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Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan)

सामाजिक न्याय और अधिकारिता मंत्रालय / Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment

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6th Nov., 2020

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Sub: NATIONAL FELLOWSHIP FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES (NFPwD) - 2018-20

Dear Candidate,

With reference to your application for the National fellowship for Persons with Disabilities, I am pleased to inform you that based on the recommendations of the Expert Committee; the UGC has selected you for the National Fellowship for Persons with Disabilities for the year 2018-20.

The fellowship is payable for a maximum period of 05 years. It commences from the date as given hereunder:

Selection Year 2018-19	01.04.2018 or actual date of admission/registration of candidate for M. Phil. /Ph.D., whichever is later.
Selection Year 2019-20	01.04.2019 or actual date of admission/registration of candidate for M. Phil. /Ph.D., whichever is later.

Duration of the fellowship will be as under:

Name of the Course	Maximum Duration
M.Phil.	2 years or submission of dissertation whichever is earlier
M.Phil. + Ph.D.	5 years from commencement of Fellowship or till submission of Ph.D. thesis, whichever is earlier
Ph.D.	5 years or till submission of Ph.D. thesis, whichever is earlier

The summary of the financial assistance offered under the scheme is as follows:

S. N	Item	Fellowship
1	Amount of fellowship (For All Subjects)	@ Rs. 25,000/- per month for initial two years (JRF) @ Rs. 28,000/- per month for remaining two years (SRF) **
2	Contingency (For Humanities, Social Sciences and Commerce)	@ Rs. 10,000/- per annum for initial two years. @ Rs. 20,500/- per annum for remaining three years.
3	Contingency (For Sciences and Engineering & Technology)	@ Rs. 12,000/- per annum for initial two years. @ Rs. 25,000/- per annum for remaining three years.
4	Escorts / Reader Assistance	@ Rs. 2,000/- per month in case of physically and visually challenged candidates.
5	HRA	As per Government of India norms.

**Note: w.e.f. 01.01.2019 @ 31,000/- per month for JRF and @ Rs. 35,000/- per month for SRF.

It may be noted that the fellowship amount shall be disbursed by the Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities through

Canara Bank to the bank branch account of the awardee, (any bank). The awardee is required to approach the designated branch of Canara bank along with a copy of the award Letter, original 'Verification cum Joining Report' and original 'Certificate by Institution' (**Annexure-I and II**).

The awardee is also required to submit the following documents to the designated branch of the Canara Bank at the stipulated period interval.

1. At the end of every three months a 'Continuation Certificate' in the prescribed proforma **Annexure - III**. This will make the awardee eligible to draw the fellowship for the next three months.
2. Half yearly submission of Progress report in the prescribed proforma **Annexure - IV** along with the 'Continuation Certificate'.
3. Details of the expenditure incurred out of the contingency grant and the utilisation certificate to be submitted annually in the prescribed proforma **Annexure - V**.
4. The claim towards HRA is subject to the submission of HRA certificate in the prescribed proforma **Annexure -VI**.
5. After the completion of two years of award of fellowship 'Upgradation Certificate' need to be submitted in the prescribed proforma **Annexure - VII** with the Progress Report and Continuation Certificate.

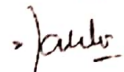
It may please be noted that the award is liable to be cancelled and it will also attract legal action against the awardee in the following cases:

- i. If the awardee is found to be ineligible to receive the award, at any point of time.
- ii. Misconduct of awardee.
- iii. Unsatisfactory progress of research work of the awardees.
- iv. Any other fellowship is drawn from other source(s).
- v. Concealment of facts and on any other ground of misconduct.

The guidelines of scheme along with Annexures I to VII are uploaded with the result. These are available on the UGC website at <https://www.ugc.ac.in/ugc-noticeboard/noticeboard/1611146gac>

The details of the designated branches of Bank are available on the UGC portal https://www.ugc.ac.in/nfpwd/Downloads/UGC_BRANCH_LIST.pdf.

Yours faithfully,



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