



MAHATMA HANSRAJ FACULTY DEVELOPMENT CENTRE

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HANSRAJ COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY OF DELHI

(NAAC ACCREDITED A++ GRADE)

*in collaboration
with*

CLUSTER INNOVATION CENTRE UNIVERSITY OF DELHI

is organising

One Week (Interdisciplinary) Faculty Development Programme

on

Empowering Educators for Engaged Learning in Higher Education

DECEMBER 4 - 8, 2023

OFFLINE AND ONLINE SESSIONS

**OFFLINE SESSIONS: 2:00 PM TO
5:00 PM**

**VENUE: CLUSTER INNOVATION
CENTRE, UNIVERSITY OF DELHI**

REGISTRATION LINK:

<https://forms.gle/dfuFEirDoP767HiP6>



ABOUT HANSRAJ COLLEGE

Hansraj College is one of the largest constituent colleges of University of Delhi and has been ranked as one of the top five colleges for Science, Arts and Commerce several times in the last decade. The faculty and students of the college have contributed immensely in the field of academics, sports and cultural activities. The college faculty is dedicated towards growth and development of the institution academically and administratively to constantly thrive for excellence. Hansarians have been placed in diverse professions and services worldwide and are bringing fame and laurels to the institution.

ABOUT CLUSTER INNOVATION CENTRE

Cluster Innovation Centre (CIC; <https://cic.du.ac.in/>), University of Delhi, has been designed to foster an ecosystem of innovation and connect education with an application for the benefit of society. The centre aims to harness the passion and dedication of bright young minds with some of the major challenges of India and civil society. The hallmark of the CIC is 'out of the box' thinking and action with 'hands-on' applications through a transdisciplinary route. CIC has pioneered the concept of a Meta College as well as a Meta University and runs highly innovative state of art learning and research programmes

ABOUT THE PROGRAMME

In the dynamic landscape of higher education, fostering active learning and promoting innovative teaching methodologies have become imperative, especially in light of the transformative vision outlined in the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020. The NEP emphasizes a learner-centric approach, encouraging educators to shift from traditional teaching methods to more interactive, hands-on, and project-based learning experiences. It envisions classrooms as vibrant spaces where students actively engage with the curriculum, cultivating critical thinking, problem-solving skills, and a spirit of inquiry. In response to the NEP 2020's call for educational reform, Cluster Innovation Centre in collaboration with Mahatma Hansraj Faculty Development Centre (MHRFDC), Hansraj College is organizing a Faculty Development Programme, "Empowering Educators for Engaged Learning in Higher Education" for capacity building of faculty members. This Programme is designed to meet the specific requirements and aspirations set forth by the NEP 2020, ensuring that educators are equipped with the necessary tools and techniques to create an enriching and transformative learning environment.

OBJECTIVES OF THE PROGRAMME

- **Understanding Active Learning:** Explore the principles and theories behind active learning techniques and understand their relevance in higher education.
- **Designing Hands-on Activities:** Learn how to design hands-on activities that encourage student participation, collaboration, and exploration.
- **Project-Based Learning (PBL) Strategies:** Gain insights into structuring and implementing project-based learning experiences to foster deep understanding and creativity among students.
- **Learner-Centric Pedagogy:** Embrace learner-centric pedagogical approaches as advocated by the NEP, fostering active participation, curiosity, and holistic development among students.
- **Innovation and Creativity:** Cultivate innovative and creative thinking among educators, enabling them to design curriculum and learning experiences that align with the NEP's emphasis on multidisciplinary education and flexibility.
- **Assessment and Feedback:** Develop effective assessment strategies for hands-on and project-based activities, ensuring fair evaluation and meaningful feedback for students.
- **Integration of Technology:** Explore the integration of digital tools and technology to enhance hands-on and project-based learning experiences.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PROGRAMME

- **Expert-Led Sessions:** Engage with experienced educators and experts who have successfully implemented active learning methods in higher education.
- **Hands-on Workshops:** Participate in interactive sessions where participants create and experience hands-on activities and projects.
- **Collaborative Learning:** Foster a collaborative learning environment through group discussions, team projects, and peer evaluations.
- **Best Practices Sharing:** Encourage participants to share their best practices and challenges, facilitating a rich exchange of ideas.
- **Individualized Feedback:** Receive personalized feedback on activity and project designs, ensuring practical and actionable insights.

EXPECTED OUTCOMES AND IMPACT

This programme will provide participants with the knowledge, skills, and confidence to implement active learning and project-based activities in their classrooms. Through expert-led sessions, hands-on workshops, and collaborative learning opportunities, participants will be equipped to create dynamic and engaging learning experiences, ultimately enhancing the quality of education in higher institutions. The participants would be able to

- Enhance teaching skills through active learning and project-based approaches
- Improve student engagement and learning outcomes
- Build networking opportunities with peers and experts in the field
- Access to a repository of resources and tools for future reference

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

Day 1: Inauguration of the FDP (11:30 am – 1:00 pm in offline mode) Lunch (1:00 pm to 2:00 pm) Inaugural Lecture by eminent resource person (2:00 pm – 4:00 pm in offline mode)

Day 2: Project Based Learning in Higher Education: Some Case Studies (2:00 – 5:00 pm offline at Cluster Innovation Centre with a 15 minute tea break in between)

Day 3: Hands on workshop: Collaborative Development of PBL Modules (2:00 – 5:00 pm offline at Cluster Innovation Centre with a 15 minute tea break in between)

Day 4: Hands on workshop: Revisiting and revising the collaborative PBL Modules (2:00 – 5:00 pm offline at Cluster Innovation Centre with a 15 minute tea break in between)

Day 5: Concluding session on incorporating the PBL followed by the valedictory programme (2:00 – 4:30 pm offline) High Tea (4:30 pm onwards)

Note:

- There will be five online recorded/ live (online) sessions; each of duration of 90 minutes.
- The participants must attend all the offline sessions.
- The participants will be given a group task that they would need to submit within 10 days of the completion of these five days. The group task will be evaluated. On successful evaluation of the group task the participants will be awarded the certificate

REGISTRATION DETAILS

Interested participants are requested to follow the steps mentioned below in order to register for the FDP:

Participants are required to pay the registration fee of Rs. 1,000 via NEFT/IMPS/UPI to the following account:

**Account: Principal, Hansraj College,
FDC Bank: Canara Bank, Hansraj College, Delhi
Type of Account: Savings
Account number: 2848101019873
IFSC: CNRB0002848**

NOTE: Fee is Non-Refundable

- Pre-registration to the program is through online mode only.
- Participants are required to fill the registration form using the following link. (Please ensure that you have payment proof before filling up registration form)

Registration link: <https://forms.gle/dfuFEirDoP767HiP6>

- The last date for registration is **November 30, 2023**
- Participants will be informed by **December 1, 2023**
- Attendance norms are strict. Participants are required to clear the assessment component for getting the e-certificates.
- Further details will be communicated to the registered participants.

ELIGIBILITY: The programme is interdisciplinary and is open to all interested participants. All faculty members (Permanent/ Temporary/ Adhoc/ Guest) and Research Scholars from any university/college are eligible to participate.

MHRFDC TEAM

Patron

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