

THE GANDHIGRAM RURAL INSTITUTE
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RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT



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Date: 06.01.2026

Submitted to the Vice-Chancellor for approval to upload in the website

As per the directions of Vice-Chancellor, I am happy to invite nominations from the Research Scholars of GRI for "**Best Ph.D. Research Scholar Award**" for the Calendar Year January 2025 to December 2025. This award is open to all the Full-Time Research Scholars of GRI who have completed their Course Work. The nominee must have published a minimum of one paper in reputed journal. Two Cash Awards (1st and 2nd) per department will be given based on the publications.

The last date to receive application: 06.02.2025

The hard copy of the nominations in a sealed envelope superscripted "**Nominations for Best Ph.D. Research Scholar Award**" may be submitted to the Office of the **Director, Research & Development Cell, GRI (DTBU), Gandhigram** through proper channel.

Guidelines & Application format is enclosed

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Best Ph.D. Research Scholar Award

Guidelines

To honor and recognize the research scholars, who have made significant research contributions. It has been decided to give the awards every year based on the publications. The papers published during the calendar year will be considered (January to December) for this award.

Eligibility: This award is open to all fulltime Research Scholars of GRI who have completed their course work. The nominee must have published a minimum of one paper in reputed journals

Selection Criteria: All the nominations received will be duly screened and verified by the committee constituted by the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor.

Award: This award is based on publications of the scholars in each calendar year. Two awards (1st and 2nd) per school/Department/Centre.

Cash award for 1st Prize is Rs.3,000/- & 2nd Prize is Rs.2,000/-

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BEST Ph.D. RESEARCH SCHOLAR AWARD (January 2025 to December 2025)

Nomination form

Name:

Contact No: E-mail:

Department/School/Centre:

Photo

Details of Academic Contributions

a. Whether qualified SRF/JRF/NET?

Sl.No.	Whether JRF or NET	Roll No	Qualifying Year
1.			

b. Whether completed course work? Yes / No.

c. Journal Papers Published from Ph.D. Research Work

Sl.No	Author Name	Paper Title	Journal Name / Publisher Name	Impact Factor	Vol. and Issue No.	Page No.(s)	Year and Month of Publication	National / International
1.								

** For 1st author (10 Marks) and others (5 Marks)*

d. Information related to Patents from Ph.D. Research Work.

Sl.No.	Status (Patent Granted / Patent Provisionally Granted / Patent Published)	Patent Name	Inventor(s)	Patent Granting Country	Patent No. Application No.
1.					

For 1st inventor (10 Marks) and 2nd or 3rd inventor (5 Marks)

e. Book Chapters Published

Sl.No.	Authors Name	Chapter Title	Book Name	Editors of Name	Page No. (s)	Year and Month of publication	Name of publisher
1.							

For 1st author (10 Marks) and others (5 Marks)

f. Papers Presented in Conferences from Ph.D. Research Work

Sl.No.	Title	Name of the Conference	Oral / Poster	Organizer / Institute	Duration	International (Abroad / International (within Country / National
1.						
2.						

For 1st author (05 Marks) and others (3 Marks)

g. Details of any Awards/Fellowship during Ph.D. Research Work

Sl.No.	Name of the Award / Fellowship	Awarding Institute / Organization	International / National	Date of Award
1.				

5 Marks for National 7 Marks for International award

h. No. of Citations & H-index :

(Relevant documents must be attached)

Date:

Signature of the Nominee

Signature of Supervisor

HoD/Director/Coordinator

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