

KONKAN GYANPEETH URAN COLLEGE OF COMMERCE & ARTS

AND

UNIVERSITY OF MUMBAI

JOINTLY ORGANIZED

“AVISHKAR RESEARCH CONVENTION WORKSHOP”

[C-1- HUMANITIES, LANGUAGES, FINE ARTS etc]

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1. INTRODUCTION:-



His Excellency, Governor of Maharashtra, Shri. S.M. Krishna has initiated a novel research project competition named Avishkar in the year 2006. This activity, unique in its nature, is being implemented through Board of College and University Development.

‘AVISHKAR’ is one of the most important research project Competition for the student and corporate world. It is also inspirable to student; which gives new, innovative idea to corporate world.

Research is an outcome of the innovative minds. If the habit of scientific thinking and materializing the innovative ideas of the students into research projects based on firm scientific footing and standard conclusions is inculcated among the student community, at appropriate ages, it will not only motivate them to ponder scientifically but also lay the foundation of budding scientists to be groomed further as acclaimed researchers in their respective fields. Much has been discussed about the quality of research being carried out in the universities but escalating the standard of research is a matter of concern

2.SEMINAR PROCEEDINGS:-

2.1Objective And Structure:-



The main objective of the workshop was to create an awareness regarding ‘Avishkar Research’ among the workshop participants which mainly comprised of students and teachers of colleges in and around Raigad District.

The seminar was divided into three sessions. They were:-

Session I: - Inaugural Session

Session II: - Technical Session

Session III: - Valedictory Session

2.2 Workshop Setting:-



The workshop on “Avishkar Research Convention Workshop” [C-1-Humanities, Languages, Fine Arts etc] which was jointly organized by ‘University of Mumbai’ & ‘KonkanGyanpeethUran College of Commerce and Arts’ took place in the very well equipped F.Y.B.Com class of KonkanGyanpeethUran College of Commerce and Arts in Uran.

About 100 participants (teachers as well as students) came from different colleges in and around Raigad District. They represented a broad range of institutions and brought to the workshop a valuable mix of experiences and perspectives.

The speakers also came from different backgrounds and presented the audience with different practical experiences, insights, and views, both at district and national level. It gave a good impression and understanding of the many perspectives that can and should be taken into account when selecting the topic for research. The two-way communication that all the speakers adopted in their address to participants made the all the sessions interactive.

The feedback of the participants confirmed that the seminar was very much appreciated as well as that there is a pressing need for more practical approaches and for other opportunities to discuss the many issues.

2.3 Session I- Inaugural Session:-



The first session was inaugurated by the Chief Guest Dr.R.T.Sane, Dr.G.T.Sangale, Prof.Vijay Tapas, Dr.RitaBhambi, Prof. D.K.Bhasin, Prof.Varsha.Malwade and Principal K.A.Shama of our college.







I/C Principal K.A. Shamagave the welcome speech and also shared his views about Avishkar Research Convention and encouraged all the participants to take part in this initiative which is annually conducted by University of Mumbai.



The Chief Guest Dr.R.T.Sane, OSD Research Convention University of Mumbai spoken about how these 'Avishkar Research' initiative taken place and who was the first initiator of the research. He informed about the process how 'Avishkar Research' competition is carried. And today in this competitive world how a researcher should be. His inspirational words were a person who have clear observation, curiosity about the observation and have the habit of asking good questions can be count as a researcher. His speech gave a motivation and inspired all the participants to have a research attitude.



Another guest of Honour Dr. G. T. Sangale, Principal of Veer Wajekar ASC College, Phunde, Uran also gave the speech about how a person should generate ideas. He emphasized on that idea can change anything and the person who generate ideas can go in the path of researchers. His speech also given inspiration about how we can generate idea and try our best to fulfill it.

2.4 Session II- Technical Session:-



The Second Session was chaired by Prof. Vijay Tapas of Ruia College, Mumbai spoken on humanities and languages. He given information about how to select a small topic from our communities, our life- styles, and can also do a comparative study between different languages.



Dr. Rita Bhambi, Head & Associate Professor Dept. of History, of G.N. Khalsa college, Mumbai also given very informative speech about how we can select the topic for research. Our heritage, languages can also be an important topic for research.



Prof. D.K.Bhasin, Head & Associate Professor Dept of Philosophy, G.N. Khalsa College, Mumbai spoke about philosophical ideas about every individuals and also she emphasized on approaches of different caste, food habits, Tribals and Sustainable Models of Development. She also suggest of Women, Impact of Advertisement etc. can be count as small topic for research.



Prof. Varsha Malwade, Dept. of Economics, of Ruia College, Mumbai given the idea about to select a topic for research which can be socially or economically useful. She also suggested various of ideas related to our day- to-day life.

2.5 Session III- Valedictory Session:-



The last session of the workshop was the valedictory session which was addressed by Dr.SandeepThali, Principal of UES.



Thereafter the participants were asked to ask their queries about the research. The response was really encouraging and thoughtful. After that the participants were given the certificate of attendance.

The said workshop guided by Dr.R.T.Sane, OSD Research Convention University of Mumbai and Dr. Sunil Patil District Co-ordinator, Avishkar Research Convention, University of Mumbai

Finally, Prof.V.S.Indulkar Co-ordinator of Konkan Gyanpeeth, Uran College of Commerce & Arts proposed vote of thanks for .Avishkar Research Convention Workshop-2014-15.

3. FEEDBACK ANALYSIS:-

3.1 Feedback Form Format:-

**KonkanGyanpeeth
Uran College of Commerce & Arts**

'Avishkar Research Convention' 2014-2015

Category C1- Humanities,Languages & Fine Arts, etc.

FEEDBACK FORM

Name : _____

Name of the College : _____

Contact No. : _____

Email- Id : _____

Feedback :

(Please put tick mark)

Particulars	Average	Good	Very Good	Excellent
Inauguration Ceremony				
Technical Session				
Valedictory Session				
Hospitality				

3.2 Feedback Form Analysis:-

1) Inauguration Ceremony:-

	Average	Good	Very Good	Excellent
Total	0	11	29	25
%	-	16.92	44.62	38.46

2) Technical Session:-

	Average	Good	Very Good	Excellent
Total	1	6	22	36
%	1.53	9.23	33.85	55.38

3) Valedictory Session:-

	Average	Good	Very Good	Excellent
Total	0	12	25	36
%	-	18.46	38.46	55.38

4) Hospitality:-

	Average	Good	Very Good	Excellent
Total	0	19	14	37
%	-	29.23	21.53	56.92

5) How would you rate beneficial aspect of the Workshop?

	Inauguration Session	Technical Session	Valedictory Session	Hospitality
Excellent	25(38.46%)	36(55.38%)	36(55.38%)	37(56.92%)
Very Good	29(44.62%)	22(33.85%)	25(38.46%)	14(21.53%)
Good	11(16.92%)	6(9.23%)	12(18.46%)	19(29.23%)
Average	-----	1(1.53%)	-----	-----
Total	65(100%)	65(100%)	65(100%)	65(100%)

4. Conclusion:-

Overall the workshop was a success.

It fulfilled the objective of creating awareness regarding the 'Avishkar Research' among the participants by arranging a mix of engaging and interesting lectures by some eminent personalities having expertise and experience in the field.

The workshop also provided an opportunity to the young citizens of our country, i.e. the students, to express their views on various topic for research. In short, the workshop successfully achieved its main objective with interactive sessions and amazing participants!!