



GANDAKI UNIVERSITY

Gandaki Pokhara, Nepal



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**Notice for
Gandaki University Mini-research Grants
FIRST CALL**

Call for Proposal – Faculty Research

Research Center, Invention and Innovation Center (RC-II), Gandaki University (GU) is pleased to call for proposals from its faculty members. Following points are to be considered during proposal submissions:

Terms and conditions:

- GU faculty members are required to apply for the GU mini-research grants within May 13, 2023 following the guidelines for proposal writing, available at GU's website (<https://gandakiuniversity.edu.np/notices/>). Submit the proposal to rcii@gandakiuniversity.edu.np.
- The proposed research project should be workable within the specified time (6-12 months), available budget (NRs. 100,000.00 including 5% contingency), and expected laboratory facilities.
- The grant has been categorized as "Faculty Research Grant".
- The grantees of the preceding Faculty Research Grant are required to submit the final report and should have presented it before submitting the new proposal. Also, the grantees should aim to publish the manuscript generated from the research in a peer-reviewed indexed journal.

The expected concept proposal should have following headings and their relevant contents (refer to the guidelines for further details);

- Title of the proposal
- Introduction
- Literature review on the pertinent literature
- Objectives
- Rationale/Justification of the study
- Materials and methods
- Expected outputs
- Proposed timeline
- Budget
- Limitations of the study
- References

Notes: The proposal preparation needs carefully planned strategies to tackle with the defined problems associated to the thematic areas mentioned in the guidelines. While writing proposal, it is expected that proposal covers the purpose of the research including the academic and scientific merit of the proposed research, the appropriateness of the proposed research method, the adequacy of the research method/design, whether the research objectives are achievable in terms of time, resources and funding, and clear indication of what is expected to be done, how, when, why and at what cost.

It is important to note that the concept proposal should be forwarded to the Research Center, Invention and Innovation Center (RC-II) using available weblink within the specified deadline.

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