



## छत्रपति शाहू जी महाराज विश्वविद्यालय, कानपुर-208024

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राष्ट्रीय मूल्यांकन प्रत्यायन परिषद् द्वारा ग्रेड A++ प्राप्त विश्वविद्यालय  
(पूर्ववर्ती कानपुर विश्वविद्यालय, कानपुर)

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### Modified Guidelines for PG Research Dissertation/Report as per NEP

This is regarding the modification to the Guidelines for PG Research Dissertation/Report as per NEP issued via Letter No CSJMU/Academic/91/2024 dated 04.04.2024.

The modalities associated with submission and evaluation of the PG Dissertation/Research Project/ Survey Work/Industrial Training/Internship under the regulations of NEP-2020 that all Faculty members/Supervisors and students of Affiliated Colleges/University departments shall adhere to, are as follows:

- 1- The PG students may select either Dissertation or Research Project or Survey Work or Industrial Training or Internship as their 'Research Project' in the Second semester (First Year) and Fourth semester (Second Year) of the PG Program as per the UP State GO issued on 9<sup>th</sup> February 2022. In all cases, a Supervisor will be allotted to each student and a report has to be prepared and submitted at the end of Second semester (First Year) and Fourth semester (Second Year) according to the steps mentioned below.
- 2- Evaluation of the submitted report at the end of Second Semester (First Year) will be done by a committee comprising of HOD/Department In-charge, at least one internal expert (from same college) and supervisor. Evaluation of internal marks (25 percent) will be done by the supervisor and the remaining (75 percent) will be done by HOD/Department In-charge, internal expert and supervisor based on viva and/or presentation.
- 3- Evaluation of the submitted report for the PG students of Fourth semester (Second Year) will be done by an external examiner (subject teacher not from the same college).
  - (a) The softcopy of the Project report/Dissertation (pdf format) of each PG student will be uploaded online by the college authorities through the college login.
  - (b) All Project reports/Dissertations have to be typed in Times New Roman (Font size 12) or Krutidev/Mangal (Font size 14) with 1.5 line spacing. The Project report/Dissertation should have minimum of 20 pages and maximum of 50 pages. The size of the softcopy of the same in pdf format should be limited to 2.5 MB. All reports must be typed, scanned copies of handwritten reports are not permitted.
  - (c) The Project report/Dissertation must be checked for plagiarism before uploading and the plagiarism report duly signed by the candidate and supervisor (pdf file of the scanned document) must be submitted along with the Project report/Dissertation. A few suggestions for plagiarism checking software are mentioned below –

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1. Copyleaks (Hindi and English)  
<https://app.copyleaks.com/dashboard/v1/account/new-scan>
2. Small SEO Tools  
<https://smallseotools.com/plagiarism-checker/>
3. Plagiarism Detector(Hindi and English)  
<https://plagiarismdetector.net/>
4. Quetext  
<https://www.quetext.com/>
5. AI Plagiarism Checker  
<https://paraphrasingtool.ai/writing/plagiarism-checker/>  
[Free Paraphrasing For All Languages \(paraphrasingtool.com\)](https://paraphrasingtool.com/)

(d) The softcopy of the Project report/Dissertation will be made available to the external examiner for online evaluation.

(e) Faculty members from aided colleges/University offering PG courses shall be considered as external examiners.

(f) Uploaded Project reports/Dissertations shall be allotted online for evaluation to faculty members of the same subject but not from the same college/University department. Each faculty member shall be given an appropriate number of reports for evaluation.

(g) The Project reports/Dissertations must be evaluated within 07 days of uploading and marks entered online.

4- The final marks for the PG Dissertation/Research Project/ Survey Work/Industrial Training/Internship will comprise of report evaluation by external examiner (50%), internal supervisor (25%) and viva/presentation (25%). The committee for viva/presentation shall comprise of the external examiner (to be provided by University), HOD/Department in-charge and supervisor. The viva/presentation maybe conducted in online or offline mode.

5- The last date for online submission of reports for PG Dissertation/Research Project/ Survey Work/Industrial Training/Internship is 15<sup>th</sup> June 2024 for the 2023-24 (Even semester).

In reference to the above the CSJMU/Academic/91/2024 dated 04.04.2024 is hereby cancelled.

(DEAN ACADEMICS)

## Certificate of Originality

I, \_\_\_\_\_ hereby certify that this Dissertation/Research Project/  
Survey Work/Industrial Training/Internship entitled \_\_\_\_\_  
has been carried out by me at the Department of \_\_\_\_\_,  
\_\_\_\_\_(College Name)\_\_\_\_\_, CSJM University, Kanpur. The Dissertation/Project  
report has been subjected to plagiarism check by \_\_\_\_\_ software and the  
similarity has been found to be \_\_\_\_\_% . The work is submitted in partial  
fulfillment for the award of M.Sc./M.A./M.Com. degree.

(Name & Signature of Student)

### **Forwarded**

(Name & Signature of Supervisor)