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THAI MOOGAMBIGAI DENTAL COLLEGE AND HOSPITAL

(A Constituent Unit of Dr.M.G.R.Educational and Research Institute)



Policy for supporting Early-Career Scientists

This policy aims to promote quality research among the young faculty members of the University who thrives for their career in research.

Seed Grant for Early-Career Research:

Objectives:

- To support the young faculty to start his/her research career in the university
- To help the faculty to generate preliminary results before submitting proposals to external agencies.
- To create research opportunities and obtaining extramural funded projects

Process:

- The faculty should submit a research proposal in a prescribed format for the seed grant application.
- The research proposal will be reviewed by Research Advisory Committee (RAC).
- The shortlisted applicant will be invited to make a presentation to RAC.
- The proposal will be awarded on their merits.
- The RAC will be sanctioning the seed grant of Rs. 1 Lakh per year for 3 years for the shortlisted applicants
- Annual Review Meeting will be conducted every year to review the work progress.
- Only ten projects will be awarded in a particular year and not more than one project will be given to same Department.

Eligibility:

- Applicant should hold a Ph.D. Degree
- Applicant's age should not more than 45 years
- Applicant must be completed 1 year of service at our university

Research Advisory Committee:

- 2 members from our university
- 1 member from outside university

Expected Outcomes:

- Application for PhD Guideship
- Recruitment of Fulltime PhD Scholars
- Submission of research proposals to extramural funded projects
- Publication and patents