

The Refresher Course in Research Methodology in Social Science for higher education teachers will help them to update themselves on the latest trends and techniques in the field of Social Science. This course will provide a platform to discuss and to get acquainted with recent developments in the field of Social Science while emphasizing on fundamentals of the subject. It is also designed for capacity building in information and communication technology in Social Science. Along with other areas, the course includes topics on innovative practices and approaches which can be adopted by Social Science teachers. It will also encourage Social Science teachers to share their own experiences and ideas for improving their teaching, coaching and training practices.

Objectives:

- To enable the participants, to define their research problems, develop an approach to research problems and select suitable research design.
- **I** To familiarize the participants about the qualitative and quantitative Research framework.
- 2 To provide expertise in statistical techniques and interpretation of statistical data.
- 2 To Comprehend Appropriateness of statistical Software Packages for analyzing Research Data.
- To provide an opportunity to researchers to present the problems related to the research methodology faced by them for their current work.

Target Group: Interested College / University teachers of Social Science with at least three years experiences can apply through email to any of IDs mentioning their name, designation, subject and institution. However, they are required to fill up the application form of HRDC (www.prsu.ac.in) and produce relieving certificate from their Institution when they join the Refresher Course. Candidates working in those universities and colleges that are included under Section 2(f) of the UGC Act, even though they may not yet be fit to be included under Section 12(B), may participate in the Refresher Course. The teachers of college that do not yet come within the purview of Section 12(B), but have been affiliated to a university for at least two years, will be permitted to participate in the Program.

Mode of Delivery: Online Sessions on Google Meet. Sessions will be held from 10:30 to 17:30 daily.

Requirement for the Course: Desktop/Laptop/Smart phone with good Internet Connectivity (Webcam, Microphone, headphones and Multimedia enabled).

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Registration/Application Link: <u>https://forms.gle/7vj1sMZKQ5Dcbr6CA</u>

Registration fee: Rs. 1000.00 (non-refundable), to be paid online in Director, ASC bank account number - 30644576182; IFSC code: SBIN0003739, State Bank of India, PRSU, Raipur.

Number of Participants: Minimum 20 and Maximum 40 on first come first serve basis.