

UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Subject: Continuance of UGC schemes beyond 30.09.2017

In continuation to the Public Notice No. 22-4/2016(FD-I/B) dated 9th June, 2017, it is informed that UGC schemes in rationalized form as detailed at **Annexure** will continue beyond 30.09.2017 and up to 31.03.2019.

(P.K. Thakur) Secretary



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Annexure

The final list of schemes in their respective rationalized form is as given below:-

| S. No. | Name of the scheme (Rationalized Form) | Remarks/Components |
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| 1. | Construction of Women's Hostel for Universities and Colleges | To be continued |
| 2. | E-content Development of Project, Submission for Assistance from UGC under NME-ICT | To be continued |
| 3. | Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs) : SWAYAM | To be continued |
| 4. | Establishment of Centres in Universities for Study of Social Exclusion And Inclusive Policy To be continued | |
| 5. | Women's Studies in Higher Educational Institutions | To be continued |
| 6. | Promotion of Academics and Research through Professional Association / Academies | To be continued The scheme of Incentivisation of Teachers, Subject/Discipline Based Association for Organization of Various Academic &Research Activities has been renamed as Promotion of Academics and Research through Professional Association / Academies |
| 7. | Granting Special Heritage Status to Universities and Colleges | To be continued |
| 8. | Equal Opportunity Cell (Coaching Schemes for SC/ST/OBC (Non-Creamy Layer) & Minority Students for Universities and Colleges) | To be continued with the following components: (i) Remedial Coaching for SC/ST/OBC (non-creamy layer) & Minority Community Students (ii) Coaching Classes For Entry Into Services For SC/ST/OBC (Non Creamy Layer) And Minority Community Students (iii) Coaching For National Eligibility Test or State Eligibility Test for SC/ST/OBC (Non-Creamy Layer) & Minority Community Students |
| 9. | Schemes for Persons with Disability in Universities and Colleges | To be continued with following components: (i) Higher Education for Persons with Special Needs (HEPSN) (ii) Visually - Challenged Teachers |
| 10. | UGC Research Awards for Faculty | To be continued as under: i. BSR Faculty Fellowship ii. Emeritus Fellowship |

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| | | iii. Research Award iv. Mid career Award |
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| | | v. Startup grant |
| | | Startap grant |
| 11. | UGC Fellowships for Post-Doctoral Researchers | To be continued as under: i. Dr. DS Kothari Post-Doctoral Fellowship ii. Dr. S Radhakrishnan Post-Doctoral Fellowship iii. Post-Doctoral Fellowship for SC/ST iv. Post-Doctoral Fellowship for Women |
| 12. | UGC Fellowships for Doctoral students | To be continued as under: i. National Eligibility Test - Junior Research Fellowship (NET-JRF) ii. Swami Vivekananda Fellowship for Single Girl Child |
| 13. | UGC Scholarships for Post-Graduate Students | To be continued as under: i. PG Indira Gandhi Scholarship for Single girl Child ii. PG scholarship for University Rank Holders iii. PG scholarship for SC/ST students to pursue Professional courses iv. PG scholarship for GATE qualified students for ME/M.Tech |
| 14. | UGC Scholarships for Under-Graduate Students (IshaanUday Special Scholarship scheme for NER) | To be continued |
| 15. | Networking Resource Centers | To be continued |
| 16. | Maulana Azad National Fellowship for Minority Students | To be continued |
| 17. | Rajiv Gandhi National Fellowship for Students with Disabilities | To be continued |
| 18. | Rajiv Gandhi National Fellowship for SC Candidate | To be continued |
| 19. | Rajiv Gandhi National Fellowship for ST Candidate | To be continued |
| 20. | National Fellowship for Other Backward Classes | To be continued |
| 21. | Universities with Potential for Excellence | To be continued |
| | | To be continued |
| 22. | Special Assistance Programme | Centre with Potential for Excellence in a Particular Area (CPEPA)and CAS level of Special Assistance Programme (SAP) are merged into a single scheme of SAP. |
| 23. | Colleges with Potential for Excellence / College of Excellence | To be continued |
| 24. | Autonomous Colleges | To be continued |
| 25. | Major Research Projects | To be continued |
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| 26. | National Skills Qualification Framework | To be continued with the following components: (i) Community Colleges in Universities and Colleges (ii) Introduction of Bachelor of Vocational (B.Voc) Programme in Universities and Colleges (iii) Deen Dayal Upadhyay Centers for Knowledge Acquisition and Upgradation of Skilled Human Abilities and Livelihood (KAUSHAL) in Universities and Colleges (Deen Dayal Upadhyay Kaushal Kendras) (2014–2017) |
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| 27. | Area Study Programme | To be continued |
| 28. | Funding Support to Universities for Study and Research in Indigenous and Endangered Languages of India | To be continued with the following components: (i) Funding Support to State Universities for Study and Research in Indigenous and Endangered Languages of India. (ii) Setting up Centre's for Preservation and Promotion of Endangered Languages in Central Universities |
| 29. | UGC Chairs in Universities | To be continued |
| 30. | Human Resource Development Centre | To be continued with a special component namely Capacity Building of Women Managers in Higher Education'. |

Further, the Scheme of General Development Assistance (GDA) renamed as Block Grants to Universities / Colleges will have the following components (in addition to the existing components of GDA) indicated against them:

| S.No. | Block Grant | Components | |
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| 1. | Block Grant to Universities (BGU) | i. Swachh Bharat-Swasth Bharat Abhiyan | |
| | | ii. Adjunct Faculty in universities | |
| 3 | | iii. Sports Infrastructure and Equipment in Universities | |
| | 1 | iv. Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) for | |
| | | Universities | |
| | | v. Free Education for Sports Medal Winner/Participants | |
| | | of National / International Events | |
| | | vi. Establishment of Centre for Fostering Social | |
| | | Responsibility and Community Engagement in | |
| | 9 | University | |
| | * | vii. Establishment/Up-gradation of Hindi Departments. | |

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| 1. | Block Grant to Colleges (BGC) | i. ii. | Adjunct Faculty in Colleges Development Assistance to Colleges for |
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| | | | construction of Buildings |
| | | iii. | Sports Infrastructure and Equipment in Colleges |
| | | iv. | Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) for |
| | | | Colleges |
| | | V. | Faculty Development Programme for Colleges teachers |
| | | vi. | Scheme for Seminar / Symposia / Conference for Colleges |
| | | vii. | Travel Grant for College Teachers |
| | | viii. | Minor Research Projects for Colleges Teachers |

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