



Senate of Serampore College (University)

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DEPARTMENT OF RESEARCH/SATHRI

9 William Carey Road, P.O. Serampore 712 201 West Bengal

RULES FOR RECEIVING THE RESEARCH/SATHRI SCHOLARSHIP FOR D.TH STUDIES

1. *The Research/SATHRI Scholarship which is categorized as monthly / full scholarship and bursary/ one time scholarship for D.Th Studies is open to permanent members of the teaching staff of affiliated to the Senate and non-affiliated Colleges and also to candidates sponsored by Colleges and Churches /Institutions, who desire to serve theological Institutions for a long term as a vocation.*
2. *As per the decision of the Research Committee RC/42/2016, the first year students should complete TWO ASSESSMENT Papers with comments from all THREE Supervisors.*
3. *The applicant should be below the age of 45 years for scholarship.*
4. *The Scholarship will be awarded as priority to a candidate sponsored by an affiliated College and other bodies stated above with preference to women, tribals, dalits and others belonging to disadvantaged communities.*
5. *The Church to which the candidate belongs should give an undertaking to the Governing Body of the Institution in which he/she is a teacher at present that he/she will be permitted to serve the Institution for not less than five years after receiving the D.Th degree. The Candidate shall sign a bond to serve the Institution for not less than five years after passing the M.Th degree. Similarly, the Institution should also sign a bond that it will employ the candidate for not less than five years after his/her successful completion of the course. These bonds, in duplicate, on Rs 10/- non-judicial stamp must accompany the application for scholarship.*
6. *The applicant shall sign an agreement that all fees which are due to the Department of Research/SATHRI shall be deducted from the scholarship if the same is granted to him or her.*
7. *The Institution sponsoring a candidate for Research/SATHRI scholarship is required to pay Rs 12,000/- (Rs 4000/- per year) towards the scholarship fund of the Research Department/ SATHRI before the scholarship is released to their candidates and failing which will lead to the withdrawal of the scholarship.*
8. *Application form should be sent in a prescribed form along with a fee of Rs 1000/- (Rupees One Thousand only) by Online/DD drawn in favour of DEPARTMENT OF RESEARCH/ SATHRI payable at Serampore or Kolkata.*
9. *Application form should be properly filled up and sent to the Department of Research/SATHRI with all the necessary documents and failing which may lead to rejection of application.*



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APPLICATION FOR RESEARCH/SATHRI SCHOLARSHIP FOR DTH STUDIES

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1. Name in full (underline surname) : _____

2. Date of Birth _____ Age _____ Sex _____

3. Address : _____

Phone Number _____

E-mail ID _____

4. Educational Qualifications : _____

5. Marital Status : Married/Unmarried

If married, Name of spouse : _____

Number of Children and their ages :

Are you intending to stay with your family in the centre Yes/ No

6. Is your spouse employed? Yes/No

If yes, monthly salary last drawn : _____

(Name of the Institution) _____

(Qualification of Spouse) _____

7. Ministerial/ Teaching Experiences after M.Th

- a. Name of Institution/Church : _____

- b. Length of Service : _____
- c. Monthly salary last drawn : _____

8. Name of the Institution/ Church where:
the applicant should teach/serve
after D.Th _____

9. Name of the Doctoral Centre : _____
to which candidate is admitted
and marks scored in CET, and the
year in which he/she wrote.

10. Field of study/ Discipline : _____

11. Are you getting scholarship/ financial:
help from any other source? If YES
name the source and the amount
received so far. _____

12. How much of your own money you : _____
can spend for your doctoral studies
per month? (Specify) _____

13. Have you applied for scholarship : _____
from any other source (specify) _____

14. Can you pursue your doctoral : _____
studies if SATHRI is unable to
grant scholarship? _____

15. Category:
a. Teacher from affiliated Institution _____
b. Women _____ c. Dalit/Tribal _____
d. Church sponsored _____ e. Any other _____

- Whether you are financially sponsored by you Institution/ Church? YES/ NO _____
- If YES , how much annually? _____

Note: This application has to be sent along with the following documents:

- a. Agreement from the sponsoring Institution to employ the applicant at least for five years after satisfactory completion of D.Th (please enclose signed BOND with Rs 10/- stamp to that effect).
Specimen I
- b. Agreement from the applicant to serve the sponsoring Institution for at least five years after finishing the course (please enclose signed BOND with Rs. 10/- stamp to that effect).
Specimen II.
- c. Agreement from the sponsoring College/Institution/Church stating that they will contribute Rs 12,000/- (Rs 4,000 at the beginning of each year) towards the SATHRI Doctoral scholarship fund.
Specimen III
- d. Agreement from the applicant regarding the deduction of fees which are due to the Department of Research/SATHRI from the scholarship.
Specimen IV
- e. Letter assuring admission by the doctoral centre and Completion of Two Assessment papers (for 1st year students)

LAST DATE OF APPLICATION : 20th September 2023

Payment Details: UPI No as per SMS after transfer _____

Amount : Rs 1000/-

Bank/ Cash :

Name of Issuing Bank: _____,

DD.No/UPI No : _____

Date of issue : _____,

DD to be drawn in favour of Department of Research/SATHRI payable at Serampore/Kolkata

(If payment is by cash kindly enclose the copy of money receipt along with application)

Transfer online

Bank name: Indian Bank

Account name: Department of Research/ SATHRI

Account number: 945219520

IFSC Code: IDIB000S043

Bank Address: 617, A GT Road, Serampore, Hooghly

I hereby declare that all the information given above is correct to the best of my knowledge.

Date:

Place:

Signature of Applicant

Place :

Date :

*Signature of the Head
of the Sponsoring College/Institution*

(Specimen for Bonds)

Specimen I.

(Agreement executed by the Head of the concerned College/ Institution)

(The bond on RS 10/- (Rupees Ten) non judicial stamp paper must be executed following the form as suggested below.)

Whereas a scholarship has been awarded by the Committee for Research of the Senate of Serampore College 712 201 to _____ for D.Th studies, I, _____ Principal, _____ Seminary/College _____ upon the authorization of the Governing Board of the Seminary/College hereby agree to employ _____ as a member on the teaching staff of the Seminary/College for a period of five years on completion of his/her D.Th studies at the _____ Seminary/College _____ If the Seminary /College withdraws sponsorship given to Shri/Ms. _____ during the course of his/her study or fails to employ Shri/Ms. _____, the Seminary/College hereby agree to refund to the Department of Research /SATHRI of Serampore College (University) the scholarship amount thus far paid to the candidate by the Department of Research /SATHRI.

After employing if the Seminary/College terminates the appointment of Shri/Ms. _____ before completion of five years as agreed, the Seminary/College shall refund to the Department of Research /SATHRI an amount proportionate to the period of service not received by the Institution or 1/3rd of the scholarship amount received by Shri/Ms. _____ Whichever is more.

Date _____

Signature of the Head of the college/Institution

Specimen II.

(Agreement executed by the Candidate)

(The bond on RS 10/- (Rupees Ten) non judicial stamp paper must be executed following the form as suggested below.)

Whereas the Department of Research /SATHRI of Serampore College (University) has awarded a scholarship to me for D.Th studies at the _____ Seminary/College _____ I, _____ hereby agree to serve on the staff of _____ Seminary/College, _____ for a period of at least five years after completing my D.Th course of studies. In the event I discontinue my studies at my own free will or disregard the agreement to serve the Institution for five years, I hereby agree to refund to the Senate of Serampore College the scholarship amount thus far received by me.

After having been employed, if I decide to discontinue my service to the Seminary/College, I hereby agree to refund to the Department of Research /SATHRI an amount proportionate to the period of service not rendered to the Institution or 1/3rd of the scholarship received which is more.

Date _____

Signature of the applicant

(Specimen III)

*(Agreement to be executed by the Head of the concerned College/ Institution
on the College/ Institution Letter head)*

LETTER OF AGREEMENT

Whereas a scholarship has been awarded by the Committee for Research of the Senate of Serampore College 712201 to _____ for D.Th. studies.

I, _____ Head/Principal,

Institution/College _____ upon the
authorization of the Governing Board of the Institution / College hereby agree to pay
Rs 12,000.00 (Rs 4000.00 per year at the beginning of each academic year) towards the
scholarship fund of the Department of Research / SATHRI.

Date:

Place:

Signature of the Head of the

College/ Institution

Name: _____

LETTER OF AGREEMENT

(To be signed by the applicant)

Whereas the Research/SATHRI Scholarship is granted to me,

I, _____ DTh student of _____

hereby agree that all the fees due to the Department of Research/ SATHRI shall be deducted from the amount of scholarship granted to me.

Date :

Place :

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Signature of applicant