

**I.K. GUJRAL PUNJAB TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY JALANDHAR  
(REGISTRAR OFFICE)**

IKGPTU/REG/NF/R&D/312

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**NOTIFICATION**

Consequent upon decision of 1<sup>st</sup> meeting of University Research Board (URB), IKGPTU and subsequently approved by Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor on 09.06.2022 vide e-office file No. I-505/2022-R&D (Computer No. 70818) criteria for approval of Ph.D supervisor is hereby notified as under:

1. Only a full-time regular teacher of the IKGPTU/Constituent Campuses or its affiliated colleges can act as a supervisor. The supervisors from other University are not allowed. However, Co-Supervisor can be allowed in inter-disciplinary areas from other Departments of the same institute or from other related institutions with the approval of the Research Advisory Committee.
2. The supervisor shall be approved from only those colleges who are running the Master Program in the subject of supervisor.
3. Any regular faculty member of IKGPTU and its affiliated colleges having at least five post Ph.D. research publications in the SCI/ABDC Journals shall be recognized as Research Supervisor.
4. An undertaking shall be given by the Institution where the candidate is applying for the registration, for
  - a) All the required research facilities will be provided by the Institution to the candidate.
  - b) If the supervisor is being relieved from the institution, before relieving new supervisor will be appointed by the institute. All responsibilities of the students will be borne by the institution till the award of Ph.D. degree.
5. Scientists/faculties of government funded research organizations of national importance with which IKGPTU has signed specific MoU for collaboration in research and development activities may be approved as Ph.D. supervisor provided their names are duly forwarded by the Director or equivalent of their parent institutions. Recognition of the scientists/faculties as Supervisors would be granted by the concerned RAC, IKGPTU.

In case of topics which are of inter-disciplinary nature where the Department concerned feels that the expertise in the Department has to be supplemented from outside, the Department may appoint a Research Supervisor from the

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