

## Categories and Levels

Students are allowed to participate in any of the following category irrespective of their own discipline / programme / course-

### Categories

**Category 1:** Humanities, Languages and Fine Arts

**Category 2:** Commerce, Management and Law

**Category 3:** Pure Sciences

**Category 4:** Agriculture and Animal Husbandry

**Category 5:** Engineering and Technology

**Category 6:** Medicine and Pharmacy

The students can participate in any of the above categories in the following levels where fit eligible-

### Levels

**Level 1:** Undergraduate Students (UG)

**Level 2:** Postgraduate Students (PG)

**Level 3:** Post PG Students (PPG)

## Areas Covered under each Category

### **Category 1: Humanities, Languages and Fine Arts**

It covers research areas like arts, languages, literature, social sciences, fine arts, journalism, mass media, education, physical education, performing arts, library sciences, humanities and other related fields which are of social interest like agricultural extension, preventive medicine and veterinary sciences, etc. However, technical innovations for the benefit of society cannot be a part of this category.

### **Category 2: Commerce, Management and Law**

It covers research areas like commerce, accountancy, management, finance, banking and insurance, law and other fields where these disciplines are applicable.

### **Category 3: Pure Sciences**

It covers areas like all basic sciences, soil sciences, home sciences and other fields like biotechnology, microbiology, environmental sciences, life sciences, biochemistry, biophysics, bioinformatics, bioanalytical, etc.

### **Category 4: Agriculture and Animal Husbandry**

It covers areas like horticulture, agriculture, agronomy, entomology, fisheries, animal husbandry and other fields like biotechnology, microbiology, biophysics, biochemistry, bioanalytical chemistry, etc. where agricultural and animal husbandry aspects are covered.

### **Category 5: Engineering and Technology**

It covers all branches of engineering and technology. It also includes computer science, information technology, data sciences, agricultural engineering, food technology, dairy technology, biophysics, biomedical and biosensor, etc. where engineering and technology aspects are covered.

## **Category 6: Medicine and Pharmacy**

It covers all branches of medicine and pharmacy. It also includes veterinary medicine, preventive medicine, epidemiology, clinical studies, etc.