

NOTICE BOARD
UNIVERSITY OF PERADENIYA
POSTGRADUATE RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS -
2015

1. *Hilda Obeysekera Research Fellowship – will be awarded to Faculties of Arts and Science (01 Fellowship)*
2. *Gate Mudliyar A G Tillekaratne Research Fellowship – will be awarded to “Male Students” only, in the Faculty of Arts and Science (04 Fellowships)*
3. *University Research Fellowship- open to all Faculties (04 Fellowships)*
4. *E W Goonatilake Research Fellowship – will be awarded to Arts graduates of the University of Peradeniya to carry out research in “Theravada Buddhism” (03 Fellowships)*

Applications are invited for the above fellowships for the **Academic Year 2015**. (*Please see attached Guidelines*)

Each application must be made on the prescribed application form that can be downloaded from the **University Website (www.pdn.ac.lk)** from **23rd January, 2015** to **13th February, 2015**. Where an application form is required to be sent by post, the applicant should send a request and a self-addressed, stamped envelope (22 X 10 cm.) to the **Assistant Registrar, Council & Academic Branch, University of Peradeniya**.

Closing date of receiving the completed applications by the Council & Academic Division, University of Peradeniya is
06th March, 2015.

Applications submitted after the deadline will not be entertained.

Assistant Registrar/Council & Academic
University of Peradeniya
21st January, 2015.

UNIVERSITY OF PERADENIYA
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RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS

Guidelines for applicants

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 - 3. *University Research Fellowship*- open to all Faculties**
 - 4. *E W Goonatilake Research Fellowship*- will be awarded to Arts graduates to carry out research in “*Theravada Buddhism*”**
1. Research Fellowships Nos. 1-3 are awarded to any applicant who has obtained a Bachelor's Degree with a First or Second Class (Upper Division) Honours from the University of Peradeniya OR a Bachelor's Degree with First or Second Class (Upper Division) from any other Sri Lankan University OR any other applicant. **Only** Arts Graduates of the University of Peradeniya can apply for the E W Goonathilake Research Fellowship and applicants shall be a fulltime registered postgraduate student of a Faculty or a postgraduate Institute of the University of Peradeniya. Persons who are currently employed as permanent members in public or private institutions shall be eligible to apply subject to the condition that they shall be granted fulltime leave to pursue postgraduate studies in the University of Peradeniya. A person already in receipt of a fellowship will not be eligible to apply.
 2. The award is tenable for one year to two years for M.Phil. and one to three year for Ph.D. Fellowships are awarded initially for one year and may be extended based on satisfactory progress.
 3. All applicants for fellowships are expected to acquaint themselves with the current rules and regulations.
 4. The relevant academic/professional qualifications possessed by the candidate should be supported by academic transcripts, mark sheets and copies of original certificates.

The applicants must submit following documents along with the application:

- Certified official copies of all certificates
- Applicants who hold first degrees from universities other than the University of Peradeniya should arrange to have an official copy of transcript sent

directly to the relevant officials of this university (Senior Assistant Registrar, Council & Academic Branch, University of Peradeniya) Certification of transcripts and degrees must be effected by imprinting them with the official seal of the institution or by endorsing them by hand with the written signature of the responsible university Officer.

- Transcripts are required from all accredited higher educational institutions that the applicant has attended. Transcript should include all courses taken with grades/marks received.
 - An award cannot be granted until official transcripts from all accredited of service/work experience
 - Report of family income certified by the Divisional Secretary.
 - Any other documents specified in the application.
5. Documents submitted in support of an application shall become the property of the University. Applicants are advised to submit certified copies of original certificates along with the application. (Please do not attach any original certificates).
 6. The University may at its discretions refuse awarding of fellowships to any applicant.
 7. Applications which are received late and/or are incomplete or illegible in any respect are liable to be rejected.
 8. Any kind of canvassing will be disadvantageous.
 9. Each application must be made on the prescribed application form obtainable from the University website (<http://www.pdn.ac.lk>) until **13th February, 2015.** Where an application form is required to be sent by post, the applicant should send a self addressed, stamped envelop (22 x 10 cm.) to the Senior Assistant Registrar, Council & Academic Branch, University of Peradeniya.
 10. Duly completed applications should be sent to the Senior Assistant Registrar, Council & Academic Branch, University of Peradeniya on or before **06th March, 2015.**

Note:

All Postgraduate Research fellowships are of the value of Rs. 180,000/- per year.

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Council & Academic Branch,
University of Peradeniya
Peradeniya.
21st January, 2015

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**APPLICATION FORM FOR
POSTGRADUATE RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS – 2015**

(Please print or type in block capitals)

01. Name of fellowship:

02. Name of applicant in full:

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03. Address: (Residence).....

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(Official).....

Telephone : Residence: Official:

04. Date of Birth:

05. Particulars of Employment:

5.1 Designation:

5.2 Place of work:

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5.3 Recommendation of the Head of the Institute, where the applicant is employed.

Full time leave can be granted throughout the research project.

(Yes/No) (give reasons if not recommended)

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Date

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Signature of Head of Institute/
Department

06. Particulars of Academic Qualifications :

(Please attach certified copies of the Degree Certificates)

** Please arrange to have transcript/s sent to Assistant Registrar/Council & Academic Branch,
University of Peradeniya*

University	Degree/Diploma	Year	Faculty	Subject/s	Class
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07. Other Qualifications: *(Please attach additional papers is necessary)*

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08. Particulars of the Postgraduate Programme:

Ph. D.	M.Phil

a. Proposed Programme of Study :

b. Faculty

c. Department/Board of Study

d. Title and brief statement of proposed study: (Please attach an abstract of 500 words)

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e. If you are already registered for a postgraduate program of this University, please give the following particulars.

- i. Program of Study:
- ii. Year of Registration:.....
- iii. Registration No.

I do hereby certify that the particulars furnished by me in this application are true and correct.
 In the event of my application for the fellowship is accepted, I shall abide by the rules and regulations governing the fellowship.

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 Date

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 Signature of Applicant

09. Recommendations:

9.1 Supervisor : Please give a brief statement on the suitability of the applicant
and the importance of the proposed study.

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Name and details of Department/Faculty/Division to which the Supervisor is attached:

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Date

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Signature

9.2 Recommendation of the Head of the Department/Chairman of the Board of Study

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Date

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Signature

9.3 Recommendation of the Dean of the Faculty/Director of the PG Institute

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Date

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Signature

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Date of receipt of Application by Council & Academic Branch



(Date stamp here)