



## **CENTRE FOR RESEARCH STUDIES (CRS)**

**KRISHNA UNIVERSITY (KRU), Machilipatnam-521004, A.P., INDIA**

### **DRAFT ACADEMIC REGULATIONS AND GUIDELINES FOR THE CANDIDATES OF RESEARCH PROGRAMMES (Ph.D.)**

*(Applicable to the scholars admitted from the academic year 2022-23 onwards and as adopted by the University in its \_\_\_\_\_ meeting held—date of Dec 2024. The candidates who were admitted prior to these regulations and guidelines remain under old research regulations concerned).*

The Centre for Research Studies (CRS) is established to promote research activities of KRU, Machilipatnam. The Centre will monitor and administer research programmes of Ph.D. (both full-time & part-time) offered by the University. The minimum standards and procedure for the award of Ph.D. have been revised in accordance with University Grants Commission (Promotion of Academic Integrity and Prevention of Plagiarism in Higher Educational Institutions) Regulations, 2018 in the official gazette on 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2018, recommendations of National Education Policy 2020 and the UGC has notified the new UGC (Minimum Standards and Procedure for award of Ph.D.) regulations, 2022 in the official gazette on 7<sup>th</sup> November 2022. These new regulations are framed to encourage research scholars to become well trained researchers and inquisitive explorers.

**The academic regulations and guidelines mentioned for performing the activities for monitoring and evaluation of the candidates cover the following aspects:**

- 1.0** Eligibility Criteria for Admission to the Ph.D. Programme
- 2.0** Duration of the research Programme
- 3.0** Fee Particulars
- 4.0** Procedure for Admission
- 5.0** Eligibility Criteria Ph.D. Supervisor, Selection, and Allocation of Supervisor
- 6.0** Admission of International Students in Ph.D. Programme
- 7.0** Course Work Work- Credit Requirements, Minimum Standards for Completion, etc.
- 8.0** Constitution of Departmental Research Committee (DRC) to Review the Progress of Research Work
- 9.0** Submission Criteria for Ph.D. Thesis
- 10.0** Submission of Ph.D. Thesis
- 11.0** Adjudication of the Ph.D. Thesis, Viva-Voce Examination and Declaration of the Ph.D. Degree
- 12.0** Depository with INFLIBNET
- 13.0** General Information
- 14.0** Annexure

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