



**CENTRE FOR
EDUCATIONAL AND
SOCIAL STUDIES**

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Research Learning Community

A one -Day
Research Symposium on

Unleashing Thoughts and Nurturing Ideas

29th April, 2024

Bengaluru

About CESS

Centre for Educational and Social Studies (CESS), based in Bengaluru, is a full-fledged not-for-profit organization and is driven by a vision to bring about “Social Transformation through and with Education” and mission to engage in Research, Capacity Building and Policy Advocacy in the domain of Education and allied areas. Research Learning Community is a flagship initiative of CESS for Faculty and Research Scholars for equipping and furthering research knowledge; upskill their research skills; and develop sustainable research culture in their Institutions in the long term.

Research Learning Community

Research Learning Community is an initiative by CESS to upskill individuals – Faculty and Research Scholars to further their research activities. It was launched with a special focus on the young faculty and research scholars as a first step towards developing research mindset, which in turn in the long-run will help in building research and innovation culture in the HEIs.

The symposium features a pre-symposium online workshop, panel discussions, technical sessions, and rewards for outstanding contributions. This symposium acts as an interactive platform allows for the presentation of new research, fosters collaboration among academics, and stimulates intellectual discussion, contributing to the advancement of knowledge in the field. We invite you to submit a write-up of your work for consideration.

Focus of the symposium

The symposium provides a platform to present research ideas, ongoing, and completed research. It aims to guide and support researchers in gaining exposure and recognition for their work. It also facilitates collaboration and interdisciplinary interchange of ideas, and promote knowledge dissemination through presentations and panel discussions.

Call for Submissions: Showcase your Research

We invite faculty members, research scholars, and practitioners from all disciplines to contribute to our symposium. Our focus is on fostering a rich exchange of ideas and advancing the frontiers of knowledge across a broad range of subjects.

Submissions can fall into one of the following categories:

Contemporary Research Problems and Ideas: Explore and present on current, cutting-edge research problems or ideas that have the potential for significant academic inquiry.

Ongoing Research Work: Share insights from any stage of ongoing research projects, including literature review, research methodologies, sample design, data collection processes, and data analysis.

Completed Research Insights: Present findings, discussions, and recommendations from research completed within the last three years. Highlight the implications of research work and avenues for future research.

Who can participate?

This symposium is designed for faculty members and research scholars from diverse fields such as Commerce, Management, Social Sciences, Arts & Humanities, and Education. It offers a unique platform for interdisciplinary collaboration, networking, and exposure to new research methodologies and ideas.

Recognition and Mentoring

- The outstanding contributions/research ideas will be rewarded.
- Mentoring support will be extended for future research study for selected research ideas.

Guidelines for Registration

- Registration is mandatory to attend the symposium.
- Registration fee for participation and presentation is Rs 300/- per participant. The registration fee includes food, refreshments and certificates.
- Fee will be refunded for the members of Research Learning Community of CESS

Guidelines to Authors

1. Research scholars and faculty members from universities and colleges across the country can submit their work.
2. The write-up may include the research idea/problem, part of on-going or completed research work.
3. The abstract should be submitted in not more than 300 words including key words.
4. Abstracts and comprehensive write up should include a cover page with title, author(s) name(s), affiliation(s).
5. Abstracts will undergo a peer-review process to assess their quality, relevance, and contribution.
6. The maximum number of words for comprehensive write up should be between 3,000 to 4,000 words. The write-up should be in MS -word format, Times New Roman 12, line spacing 1.5. The page set up should be in A4 size with 1" margin on all sides. References, tables and graphs should be in standard APA format.
7. The final comprehensive write-ups should be submitted along with the plagiarism report (Urkund/ Turnitin/Drill bit) with similarity index up to 10%.
8. Maximum of two authors per research work is considered. Author and Co-Author should register separately. A single author presenting multiple ideas should register for each write up if multiple abstracts are accepted. The presentations will be off-line mode. There is no option for in-absentia presentation.

Important Dates

Abstract submission
14th April, 2024

Online orientation for
comprehensive write-up
12th April, 2024

Comprehensive write-up submission
21st April, 2024

Online Workshop
**22nd and 23rd April 2024 at
6.00 pm to 8.00 pm**

Presentation slides submission
24th April, 2024

Last date for Registration
24th April, 2024



Register at
<https://bit.ly/4axMKdt>

The symposium will be held in Bengaluru. Accommodation will be provided for the outstation participants on request.

All the submissions should be mailed to
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