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was launched in 2009 by the Ministry of Minority Affairs for providing financial aid to students for their higher studies. ">; The objective
of the Fellowship is to provide five year fellowships in the form of financial assistance to students from minority communities, notified
by the Central Government, to pursue M. Phil and Ph.D.; The scheme covers all Universities/Institutions recognized by the University
Grants Commission (UGC) as under :Central/State Universities (including constituent and affiliated institutions) included under Section
2(f) of UGC Act, 1956 and having valid accreditation from NAAC. Deemed Universities under Section 3 of UGC Act, i.e., Institution for
higher education notified by Central Government to be deemed University, in consultation with UGC and having and having valid
accreditation from NAAC.Institution fully funded by State / Central Government and empowered to award degrees.Institutions of
National Importance as notified by Ministry of Human Resource Development. BenefitsThe rate of fellowship for JRF and SRF is at par
with the UGC fellowship, presently the rates are as follows: Fellowship in Science Humanities and Social Science: â, 131,000/- p.m. for
initial two years (JRF), and â, 35,000/- pm. for remaining tenure (SRF)Fellowship in Engineering & Technology: â, 31,000/- p.m. for
initial two years (JRF), and â, 35,000/- pm. for remaining tenure (SRF)Contingency for Humanities & Social Sciences: â, 10,000/- p.a.
for initial two years, and â, 20,500/- p.a. for remaining tenureContingency for Sciences, Engineering & Technology: â, 12,000/- p.a. for
initial two years, and â, 125,000/- p.a. for remaining tenureEscorts/Reader assistance (All subjects): â, 12,000/- p.m. in cases of physically
and visually handicapped candidateï»; EligibilityThe applicant should be a part of one of the minority communities (Buddhist, Christian,
Jain, Muslim, Sikh, or Zoroastrian (Parsi)). Applicant must qualify the UGC-NET or Joint CSIR-UGC NET examination. If applicant
does not complete his/her research work during the period of fellowship shall not be eligible to apply again under this scheme. If
applicant completely or partially availed any fellowship earlier shall also not be eligible for fellowship under this scheme. Employees of
any university, college, educational institution, or central, state, or union territory government are not eligible for fellowships, even if
they are on study leave or end of life (EOL) leave to pursue an M.Phil. or Ph.D. courseExclusionsOnly 2 students per family are allowed
to take benefit of this scheme. Employees of any University/ College/ Educational Institutional/ Central/ State/ UT Government shall be
excluded from availing fellowship, even if they are on Study Leave or EOL to pursue the M.Phil./Ph.D. course.Application
ProcessOnlineThe candidates should apply and appear in UGC-NET / Joint CSIR-UGC Test for both i.e. Junior Research Fellowship
(JRF) as well as Eligibility for Assistant Professor. This fellowship is awarded only through UGC-NET / Joint CSIR-UGC Test.
Applicant have to visit the official portal https://nta.ac.in/ for UGC-NET and https://csirhrdg.res.in/ for CSIR-UGC.For the candidates
who had already taken admission into M.Phil / Ph.D while applying for the concerned UGC-NET/ Joint CSIR-UGC Test, the validity
period of the offer is three months w.e.f. the date of issue of Award letter. Documents RequiredThe awardee needs to submit the
following documents to the designated branch of the UGC designated Bank at the stipulated period interval. The approved Agency may
verify the genuineness of records before releasing funds. At the end of every three months, the fellow shall submit a 'Continuation
Certificate' in the prescribed proforma. Annexure-II. This will make the awardee eligible to draw the fellowship for the next three
months. After completion of one year of the award of fellowship, the concerned fellow/awardee shall submit and present its Progress
Report in the proforma prescribed by the UGC as given in Annexure-III. The Fellow/awardee shall also submit and present accounts of
contingency grants in the proforma prescribed by the UGC as given in Annexure-IV. Fellow/awardee shall submit and present its HRA
Certificate in the prescribed proforma Annexure-V.Frequently Asked QuestionsWho can apply for fellowship under MANF scheme?
The candidate should belong to one of the minority communities notified under Section 2 (c) of the National Commission for Minorities
Act, 1992, viz., Buddhist, Christian, Jain, Muslim, Sikh, Zoroastrian (Parsi). Is it mandatory to appear in the UGCNET/Joint CSIR-UGC
Test for MANF Fellowship? Yes, this fellowship is awarded only through UGC-NET / Joint CSIR-UGC Test. Candidate should apply
for both i.e. JRF and Eligibility for Assistant Professor. What is the period for availing the award of MANF through UGCNET/Joint
CSIR-UGC Test? For the candidates who had already taken admission into M.Phil / Ph.D while applying for the concerned UGC-NET/
Joint CSIR-UGC Test, the validity period of the offer is three months w.e.f. the date of issue of Award letter. Other candidates have to
join M.Phil / Ph.D within three years from the date of issue of the Award Letter. Where will the MANF qualified candidate get the
Award Letter? The UGC uploads the Award Letters on its website: www.ugcnetonline.in. The qualified candidates can download their
Award Letters from there. Can I be considered for MANF if I have not declared my minority status while applying for UGC-NET/ Joint
CSIR-UGC Test? The result of MANF is prepared on the basis of information provided by the candidate in his/her Online Applying
Form for UGC-NET/ Joint CSIR-UGC Test. The candidate, therefore, must exercise utmost care while filling the online application
form. No requests for alteration in category, community or any other material information are entertained at a later stage. How many
Fellowships can be availed by the candidate at a time? A scholar is eligible to receive only one fellowship at a time. What is the mode of
selection? Community-wise selection of scholars at the national level will be done on the basis of their pro-rata population. Merit list is
prepared from amongst the candidates who had applied for JRF as well as Eligibility for Assistant Professor but who qualify for
Eligibility for Assistant Professor only. Whether any candidate who has already taken admission into M.Phil/Ph.D. programme can be
given preference as per the selection criteria? The candidates, who have already taken admission in M.Phil/Ph.D. will receive precedence
over other candidates. What is the duration of fellowship? For M. Phil: - Maximum duration is 2 years or date of submission of
dissertation, whichever is earlier. For Ph.D.: - Maximum duration is 5 years or date of submission of Ph.D. thesis, whichever is earlier (2
years for JRF and remaining 3 years for SRF). For M.Phil + Ph.D.: - Maximum duration is 5 years or date of submission of Ph.D. thesis,
whichever is earlier (2 years for JRF and remaining 3 years for SRF). What is the rate of fellowship? JRF-Rs. 31,000/- p.m. for initial two
years SRF- Rs.35,000/- pm. for remaining tenure HRA and Contingency is also paid as per guidelines of scheme. Sources And
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