

16.1 Guidelines for Regulations and Policies of Scientific Research

Buraydah Private Colleges are one of the emerging private higher institutions that have been established with the support of the Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques for private institutions to play a vital role in promoting higher education.

Buraydah Private Colleges are prominent private institution of higher education that attempt to support and reinforce scientific research through different strategies that lead to innovation and scientific distinction in particular fields that serve national interest.

This guide presents the following:

- Regulations and policies of scientific research in Buraydah Private Colleges.
- The organizational model of administration
- Procedures of scientific tasks and seminar
- Supporting scientific publication and translation
- Regulations of promoting Saudi university staff members and the like.

The guide consists of three sections:

Section one deals with the organizational model of administration for the scientific research unit. The responsibilities and tasks of its members are assigned through specified regulations contained in seven articles.

Section two deals with conferences, scientific tasks and invitation of experts. The regulations governing this are stated through three articles.

Section three tackles the following:

1. research and scientific awards.

➤ The awards are classified into *motivating awards* that include the following:

- Distinguished research award
- Best student researcher award

➤ The second type of awards is *motivating award for not funded research*.

2. supporting the publication for not funded research

3. Supporting research writings and translation

4. Translation of scientific thought

5. Regulations of promoting Saudi university staff members and the like.

6. Laboratory facilities and equipment