

MAHARSHI DAYANAND UNIVERSITY

Maharshi Dayanand University established in 1976, is a confederation of 12 Faculties, 38 Departments, Director of Distance Education, One Off-Campus Centre for Professional & Applied Studies and a number of affiliated colleges. The University was accredited with 'A+' grading by NAAC in March 2019. The University has been placed at 90th rank amongst Indian Universities by Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India as a part of NIRF survey 2019. The University with its well qualified faculty members, large campus, excellent infrastructure and student support system, aims not only to promote inter-disciplinary higher education and research but also set itself as a leading centre of higher education with sincere commitment towards community and society.

DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY

The Department of Psychology was established in 1982 under the headship of Prof. I.S. Muhar.

The department offers M.A. Psychology, M.A. Applied Psychology, Advanced Post Graduate Diploma, M.Phil and Ph.D. The department is famous for its dual focus on honing theoretical and applied psychological skills as well as engaging in value based extra-curricular activities. The balance between pure and applied research has given the department a rare profile. Major areas of research are clinical psychology, personality, guidance and counselling, sport psychology, organizational behavior, mental training, cognition, media psychology, positive psychology and health psychology. The aim of the department is to produce psychologists par excellence who have the necessary knowledge, skills, and sensitivity needed to delve into the human phenomenon. The overall objective of the department is to boost holistic health by providing psychological services with a smile for positive health and happiness.

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One Week Workshop

on

RESEARCH METHODOLOGY IN SOCIAL SCIENCES

November 4-8, 2019

Venue

**SWARAJ SADAN,
M.D. University, Rohtak**



Organized by

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**Under the aegis of
Chaudhry Ranbir Singh Institute of
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INTRODUCTION

The institutions of higher learning in India are facing crucial challenge in creating, nurturing and maintaining the level of quality research especially in social science. The need of the hour is to develop a sound methodological base of research among the budding educationists and researchers to cope up with future challenges. A good research methodology is a key to sound research output. To operationalize this vision, there is need to train, reorient and reactivate the research scholars in the social science on research methodology. The current workshop is an effort to enrich the Research scholars in social science on research methodology. Sound conceptual understanding of various research methods, research instruments, tools and techniques is an essential prerequisite for conducting empirical research. The research methodology course for researchers/ Ph.D students in social science is expected to cover the basics of research methodology focusing on theoretical and practical inputs. Specifically the formulation of research problem, hypothesis and testing of the hypothesis, conducting literature review, data collection methods, selection of appropriate parametric or non-parametric statistical method for analysing data, and report writing. The workshop will enable the researchers to develop the most appropriate methodology for their research studies.

OBJECTIVES OF THE WORKSHOP

1. Develop capacity for conceptualizing and writing research area/theme/topic.
2. Enhance skills to prepare an appropriate research design, conducting literature review, formulating research questions and hypotheses, collection of information and analysis.

3. To impart understanding of multidimensional scaling.
4. To familiarize the participants about the problems and prospects of qualitative and quantitative data.
5. To enhance the analytical skills for research and apply right tools and techniques while conducting research
6. To equip the participants with the use of the statistical software packages to perform appropriate analyses and interpret the data output in a manner relevant to them.
7. To provide personalized interaction between participants and resource persons regarding their individual research issues.

PARTICIPANTS

The number of seats for the one week Research Methodology Course is restricted to fifty (50), maximum 60. Post Graduate/M.Phil /Ph.D./ PDF Research Scholars/ Faculty members in Social Sciences from Universities /Institutions are eligible to apply for this workshop.

REGISTRATION

The prescribed fee for the Post Graduate/M.Phil students and research scholars is Rs. 500/- and for teachers Rs. 1000/-. The last date for submission of Registration Form is 31.10.2019 in the Department of Psychology, M.D. University, Rohtak.



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List of Resource Person and expert for the Workshop :

1. Prof. C. R. Darolia (Rtd.), Dept. of Psychology, Kurukshetra University.
2. Prof. Vidhu Mohan(Rtd.), Dept. of Psychology, Panjab University, Chandigarh.
3. Prof. Vandana Sharma, (Rtd.), Dept. of Psychology, Punjabi university, Patiala.
4. Prof. N.S.Tung, (Rtd.), Department of Psychology, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar.
5. Prof. Jai Mangal Deo, Centre of Psychology, COCAS, Patliputra University, Patna.
6. Prof Jayanti Basu, Dept. of Applied Psychology, University of Calcutta, Kolkata.
7. Dr. Vivek Belhekar, Department of Applied Psychology, University of Mumbai.
8. Prof. G.P. Thakur, (Rtd.), Dept. of Psychology, M.G. Kashi Vidyapith Varanasi.

The Workshop is being organised under the aegis Ch. Ranbir Singh Institute of Social and Economic Change.

Professor Rajbir Singh, the Vice Chancellor M. D. University will inaugurate the Workshop on 4.11.19 at Swaraj Sadan.

Head

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