

- Academic writing, Papers for Journals, Preparation of Reports
- Ethics in Academic Writing, Methods for Avoiding Plagiarism
- Writing a Research Proposal, Field Visit & Data Collection

MEANS OF DELIVERY

Course delivery will be done through the following teaching pedagogy:

- Presentation
- Lecture
- Demonstration
- Hands-on exercises
- Question and Answer sessions
- Discussions

TARGET SEGMENT

In order to meet the growing needs of humankind, focus is on the exploration of innovative and dynamics of the ideas. Research has therefore gained significant importance in the past, and institutions deliver quality to fulfill these objectives. Analytical workshop aims to inculcate statistical skills among researchers to endorse innovation in researcher techniques. Bilaspur City as a central educational hub in the state which has a diverse mix of universities including state, private, open and central University and creates huge demands for research analysis in the field of social sciences. Moreover, it will also open opportunities to the surrounding states for to gain advantage from the workshop. Organizing workshop on Research Methodology will invite opportunities to the scholars and researchers of Education, Management, Basic Sciences, Social Science, Humanities and all other disciplines involved in data analysis (At M.Phil. and Ph.D. level) to acquire analytical capabilities which can contribute to innovation.

Link for Registration

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1xzoXjQgfvXjR_nw4OIqs_75RC9INN-ixLm5HgfFdJvQ/edit?pli=1

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CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR**

**Ten- Days Interactive National Offline Workshop
On Research Methodology in Social Sciences**

(1-10 December, 2022)

(For Ph.D. Scholars, Post-Doctoral Fellows and Other Academicians)

Sponsored by



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ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR PARTICIPANTS :

All those who are serving as a Lecturer/Assistant Professor/Faculty in the field of Social Sciences in the UGC recognized University/Deemed University/College/Institute of National importance and ICSSR Research Institutes or engage in economic and social research will be eligible to apply for the course. Young researchers who are pursuing their Ph.D./PDF programme in Universities or research institutions under social science discipline are also eligible to apply.

HOW TO APPLY :

Interested candidates can apply to the Course- Director with the duly filled registration form on or before 28th November, 2022. The candidates are required to send the filled registration form duly forwarded by the supervisor and head of the Department/Institution to the Course-Director on the link

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1xzoXjQgfvXjR_nw4Olqs_75RC9INN-lxLm5HgfFdJvQ/edit?pli=1

Format of forwarding letter can be downloaded from University website www.pssou.ac.in

Requirements :

- ✓ Forwarding letter to be uploaded on Google form (PDF to be named as your name, **Example: Kavita Form**)
- ✓ Why do you want to attend this workshop?(In 500 words) (PDF to be named as your name, **Example: Kavita Answer**)

REGISTRATION FEE, TRAVEL ALLOWANCES AND ACCOMMODATION :

There is no registration fee for this workshop. Boarding and lodging is free. Free food and refreshments for all the participants shall be provided. Accommodation will be provided at University Hostel to the outstation participants only. Travelling Allowance would be payable to the selected-out station participants only for second-class/sleeper class/regular bus fare as per ICSSR norms. To claim TA, participants would be required to present original tickets. No local conveyance would be reimbursed.

WORKSHOP DETAILS :

SESSIONS - There will be three sessions in each day (Total 30 Sessions)

NUMBER OF SEATS - The number of seats is limited to 30 (10Local, 10 Out of State, 10 Outstation)

MODE OF DELIVERY - Face to Face, Offline Mode

ATTENDANCE - The workshop will have 30 sessions for 10 days without any holiday. Session-wise attendance will be taken. Attending all 30 sessions is mandatory for participants failing of which certificate will not be issued.

PARTICIPATION CERTIFICATE :

Certificate will be issued after successful participation in the workshop.

IMPORTANT DATES :

- Last date for submission of Application Form – **28 Nov., 2022**
- Intimation of Selected Candidates (through University website) – 29 Nov., 2022
- Intimation to candidates regarding schedule and other requirements – 29 Nov., 2022

About the University

Pandit Sundarlal Sharma (Open) University Chhattisgarh, Bilaspur is the state government Open University established in the year 2005. The head office of University at Bilaspur is spread over 70 acres through which the institution offers post graduate, undergraduate, PG diploma and diploma programmes to its more than 25000 students and scholars all over the Chhattisgarh state. Ph.D. programme is offered in regular mode under different departments. The University is filled with all the infrastructural arrangements and has dedicated and trained manpower to serve the dynamics of education. The University is providing quality higher education and research to socially and economically challenged aspirants of the region. The institution is located in the lush green environment of Birkona village in the educational hub, near to which Government Engineering College, Guru Ghasidas Central University and Bilaspur University are located. The University is well connected to the heart of Bilaspur city. It has a unique locational advantage which is well connected to the road, rail and air network. The nearest railway station is Bilaspur Junction which is 10 km far from the campus. The nearest airport is located at Cakarbhata which is 21 km away from the campus. The University also has Helipad in its campus.

About the Department

Education Department of PSSOU is running its Diploma, Degree, Post-Graduation and Doctoral programs in blended mode with the help of modern teaching tools and ICT. The Department also conducts research which is descriptive, analytical and confirmatory. The research output helps to advance the knowledge of the subject among students and research scholars to resolve the contemporary social, economic and environmental problems from regional perspective. Department of Commerce of PSSOU started with degree course in 2005 and now is running graduation, Post-Graduation and Doctorate programs. In recognition of the need for reorienting and upgrading the research abilities of research scholars and academicians of social sciences, Education & Commerce Department of PSSOU is organizing a Ten-Days Interactive Offline Workshop on Research Methodology in Social Sciences.

About the Research Methodology Workshop

- ❖ **Interaction** regarding various dimensions of social science research and especially its methodology part.
- ❖ **Deal** with philosophical and theoretical aspects of social science research.

❖ **Deliberate** with the participants on aspects of steps of research process.

❖ **Envisaged** to provide an **orientation** with relation to use of important statistical methods in analyzing both qualitative and quantitative data.

The Research Methodology Workshop will attempt to blend social science, philosophy, theory and practical aspects pertaining to research. The workshop will focus not only on the theoretical and philosophical dimensions as well as rationale upon which social research needs to be based but also varied practical aspects of research that a researcher encounters during various stages of conducting research from identification of problem till publication of report. The workshop will offer the practical experiences to the participants on the use of a variety of qualitative, quantitative and mixed method design in their research works.

The workshop will be conducted in both lecture and interactive mode. In addition to the interactive classroom lectures the participants will also be introduced to how to use the free softwares.

The resource persons from different parts of country representing the leading institutions/universities will deliver the expertise in the workshop.

OBJECTIVES OF THE WORKSHOP

1. To orient the participants about significance of social science research in developing societies.
2. To familiarize participants on philosophical and theoretical dimensions of social science in general and research in particular.
3. To provide the research scholars with a set of skills and potential to commence the research in the field of Social Sciences quite effectively, so that it can result into the high-quality published work.
4. To provide understanding and hands on practice to the participants on the use of statistical techniques in data analysis in the field of social sciences.
5. To improve the methodological and writing skills of the M.Phil./Ph.D./PDF Scholars/Academicians and develop their potential as future social science researchers.
6. To build an interdisciplinary research culture.
7. To make the participants aware of the use of SPSS in data analysis.
8. To gain expertise in analytical work through rigorous practice sessions.

SUB THEMES OF THE WORKSHOP

- Research Methodology: Theoretical and Philosophical Issues
- Research Types and Designs
- Types of Data, Methods and Tools of Data Collection
- Sampling and Statistical Tools
- Statistical Techniques and use of SPSS in data analysis

Certificate of Recommendation
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Place: