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UNIVERSITY OF MADRAS

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Centenary Building, Chepauk, Chennai-600 005 – Tamil Nadu-India.



THE REGISTRAR

No.F.11-Endow.Section/Ph.D. Scholarship/2025/234

Date: 18 FEB 2026

To  
The Professor and Head  
Department of \*\*  
University of Madras, Chennai.

Sir / Madam,

Sub: Award of Arignar Anna Endowment Scholarship Ph.D. - 2023-24 & 2024-25 - Reg.,  
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I am to inform you that the Arignar Anna Endowment Scholarship has been allocated to your Department for Ph.D. students (Full Time) as the number of Endowment Scholarship is limited, the allocation of Scholarship awarded to students within the concerned departments as per terms and conditions of the Endowment.

In this connection, the application form for the above Endowment and the terms and conditions are available in the University Website <http://www.unom.ac.in> under announcement section. The application form together with Terms and Conditions may be downloaded from the University Website and display the same in the Department Notice Board for favour of information to the students who are all registered for the Ph.D. Program in your department during the period from 01.06.2022 to 31.05.2023 & 01.06.2023 to 31.05.2024

The Heads of the Departments are requested to send that the list of candidates applied and attended the interview on or before 16.03.2026 along with recommendation of minutes of Departmental Committee and also requested to send "No Candidate" if there suitable candidate is not available in your Department.

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- 1.Ancient History and Archaeology
  - 2.Indian History
  - 3.Criminology
  - 4.Psychology
  - 5.Lifelong Learning
  - 6.Sociology
  - 7.Politics and Public Administration
  - 8.Centre for South and South East Asian Studies
  - 9.Legal Studies
  - 10.Ann Centre for public affairs

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**UNIVERSITY OF MADRAS**  
**APPLICATION FOR ARIGNAR ANNA ENDOWMENT**  
**SCHOLARSHIP (Ph.D.) ARTS AND HUMANANITIES for the Academic year**  
**2023-24 & 2024-25**

1. Candidates should read the TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE Endowment Scholarship carefully and apply for the Scholarships.
2. Attested photo copies of the Certificates / Statement of Marks are to be compulsorily attached with the application.
3. Consolidated Statement of Marks will not be entertained.
4. Only the selected candidates will be informed about the award of Scholarship.
5. Candidates should omit the irrelevant columns.
6. **INCORRECT APPLICATIONS WILL BE REJECTED**

1	NAME OF THE ENDOWMENT SCHOLARSHIP (in BLOCK LETTERS) For which the candidate is applying	ARIGNAR ANNA ENDOWMENT SCHOLARSHIP				
2	Name of the Candidate (in BLOCK LETTERS)					
	(b) Date of Birth and age	dd/mm/yyyy			Age	
3	Community	BC	MBC	SC	ST	
4	Year of Registration to the Ph.D Degree (Copy of the Communication to be enclosed.)	Candidates registered during the period 01.06.2022 to 31.05.2023 & 01.06.2023 to 31.05.2024 only can apply				
5	Name of the Department with Address (now undergoing)					
6	Residential Address for communication with Pin Code  Phone No: or Mobile No:					
7	Details of Examination passed: (From PG onwards)					
	Name of the Degree	Year of passing	Name of University		Percentage	
8	Supervisor with Signature					
9	Head of the Department with Signature					

**DECLARATION**

I hereby declare that I have passed the above mentioned examination in the first attempt and the information furnished by me is true to the best of my knowledge. Further I declare that I am not availing any other Scholarship or financial Assistance anywhere else.

Station:

Date:

Signature of the Candidate

*UNIVERSITY OF MADRAS  
ENDOWMENT SCHOLARSHIP  
TERMS AND CONDITIONS*

The following Endowments were founded by the University of Madras in view of the Centenary celebration of the Aringnar Anna, Former Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu, and it was accepted by the Syndicate at its meeting held on 15-07-09.

1. Thiruvalluvar Endowment Scholarship.
2. Periyar Endowment Scholarship
3. Aringnar Anna Endowment Scholarship.
4. Dr.Kalaigarnar M.Karunanidhi Endowment Scholarship.

The following terms and conditions are proposed for the award of above scholarship.

1. The Scholarship shall be effective from the year 2009-10 onwards.
2. The Scholarship shall be awarded to the students of the Departments of the University of Madras.
3. The Scholarship shall be awarded to register Ph.D scholars only.
4. The Scholarship shall be awarded to the students who secure highest mark in the qualifying PG degree and should have passed all the papers in the first attempt. A rank list will be prepared from the applications received and selection will be made accordingly.
5. Applications shall be called for once in a year in the month of April, to fill any vacancy that arises in the event of student leaving / completing programme.
6. The value of Scholarship is Rs.8,000/- p.m. (as per Syndicate dated 18.12.2015) and the tenure of the scholarship is for three years (renewable each year) or till he / she submits the thesis, whichever is earlier.
7. The award of scholarship will be decided with a fair distribution among all subjects by a Committee constituted for this purpose.
8. The Scholarship shall be automatically terminated at the expiry of the prescribed period irrespective of the date of submission of thesis.
9. Students who are not availing any fellowships / scholarship from any other source alone are eligible to apply.
10. Thiruvalluvar Endowment Scholarship shall be awarded to the students of Languages (including foreign languages). Periyar Endowment Scholarship and Aringnar Anna Endowment Scholarship shall be awarded to the students of Social Sciences, Arts and Humanities. Dr.Kalaigarnar M.Karunanidhi Endowment Scholarship shall be awarded to the students of Sciences.
11. If the number of applications in a particular category is less than the total number of scholarships, then the vacancy will be filled with students from other category. For example, vacancy in the Thiruvalluvar Endowment Scholarship will be filled with students from Social Sciences and Humanities or with students from Science and vice versa. This is applicable only for that particular period (3 years) and is proposed for the effective implementation of the scholarships to the needy students.
12. No department should be given more than one scholarship at any point of time.
13. Unspent balance if any shall be added to the Corpus fund.
14. The Scholarship can be terminated by the University at any point of time without assigning any reasons whatsoever.