



Shaheed Rajguru College of Applied Sciences for Women

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(University of Delhi)

Research Guidelines for Students going into 4th year (Semester VII and VIII) under the UGCF four-year Undergraduate Program, University of Delhi

1. The students undertaking the 4th year must undertake one of the following three academic tracks for fulfilment of an honours degree with Research/Academic Project or Entrepreneurship:
 - (i) Dissertation (research project; one student)
 - (ii) Academic Project (translational project with a maximum of 10 students per faculty); two or more faculty may collaborate.
 - (iii) Entrepreneurship (the student must opt for two GE papers of entrepreneurship if not taken already, in VII and VIII semesters)
2. The guidelines for each track are laid down by the University of Delhi.
3. The three tracks shall be under the supervision and co-supervision (wherever necessary; for example, Industry collaborations) of faculty member(s), Assistant Professor and above.
4. Each student shall be under an ACR (Academic Committee for Research) as constituted by the norms of the University of Delhi(PI, one faculty member from the department and one from outside the department in the college)
5. The student shall submit the project in the **prescribed format** for evaluation and feasibility under a faculty, for approval by ACR (SRC may also be involved for all project evaluations).
6. The credits for the Academic/Dissertation work shall be 12 credits (6 credits per semester across VIIth and VIIIth), thus a student **MUST** spend 6 hrs per week dedicated to research. Attendance and time logs to be maintained by the student and submitted to ACR at the end of the semester.
7. The student shall present her work in 4-5 slides to the ACR every month.
8. **The Monthly Progress Report** in the **prescribed format** must be presented and submitted to ACR.
9. The Final report must accompany a certificate of originality along with a plagiarism report of the project.

10. A **digital or physical repository** should be maintained by the college for the submission of all projects. The projects could be clubbed under

- Physical sciences
- Biological Sciences
- Psychology
- Management and Finance