SANT GADGE BABA AMRAVATI UNIVERSITY GAZETTE

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PART- ONE

(Extra Ordinary)

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DIRECTION

No. 35 of 2025 Date: 07/05/2025

Subject: Scheme of Teaching and Examination for Ph.D. Course Work.

Whereas University Grants Commission (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of M.Phil./Ph.D. Degrees) Regulations,2016 is notified in the Gazette of India on 5th May 2016.

AND

Whereas, the Academic Council in its meeting held on 17.10.2016 considered the Draft Ordinance No.2 of 2016in respect of Award of Ph.D. Degree, Recognition of Supervisor and Research Centre in all faculties in accordance with the University Grants Commission (Minimum Standards and procedure for award of M.Phil./Ph.D. Degrees) Regulations,2016 and recommended the same to Management Council for approval.

AND

Whereas the Management Council in its meeting held on 27.10.2016 considered and accepted the Draft Ordinance and Ordinance No.1 of 2016has come into existence from the date of its approval by the Management Council.

AND

Whereas, the course work for the Ph.D. research students as per the provisions of Ordinance No.1 of 2016 will be run by the Research centres within the jurisdiction of the University and the examination for Paper-I i.e. Research Methodology will be conducted by the University.

AND

Whereas, the syllabus for Course Work as approved by the Academic Council is notified by the University vide Notification No.126/2016and Scheme of Teaching and Examination for Ph.D. Course Work is also approved in its meeting held on17.10.2016.The syllabus is necessary to communicate to Research Centre to run the Ph.D. course work.

AND

Whereas, the Scheme of Teaching and Examination for Ph.D. Course work is necessary to run the Course Work at Research Centre within the jurisdiction of the University.

AND

Whereas, The direction No 23/2016 has not been converted in to Ordinance hence it is lapsed as per clause 8 of section 12 of Maharashtra Public University Act, 2016.

AND

Whereas, the making of Ordinance is a time consuming process

AND

Whereas, the matter for time being shall be regulated the direction as per the power conferred the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor as section 8 of MPU Act,2016

Now, therefore, I, Dr. Milind Barhate, Vice-Chancellor, Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University, in exercise of powers conferred upon me under sub-section (12) of Section 8 of the Maharashtra Public Universities Act, 2016, do hereby direct as under :-

1. This direction may be called "Scheme of Teaching and Examination for Ph.D. Course Work."

2. This direction shall come into force from the date of its issuance.

3. Direction 23 of 2016 stood lapsed

SCHEME OF TEACHING AND EXAMINATION
FOR Ph.D. COURSE WORK

SN	MODULE CODE	MODULE TITLE	TEACHING SCHEME			EXAMINATION SCHEME		
			MODE	MIN. HOURS /WEEK	CREDITS	THEORY	TERMWORK	
						Duration of Paper (Hours)	MAX. MARKS	MIN. PASSING MARKS
01	Module1	Research Methodology	THEORY	5	5	3	100 (Theory Paperof80 Marks. + Internal Assessment of 20 Marks)	60
02	Module2	ICT Skills	TERMWORK	4	2	-	50	30
03	Module3	Recent Trends in the Subject	TERMWORK	4	2		50	30
04	Module4	Review of Literature	TERMWORK	4	2		50	30
05	Module5	Seminar	TERMWORK	1	1		50	30
			TOTAL	**18**	**12**		**300**	**180**

a) There shall be separate syllabus for Research Methodology (Module-1) for each faculty

b) There shall be common syllabus for ICT (Information and Communication Technology) Skills (Module-2) for all faculties except faculty of law.

1. Research Methodology (Module-1):

(a) Theory sessions for module-1 shall be of at least 45 Hours covering all the units. Theory classes shall be held at Research centre and the examination shall be conducted by the University.

(b) Theory question paper for Module-1 shall be set as per the unit-pattern. There shall be 5 questions of 16 marks each with one question on each unit having internal choice. The examinee has to attempt all five questions.

(c) Theory Examination for Module-1 shall be conducted by Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University.

(d) The internal assessment for module-1 shall be conducted by the research centre having 20 internal marks.

2. ICT Skills (Module-2):

(a) The practical sessions shall be held at the respective research centre.

(b) The evaluation shall be done by the Research Centre.

3. Recent Trends In The Subject (Module-3):

(a) The scholar shall carry out literature review based on recent trends in the subject.

(b) The evaluation shall be done by the respective research centres.

4. Review of Literature (Module-4):

(a) The scholar shall carry out literature survey based on the review of work done on the proposed subject of research, or on the relevant topic as suggested by the Supervisor.

(b) The evaluation shall be done by the Research Centre.

5. Seminar (Module-5):

(c) The scholar has to deliver one seminar along with submission of seminar report.

(d) The seminar shall be based on the literature review/survey of work done on the proposed subject of research.

(e) It is expected that the scholar shall articulate the knowledge and skills acquired after undergoing the other modules like Research Methodology, ICT Skills, Recent Trends in the subject and literature Review module.

6. Internal marks of Module-1 as well as the marks of Module-2,3,4 and 5 shall be forwarded to University by Head of the concerned Research Centre.

7. Statement of marks to the examinee (Ph.D. Scholar) shall be issued by the University.

8. Certificate of completion of Ph.D. course work shall be issued by the University to the examinee after successful completion of the course work.

9. At the end of coursework, the performance of scholar shall be indicated by a letter grade. The letter grade shall be based on his/her performance in theory/practical examination in every course registered by him/her.

The grade points shall be awarded based on the marks obtained by the scholar in each of the theory and practical examinations, as follows.

GRADE TABLE

Grade.	Percentage of Marks	Grade Point	Meaning
A	90<=Marks<=100	10	Excellent
B	80<=Marks<90	9	Very Good
C	70<=Marks<80	8	Good
D	60<Marks<70	7	Average
E	Marks=60	6	Pass
F	60<Marks>=0	0	Fail
Z	Absent in Examination	---	--

The overall performance in the course work, after successful completion of all the modules, shall be indicated by a number called as Semester Performance Index (SPI) which shall be calculated by the formula given below.

The SPI is weighted average of the grade points obtained in all the courses taken by the scholar during the coursework based on the performance in each of the prescribed theory and practical.

Example: The scholar having successfully completed all the four modules with credits c1,c2, c3,c4 respectively and the grade points in those courses are g1,g2,g3,g4,respectively.

$$SPI = \frac{c1.g1+c2.g2+c3.g3+c4.g4}{c1+c2+c3+c4}$$

10. All the other ordinances in force pertaining to the examinations shall be applicable to this examination.

Sd/-
(Dr. Milind Barhate)
Vice-Chancellor

Amravati.
Dated: 03 .05.2025.

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