# Registration Form

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Registration Fee

Participation fee is Rs 500/- (Rupees Five Hundred only) payable to Association of Indian Universities, through Demand Draft along with the registration form duly signed by the competent authority. This fee partly covers the cost of stationery, seminar bags, working lunch and tea during the sessions.

# TA/DA/Board and Lodging

Travel Expenses to the workshop venue will have to be borne by the participants/sponsoring institutes. The boarding and lodging arrangements for participants will be made by Department of Commerce, Sri Krishnadevaraya University

The participants requiring such facilities may contact SK University at the address cited below.

Please send the Filled-in Registration form along-with Demand Draft to:

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# NATIONAL WORKSHOP ON RESEARCH METHODOLOGY in SOCIAL SCIENCES

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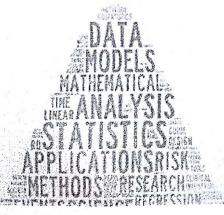
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Department of Commerce Sri Krishnadevaraya University Anantapuramu Andhra Pradesh

Venue: Sri Krishnadevaraya University Anantapuramu 515003

# About the Workshop

Creation and dissemination of knowledge through research is one of the core functions of the higher learning institutions. Apart from generating new knowledge, the higher learning institutions, particularly the universities also have the responsibility of training the intellectual manpower required for all sectors of the society. Quality of manpower is the most important factor for producing good quality researches. With the passage of time, research as an activity has not received due attention in our universities. Research is considered as a prerequisite for obtaining the degree only. Lack of adequate infrastructure, resource constraints, lack of motivation coupled with a few other factors do not encourage the meritorious students to take up research as a career option. As a result, the quality of the research conducted in our universities has projected a declining trend. This has raised a concern among the academic community, social thinkers and policy makers. Amongst all other factors, training of the researchers is the most crucial one. At present, in most of the universities, except a few disciplines, there is no adequate provision of training on research methodology. The research students often depend upon the supervisor/guide for even finding a suitable research problem. They also find it difficult to proceed further independently. To improve the situation, there is a need for providing training on research methodology to the young scholars. The present workshop is an endeavor in this direction. Association of Indian Universities (AIU) has taken an initiative of organizing such kind of workshop on regular basis. The present workshop will focus on the following broad themes.



### THEMES

- Identification of Research Gaps and Selection of Problem & Writing Research Proposals
- Quantitative and Qualitative Research Methods in Social Sciences
- Hands on training on Statistical Software like SPSS/SAS/STATA etc.
- Writing Research Proposals/Papers/Reports
- · Funding Agencies and their Funding Mechanisms

### METHODOLOGY

Lectures and presentations, Field visits, case studies, hands on training and interactions among the participants

## **PARTICIPATION**

Research Scholars/Faculty Members and other Academicians are eligible to participate.

Queries if any may please be addressed to:

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### Association of Indian Universities

Association of Indian Universities (AIU) established in 1925 as the Inter University Board, is an apex body for university-level institutions in India. It is a representative body of Universities of India to liaise with the universities and the government (central as well as state) and to coordinate among the universities and other apex higher education organizations of the world. The Research Division of AIU undertakes studies on problems in emerging areas of concern in the field of Higher Education. A regular activity of the Research Division is to organise workshops/ training programmes, seminars and other capacity building programmes for university administrators and academicians.

### Sri Krishnadevaraya University

Sri Krishnadevaraya University is situated in rural environs, 10 km away from Ananthapuramu city, in an extensive campus of 482 acres of land. It began as a Postgraduate Centre of Sri Venkateswara University in the year 1967-68. It gained autonomy in the year 1976. Fulfilling the desires of the people of the region, the Autonomous Postgraduate Centre was accorded the status of a University in the year 1981. Initially, Sri Krishnadevaraya University functioned as a unitary University, it was conferred the status of an affiliating University in the year 1988. Presently, it caters to the higher education needs of Rayalaseema region in general and Ananthapuramu district in particular. The Postgraduate Centre at Kurnool, which was brought under the jurisdiction of the University in the year 1993, became a separate University in 2008. Starting with just five departments of study and a hundred students, the University has now five colleges on the campus: SKU College of Arts, SKU College of Sciences, SKU College of Engineering and Technology, SKU College of Education, and SKU College of Pharmacy.

SKU College of Arts has 13 Departments offering 18 PG courses besides one UG course. SKU College of Sciences has 16 Departments offering 19 PG courses. SKU College of Engineering and Technology, started in 2006-07, offers M. Tech. in three branches and B. Tech. in five branches. SKU College of Education, started in 2007-2008, offers M.Ed. and B.Ed. programmes. SKU College of Pharmacy, started in 2008-2009, offers M. Pharmacy with three specializations and B. Pharmacy programmes.