

UNIVERSITY OF LADAKH The Center Himalayan and Tran-Himalayan Studies and the Department of Political Science University of Ladakh, Leh Campus, Taru

Two weeks Research Methodology Course in Social Science for faculty and Ph.D. Students, sponsored by

Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR).

The Center Himalayan and Tran-Himalayan Studies and Department of Political Science, University of Ladakh, Leh Campus, Taru is organizing two weeks Research Methodology Course in Social Science for faculty and research students in Social Sciences starting from 14 to 24 September 2022.

Interested candidates can apply through Program Coordinator/Co-coordinator along with duly filled up registration form on or before 17th August, 2022. Selection will be done on the first come first basis. Registration form can also be downloaded from the University website: www.universityofladakh.org.in. Advanced copy of the application may be sent to the Program Coordinator/Co-coordinator of the Workshop through mail, for the details visit university website.

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Ten Days Research Methodology Course in Social Science for faculty and Ph.D. Students

Organized by

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About the Center

Centre for Himalayan and Trans Himalayan Studies, University of Ladakh and Department of Political Science, University of Ladakh, Leh Campus would like to organize two weeks Research Methodology Course in Social Science for faculty and research students in Social Sciences from 14-24 September 2022.

The University of Ladakh has been set up in the year 2019 under the University of Ladakh Act, 2018 passed by the Government of Jammu and Kashmir State on December 16, 2018. Being the only trans-Himalayan university in the country, a need was felt for establishing a dedicated centre for studies on hitherto unexplored or under-explored areas in the Himalayan, trans-Himalayan and possibly the Central Asian regions. Thus, the Centre for Himalayan and Trans Himalayan Studies is being established as an inter-disciplinary research and study centre in the University of Ladakh.

Introduction:

Social Science Research has assumed great significance in recent times as it concerns itself with the human aspects of the world. It tells us how society functions, helps us to understand the existing scheme of things and informs about the problems that exist. The course is based on theoretical lectures, interactive and practical sessions. Experts will be invited from both within and outside the Union Territory. The program would attempt to trace all nuances of conducting research in Social Sciences in an in-depth manner. Tracing from the conceptualization of research projects,

preparation of research proposals, to intricate details of research methodology and winding up the procedure of documenting and publishing research findings.

The aim is to develop a research aptitude in younger faculty and encourage them to take up research. The objective is also to convey the message that it is not only the knowledge of the area in which one is interested, but that necessary methodological competence and sensitivity to carry out the research is important. For young faculty, especially in various Government Degree Colleges and university particularly in the Union Territory, it will be very beneficial if such courses are organized closer to their institutes so that they can be updated with the latest methods and techniques in Social Science Research. It is felt that the younger faculty mostly from social sciences encounter many difficulties in designing a good research proposal and publish good research papers. It is in this background that organising a workshop on research methodology becomes very important and the Centre for Himalayan and Trans Himalayan Studies and the department of Political Science, University of Ladakh, Leh intend to organize a workshop on research methodology in social science. Following are the broad objectives:

Objectives:

- 1. To orient young faculty and research scholars irrespective of their disciplinary orientations about the critical elements of social research process.
- 2. To make the young faculty and research scholars familiar with the latest methods and techniques in Social Science Research.
- 3. To make the participants aware about the criteria by which research proposals are

Participants:

University and college teachers, PhD Research scholars from within and outside Union Territory of Ladakh. However, the primary focus would be to attract large number of young faculty members from different colleges of Union Territory of Ladakh.

Arrangements:

Necessary board and lodging arrangements will be made for outstation delegates. Lunch and tea will be served during the workshop sessions.

How to apply:

Interested candidates can apply through Program Coordinator/Co-coordinator along with duly filled up registration form on before 17 August, 2022. Registration form can also be downloaded from the University website: www.universityofladakh.org.in. Advanced copy of the application may be sent to the Program Coordinator/co-coordinator of the Workshop through mail.

The duly filled in Registration form must be accompanied with the following enclosures:

- 1. A brief write up about the reasons for his/her participation in the workshop and how this course will help her/his research and teaching
- 2. A brief CV explaining academic details with work experience and list of publications.
- 3. Few pages of research proposal/ synopsis on any topic, which will be discussed during paper clinic.

Venue of the Course:

University of Ladakh (UoL), Leh Campus, Taru, UT Ladakh, 194101

Accommodation & Travel Allowance: -

Accommodation will be provided to the outstation participants. Travel allowance by shortest distance bus or train (sleeper class) will be reimbursed to the outstation participants as per ICSSR guidelines. Kindly note that there are limited accommodations available for the outstation candidates.

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Annexure: II

APPLICATION FORM

ICSSR Sponsored Ten-Day Research Methodology Course (For Faculty and Research Scholars in Social Sciences, 14-24 September, 2022) The Center Himalayan and Tran-Himalayan Studies and Department of Political Science University of Ladakh, Leh Campus, Taru

1. Name: (In Block Letters) 2. Gender (Male/Female): 3. Date of Birth: 4. Category (SC/ST/OBC/Minority/Disabled/General): 5. Employment status: a) Employed b) Ph.D student 6. Mailing address
12. Current Status of Research Work (use separate sheet if required)
13. Accommodation Required (Yes/No): 14. State the purpose of joining the workshop: 15. Attach your updated brief CV. 26. Attach your research proposal. Certificate of Recommendation from the Supervisor/ Head of the Department/Head of the Institution:
I recommend Dr./Mr./Ms
Place Date Signature of the Supervisor/ Head of the Department / Institution with office seal