



UNIVERSITY OF KERALA

Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala, India – 695034

(Established as University of Travancore by the Travancore University Act in 1937 and reconstituted as University of Kerala by the Kerala University Act of 1957 and presently governed by the Kerala University Act of 1974 passed by the Kerala State Legislative Assembly)
(Re-accredited by NAAC with 'A⁺⁺' Grade)

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NOTIFICATION

Applications are invited in the prescribed form from eligible candidates for the award of University Post Doctoral Fellowship (Regular Post Doctoral Fellowship and Bridge Post Doctoral Fellowship) for the year 2022-2023.

Eligibility

The eligibility and the award of PDF shall be governed by the Regulations for the Award of Post Doctoral Fellowship 2016, of the University of Kerala.

(A). Regular Post Doctoral Fellowship

The minimum qualification for selection to the Regular Post Doctoral Fellowship shall be a Doctorate Degree in the subject concerned from the University of Kerala or a Doctorate Degree recognised by the University of Kerala as equivalent thereto.

There is no age bar for award of Regular Post Doctoral Fellowship, subject to the condition that **the candidates shall apply for PDF within two years from the date of award of Ph.D Degree.**

(B). Bridge Post Doctoral Fellowship.

The candidates awaiting award of Ph.D Degree after submission of the thesis are eligible to apply for Bridge Post Doctoral Fellowship.

Application

The applicants of Regular Post Doctoral Fellowship/ Bridge Post Doctoral Fellowship shall choose the respective Departments of University of Kerala as their Research Centre and their applications shall be forwarded to the University along with:

(i) the research proposal not exceeding 1000 words; (ii) the consent letter from the supervising teacher of the University Department to serve as mentor (iii) Facility

Certificate from the Head of the Department concerned and (iv) the recommendation of the Chairman, Doctoral Committee v) Original Chalan of Rs 550/- remitted as registration fee

(vi) Eligibility Certificate shall be submitted if Ph.D Degree is from outside University.

Post Doctoral Fellowship shall be carried only on Full-time basis and persons drawing any other emoluments are not eligible.

SELECTION

The selection shall be based on the performance in the presentation before the Selection Committee and also the Research papers published/patent application published. Publications in Impact factor/Scopus/UGC-Care listed journals shall be considered.

SC/ST/ OBC/PH candidates shall be eligible for reservation benefits as per the rules of the



State Government for employment from time to time.

Eligible candidates shall apply to the University in the prescribed form (available in the website (www.research.keralauniversity.ac.in)) along with the attested copies of all supporting documents which shall reach the Registrar University of Kerala, Palayam, Thiruvananthapuram- 695034 on or before **10/08/2023**.

REGISTRAR

To

1. The Heads of all Departments
2. PS to VC
3. PA to Registrar/FO
4. The PRO section/Enquiry/Computer Centre/Research Portal
5. SF/FC



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Application Form

For University Post Doctoral Fellowship (Regular PDF and Bridge PDF)

Personal Details

Name in full:

Gender:

Age and Date of Birth:

Religion:

Community :

Nationality:

Permanent Address:

Communication Address:

Email ID:

Mobile number:

Academic Details - (copies to be submitted)

Post Graduate Degree - University/Institution – Percentage of Marks – Year of Passing:

Ph.D Degree/Subject/Faculty/University/Institution- Date of Award/Date of thesis submission:

Eligibility Details, if obtained Ph.D from outside University (copy of Eligibility Certificate to be submitted):



Research preferences:

Faculty:

Subject:

Research topic:

Research Centre:

Mentor (Research guide):

Research papers published:

Details of Fee Remitted:

Amount:

Chalan No & Date of remittance:

Declaration by the applicant:

I hereby declare that the information above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and if admitted I shall abide by the rules and Regulations of the University.

Station:

Date:

Signature of the applicant

Mentor (Supervising Teacher)

Head of the Department

The document is digitally approved. Hence signature is not needed.

