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# Report on 7 Days Faculty Development Program on "Research Methodology: Art of Writing Research Paper and Thesis" 11th July 2021 to 17th July 2021

Sheila Raheja School of Business Management and Research in collaboration with INSPIRA Research Association-IRA, Jaipur successfully organized 7 days Faculty Development Program on "Research Methodology: Art of Writing Research Paper and Thesis" from 11th July 2021 to 17th July 2021. The FDP was conducted on Zoom platform. FDP addressed the various aspects related to Research Methodology such as Sampling Design, Statistical Tools, Data Analysis, Literature Review and Art of writing research papers and thesis etc., among the participants. This FDP was aimed for Research Scholars, Faculty Members and Industrial Practitioners working in Commerce, Management, Social Sciences and their allied domains. There were 133 participants attended this FDP from different Universities and Colleges of India.

Prof. (Dr.) Rana Singh Vice-Chancellor and CEO-IIIE, Sanskriti University, Mathura & Former Director, Institutional Effectivess (Q.A.), University of Jazeera, Dubai, UAE inaugurated the FDP. In his inaugural address, Prof. (Dr.) Rana Singh stressed upon the paradigm changes in research work. Prof. (Dr.) S. S. Modi, was the Chief Guest in the inaugural function. He spoke about the importance of research innovation in the country. Dr. Vijay Wagh, Director, Sheila Raheja School of Business Management & Research Mumbai Maharashtra was the Guest of Honour in the inaugural function. His deliberations created the curiosity on educational approach in the research among the participants.





Dr. RaviKant Modi, General Secretary, Inspira Research Association (IRA) & Associate Professor and Head, Department of EAFM, LBS PG College, Jaipur, Rajasthan made the

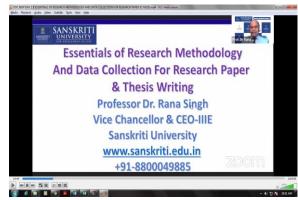


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opening remarks and Prof. (Dr.) Anil Mehta Professor, School of Legal Studies, Banasthali University & Former Head, Department of Business Administration University of Rajasthan, Jaipur, Rajasthan gave vote of thanks in the inaugural function of the FDP. The participants appreciated the efforts put in by the keynote speakers and expressed their gratitude towards the organizers.

In the first technical session of the first day of the FDP, Prof. (Dr.) Rana Singh Vice-Chancellor and CEO-IIIE, Sanskriti University, Mathura & Former Director, Institutional Effectivess (Q.A.), University of Jazeera, Dubai, UAE spoke on Essentials of Research Methodology and data collection for research paper and Thesis writing. This session focused on the basics of Research Methodology, he explained research, process and types of research, and relationship between formulating research problem and constructing Hypothesis. Prof. (Dr.) Rana Singh guided the participants to develop research skills to write Research proposal and Thesis. All the participants were benefited and felt confident on writing research papers and Thesis.





In the second day of the FDP, Dr.Ajay Kumar Chauhan, Founder and Chief consultant, Research Shiksha delivered talk on Sampling design and Statistical tools. He further elaborated the various experimental results and the new research areas in this emerging field. In the later part of his discussions, he practically made the participant learned how to excess the variety of resources. Sessions were full of learnings, and all participants relished the content delivered to them during the workshop. The FDP was well-received by the participants.



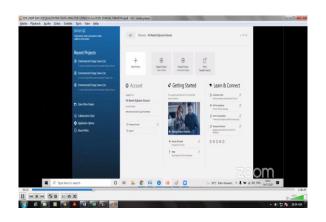
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Dr.Ajay Kumar Chauhan also addressed participants on the third day on Systematic Literature Review, Meta-Analysis, Panel data Analysis, Time series Analysis, Structural Equation Modelling - AMOS vs SMARTPLS. In his discussions, he practically made the participant learned how to excess and use the variety of resources for the analysis of data. The session was full of learnings, and all the participants relished the content delivered to them. The deliberation focused on the recent research tools related to qualitative and quantitative analysis. The session was ended with a vote of thanks to all the participants.

On fourth day, Dr Nabin Sarmah B.E.(PRODUCTION), M.B.A.(FINANCE), N.E.T. (Management) PH.D. (Management) Post Graduate Diploma in Research Methodology demonstrated Qualitative Data Analysis using N vivo. He started discussion by explaining difference between the structured data and unstructured data and later on coding in Data Analysis. Dr Nabin Sarmah also demonstrated the use of NIVIVO for Qualitative data Analysis. The session was followed by an interactive session and ended on satisfactory note.

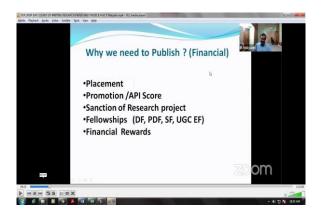




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In the fifth day, of the FDP, Dr Mahapatra ICSSR, Senior Fellow Research Advisor in Management and Commerce Center for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), An ICSSR Research Institute, Ministry of HRD, Govt. of India, Begumpet, Hyderabad, Telangana delivered a talk on Art of Writing Research Paper and Thesis. In this deliberations, he discussed in detail the need of publishing research papers and types of research papers. He gave valuable tips to the participants on writing good research papers and thesis. He urged the participants for becoming computer proficient in the technology driven world. He also showed the proper formats of various types of research papers. And gave valuable tips for writing good articles and research proposals. At the end of the queries from the participants were taken and resolved efficiently

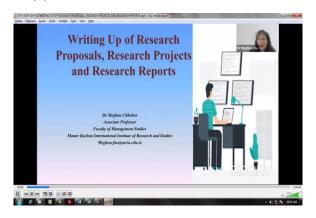


On the sixth day, Dr. Meghna Chhabra, Associate Professor (Entrepreneurship and Finance) Area Chair - Entrepreneurship and Small Business Management Faculty of Management Studies, Manav Rachna International Instt. Of Res. and Stud., Faridabad, Haryana delivered session on Writing Up of Research Proposals, Research Projects. Research Participants were curious to know on the sponsored Research Projects of ICSSR and AICTE. She also gave a detailed outline of UGC guidelines and regulations on plagiarism and academic integrity. She appealed to all the participants to refrain from academic dishonesty in research and give proper credit to the sources. The participants shared their personal experiences and thanked the organizers for conducting a session on the relevant issues.

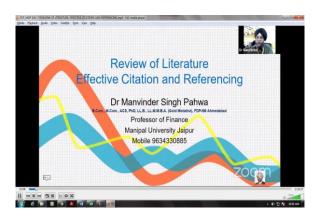


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On the seventh day, Prof. (Dr.) Manvinder Singh Pahwa Professor, School of Business and Commerce Manipal University Jaipur presented a talk on Review of Literature, Effective citation and Referencing. He further discussed various forms of citation and referencing such as American Psychological Association (APA), Modern Language Association (MLA) and Chicago, which supports two styles: Notes and Bibliography. Author-Date. The participants thanked the organizers for organizing such a brainstorming session.







Participant's feedback revealed that the FDP was perfect blend of technical knowledge on the advances in Research Methodology and Thesis writing. At the end of the FDP, Prof. (Dr.)



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S. S. Modi and Dr.Vijay Wagh proposed the Vote of Thanks to the experts and congratulated all participants for their active participation.

# **FDP Committee**

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