

REGISTRATION

Google Form link will be sent to the selected papers for registration after scrutinizing the papers.

REGISTRATION FEE: (Indian / Foreigner)

Teacher/Teacher Educators: Rs. 1000/- (INR) /25USD

Research Scholars: 800/- (INR)/20USD

Students: Rs.500/- (INR)/10USD

Registration fee should be paid through online. The payment details will be provided along with the registration Google Form link.

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THE GANDHIGRAM RURAL INSTITUTE (DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY)

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Gandhigram – 624 302, Dindigul District, Tamilnadu, India



Two Days International Conference on QUALITY CONCERNS IN TEACHER EDUCATION (ICQCTE - 2025)

11th & 12th March 2025

Organized by

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION



ABOUT THE INSTITUTE

Gandhigram Rural Institute (GRI), founded by two dedicated disciples and contemporaries of Mahatma Gandhi, Dr.G.Ramachandran and Dr.T.S.Soundaram Ramachandran, has as its foundation Mahatma Gandhi's revolutionary philosophy of Nai Talim, which effectively bridges the cognitive and practical dimensions, and focuses on the holistic development of learners, with an emphasis on skill development through value-based education, rooted in indigenous cultures and traditions. Since its establishment in 1956, GRI has been unstintingly contributing to higher education and has successfully pioneered rural higher education. The curricular model developed at GRI organically integrating teaching, research and extension has earned the Institute, the status of Deemed University in 1976 by UGC, the five-star status by NAAC in 2002, 'A' Grade during the re-accreditation in 2010 by NAAC and 'A' Grade in its third cycle of reaccreditation in the year 2016.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

The Department of Education, Gandhigram Rural Institute is a Teacher Education Department with reputation as a leading centre for Teaching, Training, Educational Research and Extension. The Gandhigram Rural Institute (GRI) is granted with recognition by the NCTE to offer the B.Ed Integrated Programme under the Choice Based Credit System from the year 2003-2004, onwards. The GRI is granted with recognition by the NCTE to offer the M.Ed degree Programme under the Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) 2008-2009 onwards. The students are admitted to the B.Ed, B.Sc.B.Ed, M.Ed and Ph.D Programme through an all India entrance examination conducted at Gandhigram Rural Institute. The vision of the Department is to develop and sustain quality in teacher education programmes by integrating the current knowledge and pedagogical principles with the basic education programme propounded by Mahatma Gandhiji.

PMMNMTT MISSION

The Department of Education is awarded the status of School of Education (SoE) under the scheme of Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teachers and Teaching (PMMNMTT) by the Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD) on 2018. The same is revised as UGC – Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre (MMTTC) for providing training to teachers of HEI's from 05.09.2023 onwards. This UGC-MMTTC is organizing various professional development programmes like Induction Training, Refresher Courses, Short Term Courses and Orientation Programme on NEP-2020 for Higher Education Teachers.

OVERVIEW OF THE CONFERENCE

The conference provide a platform for teachers, researchers and policy makers to share best practices, research findings, and innovative approaches to improve teacher education quality. It facilitates fostering collaboration and partnerships that can enhance teacher training programs. The conference focus on current challenges in teacher education, such as curriculum relevance, assessment methods, and diversity in the classroom, and explore solutions collaboratively. The conference might serve as a venue for professional growth offering workshops and sessions that equip attendees with new skills and insights to enhance their teaching and training practices. The program can inform the policy makers about the current state of teacher education and gather input for developing policies that support high-quality teacher preparation.

THEME: QUALITY CONCERNS IN TEACHER EDUCATION SUB THEMES

- Conceptualizing Quality in Teacher Education
- Curriculum and Pedagogical Practices
- Accreditation and Standards
- Capacity building of Teacher Educators' Competence
- NEP 2020 and teacher education
- Student Teachers' Perspectives
- Infrastructure and Resources
- Research and Innovation in Teacher Education
- Challenges and Barriers to Quality
- Global Trends and Best Practices
- Policy and Governance

SUBMISSION OF PAPERS

Papers are invited from teachers, teacher educators, research scholars on the above mentioned themes as per APA7 format. The paper must be typed in MS Word, font size 12, Times New Roman with 1.5 line spacing in an A4 sheet within 4500 words along with an abstract of 250 words. The contributors are requested to sent a soft copy of the full paper with the abstract to the email. Id: icqcte2025@gmail.com

SELECTION OF PAPERS AND PUBLICATION

Thematic and research papers are invited on the above sub-themes. The sub-themes are only suggestive and not exhaustive. The paper will be scrutinized by a screening committee. Priority will be given to the research papers. Best papers will be honored with awards. The selected papers will be published in a Book with ISBN number/UGC Care listed Journal/ Peer reviewed Journal in reputed publication.

PLAGIARISM

Submit a plagiarism report. The maximum acceptable similarity score is 10%. Avoid high AI-generated content scores.

POSTER PRESENTATION

Participants are expected to prepare a **Research Poster for offline Presentation.**

An effective academic research poster should include

1. Poster size: 3x4
2. Title (font size 72 points)
3. Author(s) and affiliation
4. Introduction
5. Methodology
6. Findings
7. Conclusion

NOTE:

- ❖ Mode - Offline
- ❖ **Abstract & full paper submission: 28.02.2025**
- ❖ **Intimation on selected papers: 03-03-2025**

LOCATION & CLIMATE OF THE CITY

The GRI (DTBU) is well connected by the road (NH7) and rail, 12 km from south of Dindigul and 55 km from north of Maduari city. During the month of March the climate remain slightly cold with temperature ranging between 30°/80°.

TRAVEL & ACCOMMODATION

Working lunch and refreshments will be served during the programme. The paper presenters are not entitled to TA/DA. Participants need to make their own arrangements for accommodation.