Name

Designation of Supervisor

Date

17. HOD's Certificate :

Necessary facilities are available and will be provided for the research work on the above topic during the tenure of the award if the candidate gets selected for the same.

Signature

Name

Date

(Chairperson of the Department)