<u>APPLICATION FORMAT FOR GRANT OF RESEARCH PROJECT</u> <u>Under the GATE project of Sri Ramachandra University</u>

1. TITLE:
2. NAME OF THE PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR:
Designation
Phone No.(Ext.)
3. NAMES OF CO-INVESTIGATORS:
Designation
Phone No.(Ext.):
4. List of research Publications made by the investigator/co-investigator (s)
5. Department where the research will take place:
6. Other co-operating departments (if any):
7. Objectives of the project proposal:
8. Summary of proposed research proposal (including objectives of the investigation, it's conduc
and anticipated results in not more than 200 words)

9. Background information (including a literature review and justification for study)
10. Details of study design and methodology specifically explaining how each of the study objectives would be fulfilled
11. Proposed duration of the project:
12. Proposed start due:
13. Bar or Activity chart indicating timelines for major milestones of the project :
14. Roles and responsibilities of project investigators including estimates of percent effort by each individual investigator:
15. Facilities available in the applicant's department to execute the project:
16. Facilities available within the institution to execute the project:
17. Facilities required for the project and their availability (if not available within the University).

18. Future plans for submitting proposals for extra-mural research grants:
19. Total budget Requested: (Guidelines enclosed)
20. Bibliography:
21. Detailed CV of principal investigator and co-investigators (including details of prior experience/training in research related activities and publications).
22. Budget justification (see guidelines for budget listed below):
23. Letters of approval from other institutions/ laboratories (if applicable)
24. Any other additional information
Any additional relevant information can be included as appendices to the main application.

GUIDELINES FOR BUDGET

The general guidelines are proposed below. Exceptions to the line item allocations may be considered on a case-by-case basis. All projects will span over approximately a year.

Total budget: Rs.1 lakh.

Laboratory Consumables/ Field expenses: Maximum of Rs.60,000/-

Purchase of minor equipment: Rs.15,000/-

Data Management and report preparation: Rs.5,000/-

Travel expenses related to scientific presentations: Rs.5,000/-

Administrative expenses (including phone/fax/photocopying/auditing): Rs.5,000/-

Publication costs (including page charges for Journal articles): Rs.5,000/-

Costs for proposal submission to external funding agencies: Rs.5,000/-

Upto 10% budgeted amounts may be transferred across line items.

60% of the grant amount will be released at the time of the ward

20% will be released after the submission of a satisfactory interim report (4-6 months into the study).

20% will be released after the submission of the draft final report (8 to 10th month into the study).