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Research Writing Workshop for Ph.D. Scholars

(5 to 9 March, 2019)

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The Context:

Research is a simultaneous process of thinking, studying, analysing and writing. In India most of the Ph.D. scholars face difficulty to finalise their Ph.D. thesis and research writing in a presentable form. Though, the newly initiated pre-Ph.D. coursework by UGC has provided orientation to Ph.D. scholars, the research scholars are always at a dilemma how to write different components of Ph.D. work i.e., synopsis, thesis, summary and research articles mandatory for completion of a Ph.D. work.

The Research Writing Workshop is designed to facilitate the initial phase of designing and planning of a research work in social sciences by giving scholars a clear overview of the basic elements of research writing common to social sciences. The workshop will introduce the essential elements of writing a thesis (issue, contexts, texts, methodology and voice). After introducing these concepts, the workshop will give students the opportunity to articulate these concepts in their own research issues. The workshop will orient the participants about various component of research i.e., epistemology, methodology and method and simultaneously organize discussion sessions on how to write research proposal, research thesis and research articles during their research work. The workshop will focus on 'developing arguments for their research problem for writing thesis and research papers', which will develop the skills of identifying the basic elements of description, analysis and argument, and incorporating these elements in their own writing practice.

Learning Outcomes

At the end of the workshop the participants will be able to:

- Become familiar with core components of a research work i.e, synopsis, and thesis, summary of a research thesis.
- Articulate these components in relation to student's own project.
- Engage in critical evaluation of each of these elements in relation to the own research work.
- Learn to identify differences between description, analysis and argument in social science writing.
- Learn to conceptualize research paper writing in social sciences.

Course Content

- Writing Research Proposal
- Writing Conceptual Framework
- Writing Literature Review
- Writing Objectives and Research Question
- Writing of Hypothesis
- Designing Research Methodology
- Preparation of questionnaire and schedules
- Presentation of Research Findings
- Writing of Research Papers
- References and Foot Notes
- Language of Research
- Writing Research Report/Thesis

Participants

Doctoral scholars who are in the initial phase of their research work in social science disciplines are eligible to participate in this workshop. Preference will be given to research scholars from Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh and adjacent states of Madhya Pradesh.

Applications are invited (by post or by email duly filled-in and forwarded in the prescribed format) on or before, 15 February 2019 (5 PM) addressed to the Programme Coordinator. Only short-listed candidates will be informed for participation in the programme. Lodging and Boarding will be arranged by the Institute only for the participants for the course period. Sleeper Class railway fare will be reimbursed to outstation participants.

Address for Sending Application:

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Application Form

Name: _____

Gender (M/F): _____ Social Category (SC/ST/OBC) _____

Marital Status: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Institute/University/College: _____

Educational Qualification: _____

Discipline: _____

Topic of Research: _____

Date of Registration: _____

Status of Research Work : (i) Preparing Synopsis (ii) Reviewing Literature (iii) Preparing Tool
(iv) Collecting Data (v) Analysing Data (iv) Writing Report (v) Thesis Submitted ()

Have you attended similar course earlier: Yes () No ()

If yes, provide details: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Telephone No. /Mobile No.: _____

E-mail: _____

Recommendation by Head of the Institution/College/Supervisor: _____

Accommodation Required: Yes () No ()

Signature of the Applicant