



NIRMALA INSTITUTE OF EDUCATION

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*"Continuity gives us roots; change gives us branches,
letting us stretch and grow and
reach new heights"* Pauline R Kezer

A BRIEF OVERVIEW:

Nirmala Institute of Education, Panjim, Goa, a secondary Teacher Education Institute was established in 1963 by the Society of the Daughters of the Heart of Mary in response to the urgent need for trained teachers in the post liberation Goa. The main goal of Nirmala Institute of Education at that time was to provide the pedagogical bases for educational expansion through formal education. The college, initially affiliated to Bombay University grew into a highly respected institution providing pre and in-service teacher education to thousands of teachers. In 1985, it was affiliated to the newly established Goa University. Nirmala Institute of Education completed its Golden Jubilee in 2013. Approved by the National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE), the college conducts a number of courses in Education like the Bachelor of Education; Post Graduate Diploma in Guidance and Counselling, a Certificate Course in Pre-primary Teacher Education; Diploma in Elementary Education Course and MA in Wellness Counselling. The main objective of the college is to develop universal values in teachers.

About the Conference

The National Conference organised by Nirmala Institute of Education aims at bringing together people from different academic backgrounds to share their perspectives about the emerging strategies in their respective fields. In today's world, where knowledge is power it is absolutely essential to have constructive dialogues to enhance this power. Collaboration is the key to unlock the tremendous potential that is present in the field of Higher Education. Through this conference, it is our endeavour to provide a platform to initiate such collaborative inter-disciplinary efforts and ensure that they gain momentum. The main aim in introducing interdisciplinary courses and programs is to integrate the contributions of different academic disciplines or fields of study so that topics, problems, and phenomena under study are explored and interpreted in a holistic way. To promote inter-disciplinarity, we need to encourage collaboration in Higher Education.

Objectives

- *To create awareness and dialogue between professionals, academicians and research scholars on major issues related to Higher Education in various disciplines.
- *To disseminate knowledge of upcoming areas in various disciplines.
- *To develop new avenues of thought in various disciplines.
- *To provide a platform for exchanging new ideas and suggestions in the academic field.
- *To provide an alternate Higher Education system driven by market and industry needs.
- *To explore different ways to reform the present structure of Higher Education.

Target Audience

Academicians from various disciplines, research scholars and students.

Sub-themes of the conference:

- * Technology as a support for learning.
- * MOOC's :A revolutionary concept in learning.
- * Employability through better Higher Education in India.
- * Networking through social media.
- * Trust and Credibility in work culture.
- * Blended Learning.
- * Learning across disciplines.
- * Academic and administrative leadership for effective management.
- * Integration of life skills in Higher Education.
- * Ethics and risk management in a digital world.
- * Entrepreneurship in the service sector-New avenues.
- * What economics can do for you.
- * Role of media in the electoral process.
- * Managing modern libraries:-Challenges and opportunities.
- * Marketing of library services and products.
- * Library users :issues and challenges.
- * Role of Sports Faculty in developing sports culture in India.
- * Arts as an agent of social transformation.

The conference aims at marking the quest for quality through plenary sessions, expert inputs and research based paper presentations.

Guidelines for Paper Submission

- Abstract: Maximum 250 words with 5 keywords
- Full Paper: 2500 words
- Font type & size: Times New Roman & 12
- Line Spacing: 1.5
- Reference style: APA sixth edition
- Languages: English, Konkani, Hindi and Marathi

The full paper along with the abstract
must be submitted to

nirmala.conference2019@gmail.com

Registration Fees:

Students/Research Scholars-Rs.500/-

Faculty of colleges and

Universities/Professionals-Rs.1500/-

(Authors and co-authors to pay the same amount)

Registration fees can be sent by DD or NEFT
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The registration fee covers the cost of conference kit,
lunch, tea and conference proceedings with ISBN.
Transport and other expenses should be borne
by the participants.

Important dates

Full paper submission

11th January 2019

Date of communication of acceptance

18th January 2019

Conference date

1st and 2nd March 2019

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