

# TANTIA UNIVERSITY, SRI GANGANAGAR



## REGULATIONS RELATING TO Ph.D. DEGREE

Remained effective during December 2019 to September 2021

### ORDINANCE

(REVISED AS PER UGC REGULATION 2016)

Approved by Academic council on August 8, 2016 and amended thereafter from time to time by BASR and Academic Council as per UGC guidelines.

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December 2019*

## **Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)**

### **O.79.1 Eligibility of Research Scholars**

- (1) A candidate for admission to the degree of Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in the Various Faculties of Tania University must have obtained the Master's degree (not the Diploma) with at least 55% marks at the postgraduate examination of the University in subject or any allied subject in which he/she wishes to pursue research. A relaxation of 5% of marks, from 50% to 45%, or an equivalent relaxation of grade, may be allowed for those belonging to SC/ST/OBC (non-creamy layer)/differently-abled and other categories of candidates as per the decision of the University Grants Commission from time to time (BASR-12th Meeting 27/05/2019, Res.12/19/07).

Provided that:

- (i) The Master's degree should have been obtained after taking the Bachelor's degree with full prescribed Courses for the degree.
  - (ii) Candidate who obtains the B.A. degree from other statutory Indian University after passing a public examination in a classical or modern Indian language prior to his/her M.A. degree will also be eligible for registration.
  - (iii) The eligibility condition for teachers having been recruited before 1986, may be relaxed at the discretion of the Board of Advanced Studies and Research. For the purpose of Ph.D. registration a teacher candidate will be defined as a person working in a permanent capacity as a teacher in a recognised University/College.
  - (iv) No candidate shall ordinarily be permitted to register for Ph.D. degree in a subject different from the one in which he/she has passed his/her qualifying examination. However, in order to facilitate inter-disciplinary research a candidate may apply in allied subject and his/ her registration may be considered on approval of the President and in such cases co-supervisor may be appointed if supervisor so desires with necessary justification. The co-supervisor also has to be a recognized supervisor of the University.
- (2) The Board of Advanced Studies and Research (BASR) shall be constituted for the purpose of considering all matters, related to the registration of Ph.D. scholars. The implementation of recommendations of the Board of Advanced Studies and Research will be subject to the approval of the President. The composition of BASR will be as below:

- (a) The President;
- (b) Pro-President;
- (c) Director (Research)
- (d) Deans of Faculties; and
- (e) Teachers/experts from the University or outside subject to a maximum of five, nominated by the Chairperson as member on the recommendations of President for a maximum period of two years at a time.

Director (Research) will be the Member Secretary of BASR

- (3) To coordinate the research activities of the University, a Director Research will be nominated by the President from amongst the faculty members of the Tania University.
- (4) Research Advisory Committee (RAC) and its functions:
  - 4.1 A Research Advisory Committee (RAC) will be constituted for each Ph.D. scholar. Following will be the members for this committee:
    - 1. Dean (Concerned Faculty)
    - 2. Research Supervisor – Convener
    - 3. Subject Expert- Internal Faculty
    - 4. Subject Expert- From outside of University

This Committee shall have the following responsibilities:

- (I) To review the research proposal and finalize the topic of research Scholars.
- (II) To guide the research scholar to develop the study design and methodology of research and identify the course(s) that he/she may have to do.
- (III) To periodically review and assist in the progress of the research work of the research scholar.
- (IV) Any other matter/problem related to Research Scholar

4.2 A research scholar shall appear before the Research Advisory Committee once in six months to make a presentation of the progress of his/her work for evaluation and further guidance. The six monthly progress reports shall be submitted by the Research Advisory Committee to the concerned Department with a copy to the research scholar.

4.3 In case the progress of the research scholar is unsatisfactory, the Research Advisory Committee shall record the reasons for the same and suggest corrective

measures. If the research scholar fails to implement these corrective measures, the Research Advisory Committee may recommend to the Concerned Department with specific reasons for cancellation of the registration of the research scholar.

(5) Duration of the Programme:

5.1 Ph.D. programme shall be for a minimum duration of three years, including course work, and a maximum of six years.

5.2 In exceptional cases an extension of maximum of one year may be permitted by the President on the recommendation of the supervisor giving reasons and justification routed through the Research Advisory Committee. On expiry of the extended period, the registration of the candidate shall automatically stand cancelled.

5.3 The women candidates and Persons with Disability (more than 40% disability) may be allowed a relaxation of two years for Ph.D. in the maximum duration. In addition, the women candidates may be provided Maternity Leave/Child Care Leave once in the entire duration of Ph.D. for up to 240 days.

## **O.79.2 Research Supervisor**

### **1. Eligibility of Research Supervisor**

- (i) Professors, Associate Professors and Assistant Professor (regular teacher) of the Teaching Departments of Tania University. (Application form for recognition as research supervisor Enclosed: **(Appendix –I)**)
- (ii) A Professor with at least five research publications in refereed journals and any Associate/Assistant Professor of the Tania University with a Ph.D. degree and at least two research publications in refereed journals may be recognized as Research Supervisor.

In areas/disciplines where there is no or there are only a limited number of refereed journals, the President of Tania University may relax the above condition for recognition of a person as Research Supervisor with reasons recorded in writing.

- (iii) In Medical subjects (Homoeopathy/Ayurveda/Medical), in addition to above, Teacher/Scientist/Research officer of Tania University may be a Supervisor/Co-supervisor provided he/she has post graduate degree in Homoeopathy/Ayurveda/Medical and five (5) years of teaching/research experience in a recognized institution after obtaining M.D./M.S. degree (BASR-8th Meeting 25/03/2017, Res.08/17/07).
- (iv) The external supervisors are not allowed. However, Co-Supervisor can be allowed in inter-disciplinary areas from other departments of the Tania University or from other related

Institution/College with the recommendation of the Research Advisory Committee and approval by the President.

- (v) The University teachers continue to be on its rolls up to the age of 65 years. As such the teacher up to this age may continue as research supervisor. The candidate allotted to him/her before Superannuation will, however, continue to be supervised, even after superannuation, but no fresh candidate will be allotted thereafter (BASR-12<sup>th</sup> Meeting 27/05/2019, Res.12/19/11). In order to make use of academic excellence, Emeritus Professors and Reappointed Teachers of the University fulfilling the criteria for Research Supervisor-ship will, however, be authorised to supervise the Ph.D. students, even after the prescribed age, with the approval of the President (BASR-13<sup>th</sup> Meeting 28/11/2019, Res. 13/19/05).

## **2. Allocation of Research Supervisor:**

- (i) The allocation of Research Supervisor for a selected research scholar shall be decided by the committee constituted by the Hon'ble President.
- (ii) In Case of special circumstances of inter-disciplinary subject, the co-supervisor may be opted on justification submitted by the supervisor and approved by RAC. A Co-supervisor should also fulfil the eligibility criteria as that for supervisor of Tanta University. It will only be an academic collaboration with no financial liabilities on the University. The name of co-supervisor will also be printed on the thesis, however, he/she will not act as an examiner (BASR-12<sup>th</sup> Meeting 27/05/2019, Res.12/19/06).
- (iii) The maximum limit of number of research scholars at a time with a research supervisor shall be as shown in **Appendix- II**
- (iv) In case of relocation of Ph.D. woman scholar due to marriage or otherwise, the research data shall be allowed to be transferred to the University to which the scholar intends to relocate provided all the other conditions in these regulations are followed in letter and spirit and the research work does not pertain to the project secured by the parent institution/ supervisor from any funding agency. The scholar will however give due credit to the parent guide and the institution for the part of research already done.
- (v) In case the supervisor retires or leaves the Tanta University, the candidate shall be permitted to continue his/her work under his supervision by paying necessary fees to the Tanta University.
- (vi) In the event of death of the supervisor or in exceptional circumstances a change of supervisor shall be permitted by the President and the period of his/her research work carried with original supervisor shall be counted for the purpose of the award of the Ph.D. degree.

### O.79.3 Entrance Test and Admission

- (1) Admission to Ph.D. will be made through a Ph.D. Entrance Test to be conducted by the Tania University each year or as proposed by BASR. (Application form for Entrance test (**Appendix-III**))
- (2) The students who have qualified UGC-NET (including JRF)/UGC-CSIR NET (including JRF)/SLET/GATE/teacher Fellowship holder/passed M.Phil Programme (through entrance exam) will be exempted from appearing in Ph.D. Entrance test. However, they will have to undergo the course work. Their admission to Ph.D. will be subject to availability of seats and approval by BASR.
- (3) The syllabus of the Entrance Test shall consist of 50% of research methodology and 50% shall be subject specific. Qualifying marks will be 50% of maximum marks of entrance test and interview together.
- (4) The test will be followed by an interview to be conducted by the two Subject Experts to be appointed by the President in consultation with the Director Research, to adjudge the research interest of the candidate. The Test will be of maximum 100 marks and interview of 50 marks. During interview the candidates are required to discuss their research interest/area through a presentation before a duly constituted committee of experts. The number of candidates called for interview will be five times the number of available seats in a subject. Merit will be drawn from the combined marks obtained by the candidates in the Entrance Test and Interview (Max. Marks 150). Admission will be given against available vacant seats in a subject. Reservation policy of the State Government shall be followed while giving admission.

### O.79.4 Course work

- (1) The credit assigned to the Ph.D. course work will be 10 Credits.

(2) **Credit Hours**

1 Credit	=	45 hours
Total Credits	=	10 Credits
Total Hours (10x45)	=	450 Hours

(3) **Syllabus**

- a) **Research methodology, quantitative methods, research ethics and review of published research in the relevant field, training, field work, etc** = **2 Credits**  
2x45 = 90 hours
- b) **Advance Level Course (statistics)** = **1 Credits**  
1x45 = 45 Hours
- c) **Computer Application** = **1 Credits**  
1x45 = 45 Hours

d) **Subject Wise** = **6 Credits**  
 6x45 = 270 Hours

- (4) All the Research Scholars are required to complete this course work prescribed by the department during the initial one or two semesters.
- (5) On completion of course work, the university will conduct an examination of descriptive nature of 100 marks. A candidate securing minimum pass marks (55%) will only be considered eligible for final registration.

a) **Research Methodology quantitative methods, research ethics and review of published research in the relevant field, training, field work, etc**

b) **Advance Level Course (statistics)**

c) **Computer Application**

d) **Subject Wise**

} **40 Marks**

= **60 Marks**

#### **O.79.5 Research work**

- (1) The University will allot the supervisor to the qualified candidates through a committee constituted by the Hon'ble President.
- (2) The candidate will submit a research proposal to the university through his/her supervisor in the prescribed format which will be evaluated by the Research Advisory Committee (RAC). (Format for registration form and synopsis enclosed **Appendix-IV**)
- (3) On receiving positive report from RAC, the final registration will be made and the candidate will pursue his/her research work under the supervisor and seek admission at the University by paying necessary fees. The university will issue the final registration letter confirming the date of commencement of work. The date of commencement of work will be the date of admission to course work, as will be communicated by the candidate through supervisor.
- (4) In cases prior to October 2016, the Date of Commencement of work will be accepted only from the date of submission of the synopsis. In new cases (October 2016 onward batches) the period of submission of synopsis is given as two months, on discretion of the president it may be extended up to six months. On the lapse of the period, if any synopsis is accepted, the period of commencement of work will be considered from the date of submission of synopsis and not from commencement of course work. This condition of accepting the date of commencement of work from the date of submission of synopsis will also apply on the cases in which the candidate for his own reason has delayed the completion of course work (BASR-12<sup>th</sup> Meeting 27/05/2019, Res.12/19/09).

- (5) The candidate shall pursue his/her research work with the supervisor. The supervisor shall certify that the candidate has put in at least required days of attendance every year. The 200 days attendance per year will also include any period spent away from headquarter for field work and library consultation, as may be certified by the supervisor.
- (6) A research scholar shall appear before the Research Advisory Committee once in six months to make a presentation of the progress of his/her work for evaluation and further guidance. The six monthly progress reports shall be submitted by the Research Advisory Committee to the Institution/College with a copy to the research scholar. (Format for six monthly progress report : **Appendix-V**)
- (7) The supervisor may, however, recommend a change in the topic if it is subsequently found that a modification is necessary in the interest of research. This matter shall be reported to the BASR which shall forward its recommendation to the President for approval. Such change, however, would be done only once.
- (8) Six months before the submission of thesis, the supervisor shall forward four copies of the summary of work along with a sealed panel of at least eight experts in the subject concerned, having not more than two examiners from Rajasthan (**Appendix-VI** ). The President may, however, ask for more names of experts from the supervisor and in exceptional cases, may add names to the panel. The President would then select and appoint two examiners from the panel. At least one examiner should be from outside the state of Rajasthan. The candidate shall be required to submit the thesis within six months of the submission of panel of examiners, however, only in extra ordinary cases the President may extend the time. (Format of Summary **Appendix - VII**)

#### **O.79.6 Evaluation of Thesis and Award of Degree**

- (1) Prior to the submission of the thesis, the scholar shall make a presentation in the Department before the Research Advisory Committee which shall also be open to all faculty members and other research scholars. The feedback and comments obtained from them may be suitably incorporated into the draft thesis in consultation with the Research Advisory Committee and the final thesis shall carry a certificate to this effect.
- (2) Ph.D. scholars must publish at least one (1) research paper in peer-reviewed or UGC listed journal before the submission of the thesis. (BASR-12th Meeting 27/05/2019, Res.12/19/03) and make two paper presentations in conferences/seminars before the submission of the thesis for adjudication, and produce evidence for the same in the form of presentation certificates and/or reprints.



- (3) The Academic Council (or its equivalent body) of the institution shall evolve a mechanism using well developed software and gadgets to detect plagiarism and other forms of academic dishonesty. While submitting for evaluation, the thesis shall have an undertaking from the research scholar and a certificate from the Research Supervisor attesting to the originality of the work, vouching that there is no plagiarism and that the work has not been submitted for the award of any other degree/diploma of the same Institution where the work was carried out, or to any other Institution. **Appendix-VIII**

- (4) After the thesis is complete, the candidate shall submit four printed or typewritten copies in a bound- cover of the colour specified in **Appendix-VIII** along with certificate by the supervisor in the proforma provided in **Appendix-VIII** and no-dues certificate by the concerned Head of the Tanta University. The scholar shall also submit a soft copy in the form of CD/DVD of the thesis.

- (5) The language of the thesis shall be either Hindi or English except that for thesis submitted in the area of languages such as Sanskrit, Urdu, etc.

- (6) The candidate shall not incorporate the results of his/her research work done at the Master's or M.Phil. level.

- (7) The thesis must be a piece of research work characterised by the discovery of facts or by fresh approach towards the interpretation of facts or theories on an applied work of great significance. In either case it shall evince the capacity of the candidate for critical examination and independent judgement. It should be satisfactory so far as literary presentation is concerned and must be suitable for publication.

- (8) The evaluation of the thesis shall take place in the following manner:

- (i) It will be examined by the supervisor(s) and two external examiners appointed in the manner specified above. All the examiners shall be requested to submit a report, normally within a period of two months of the receipt of the thesis in the format provided in **Appendix-IX** and shall be paid remuneration at rates specified in **Appendix-XI**.

- (ii) If all the examiners unanimously recommend acceptance of the thesis and award of the degree of Ph.D., the President shall appoint one of the two external examiners to conduct the viva-voce examination. The viva-voce shall be conducted jointly by the supervisor(s) and external examiner so appointed. It would be notified that teachers and research scholars may attend the viva-voce examination at their own expenses. The examiners

shall submit their viva-voce report jointly to the University in the format provided in **Appendix-X**. The report shall then be placed before the President for approval, and if the recommendation is found positive, provisional degree certificate may be issued to the candidate and the degree shall be conferred after approval of the Academic Council and Board of Management.

- (iii) In case one or more external examiners recommend a modification in the thesis, it will be communicated to the candidate by the University and the candidate will be required to modify thesis as suggested by examiners and resubmit the thesis not before a period of six months. The process of evaluation outlined above will then be followed.
- (iv) In case one of the external examiner recommends the rejection of the thesis, the thesis shall be sent to a third external examiner and the opinion of the third external examiner shall be final.
- (v) In case one external examiner recommends a modification while another rejects the thesis, the candidate shall be informed accordingly and asked to resubmit the thesis after a period of one year. The revised and/or modified thesis shall be sent to the same two examiners. If, even then, any one of the external examiners recommends further modification/rejection, the thesis will be rejected and the registration shall automatically stand cancelled.
- (vi) If both the external examiners recommend the rejection of the thesis, it will be rejected and the registration shall automatically stand cancelled.
- (vii) The period of six months/one year spent in resubmission of the thesis after modification shall be counted from the date on which the candidate is informed about the same and this period shall not be counted to compute the maximum period for submission of thesis i.e., six years from the date of registration.
- (viii) If viva-voce report is unsatisfactory the viva-voce examination shall be normally reheld after period of three months from the date of first viva-voce examination on payment of the requisite fee. If the candidate fails to get a satisfactory report in the second viva-voce examination, the thesis shall be rejected and his/her registration shall automatically stand cancelled.

- (ix) Following the successful completion of the evaluation process, the University shall submit the soft copy of the thesis to the UGC within 30 days for hosting the same in INFLIBNET.
- (x) The degree of Ph.D. thus awarded shall be accompanied by a certificate to the effect that the degree has been awarded in accordance with the provisions of the Regulation of the UGC 2009 or 2016, as the case may be.

0.79.7. The regulations issued by University Grant Commission, from time to time in this regard, will automatically become the part of this ordinance.

#### **O.79.8 Appendices:**

- I. Application form for recognition as research supervisor
- II. Limit For Research Supervision
- III. Application form for Entrance Exam
- IV. Format for Registration form, synopsis with certificates and report on synopsis
- V. Format for six monthly progress report
- VI. Format for panel of examiners
- VII. Format for Summary with certificates
- VIII. Format for Cover and format for thesis, declaration by candidate, Certificate from supervisor
- IX. Format for Evaluation Report on Thesis
- X. Format for report of Viva-Voce
- XI. Rates of Remuneration



# Tantia University

**SRI GANGANAGAR (RAJASTHAN)**

(Established by State Govt. Act 32 of 2013 & UIS 2 (I) of UGC Act. 1956)

Hanumangarh Road, Sri Ganganagar (Rajasthan)-335002

**Appendix-I**

## **Application Form for Recognition as Ph.D. Research Supervisor**

Name of Faculty \_\_\_\_\_ Subject \_\_\_\_\_

1. Name of the Applicant (In Capital Letter) \_\_\_\_\_

2. Date Of Birth : \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

3. Phone No. : (O) \_\_\_\_\_ (R) \_\_\_\_\_

4. Mobile No. : \_\_\_\_\_

5. E-Mail Address : \_\_\_\_\_

6. Organization & Designation : \_\_\_\_\_

7. Official Address: \_\_\_\_\_

8. Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_

9. Address for Correspondence: \_\_\_\_\_

10. Education Qualification (Enclose attested copies of certificates)

S.No.	Name of the Examination	Subject	Institute/ University	Year of Passing	Percentage/ CGPA & Division	Specialization
1	UG					
2	PG					
3	Ph.D.					
4	Any Other					
5						

11. Total PG Teaching Experience \_\_\_\_\_ (Enclose attested copies of relevant certificates)

S.No.	Name of the Organization	Designation	Duration	Remarks, if any

Passport Size  
Photograph

**12. Research Experience (Enclose attested copies of relevant certificates)**

S.No	Name of University	Period From-----to	Subject	Faculty	No. Of Ph.D. Scholars Produced	No. of Registered Scholars

**13. Research Publications (Enclosed self attested copies of relevant certificates/documents)**

S.No.	Title	Name of Journal/conference	Vol./Year/Page No.

**14. Books Authored/Co-Authored and Publications**

**15. Other Publications (Please Enclose attested copies of relevant certificates/documents)**

**16. Paper Presentation in Nation/International Seminars & Conferences**

(Please Enclose attested copies of relevant certificates/documents)

Theme of Conference/ Seminar	Title	Organizer	Date

**Note:** The following persons will be eligible to act as Research Supervisor provided they possess a doctoral degree of the recognized University.

- Professor and Associate Professors of the Teaching Department of Tantia University, Sri Ganganagar.
- All other permanent teachers of the University Teaching Departments not covered under 4(i) and college teacher this University having 5 years PG Teaching/Post doctoral research experience. In either case the teacher must have two research papers published in a recognized journal of national/international level and participated in at least two conferences/Seminars in the area of research work concerned. (Necessary documentary proofs must be attached with the application form).

*I hereby certify that the details given above are correct to the best of my knowledge.*

**Signature of Applicant**

Forwarded to the Director Research Tantia University, Sri Ganganagar for necessary action. I have verified the above details and I am satisfied about their correctness.

Date:

**Signature of the Head of the Institution with Seal**

**LIMIT FOR RESEARCH SUPERVISION**

Maximum number of Ph.D scholars permitted at any given time under a supervisor will be as under:

Designation of the Supervisor	Ph.D. scholars
Professor	8
Associate Professor	6
Asst. Professor	4

The seat will fall vacant with the submission of thesis by a scholar work of under a supervisor.



# TANTIA UNIVERSITY

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## DIRECTORATE OF RESEARCH

Hanumangarh Road, Sri Ganganagar, Rajasthan-335002

Website: www.tantiauniversity.com • Email: registrar@tantiauniversity.com

### APPLICATION FORM FOR Ph.D. ENTRANCE EXAM

Mailing Address : registrar@tantiauniversity.com

#### For Office use only

Inward Register No. \_\_\_\_\_ Receipt No. \_\_\_\_\_

Enrolment No. \_\_\_\_\_

1. **Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

(In block letters)

2. **Father's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

3. **Mother's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

4 **Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

(dd-mm-yyyy)

Category: Gen. ☐ SC ☐ ST ☐ OBC ☐ Others ☐

5 **Present Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Pin Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

6. **Permanent Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Pin Code: \_\_\_\_\_

7. **Other Test Cleared:** (GATE / NET / UGC / CSIR / SLET) or any other Qualification

Year \_\_\_\_\_ Roll No.: ..... Rank..... Score.....

8. **Academic qualifications:**

Examination	Subject	University	Year	Marks Obtained	Percentage Class/ Division
Secondary					
Sr. Sec.					
UG					
P.G.					
Other					

**Note:** Please enclose copies of mark-sheets, certificates and degrees of all the above examinations.

9. **Whether he/she is simultaneously appearing or intends to appear at any other examination of any University during the period of Research :** \_\_\_\_\_



**10. Faculty/Department in which the candidate proposes to work:****(a) Subject**

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**(b) Department**

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**(c) Faculty**

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If candidate is already employed NOC from employer is to be submitted along with the application form, if employed after registration, this fact must be brought to the notice of the University and employer's permission (NOC) must be submitted immediately.

**DETAILS OF PAYMENT OF APPLICATION FEE**Amount : Application Form Fee Rs. **2000** /-

D.D. No. \_\_\_\_\_ Dated \_\_\_\_\_ Bank &amp; Branch \_\_\_\_\_

(Fee once paid is not refundable) EBS Transaction ID: \_\_\_\_\_

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

1. The information contained in the Information Brochure is only for general guidance and should not be treated as legal document. It could be changed / modified from time to time by Competent Authority of the University.

**Cancellation of Admission:** The University reserves its right to cancel the admission of successful Candidate under any of the following circumstances:

- a. If the fee is not deposited by the stipulated date.
- b. If the candidate does not join the particular programme by the stipulated date or leaves the course without obtaining permission from the University even though the Fee has been deposited.
- c. If the candidate fails to furnish the proof of the stipulated minimum qualifications.
- d. Admission to the Ph.D. programmes will be made on the basis of entrance test conducted by the University and interview. Applicants failing to clear interview in two successive attempts shall be asked to submit application form de novo with fresh processing fee and application fee.

3. The Competent Authority of the University reserves the right to alter or modify the structure of any of the programs to attain the objective of excellence.

4. Fee once paid is not refundable .

5. The University reserves its right to change the existing fee structure.

6. The University reserves its right to modify, alter and / or include any other Terms and Conditions that may be deemed necessary in the interest of running the course.

7. **Agreement Clause:** All the applicants to the Ph.D. course shall be bound by above mentioned Terms and Conditions of Tania University Sri Ganganagar.

**DECLARATION**

I understand and agree that a large number of candidates appear at the Ph.D. Entrance Test and only those who are short listed are called to appear at the interview conducted by the DRC of the concerned faculty. Seats are allotted by the Dean on the basis of performance at the interview; in view of the additional vacancies likely to exist in future Dean may grant second opportunity of appearing at the interview to those candidates who are willing to wait for their turn for allotment of seat, submit a written undertaking to that effect and remaining candidates who are unable to get the seat through interview have no legal claim for getting the admission to Ph.D. program. They have to try a fresh next time by paying application form fee and processing fee. The application form fee and processing fee are neither refundable nor adjustable for the next attempt.

I hereby declare that the information given in the application form is complete and accurate. I understand and agree that misrepresentation, omission or suppression of facts will justify the denial of admission.

I have not been convicted of an offence involving moral turpitude and have clear understanding that my admission shall be cancelled immediately after the facts of any such case are known.

I shall abide by the decision of the Competent Authority for all purposes & further more the University reserves its right to change the existing fee structure & to modify, alter and / or include any other Terms and Conditions that may be deemed necessary in the interest of running the course.

I accept the terms and conditions of the University as binding on me for the admission.

**Place :****Date :****Signature of Candidate**



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## DIRECTORATE OF RESEARCH

Hanumangarh Road, Sri Ganganagar, Rajasthan 335002

### APPLICATION FORM FOR Ph.D. REGISTRATION

To  
The Director Research  
Tantia University, Sri Ganganagar

Sir,

I request you to register me for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy of the Tantia University, Sri Ganganagar in the Subject.....under the Faculty of .....

I have cleared Entrance Exam of Ph.D. Programme held on ..... and Ph.D. Coursework Exam held on .....

I am already or I am submitting enrollment form for registration along with this form enrolled as a student in the Tantia University, Sri Ganganagar, and my enrollment No.....

The required fee of this programme has been already deposited and copy of receipt enclose.

Date : .....

Yours faithfully,

Place : .....

(Signature in full)

1. Name of the applicant in English (in capital letters)

Mr./Ms. ....

2. Name in Hindi.....

3. Address

.....  
.....

Phone/Mobile No..... E-mail: .....

4. (a) Fathers Name ..... (b) Mothers Name.....

5. Are you employed? If so, attach a permission letter from the employer .....

6. Qualifying Examinations.

Examination Passed	University/ Board	Year	Division	Percentage
Postgraduate				
Undergraduate				
Sr. Sec. /Hr. Sec				
Secondary/ High School				
Any other				

7. Subject offered at the postgraduate level together with the name of faculty .....
8. Whether the applicant intends to appear at any other examination of this University or any other University during the period of research. If so, mention the name of the examination .....
9. Research Title (In English).....  
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 .....  
 (In Hindi).....  
 .....  
 .....
10. (a) Name of Supervisor .....  
 Official address .....  
 Phone/Mobile No. . ..... E-mail.....
- (b) Date of Superannuation of Supervisor .....
- (c) In case of joint-supervision, specific .....  
 reasons by the supervisor separately in .....  
 the Performa, enclosed (Appendix IV) .....
- (d) Date of Superannuation of Co-supervisor .....
11. Whether the Supervisor and Co-supervisor .....  
 are approved by the University. Please .....  
 mention No and Date of approval. ....
12. Signature of Supervisor/Co-supervisor .....
13. Signature of the Head of the Department to  
 which the supervisor belongs with seal .....
14. Signature of the Principal/Director of the  
 Institution with seal. ....

(Signature of Supervisor/s)  
 With Seal

(Signature of Applicant)

**Note :**

A Candidate who is not enrolled in the University must get himself/herself enrolled. Candidate applying for registration must attach attested copies of mark-sheets of Postgraduate and Graduate examinations. The Head of the Department himself /herself must attest the documents after verifying with the original.

## Check list

1. All columns of forms are filled up and it is forwarded by the Supervisor and Head of the institution. [    ]
2. A registration fee of **Rs. 5000** along with other fee deposited to **Registrar, Tantia University, Sri Ganganagar** is being submitted. [    ]
3. Attested copies of mark-sheets of Postgraduate and Graduate examinations attached. [    ]
4. Synopsis duly forwarded by supervisor (as per Appendix II) attached in four copies. [    ]
5. Certificate of supervisor (Appendix III) attached. [    ]
6. Original copy of No Objection Certificate from the employer (if employed) attached [    ]
7. If not already enrolled with Tantia University, Enrollment form duly forwarded by Head of the institution and accompanied with **original Migration Certificate, Mark-sheet** of qualifying examination and fee of Rs.500 as **DD payable to Registrar, Tantia University, Sri Ganganagar/** [    ]  
Cash Receipt attached.

# **Title of Research Work**

## **(in English & Hindi)**

A Synopsis submitted to  
Tantia University, Sri Ganganagar



For the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy

In the Faculty of .....

Subject .....

By

..... (Name of Candidate)

Under the Supervision of

..... (Name & Designation of Supervisor/Guide)

.....Name of University/College of supervisor

**TANTIA UNIVERSITY**

Hanumangarh Road, Near RIICO Bus Stand,  
Sri Ganganagar (Rajasthan)-335002

**Year .....**

**FORMAT FOR OUTLINE OF PROPOSED RESEARCH WORK**

**(TO BE SUPPLIED IN 4 COPIES)**

- a) Name of Scholar (in English & Hindi):
  - b) Location:
    - (a) Institution/Department where the work is to be done
    - (b) Location
  - c) Title of the Research work (in English & Hindi):
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- 1. Introduction:
- 2. Importance of proposed Research Work:
- 3. Review of work already done on the subject: (Present and past status)
- 4. Hypothesis/Objective:
- 5. Methodology:
- 6. Chapter-wise details of Proposed Research:
- 7. Bibliography (Updated):

Signature & Name of the Candidate with date

Outline of the synopsis approved.

Signature & Name of Supervisor with date

**CERTIFICATE BY SUPERVISOR**

**Certified that :**

1. I am willing to guide the research work of Shri/Km./Smt. .... on the above subject if he/she is registered for Ph.D.
2. To the best of my knowledge the subject selected has not been studied and is not being studied so far in any university.
3. Present subject is of sufficient scope to keep the candidate engaged for two or more years towards his/her Ph.D. research work.
4. The subject will lead to a valuable contribution. I have seen and approved the outline and bibliography, etc. submitted by the candidate.
5. Necessary facilities are available in the Department for the above research work (Certificate from Principal/Head Univ. Dept. with regards to facilities available is enclosed.)
6. I have..... (give numbers) research candidate(s) registered under my supervision and the serial number of this candidate (whose application is being forwarded) for Ph.D. registration is ..... (give the serial number)
7. The candidate is not under my close relationship (the term close relationship has been defined in the examination ordinance of the University.)

Signature & Name of the Supervisor with date

Certified that the available facilities will be extended to Shri/Km./Smt. .... for research work if he/she is registered for Ph.D.

Signature of Principal/Director  
of the Institution with date

Signature of the Head of the  
Department with Date

# TANTIA UNIVERSITY, SRI GANGANAGAR

## Proforma for report of Research Advisory Committee (RAC) on a Ph.D. Synopsis

Name of Candidate.....

Name of Research Supervisor.....

Title of Synopsis .....

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### Expert's Comment

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### Please Tick Accordingly

Approved ☐

Not Approved ☐

Revised ☐

Date:

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**Note:**

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c) Faculty of Education	-Crimson
d) Faculty of Nursing	-Purple
e) Faculty of Engineering/Technology	-Light Green
f) Faculty of Medical & Paramedical	-White
g) Faculty of Science	-Light Blue
h) Faculty of Law	-Maroon

**4. Text Writing-**

Paper to be used: A4 Size (Good Quality)

Printing : One Side

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Bold and Italics: - be only used where ever necessary

Spacing: Double or one and half

Margin : Left 4cm; Top, Bottom, Right-2.5cm

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**5. Writing Reference:**

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- *Name of journal* or Publisher or conference or university
- Journal volume, No., page etc. and if book its pages or if conference – name of the conference, Year, Place.

**Example-**

- Nayar, Parmod K. (2002). *Literary Theory Today*. Asia book Club, New Delhi. pp230
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**This report must be sent to Dean concerned Faculty of \_\_\_\_\_**

**Reg. No. ....**

**Progress report for the Period..... to .....**

Name of the Scholar.....

**Subject.....**

Name of the Supervisor guiding the research .....

**Work done during the period (to be acceptable, it should be explicitly with at least 12 to 18 lines)**

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Did you conduct research in some other capacity outside the classroom in the above period? If yes, please describe: please also provide its relevance

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Did you submit any articles for journal review for publication in the above period? If yes, please provide the working title, all authors, and name of journal. Please also provide its relevance (Please enclose its one copy)

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In the above period, did you publish any reports, journal articles, or other documents? If so, please provide full citations, including co-authors. Please also provide its relevance (Please enclose its one copy)

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In the above period, did you present a research paper at a conference, please provide the citation for the presentation, including any co-presenters. Please also provide its relevance (Please enclose its one copy)

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Extracurricular activities

Please list any workshop(s) or seminar(s)/that you attended during the above period, including names, dates, and locations: (Please enclose its one copy)

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Any other relevant information:

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Signature of Scholar

This Performa should be filled by Research supervisor

1. Progress of scholar is Excellent/Good/Normal/Slow (tick accordingly)

2. If slow, provide reason

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3. Any other suggestion.....

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Name & Sign of  
Research Supervisor

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Name of Sign of  
Internal Subject Expert

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Sign of  
External Subject Expert

**FORMAT FOR PANEL OF EXAMINERS****APPENDIX-VI**

Name of the Candidate ..... Subject .....

Title of Thesis: \_\_\_\_\_

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S.No.	Name of Examiner with Designation	Full Address with Pin code	Contact No
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Note: The examiners suggested should be actively engaged in the area of research work concerned and also as far as possible, should not be below the rank of university Professor/Scientist in the grade of professor. There should not be more than two examiners from the state of Rajasthan.

Place

Date

Signature &amp; Name of Supervisor with Designation

# Title of Research Work

Appendix-VII

## (In English & Hindi)

Summary of Research work

Submitted to

Tantia University, Sri Ganganagar



Submitted for the Partial

Fulfillment of the Requirements

for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy

In the Faculty of .....

Subject .....

By

..... (Name of Candidate)

Under Supervision of

..... (Name & Designation of Supervisor/Guide)

.....Name of University/College of supervisor

**TANTIA UNIVERSITY**

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Sri Ganganagar (Rajasthan)-335002

**Year** .....

**FORMAT FOR SUMMARY**

a) Name of Scholar (in English & Hindi)::

b) Title of the Research work (in English & Hindi):

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1. Introduction:
2. Importance of Research Work:
3. Problem Statement:
4. Objective:
5. Hypothesis (if any):
6. Material and methodology, and tools for present research work (if any):
7. Sample (if any):
8. Salient findings/discussion:
9. Conclusion :
10. Significance of present work:
11. Suggestions for further research:
12. References:

Signature of the Candidate

Signature of Supervisor

**CERTIFICATE BY THE SUPERVISOR TO ACCOMPANY THE SUMMARY**

It is certified that the

- (i) Summary of thesis entitled .....  
submitted by ..... is an original  
piece of research work carried out by the candidate under my  
supervision.
- (ii) Literary presentation is satisfactory and the Summary of the thesis is in a  
form suitable for publication.
- (iii) Present research work evinces the capacity of the candidate for critical  
examination and independent judgment.
- (iv) Candidate has fulfilled the required attendance.
- (v) There is no plagiarism in this thesis and it has not been submitted earlier  
for any other degree or diploma.

**Signature of Supervisor with date**



**DECLARATION BY THE Ph.D. SCHOLAR TO ACCOMPANY THE SUMMARY**

- (i) Name of Candidate : \_\_\_\_\_  
Subject : \_\_\_\_\_  
Registration Number : \_\_\_\_\_  
Summary of Thesis entitled : \_\_\_\_\_
- (ii) I hereby certify that present research work is an original piece of research work carried out by me under the supervision of \_\_\_\_\_.
- (iii) During present research work I have fulfilled all the requirements in connection to my Ph.D. Work.
- (iv) I further declare that there is no plagiarism in this thesis and it has not been earlier submitted for any other degree/diploma.

**Signature of Candidate with date**

# Title of Research Work

## (In English & Hindi)

A Thesis Submitted

In fulfillment of the requirements

For the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy to the

Tantia University, Sri Ganganagar

In the Faculty of .....

Subject .....

By

..... (Name of Candidate along with qualifications)

Under the Supervision of

..... (Name & Designation of Supervisor with Qualifications and College)



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**Month & Year .....**

**DECLARATION BY THE Ph.D. SCHOLAR**

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Subject : \_\_\_\_\_  
Registration Number : \_\_\_\_\_
- (ii) I hereby certify that present research work is an original piece of research work carried out by me under the supervision of Dr./Prof \_\_\_\_\_ and during present research work I have fulfilled all the requirements in connection to my Ph.D. Work.
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**Signature of Candidate with date**

**CERTIFICATE BY THE RESEARCH SUPERVISOR**

It is certified that the:

- (i) Thesis entitled ..... and  
Submitted by .....  
is an original piece of research work carried out by the candidate  
himself/herself under my supervision from \_\_\_\_\_ (month & year) to  
\_\_\_\_\_ (Month & Year).
  
- (ii) Literary presentation of the work is satisfactory and the thesis is in a  
form suitable for the publication. Present work evinces the capacity of  
the candidate for critical examination and independent judgement.  
This is also certified that candidate has fulfilled the requirement of  
attendance under my supervision.
  
- (iii) There is no plagiarism in this thesis and it has not submitted earlier for  
any other degree or diploma.

**Signature of Supervisor with date**

## **Appendices**

1. List of Abbreviations
2. Copies of papers published/accepted/presented/communicated
3. Copies of acknowledgment/acceptance letters in case the papers are communicated/accepted
4. Certificate of conferences/seminars represented

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DIRECTORATE OF RESEARCH

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Performa for Evaluation of Ph.D. Thesis

Part - A

Name of Candidate : \_\_\_\_\_

Name, Designation and Institution of the Research Supervisor

Name : \_\_\_\_\_

Designation : \_\_\_\_\_

Institution : \_\_\_\_\_

Name, Designation and Institution of the Co- Supervisor (if any)

Name : \_\_\_\_\_

Designation : \_\_\_\_\_

Institution : \_\_\_\_\_

Chapters of the Thesis with Titles:

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Total Number of Pages of the thesis \_\_\_\_\_

Whether or not the Bibliography conforms to the recommended/approved format:

Please Tick Yes ( ) No ( )

Whether Graphs, Charts and Figures have been incorporated (if applicable)

Please Tick Yes ( ) No ( )

Signature of Examiner : \_\_\_\_\_

Name & Designation : \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address of the Examiner : \_\_\_\_\_

Proforma for Evaluation of Ph.D. Thesis



Part B

S. No.	Details	Yes	No	N.A.	Comments
1	Whether the outcomes of the research work make a significant contribution to the relevant field				
2	Is the Sampling Design*				
3	Is the Experimental Design Appropriate? (if applicable)*				
4	Is the Presentation with respect to language acceptable?				
5	Weather sources or relevant information/Literature/data have been tapped?				
6	Whether appropriate methodology has been adopted by the researcher?				
7	Whether instruments have been used appropriately (if applicable)*				
8	Whether Statistical tools have been used appropriately ?*				
9	Reference Sources used				
	(a) Books				
	(b) Research Papers				
	(c) Research Reports (Including Ph.D./D.Lit/D.Sc./ M.Phil/P.G./Dissertations/Thesis)				
	(d) Reference Books				
	(e) Others (to be Mentioned)				
10	Whether suggestions for further research have been given?				

Note: \* These items may not be applicable to certain subject/topics

N.A. Means Not Applicable



**Part C**

1. Name of Candidate : \_\_\_\_\_

2. Subject : \_\_\_\_\_

3. Degree : \_\_\_\_\_

4. Title of the Thesis : \_\_\_\_\_

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5. Examiner Detail

a. Name : \_\_\_\_\_

b. Designation : \_\_\_\_\_

c. Address : \_\_\_\_\_

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d. Mobile No. : \_\_\_\_\_

e. E-mail Id : \_\_\_\_\_

**Important Note:**

1. Is the thesis recommended for the award of the Ph.D. Degree? **Yes ( )** **No ( )**  
Please State your recommendation in clear language \_\_\_\_\_

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Please state your report in clear unambiguous Language \_\_\_\_\_

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Please state your recommendation in clear Language \_\_\_\_\_

Place: \_\_\_\_\_ (Signature of the Examiner)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

The examiner is requested to give recommendation on the enclosed perfroma.  
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## Proforma for Evaluation of Ph.D. Thesis



1. In case the thesis is recommended for the award of the degree, please give your detailed report.

It is further certified that the thesis fulfils the following provision of the Tantia University Ordinance:

- (a) It is a piece of research work characterized by the discovery of facts or a fresh approach towards the investigation of facts
- (b) The thesis evinces the candidate's capacity for critical examination and sound judgment.
- (c) It is satisfactory in point of language and presentation of such matter.

Place

Signature of the Examiner

Date:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## Proforma for Evaluation of Ph.D. Thesis

2. In Case the Thesis is recommended for the revision, please indicate the guidelines, grounds and reasons for revision.

3. In Case the Thesis is rejected, please indicate ground for rejection.

Place  
Date:

Signature of the Examiner  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Proforma for Evaluation of Ph.D. Thesis



4. Whether or not the thesis is suitable for publication in the present form please indicate. In case the thesis is not suitable for publication in the present form suggestions should be given for making necessary changes.

Place  
Date:

Signature of the Examiner  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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External Examiner

(President)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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