

Financial Assistance/Scholarship to M.Sc.thesis writing students

B.P. Koirala Memorial, Planetarium Observatory and Science Museum Development Board calls the application for financial assistance/ scholarship for the 13 thesis writing meritorious students. Each selected students shall receive Rs 20000 and respective supervisor shall receive 8000 for the supervision of thesis.

BPKMD will send the amount to the concerned department. Supervisors will have responsibility of work progress as well as timely submission. The scholarship will be given to the students after getting consent from the supervisor. The amount will be given to the students in two steps: (a) 80% amount after the completion of about 50% work, (b) rest 20% amount after the submission of masters' dissertation. The supervisor will get the 100% amount from the concerned department/college as soon as students begin the work.

Eligibility for Application

Students should already enroll as a masters' thesis student in the college/central departments. Applicants should be fresh student of M.Sc. (Physics) studying in the third/fourth semester.

Area of Research

The research area should be from space, Astronomy, Cosmology or space science.

Selection Criteria

The selection will be made on three criteria listed below:

- 1) Academic Qualification: 20 marks
 - 2) Proposal writing : 20 marks
 - 3) Proposal presentation: 10 marks
- And will converted to 100

Detailed Marks Distribution

Academic Qualification: 20 marks

Level	Division / CGPA		
	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
+2	4	3	2
Bachelor	6	4	2
Masters 1 st Semester	SGPA>3.7	3.4-3.7	<3.4
	10	8	6
Total	20	15	10

Proposal writing 20 marks

Component

1 Introduction: 8 marks

1.1 Title 2

1.2 Background 1

1.3 Statement of problem 1

1.4 Objectives 2

1.5 Significance 2

Review of literature 3 marks

Research Methodology 8 marks

References 1 marks

Presentation and discussion 10 marks

Students need to present the research paper/ thesis in the prescribed committee and are encouraged to publish the paper in national international journal.

Students should submit following documents:

- (1) Application
- (2) Proposal (signed by supervisor)
- (3) Mark sheet/Transcripts of SLC, 10+2/I.Sc., B.Sc., M.Sc. 1st Semester
- (4) Certification of Thesis Enrollment as a Fresh Batch
- (5) Reference Letter from the Supervisor
- (6) Assurance Letter from the Head of the Institution