

Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural Education

Department of Higher Education, Ministry of HRD, Government of India

Announcement for Minor Research Projects on

Nai-Talim (Vocational Education, Experiential Learning)

MGNCRE is proposes small grant of Rs.40,000/- - to the Faculty/ Research Scholars to study the Nai-Talim Education (Experiential Learning, Vocational Education) focused on Rural Concerns. The project is for 2 months, total grant is Rs.40,000/-. It will be reimbursed on submission final report along with photos. The study will be published as a monograph by MGNCRE at MGNCRE cost. The last date for submission of project proposal is 31st July 2019.

Eligibility: Faculty from University/Colleges/Department of Education/B.Ed Colleges/Colleges of Teacher Education and Research Scholars from Department of Education (those who are pursuing Ph.D and those who have submitted Ph.D).

For application format and other details of Minor Research Project, please visit our website's www.mgncre.in; www.ncri.in. The interested faculty/research scholars are requested to send the synopsis of the research proposal as per guidelines and send aps@ncri.in.

For further details contact Dr. D. N. Dash, Assistant Director (R & N), MGNCRE Ph: 040-23422112, 9848038112 (SMS for details).

MEMBER SECRETARY

Guidelines for Minor Research Projects

The Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural Education (MGNCRE) formerly National Council of Rural Institutes (NCRI) was set up in 1995 as a catalyst organisation to usher in inclusive growth and strives to promote resilient rural India. MGNCRE strives to achieve this through higher education interventions programmes offered by universities and autonomous institutions so also supporting rural institutions to take up studies to understand the various issues and challenges faced by the rural communities.

(1)**Objectives:**

To promote excellence in research in higher education by supporting research programmes focusing on various challenges faced by the rural communities.

To undertake Minor Research Projects relating to Nai-Talim (Experiential Learning, Vocational Education).

(2)Eligibility:

Faculty from University/Colleges/Department of Education/B.Ed Colleges/College of Teacher Education and Research Scholars from that department (those are pursuing Ph. D and those who have submitted Ph. D).

Research proposals are invited from faculty members/research scholars to take up short duration study on rural concerns and interested candidates may apply in the proforma at Annexure-I along with a copy of the bio – data.

(3).Budget

The total grant of the project is Rs 40,000/-.

(4). Nature of assistance:

Total	Rs. 40,000.00	
(4). Miscellaneous including stationary	Rs. 5,000.00	
(3). Contingency expenditure	Rs. 5,000.00	
(2)Travel including field visit	Rs. 6,000.00	
(1)Honorarium to the principal investigator @Re 12000/ per month	Rs. 24,000.00	

(5). Mode of Payment,

The total budget for the project is Rs 40,000/- and the amount will be reimbursed after receiving of final research report along with photographs.

(6). Travel and Field Work

The amount allocated under the head travel is to be utilized for the implementation of the ongoing project only. This should not be used for attending conference, seminar, workshop and this amount should also not be used for attending any training course either. The travel/field work is to be undertaken only for data collection and collection of other information such as documents and libraries within the general scope and sphere of the project.

(7).Duration:

The duration of the project is for two months.

(8). Sanction of the research Project.

A committee constituted by MGNCRE will scrutinise and recommend the proposal for sanction of the project. Project will be considered on first come first basis and the availability of funds for the scheme.

(9).Submission of the report

It is the responsibility of the Principal Investigator, to submit the final research report along with photographs on or before the due date approved by the Council. Two certified copies along with soft copy would be submitted to MGNCRE (aps@ncri.in). The study report will be published as a monograph by MGNCRE.

(10). Mode of sending the research proposal

Interested Faculty members may submit the research proposal by furnishing all the required detailed mentioned above including budget details through their respective administrative authority. However, soft copy of the proposal can be sent directly to aps@ncri.in.

FORMAT FOR SUBMISSION OF RESEARCH PROPOSAL

(a)Background information about the researcher
(1).Name of Researcher/Principal Investigator:
(2).Sex: M/F
(3)Category: SC/ST/OBC/Gen
(4). Date of Birth:
(5). Qualifications:
(6). Designation:
(7). Address:
(a). Office:
(b). Residence:
(8). Name of the university where the project will be undertaken:
(9). Department:
(b).Proposed research work
(a).Title of the Research project:
(b).Need and Background of the study:
(c). Objectives of the research:
(d).Research design and methodology:
The proposal should clearly indicate the universe of the study, sampling frame, sampling methods, sampling size, units of observation, tools and methods used for the study

Budget Estimate

(Please provide detailed estimate of the budget in a separate sheet. Please follow the norms provided in the guidelines)

Serial	Item	Amount in Rs
no.		
1	Honorarium to principal investigator	
2	Travel including field visit	
3	Contingency expenditure	
4	Miscellaneous including stationary	
5	Any other	

Total Amount in Rs

Bank Account Details as follows:

Name of the Account Holder:
Account Number:

Name of the Bank:

Name of the Bank Branch:

IFSC CODE:

Name & Signature of
(a) Principal Investigator

(b) Registrar/Principal/HoD (Signature with Seal)