

NATIONAL WORKSHOP ON RESEARCH METHODOLOGY IN SOCIAL SCIENCE

December 05-11, 2017

Registration Form

Name : Mr/Ms/Dr :

Designation :

Address :

University/Institute :

Academic Qualification :

Subject :

Whether Registered for Ph.D?.....

Years of Service :

E-mail :

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Details of the Demand Draft for Rs. 500/-
Drawn in favour of Association of Indian Universities
(Payable at New Delhi)
DD No.Date.....

Bank.....

Accommodation required: Yes/No
If yes, from.....to.....

Date..... (Signature of Nominee)

(Signature and Designation of the Competent Authority)

Last date for submission of form is November 20th, 2017. The decision on confirmation of participation will be communicated to the participants by email by 25th November, 2017

Registration Fee

Participation fee is Rs 500/- (Rupees Five Hundred only) payable to **Association of Indian Universities**, through **Demand Draft** along with the **registration form duly signed by the competent authority**. This fee partly covers the cost of stationery, seminar bags, working lunch, and tea during the sessions.

TA/DA/Board and Lodging

Travel expenses will have to be borne by the participants/sponsoring institute. Boarding and lodging arrangements will be made by Goa University, Goa. The participants requiring such facilities may contact Goa University at the address cited below

Please send the filled-in Registration form along with Demand Draft to:

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Introduction

Creation and dissemination of knowledge through research is one of the core functions of the higher learning institutions. Apart from generating new knowledge, the higher learning institutions, particularly the universities also have the responsibility of training the intellectual manpower required for all sectors of the society. Quality of manpower is the most important factor for producing good quality researches. With the passage of time, research as an activity has not received due attention in our universities. Research is considered as a prerequisite for obtaining the degree only. Lack of adequate infrastructure, resource constraints, lack of motivation coupled with a few other factors do not encourage the meritorious students to take up research as a career option. As a result, the quality of the research conducted in our universities has projected a declining trend. This has raised a concern among the academic community, social thinkers and policy makers. Amongst all other factors, training of the researchers is the most crucial one. At present, in most of the universities, except a few disciplines, there is no adequate provision of training on research methodology. The research students often depend upon the supervisor/guide for even finding a suitable research problem. They also find it difficult to proceed further independently. To improve the situation, there is a need for providing training on research methodology to the young scholars. The present workshop is an endeavor in this direction. Association of Indian Universities (AIU) has taken an initiative of organizing such kind of workshop on regular basis. The present workshop will focus on the following broad themes.

Theme

- Identification of Research Gaps, Selection and Formulation of Research Problem, Research Design, etc.
- Quantitative and Qualitative Research Methods in Social Sciences.
- Hands on training on Statistical Softwares like SPSS/SAS/STATA etc. for Data Analysis
- Research Funding: Organizations & Mechanisms
- Writing Research Proposals/ Papers/Reports

Methodology

Lectures and presentations, field visits, hands on training and interactions amongst the participants

Participation

Research Scholars/ Faculty Members who have registered for Ph D and other Academicians are also eligible to participate. However, preference will be given to the young scholars.

Other Costs of Participation

The host university will make arrangement for accommodation, breakfast and lunch and dinner without any cost. The travel expenses will have to be borne by the participants/ sponsoring institute. **Any person who accompanies the participants will have to make own boarding and lodging arrangements.**

Queries if any may please be addressed to:

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Organizers

ASSOCIATION OF INDIAN UNIVERSITIES

Association of Indian Universities (AIU) established in 1925 as the Inter University Board, is an apex body for university-level institutions in India. It is a representative body of Universities of India to liaise with the universities and the government (central as well as state) and to coordinate among the universities and other apex higher education organizations of the world. The **Research Division** of AIU undertakes studies on problems in emerging areas of concern in the field of Higher Education. A regular activity of the Research Division is to organise workshops/ training programmes, seminars and other capacity building programmes for university administrators and academicians

GOA UNIVERSITY

Goa University, established in June 1985 by an Act of Goa Government, is located within close vicinity of the capital city of Panaji, in North Goa. Besides being the most important location for post-graduate studies, it also serves as the academic nerve-centre of the higher education system in Goa. The Goa University has 56 affiliated colleges which are distributed across Goa. Presently, Goa University has 12 faculties of which 6 faculties operate on the campus with 26 Departments and 2 Research Centers that offer post-graduate education in the State of Goa. The Goa University has been ranked 44th as per The Week 2017 Ranking. The first cycle of NIRF Ranking 2016 placed Goa University in the 20th position and in the NIRF Ranking 2017, Goa University got ranked 64th among all the Universities in the Country. Goa University is accredited by NAAC with A Grade.

Established in 1973, Vidya Vikas Mandal's (VVM's) Shree Damodar College of Commerce & Economics is affiliated to Goa University for the B.Com, BCA, BBA (Financial Services), M.Com and PhD programmes. The College has an excellent research culture, being home to research centres in Commerce, Management Studies & Economics. The college has currently 15 students pursuing their PhD in these research centres.