

RECOMMENDATION OF THE HIGHER DEGREES AND RESEARCH COMMITTEE

The following Sub-Committee appointed by the Higher Degrees and Research Committee to prepare a Guidelines for upgrading M.Phil registration to P:h.D degree and met on 03.11.2015 and prepared the following guidelines

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The High Degrees and Research Committee at its 240th meeting held on 11.11.2015 considered guidelines prepared by the Sub-Committee and recommended to the Senate.

(1) Guidelines for upgrading M.Phil. Degree registration to Ph.D.

- (i) Candidate shall make a request for upgrading M.Phil. registration to Ph.D. after one year of registration of Master of Philosophy.
- (ii) Such request should be forwarded to the Dean through Head of the Department with the recommendation of the Supervisor.
- (iii) Candidate should submit a comprehensive revised proposal based on the work already completed and highlighting the new areas that the candidate intends to undertake for Ph.D.
- (iv) Dean in consultation with the Faculty Research Committee shall appoint a Panel of Reviewers not less than two at least one of whom should be an Reviewer outside the University in the specialized area relevant to the subject.
- (v) The written proposal should be sent to the Reviewers for reviewing.
- (vi) Based on the recommendation of the Panel of Reviewers the candidate shall be summoned for a presentation to the Faculty.
- (vii) Dean in consultation with the Panel of Reviewers and the Faculty Research Committee will make recommendation to the Higher Degree Committee.
- (viii) The above guidelines will be effective from 01st January 2016


Prof. GMKB Gunaherath
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