UNIVERSITY OF JAMMU

NOTIFICATION

RE: SUBMISSION OF THESIS/DISSERTATION IN PDF FORMAT

In order to facilitate the M. Phil and Ph. D research scholars in terms of submission of dissertations/thesis and their speedy evaluation, necessitated due to Covid-19 related restrictions, it has been approved by the competent authority that the Research Scholars may submit their M. Phil. Dissertations/Ph. D thesis, as the case may be, in PDF format, as one time departure from the practice required to be followed as per the Statute 18 of the Statutes governing the Ph. D Programme.

The submissions of M. Phil. Dissertation/Ph. D thesis shall be as per guidelines issued vide office Notification No. DRS/JU/20/6511-46 dated 22.05.2020(copy enclosed).

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Dean Research Studies

No.DRS/2021/C-II/S.O/100-60

Dated: - 18.05.2021

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- 4. All Rectors/ Directors / HODs of the Teaching Departments.
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Pursuant to the Action Plan formulated by the University of Jammu on the inputs received from all the Campus Deans, in view of the Covid-19 circumstances, and followed by further deliberations by the Committee constituted by the Vice-Chancellor on 04-05-2020, in order to facilitate the M. Phil and Ph. D research scholars in terms of submission of dissertations/thesis and their speedy evaluation, necessitated due to Covid-19 related restrictions, it is hereby notified in the anticipation of the approval of the competent bodies that:-

The Research Scholars may submit their M. Phil. Dissertations/Ph. D thesis, as the case may be, in PDF format, as one time departure from the practice required to be followed as per the Statute 18 of the Statutes governing the Ph. D Programme.

The Ph. D scholars shall be required to include in their Thesis, a Certificate to be issued by the concerned HOD with respect to the information as given below :-

- 1. That the Candidate has completed the required period of time for completion of research work as a whole time or part time scholar, as the case may be.
- 2. That the Candidate fulfils all the requirements of UGC-MSP guidelines 2009/2016 regulations.
- 3. That the Candidate has published at least one research paper in a refereed research journal and makes two paper presentations in conferences/seminars.
- 4. That the Candidate has put in the required attendance in the Department.

The candidates submitting **M. Phil. dissertation** shall however, continue to include the certificate as per the statutes already in vogue.

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The Plagiarism check of the dissertation/thesis shall be undertaken by the candidate under the supervision of the concerned HOD. The soft copy of the dissertation/thesis shall be sent to the I/C Librarian for Plagiarism check by the concerned HOD. The I/C Librarian shall send Scanned copy of the Plagiarism report to the concerned HOD.

In case of Ph. D thesis, after the receipt of the Plagiarism report and if found as per norms, the concerned HOD shall send soft copy of the Abstract and Plagiarism report to the Dean of the Faculty through the Departmental Research Committee of the Department, for further transmission to the concerned Offices.

The Candidate, however, shall submit an Undertaking that the hard copies of the Dissertation/Thesis, No Objection Certificate (NOC) and the requisite fees shall be deposited in the University Chest as and when the situation is eased out. All other formalities as per the Statutes governing the M. Phil./Ph.D programme, as the case may be, and the practice in vogue prior to the Covid-19 related restrictions shall, however, be mandatorily required to be completed before conduct of viva-voce in case of M. Phil. and before opening of the Examiner Reports by the Committee constituted under the Convenorship of the Dean Research Studies, University of Jammu in case of Ph. D. scholars.

The above notification being issued as **one time measure**, in view of the extraordinary circumstances caused due to the spread of pandemic Covid-19, shall not form any precedent for the future and shall stand withdrawn as soon as the situation becomes normal or till further orders in this regard.

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