## **Call for Minor Research Projects for Faculty Members (2024-25)**

## Guidelines

Centre for Tribal Studies, University invites applications from young faculty members of the University on any one of the following themes:

- i. Re-writing of Tribal Ethnographies; Restudy of Tribes
- ii. Role of Women in Tribal Societies
- iii. Customary Law and its Interface with State Law
- iv. Traditional Knowledge
- v. Sustainable Practices
- vi. Sacred Spaces & Spirituality
- vii. Ethnoarchaeology and Oral History
- viii. Skills and their Documentation: Interface with the market
  - ix. Cultural heritage: Identification and Protection

**Research Period**: These projects will be awarded for a period of **One** / **Two** months for Maximum grant up to Rs. 40,000/-. The grant amount will depend on the requirement of the project.

**Eligibility**: All faculty members of university departments/ colleges/centres under University of Delhi are eligible to apply. However, preference will be given to those young Assistant Professors with good research record on tribes.

**Project Proposal**: It should clearly mention the objectives, methodology to achieve the stipulated targets. Project proposal should be duly forwarded by the Head/Principal/Director of the Department/College/Centre and must enclose budget breakup in different heads.

The researcher will be responsible for the execution and timely completion of the project.

He/She will also be responsible for the utilization of the grant in the current financial year as per University rules and regulation.

One of the expected outcomes of this project should be quality publication in reputed journals (Scopus, UGC care)

The proposals shall be screened and evaluated by an expert committee and the decision of the CTS will be final and binding.

Complete application, and proposal should be scanned and email to director@cts.du.ac.in In addition, two hard copies of the application be sent by Speed Post to Director, Centre for Tribal Studies, Room no 30, Department of Anthropology, University of Delhi (North Campus), Delhi-110007 on or before 25 January 2025, 2:00 PM.

## Format of Application for Minor Research Project

Name of the PI:

College/Department/Centre:
Designation:
Corresponding Address:
Email:
Mobile no:
Date of Birth:
Date of Joining:
Broad Area of Expertise of PI:
Previous Projects Implemented by PI
Key publications published by the PI during the last 5 years
Detailed CV of the PI:
It is certified that the proposed project "mention title" has not been submitted elsewhere for
financial grant.
imalicial grant.
I agree to submit ethical clearance certificate from the concerned ethical committee.
The research work proposed in the project does not in any way duplicate the work already
done or being carried out elsewhere on the subject.
I shall duly acknowledge CTS-DU's support in all publications resulting from the research
output of the grant.
output of the grant.
I agree to abide by the terms and conditions of the grant as laid down by University of Delhi.
Name
Official designation of PI with seal
Signature of PI
Place:
Date:

## Format for Submitting the Project Proposal

- 1. Introduction of the proposal (500 words)
- 2. Review of Literature (1000 words)
- 3. Research Objectives
- 4. Timeline (please specify 1 month/2 months)
- 5. Expected Research Outcomes (300 Words)
- 6. Expected Benefits to the Society (250 words)
- 7. Budget Details (Fieldwork, Travel, Accommodation and Food, Computer, peripherals, Contingency)

(Certificate to be produced by the PI at the time of submission of proposal. This certificate should be typed on the institutional letterhead)

This is to certify that:

The department/college/centre of PI will provide basic infrastructure and other required facilities to the investigator for undertaking the research project.

All the consumable and non-consumable items procured through this grant will be handed over to CTS after the project is completed.

PI will bear all the responsibility of executing the project and submitting all the reports in time as when required.

Signature with official seal

Principal/Head/Director Place:

Date: