

University of Mumbai



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Circular :-

With reference to Clause 13 of the UGC Guidelines D.O.No.F.1-1/2020 (Secy) dated 29th April, 2020 regarding M. Phil/Ph. D degree Programmes and on the basis of the VCD / 947 of 2018 for M. Phil/PhD and also the relevant Ordinances / Regulations for M.Phil / Ph.D / M. Sc (by Research) /M. A (by Research) etc., the Directors / Principals / Heads / Co-ordinators of the affiliated Research Institutes / Colleges / University Departments / Sub-Campuses are hereby instructed to note the following:-

1. All candidates registered for the research degrees M.Phil / Ph.D / M. Sc (by Research) /M. A (by Research) etc and whose maximum period for submission of Dissertation / Thesis is expired or expiring during the Corona pandemic period, shall be granted an extension till 31st December, 2020 in order to submit their Dissertation / Thesis or complete necessary formalities for the same.
2. The extension till 31st December, 2020 is also granted to those students who have been admitted to any of the research programmes but processes regarding topic approvals / registration / submission of progress reports / synopsis etc. is pending.
3. All types of fees for the respective research programmes mentioned above shall be waived for such extended period only.

The Directors / Principals / Heads / Co-ordinators of the affiliated Research Institutes / Colleges / University Departments / Sub-Campuses are instructed to bring the above contents of this circular to the notice of all the concern stakeholders and to act accordingly.


I/c Registrar

Copy for information and necessary action to The Directors / Principals / Heads / Co-ordinators of the affiliated Research Institutes / Colleges / University Departments / Sub-Campuses.