

**Amendments-I for the Ph.D. Regulations-2019**

<b>S.No</b>	<b>Existing</b>	<b>Revised</b>
1.	8.5. All the Ph.D. candidates (both full-time and part-time) shall be permitted to submit their synopsis provided they had published at least two research papers (relevant to their area of research) in the refereed Journals in the UGC website / SCI / SSCI / Scopus / Thomson Reuters Journals besides fulfilling all other requirements. The Doctoral Committee should certify the above fact including the quality of research publications.	In addition to 8.5. a) All the research publications from Research Centres of Universities and Affiliated Colleges <b>should contain the Student and Supervisor/s name.</b>  b) To include the Bharathidasan University name in all research publications raised from all Research Centres as <b>“Affiliated to Bharathidasan University”</b>
2.	7.1. The Doctoral Committee, approved by the University for the above two categories of scholars, will have a composition of three members as given below. (i) Research Supervisor – Convenor of the Doctoral Committee (ii) The DC members should be the Recognized Research Supervisors of Bharathidasan University. (iii) Part-time candidates working in institution outside Tamil Nadu who has registered for his / her Ph.D. with a Supervisor working in an institution which is not recognized as a research centre, then both Co-supervisors will be the members of the DC	If the DC members are not available within Bharathidasan University jurisdiction, <b>DC members will be recommended by the Research Supervisor from nearest Universities, Centres and Institutions of Bharathidasan University.</b>
3.	Ph.D. Regulations: 3.7. The Research Supervisors should stop registering candidates for Ph.D. Degree, two years before their retirement, which will be normally 58 years for Colleges and 60 years for University Departments.	Ph.D. Regulations: 3.7. The Research Supervisors should stop registering candidates for Ph.D. Degree, <b>upto the age of retirement</b> , which will be normally <b>58 years for Colleges and 60 years for University Departments</b> (Re-employment period not considered). However, they can register new candidates by providing the co-supervisor in the same research centre two-years before their retirement.