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NOTICE

Scheme for Trans-Disciplinary Research for India's Developing Economy

This is to bring to the notice of all faculty of GGSIP university that the University Grants Commission in 2019, has introduced STRIDE – Scheme for Trans-Disciplinary Research for India's Developing Economy and to help involve teachers and students in national growth and development through collaborative research. The detailed guidelines are available on the link:

https://www.ugc.ac.in/pdfnews/2089255_STRIDE_FINAL_BOOK.pdf

Some salient features of STRIDE are promotion of:

1. Trans-disciplinary research for India's Developing Economy involving young researchers and young Faculty (in first and second component).
2. Solution driven efforts by addressing needs of local/ regional communities and national priorities.
3. Proposals that are socially relevant, locally need-based, Nationally Important and globally significant.
4. Basic, applied and transformational action research for India's developing economy to attain Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)
5. Create multi institutional network of eminent scholars for developing and executing High Impact Research Projects

There are three components in STRIDE:

Component-1: Research Capacity Building and Human Resource Development focused on colleges and Universities [All disciplines; Duration – up to 3 Years; 1 Crore/institution]

- It supports research capacity building opportunities in diverse disciplines by mentoring, nurturing and supporting young talents including students.
- Well-conceived project proposal covering the objectives of the Scheme along with the details of the budget and other information of the institution required as per the given format should be submitted by the HEI (Higher Education Institutes).
- This may involve organizing short courses, workshops etc for capacity building in different areas such as, Curriculum, Critical thinking, Faculty Resources, Collaborations and Partnerships, Training Strategies, Training Methods, Innovations.

Component-2: Trans-Disciplinary Research and Inclusive Innovation for National Development [All disciplines; Duration – up to 3 Years; 50Lakhs to 1 crore]

- This is focused on enhancing problem solving skills with the help of inclusive innovation and action research involving young and mid-career faculty (Assistant/Associate Professors) to engage in high quality research across disciplinary boundaries and knowledge systems, for sustainable development of selected local/regional geographies.
- Proposals on inclusive, innovations and national missions related to poverty, gender, health, nutrition, hygiene, agriculture, animal husbandry, environment, disaster management, safety, energy, water, rural development, transport, urbanization, housing, digital knowledge, skill development, entrepreneurship, etc. related to local, regional and national development may be submitted and possibilities of collaboration/ internships at the government, corporate and voluntary organizations level should be explored.

Component-3: High Impact Trans-disciplinary Research in Humanities and Human Sciences [Duration 5 years; Rs. 5 Crores, with a national network of co-investigators from a minimum of 2-4 institutions / organizations]

- It includes thrust areas in following subjects (not limited to): Law, Education, Journalism, Mass Communication, Commerce, Management, Environment and Sustainable Development, Linguistics, Indian Languages and Culture, Indian Knowledge Systems
- The objective is to support high impact projects with the help of multi institutional network of eminent researchers in various thrust areas. Such network of researchers will be developed by involving best Indian faculty from universities, colleges, institutions, national academies, national councils, industries
- This component focuses on creation of a network of researchers of eminence across disciplines to form a team that can deliver high impact research outcomes in trans-disciplinary areas.
- This is an excellent opportunity for the Faculty to contribute in their own way to national growth and development in their area of specialization by writing innovative proposals, detailed guidelines for which are available in the link mentioned above.

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