



Ph.D. 2022-25 Calendar of events

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| I | Registration 13 Feb, 2023 | First Test 13-17 Mar, 2023 | Mid Term 10-17 Apr, 2023 | Allotment of Research Topic and Guide 08-12 May, 2023 | Practical Exams 19-23 Jun, 2023 | Theory Exams 26 Jun-07 Jul, 2023 | Semester Break 08-16 Jul, 2023 |
| II | Registration 17 Jul, 2023 | First Test 18-22 Aug, 2023 | Synopsis Presentation 25-30 Sep, 2023 | Mid Term Exams 16-20 Oct, 2023 | Practical Exams 20-24 Nov, 2023 | Theory Exams 27 Nov-08 Dec, 2023 | Semester Break/ 09-17 Dec, 2023 |
| III | Registration 18 Dec, 2023 | Credit Seminar - I 15-19 Jan, 2024 | Research work | | | | |
| IV | Registration 24 May, 2024 | Credit Seminar - II 17-21 Jun, 2024 | Viva-voce for Comprehensive Exam 01-10 Oct, 2024 | Research work | | | |
| V | Registration 21 Oct, 2024 | Research work | | | | | |
| VI | Registration 31 Mar, 2025 | Research work | | Pre-submission Thesis Seminar | Completion of 126 weeks 29 Aug, 2025 | | |

Words of Caution...

1. Late registration will be allowed only after due approval from Dean (Academic) and the Director
2. Penalty of Rs.500/-per day will be charged from the 4th day till the 10th day of registration. Thereafter, no registration will be entertained
3. 85% attendance is compulsory, failing which the student is not permitted to appear for examinations
4. Fellowship will be disbursed only to the registered students.
5. The passing marks of each paper as per CGPA and OGPA are 6.0 and 6.5 respectively.
6. The passing marks for comprehensive exam is 60% in each paper.
7. The synopsis can not be modified unless recommended by the Board of Studies after the recommendations of the major guide.
8. Thesis can only be submitted after **two** academic years from the date of synopsis approval and fulfilment of **three** academic years residential period and other formalities.
9. Students will be permitted for temporary discontinuation only after completion of the course work, comprehensive exam and *viva voce*.

Important instructions...

1. Strictly adhere to the schedule as mentioned in the calendar
2. Decide a broad title of research **within 10-17 Apr, 2023** and choose II semester courses accordingly
3. Minor courses for **second semester** need to be selected in consultation with the Advisory Committee
4. The synopsis should be submitted on or before **30 Sep, 2023**.
5. Students who are away from the institute for field/research work may register on-line with fee receipt and submit progress report to academiccell@cife.edu.in

Recognition for your efforts...

- Prof. K. H. Alikunhi Best Ph.D. Thesis Award (National level)
- Hands-on-training in overseas laboratory to the overall topper (based on CGPA at the end of II Semester) under Tata Endowment Fund
- Dr C.V. Kulkarni Best Ph.D. Student Research Award (National Level)
- Dr C.V. Kulkarni International Travel Award (Institute Level)
- Prof. Ravindranath Krothapalli International Travel Award (Institute Level)
- Prof. Ravindranath Krothapalli Gold Medal for 1st Ranker Best Ph.D. Student of AEHM Division of CIFE

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| Total credit requirement | : 100 |
| Minimum requirement of credit hours | |
| Major courses | : 12 |
| Minor courses | : 06 |
| Supporting courses | : 05 |
| Credit Seminar | : 02 |
| Thesis | : 75 |
| Total | : 100 |