



**Visva-Bharati**  
**Academic & Research**

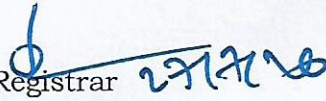
**NOTICE**

In continuation with the earlier Notification No. A&R/Notify/5659/2026-27 dated 11.05.2026, this is for information of all concerned, that the last date for submission of project proposals for Internally Funded Research Grant for the Young Faculties of the University has been extended till **21<sup>st</sup> August, 2026**.

Other terms and conditions of the earlier notification will remain unaltered.

This has been issued with the approval of the Competent Authority.

Ref. No: A&R/Notify/~~5988~~ /2026-27  
Santiniketan, dated: 27.07.2026

Joint Registrar   
(Academic & Research)  
Visva-Bharati

**To:**

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### Proposal for Research Grant

Proposals for research grant of Rs. 10 lakhs for a period of 3 years may be submitted individually, or, jointly by maximum of three (3) faculty members (PI + 2 Co-PIs). In both cases each faculty member must satisfy the following criteria.

- I. Age not more than 35 years on the last date of application, OR, joined Visva-Bharati within last 5 years.
- II. PhD with at least 2 years of experience as Research Associate/ Postdoctoral Fellow/ Teaching/ Research.
- III. No funding from other sources in last 2 years. (Project attempted but not received)

*Last date of submitting application to the respective Department is 15.05.2026.*

### Application Format

#### 1. Project Investigator(s) information:

*(For PI and each Co-PI provide the following information)*

- a. Name  
PI / Co-PI
- b. Department / Centre
- c. Bhavana
- d. Date of birth
- e. Date Ph.D. was awarded
- f. Date of joining Visva-Bharati
- g. Details of funded research project(s) if any
- f. Publications in last five (5) years  
*(articles in journals, books, book chapters, ...)*

For each project provide the following information:

1. Title of project:
2. PI(s):
3. Funding agency:
4. Sanctioned amount:
5. Duration of project:

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## 2. Outline of project proposal

- Title of the project
- Keywords
- Abstract (250 words)

## 3. Detailed project proposal (Not more than 3000 words for items a+b+c+d below. This part may be provided as a separate attachment.)

- Outline of the problem
- Perspective and current status of the problem
- Methodology
- Possible outcome
- Timeline for the proposal:

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|----------------------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Year |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> Year |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> Year |

By the end of the 3<sup>rd</sup> year, the PI(s) have to submit complete accounts and Utilization Certificate for the grant received including a list of equipment/ assets procured with the grant. Additional 6 months may be granted upon prior request for analysis of data and submission of the outcome of the research conducted using the grant.

### f. Infrastructure/ equipment/ resources required for the research:

available within Visva-Bharati  
available in other institutes

### g. Infrastructure/ equipment/ resources/ consumables to be purchased for the project – details may be given below.

| Item | Specification | Quantity | Unit Price | Total Price |
|------|---------------|----------|------------|-------------|
| 1.   |               |          |            |             |
| 2.   |               |          |            |             |
| ...  |               |          |            |             |

### g. Visits/ field trips required for the project

### h. Personnel required: Qualification, duration of engagement, remuneration (/month)

## 4. Financial details (Total budget must be less than Rs 10 lakhs)

| Item                                               | Year I (Rs) | Year II (Rs) | Year III (Rs) | Total (Rs) |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------------|--------------|---------------|------------|
| 1 Equipment (including computer(s), software, ...) |             |              |               |            |
| 2 Consumables                                      |             |              |               |            |
| 3 Personnel                                        |             |              |               |            |

- 4 Field trips for  
collection of data

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**Total**

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5. **Possible societal benefits** (*including development of human resources, development of technology, social benefits, ...*)

6. Any other information related to the implementation of the project

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If faculty members from more than one departments are jointly applying for the research grant, then HoD of each concerned department will separately provide the following report.

**Comment of the Head of the concerned department/ center.**

(Should be sent to the Principal of the respective Bhavana within 5 working days. Please specify if the Department has any comment regarding the implementation of the project.)

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**Signature of the Head of the Department**

If faculty members from more than one Bhavanas are jointly applying for the research grant, then the Principal of each concerned Bhavana will separately provide the following report.

**Comment of the Principal of the concerned Bhavana.**

(Should be sent to the Joint Registrar, Research & Academic within 5 working days.)

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**Signature of the Adhyaksha of the Bhavana**



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In continuation with the earlier Notification No. A&R/Notify/5559/2026-27 dated 02.04.2026, this is for information of all concerned, that the last date for submission of project proposals for Internally Funded Research Grant for the Young Faculties of the University has been extended till **1<sup>st</sup> June, 2026**.

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Joint Registrar 11/5/26  
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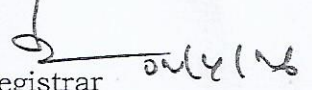
**NOTIFICATION**

This is for information of all concerned, that as per the recommendation of the 8<sup>th</sup> Review Meeting held on 13.01.2026 and subsequent approval in the Finance Committee (F.C.) meeting held on 18.03.2026, the University is going to introduce an Internally Funded Research Grant for the Young Faculties (age limit upto 35 years) of the University under which Rs. 10 (ten) lacs to be provided to them for 3 (three) years and also seed money of Rs. 1 (one) lac for the said purpose.

Eligible faculty members of the University are requested to submit project proposals for the above in prescribed format (attached) through proper channel to the Office of the Joint Registrar (Academic & Research) by **15<sup>th</sup> May, 2026**.

A high-level Expert Committee will scrutinize to select 5 (five) out of all submitted project proposals which will be funded by the University from the Internal Revenue Generation (IRG) fund, subject to compliance of the relevant provisions under GFRs, 2017 & other relevant GoI/UGC instructions/guidelines and statutory provision of the University.

Ref No. A&R/Notify/5559/2026-27  
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