

(Abstract)

Kannur University - Ph.D. Programme - Extension of time for 6 months for submission of final thesis exclusively for Students whose date of submission expired /expiring during the Covid-19 pandemic period - Granted - Orders issued

Research Directorate

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Read:-Letter no. D.O. No. F.1-1/2020(Secy) dated 29th April 2020 from the Secretary, UGC

ORDER

1. In view of the Covid - 19 pandemic and subsequent lock down, University Grants Commission issued Guidelines on Examination and Academic Calendar as per paper read above, with a direction that the Universities may adopt and implement these guidelines in a transparent manner by making alteration / addition / modifications / amendments to deal with particular situation(s) in the best interest of students, educational institutions and the entire education system.

2. As per clause 13 of the guidelines it is stated that ``The M.Phil. or Ph.D. students, whose maximum period of submission of M.Phil / Ph.D. Dissertation / Thesis prescribed under relevant rules / regulations / Ordinances of the concerned universities is expired / expiring during the corona pandemic period, may be allowed to submit their Dissertation / Thesis, including completion of pending formalities, within six months from the date of expiry of regular prescribed period. The extension of six months may also be considered for those students who are yet to submit their dissertation / thesis``.

3. Considering the above guidelines of the UGC, sanction has been accorded by the Vice Chancellor to grant extension of time for a period of **Six months** from the date of expiry of the prescribed period to those Ph.D. students whose maximum period of submission of Ph.d. Final thesis expired / is due to expire during the corona (covid-19) pandemic period , i.e., between 24.03.2020 to 30.06.2020

4. This benefit will be admissible only for those Ph.D. students whose date of submission of final thesis falls between 24.03.2020 and 30.06.2020.

5. Orders are issued accordingly.

Sd/-

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