



हिमाचल प्रदेश केंद्रीय विश्वविद्यालय  
**Central University of Himachal Pradesh**

SAPT - SINDHU PARISAR - I, DEHRA, KANGRA, HIMACHAL PRADESH  
(Accredited by NAAC with 'A+' Grade with CGPA 3.42)

  
**TEN DAYS**

RESEARCH METHODOLOGY COURSE IN  
**SOCIAL SCIENCES**

3<sup>rd</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> January, 2025



*The secret of getting ahead is getting started*  
● Mark Twain

**Organized by:**

**DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS  
SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCES  
CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF HIMACHAL PRADESH  
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## ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

The Central University of Himachal Pradesh is established under the Central Universities Act 2009 (No. 25 of 2009) enacted by the Parliament. The University is funded and regulated by the University Grants Commission (UGC). The University became functional with the assumption of charge by the first Vice Chancellor on 20th January 2010.

The Prime Minister, in his address to the nation on August 15, 2007, announced the establishment of a Central University in each of the states that did not have a central university so far. Subsequently, 11<sup>th</sup> Plan provided for the establishment of 16 new Central Universities. Accordingly, the Central Universities Act 2009 (No. 25 of 2009) which received Presidential assent on 20th March 2009 provided for the establishment of Central University of Himachal Pradesh amongst others.



## ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT

Department of Economics, Central University of Himachal Pradesh, with its creative and critical thinking faculty aims to empower students who will stand at the forefront of creating positive change and improving the lives of the vulnerable members of society by ensuring peace, harmony, dignity, justice and equal opportunities for the development of individuals, groups and communities. The Department is committed to build professionals who would be sensitive to the needs, problems and issues of various sections of the Society.

## ABOUT THE RESEARCH METHODOLOGY COURSE

The main objective of the Research Methodology Course is to have a detailed discussion on the significance of new dimensions in the area of research related to Commerce, Management, and Economics especially for the Ph.D and Post-Doctoral scholars of colleges and post-graduate departments of various universities as well as research institutes. Along with the theoretical and empirical aspects of all disciplines, the workshop intends to define the research problem, formulations of the hypothesis, collection of the data, data collection methods, tools and techniques for analysis, and various aspects related to report writing.

Specific objectives of the course:

1. To familiarize the participants with the philosophical and theoretical dimensions of the fundamentals of research.
2. To help in learning the application of advanced statistical concepts in the analysis of data.
3. To acquaint the participants with different types of data sources and ways and means of accessing them.
4. To interact with the participants on various research methods and techniques of data collection, analysis, and interpretation.
5. To make the researcher comfortable with the application of the quantitative and qualitative tools in research.
6. To draw valid inferences and meaningful conclusions from statistical analysis.



## MAJOR TOPICS TO BE COVERED IN THE RESEARCH METHODOLOGY COURSE

1. Research design for social sciences and management research
2. Training of software to analyze the data
3. Descriptive and inferential statistics
4. Qualitative and Quantitative Research Methods
5. Ethnographical, Phenomenological, and Ethno methodological Perspectives
6. Methodological tools for primary and secondary data
7. Research report writing and field survey
8. Use of Statistical Software.

## RESOURCE PERSON/ EXPERTS

The Resource Persons/Experts are prominent professors and scholars in the field of Economics, Management, Statistics and Data science with excellent knowledge of various software. They have extensive experience in the applications of statistical tools in data analysis.

## TARGET GROUP

The main target group for the training program would be M.Phil./Ph.D/PDF Research Scholars from Indian universities and from various academic institutions who are engaged in research.

## LEARNING OUTCOMES OF THE RESEARCH METHODOLOGY COURSE

1. After attending RMC, participants will get an in-depth understanding of research and its implications in the decision-making process.
2. Gain better understanding on how to design a valid research project to answer specific research questions.
3. Design reliable and valid questionnaires for the collection of data.
4. Use descriptive and predictive statistical tools using robust analytical softwares like SPSS, and E-Views.
5. Participants will be familiar with univariate, bivariate, and multivariate statistical techniques.
6. Gain better understanding of academic writing, like, research papers, books, articles etc.

## ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

The course is meant for research scholars who are currently pursuing their M.Phil./Ph.D/ PDF in Social Sciences discipline in UGC recognized Universities and research institutes across India.

## INTAKE

The intake for the course shall be a maximum of 30 (10 from Within the University, 10 from Within Himachal Pradesh state, and 10 from outside the Himachal Pradesh state) participants from **SOCIAL SCIENCE disciplines only**.

## IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS

1. Registration will be done on a first come first serve basis.
2. No leave of any kind is permitted during the course period.
3. A personal laptop is compulsory for every participant.

## CERTIFICATE

At the end of the Research Methodology Course, the certificate will be issued to the participants who will complete the assignments and attendance.

### Registration fee

There is no registration fee for the participants.

## Accommodation & Travel allowance

- Accommodation will be provided to the outstation participants only.
- Breakfast, lunch, and refreshments will be served to all the participants.
- Travel allowance for the shortest distance will be reimbursed to the outstation participants only as per the ICSSR guidelines and subject to the production of the original ticket(s) of the train (sleeper class) or bus.

## HOW TO APPLY

Interested candidates can apply for the course by filling and submitting an online registration form by attaching a signed and scanned copy of the registration form (see last page) (the original registration form should be produced on the first day of RMC) and the scanned copy of registration form along with the following documents shall be emailed to: [icssrrmc2024@gmail.com](mailto:icssrrmc2024@gmail.com)



1. M.Phil./ Ph.D. /PDF Registration certificates.
2. Tentative Research Proposal
3. Ph.D Coursework completion certificate (if applicable)





## IMPORTANT DATES

- Last Date for Registration: 18<sup>th</sup> December, 2024
- Confirmation mail to the participant: 20<sup>th</sup> December, 2024
- Period of Workshop: 3<sup>rd</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> January, 2025.

**REGISTER  
NOW**

Registration link Participants can also find the RMC brochure and registration link by visiting the Central University of Himachal Pradesh.



Scan this QR for Registration



Link for registration :  
<https://forms.gle/WRKPC6RTnrFHpaF36>

## HOW TO REACH DEHRA

Dehra Gopipur is a town located on the Chandigarh-Dharamshala Highway in the Kangra district of Himachal Pradesh. It is situated at an altitude of 503 metres. There are many beautiful places in and around this region. The beautiful surroundings, the flowing Beas River and the Pong Reservoir make this place attractive for tourists. Maa Baglamukhi, Maa Jwala, and Maa Chintpurni temples are only 10 km, 11 km and 22 km respectively from the town. Paragpur, a small town located in Dehra Gopipur. It is listed as a World Heritage Village in India. The pristine beauty and glorious historical background have earned this place the tag of being a wonderful destination that showcases the traditional values of the local people.



## Advisory Committee

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**Prof. SANJEET SINGH**

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**COURSE Co-DIRECTOR**



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Central University of Himachal Pradesh

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Dean Academics  
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*"Research is seeing what everybody else has seen and thinking what nobody else has thought."*

Albert Szent-Györgyi





## TOURIST ATTRACTIONS NEAR CUHP



● **MAA JAWALA JI MANDIR, JAWALAJI**



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● **MAA CHINTPURNI MANDIR, CHINTPURNI**



● **MAA BAJESHWARI DEVI MANDIR, KANGRA**



● **MAA CHAMUNDA DEVI MANDIR CHAMUNDA**



# REGISTRATION FORM



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- 1.Name (IN BLOCK LETTERS):.....
- 2.Name & Address of the University/College/Institute: .....
- 3.District & State: .....
- 4.Name of the Department: .....
- 5.M.Phil/PhD Registration date: .....
- 6.Title of your M.Phil/Ph.D. research work (if finalized):.....
- 7.Stage of Research work: .....
- 8.Highest Academic Qualification: .....
9. Email Id: .....
10. Mobile No.: .....
11. Have you attended any research methodology course earlier (Yes or No)?.....  
If yes, Mention Date and Place:.....
12. Address for Communication:.....
13. Accommodation required (Yes / No):.....  
(Applicable to the outstation candidates only)

**“All the information provided above is true to the best of my knowledge and if found incorrect/  
misleading then appropriate action can be taken accordingly.”**

**Signature of Supervisor/HOD**  
(With Stamp)

Place:  
Date:

**Signature of Participant**

(Note: Please fill in all the details and upload a scanned copy of this form in the  
<https://forms.gle/WRKPC6RTnrFHpaF36>

**Google Link**

The hard copies should be submitted at the time of reporting for the workshop. For any query, **please  
Contact :- Mr Lalit Kumar:- 6230614611, Khem Raj Sharama :- 8219432521 .**

\*Merely registering for the course doesn't guarantee your participation. List of selected candidates  
will be communicated by:- **20<sup>th</sup> December, 2024**