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Online Two Weeks Capacity Building Programme for Social Science Faculty Members

(22 July to 4 August, 2021)

Sponsored by
Indian Council of Social Science Research, New Delhi

Introduction

Social science research is characterised by diversity of theoretical perspectives, methodological strategies, data collection practices and analysis techniques. This has made it always necessary to provide training and orientation on a continuing basis to young faculty members to equip them with advanced methodological skills. It has been observed that many young researchers could not produce research works of high quality because they are either not in touch with the latest research tools and techniques or do not have proper orientation to use the traditional research methods efficiently. The problem has further been aggravated by lack of opportunities for the social science faculty members to refine their methodological skills and to get insight in fresh areas of research in their respective fields. On the other hand the rapid advancement of knowledge in all disciplines of social sciences has made research an activity of solving problems, which adds new dimensions and generalisations on the basis of gathered empirical evidences. Recognising this need, M.P. Institute of Social Science Research, Ujjain (MPISSR) is organising ***Two Weeks Capacity Building Programme for Young Social Science Faculty Members*** from 22 July to 4 August, 2021 through ***Online Mode***. The Capacity Building Programme is sponsored by Indian Council of Social Science Research, New Delhi.

The objectives of this programme are to develop capacity for conceptualizing new research and writing research proposals. The programme is envisaged to enhancing skills to prepare an appropriate synopsis inculcating a just literature review, objective, research question, hypotheses, research design, data collection techniques and analysis data for research. The Capacity Building Programme is also designed for enhancing capacity for writing research paper for publication, developing the capacity for planning and writing a book and developing the acumen for undertaking sponsored research. The training programme strives to highlight some emerging philosophical and methodological issues emerging in social science research. The programme will inculcate discussions both conceptual and procedural aspects of formation and selection of a research problem; design of research; sampling techniques; tools of research; collection of data; analysis of data; interpretation and discussion of results and report writing. The aim of the Capacity Building Programme is also to enable the participants to select and make use of suitable research methods; to use appropriate research tools and to analyse their research questions with appropriate analysis of data for their research.

Programme Content

- Introduction to Social Research (Ontology-Epistemology-Methodology-Methods)
- Fundamentals of Social Research (Theory-Theoretical Frame Work-Conceptual Frame Works-Concepts and Measurable Variables)
- Quantitative Research Methods (Methods and their Nuances-Social Survey)
- Qualitative Research Methods (Methods and their Nuances- Ethnography, Case Study, Content Analysis, Focus Group Discussion, Observation)
- Methodological and Measurement Issues in Social Science Research
- Triangulation and Hybrid Methods
- Developing Research Proposal
- Formulation of Problem in Social Research
- Research Design
- Sampling Method: Universe, Nature & Types of Sampling
- Hypothesis Concept & Types of Hypotheses, Formulation of Hypothesis, Testing of Hypothesis
- Designing and Formulation of Questionnaire and Interview Schedules
- Online Data Searching and Use of E Resources
- Descriptive Statistics: Measurement of Central Tendency, Dispersion, Regression and Correlation
- Statistical Inference: Parametric and Non Parametric Test
- Use of Statistical Packages for Social Sciences (SPSS)
- Interpretation of Results and Presentation of Data
- Writing of Research Paper
- Language of Research
- Ethics in Social Science Research
- Application of Research Findings
- Report Writing and Presentation of Research Findings

Participants

The programme is open to all faculty members of social science disciplines in colleges, university departments and research institutions. Applications are invited through the **Google Form Link**. The registration for the programme is limited to only 30 participants on the basis of first come first serve. The participants have to submit a **No Objection Certificate** from the head of the institution for allowing the participants to attend this two weeks programme (E-Mail mailboxmpissr@gmail.com). The registration process for the programme will be closed after receiving required number of applications. Only short-listed candidates will be informed through e-mail for participation in the Capacity Building Programme.

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Online Registration Link

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