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NOTIFICATION

Subject: Adoption of a Uniform Policy for coverage of Journals in databases such as SCOPUS.

As proposed by the committee constituted for framing uniform policy regarding coverage of Journals in database such as SCOPUS etc for the students of Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences [FoH&SS] and as approved by the Competent Authority, sanction is hereby conveyed that the existing Ph.D. students of FoH&SS, who have either submitted their thesis or who are in the process of submitting their thesis in the next six months are hereby allowed to include their papers published in SCOPUS indexed Journals, if the said Journal was included in the SCOPUS indexed database at the time of acceptance or publication of their paper.

Henceforth, all Ph.D. Students registered with FoH&SS and their Supervisors must ensure that they choose the Journal in which their research work pertaining to Ph.D. is to be published with utmost care and also ensure that the said Journal is indexed /listed continuously for at least five consecutive years in the SCOPUS database.

The above decision is issued pending ratification from the Academic Council in its next meeting.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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Registrar

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1. Dean FoH&SS, for information.
2. Head, SoPC, for information and circulation among all faculty members and Ph.D. students for strict compliance.
3. Head, SoL&L, for information and circulation among all faculty members and Ph.D. students for strict compliance.
4. PS to VC for the information of the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor.
5. Assistant Registrar[R&D], for ensuring its inclusion in the next AC Agenda.
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