

B. M. S. College of Engineering, Bengaluru Research and Development Centre

Application for B.S. Narayan Fellowship for full-time Ph.D. Research Scholars

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Research Centre :	
University: VTU / Mangalore University	
Year of Admission:	
Research Supervisor:	<u>.</u>
Research Supervisor Designation/Department:	
Proposed Research Domain/Title :	
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Contact Number:	-
Address for communication:	

Research Progress, for existing scholars:		
Recommendation of Research Supervisor:		
I hereby certify that above particulars are correct.		
Signature with date	Signature of Research Supervisor	
Signature of Head of the Research Centre		



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To nurture research and development activities among research scholars and to attract Full-time Ph.D. scholars, B.M.S. College of Engineering has constituted the B.S. Narayan Fellowship for **full-time Ph.D. research scholars.** BMSCE has 13 research centres recognised by Visvesvaraya Technological University and/or Mangalore University. The research scholars who are admitted to the Ph.D. Programs through these recognised research centers are entitled to the fellowship.

The Terms and conditions for award of the fellowship are listed below

1. Eligibility:

The research scholar should have obtained admission by qualifying VTU-ETR in the same academic year.

Note: The research scholars receiving the fellowship from any government or private agencies in India and abroad (ex: AICTE QIP / AICTE Doctoral fellowship (ADF), Project fellowship, Industry fellowship, etc) are not eligible for BSN Fellowship. In case any scholar receives the fellowship in between from any other funding agencies/sources, the BSN Fellowship will be discontinued.

- **2. Fellowship:** The research scholars pursuing full-time Ph.D. at BMSCE are entitled to a monthly stipend of Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Thousand Only).
- **3. Duration of fellowship:** The fellowship will be extended for a period of 3 years.
- **4. Start of fellowship:** The date of the start of the fellowship will be mentioned in the confirmation letter issued by the R&D Centre after confirmation of the admission by the University.
- **5. Workload:** The candidate will be expected to carry out a minimum 6 hours per week of Teaching workload including laboratory, tutorials, CIE Invigilations, etc as assigned by the Head of the Department in consultation with the research supervisor.
- **6. Progress review:** The progress of the BSN fellow will be reviewed biannually. The progress has to be satisfactory to continue receiving the fellowship.
- **7. Coursework and Comprehensive Viva:** The research scholar is expected to complete the coursework within the first 2 semesters and appear for comprehensive viva within the second year of research.
- **8. Publications:** He/She shall publish at least one quality journal article (Web of Science/Scopus indexed) before the comprehensive viva. However, the candidate must submit at least three journal articles (Web of Science/Scopus indexed) as a first author by the end of the third year of research.

- **9. Deputation for workshop/training/research activities:** The full-time research scholars will not be allowed to take up any assignments outside of BMSCE. However, the scholars can be deputed to other premier institutes or companies for training/workshops/research activities, etc based on research requirements and recommendations from the R & D committee and supervisor. Financial support will not be provided by the Institution for any such activities.
- **10. Casual Leaves:** He/She is entitled to a total of 30 days of Casual Leaves in a calendar year with the prior permission of the Supervisor and Head of the research center, subject to the condition that such leave will not be longer than 5 days at a time. This leave cannot be carried over to the next calendar year. The leave will be calculated proportionately in accordance with the date of joining and leaving.
- **11. Attendance:** The candidate will have to register his attendance in the register/biometric twice a day. The working hours will be the same as the college working hours. The Research centre shall maintain a record of leave every month and cumulative leave details are to be entered in the attendance register. Loss of pay if any must be clearly indicated in the attendance report submitted to the R&D centre.
- **12. Monthly report:** The candidate should submit the attendance statement of the month and the monthly report of research and academic activities on or before the 5th of every subsequent month to receive the fellowship. The same has to be attested and recommended by the supervisor and the head of the research centre.
- **13. Undertaking:** The candidate selected for the award of B S Narayan Fellowship should give undertaking, wherein he/she agrees to complete the Doctoral studies in the same research centre. If the candidate discontinues the course, he/she will have to repay the stipend with interest as per the institute norms.
- **14.** All the research fellows must abide by the rules and regulations of the Universities and policies of the B.M.S. College of Engineering.

Sd/-

Date: 01.02.2025 PRINCIPAL