**MANGALORE UNIVERSITY**

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Sub: Implementation of Research and Publication Ethics (RPE) –reg.
Ref: UGC office D.O.No.F.1-1/2018 (Journal/CARE) dated December 2019.

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With reference to the above, University Grants Commission has directed the University to introduce a two Credit Course "Research and Publication Ethics (RPE)" for all Ph.D. students in the coursework.

In this connection, the Chairpersons of BOS are requested to include the course "Research and Publication Ethics" by adopting the following guidelines, so that the total credits remain unaltered and get the approval by the Boards of Studies by circulation, for placing before the respective Faculty and Academic Council.

a) The course on Research Methodology has 4 credits and be retained as it is.
b) A course on Review of literature has 8 credits which can be reduced to 6 credits.
c) A new course "Research and Publication Ethics" (RPE) with 2 credits be included as per the directives.

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**To,**

All the Chairpersons of Board of Studies, concerned.

Encl: 1. UGC letter with prescribed syllabus
2. Scheme of examination is enclosed for your kind reference.