

About Children's University

The Conception of the Children's University was first revealed by the then Honorable chief Minister of Gujarat and present **Hon. Prime Minister Shri Narendraabhai Modi**, while emphasizing this he explained the urgent need of the University that may specifically be made for the growth and development of the coming generations. Apart from this, as He pointed out, the prime focus of this institution would be to avail the path-breaking researches dealing with the children's studies. The prime aim is holistic development of child based on Indian thinking and spirituality which covers whole life span of human that is conception to adulthood (-9 months to 18 years) which make this university very unique, novel and path breaking from all other conventional universities. This is very proud feeling matter for the government of Gujarat to work in the area of child development in very different way.

About Seminar

The future world of learning is one where the forces of globalization, pervasive technology and innovation demands in the learning environment combine to form a dynamic setting that is both challenging and difficult for educational leaders. Together with the changes, new expectations have knocked on our doors. The first aim of our education was Holistic Development of a child, Father of nation, Mahatma Gandhi once said "By education I mean all round drawing out of the best in child and body, mind and spirit". It is quite apparent that all round development is like a day dream, because the current system is not developing all round ability in the child. All the issues and challenges did not rise in a dully, they took a long period. If we look back in ancient time, India was on the top in education and knowledge. This was the country in which students used to come from all over the world to acquire the knowledge and education. No country of the world was even near to it. In 21st century, we live in an interconnected world where globalization, Information Communication Technology (ICT) and knowledge explosion have shrunk the world into a global village. Education, ICT, innovation and science technology are the main pillars of knowledge society. Technology is shaking the world. With all these expansion, we are now entering in new Era of Information and Technology after Covid-19.

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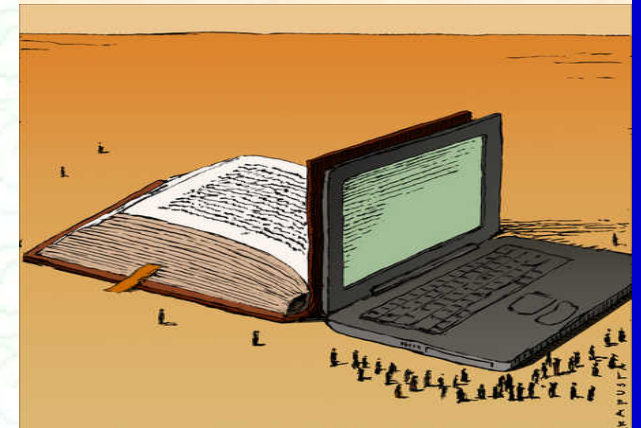
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CHILDREN'S UNIVERSITY



Online National Seminar

Education in Information Era: Concerns, Challenges and Innovations



Organized By

Department of Education,
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On

20-21 March, 2021

(Saturday-Sunday)

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Dear Sir/Madam

We feel honor in inviting you to Two-day National Seminar to be held on March 20-21, 2021 on "Education in Information Era: Concerns, Challenges and Innovations". Grace the occasion by your scholarly presence.

About Department of Education

Children's University is committed for the development of every child right from the womb of the mother teen age. The aim of Children's University is to promote academic excellence and provide opportunities for the holistic development. To fulfill this main aim the university has established Department of Education in the year 2016 by offering M.Phil. and Ph.D. programs. The faculties appointed in the department have encouraged learner centric teaching, learning and research activities to shape up the department with their sincere efforts. The department is practicing various learning centric tasks like workshops, seminars and field works, field visits as part of our curriculum. The department is experimenting new pedagogy like ICT based teaching, team teaching, blended learning, cooperative learning, project based learning etc. to stand with the current trends and innovations.

The motto of the department is to provide man-making education that can fulfill current needs of society and nation at large. Main focus of our curriculum is the holistic development of students. Thrust areas of our curriculum development are:

- Strong foundation of Bhartiya Thinking
- Blended mode of ancient and Modern trends
- Holistic development of a human from childhood to adulthood

The department is always active in organizing co-curricular activities, celebrating national and cultural festivals and days and fostering engagement of its students for their participation in several local, regional and national level competitions to provide them opportunities for overall development according to their skills, interest and aptitude.

To enhance the research activities in the society, the department promotes students for M.Phil. and Ph.D degree. The department encourages students to be engaged in research activities like seminar participation, research paper writing and its presentation, attempting JRF/NET and GSET examination from PG level.

Theme of Seminar

Education in Information Era: Concerns, Challenges and Innovations

Sub – themes

- Theory and Practice of Education and Teacher Education
- Teaching Materials and Courseware Construction
- Education and Research Management
- Educational Measurement and Evaluation
- Pedagogical Issues and Challenges
- Curriculum, Research and Development
- Early Childhood Education and Holistic Education
- Comparison of Child Education in Different Countries
- Educational Administration, Policy and Leadership
- Value Education
- Teacher Education and National Education Policy-2020
- Adult and Continuing Education in Information Era
- E-learning and M-Learning
- Online and On demand Examination and Exam Reforms
- Inclusive and Multicultural Education
- Pre School (Shishu Vatika) Teacher Education Programmes
- Reflective and Critical Thinking in Education
- Alternatives and Emerging Perspectives on CPD for Teachers and Teacher Educators
- Integration of ICT in Education and Teacher Education
- Integrated Teacher Education Programme (ITEP)
- Professional Standards, Ethics and Teacher Assessment

Call for Papers

Thematic/Research Papers relevant to the given Themes and Sub-Themes are invited for Presentation. Paper Presenters are requested to send their full length Papers in 2000-3000 words along with abstracts in about 200-250 words, latest by **14th March, 2021** to seminarcuedu@gmail.com.

The abstract and the paper must be in MS Word format. The award of Best Paper Presenter will be declared and awarded in the Valedictory Ceremony. **Selected papers will be published in ISSN journal or ISBN Book.**

Registration Fee & Mode of Payment

Last Day for registration– 14th March, 2021

Academician/Teachers INR 300
Research Scholar/Students INR 300

Registration Fees can be paid by online transfer while doing online registration. **The payment slip must be sent along with mail while sending your paper.**

Registration Link

<https://www.seminar.cugujarat.ac.in/>

Format for paper writing

Following are the instructions regarding the format of the paper that is to be submitted:

- MS-word version 2003 or higher
- Margin- Left- 1.5" Right- 1" Top- 1" & Bottom- 1"
- Paper-A4, Line spacing 1.5, Alignment justified
- Font: Times New Roman, Font Size:- 12
- Title of the Paper should be in central alignment, author's name, designation and name of the institutions should be in right alignment below the title of the paper.
- References should be given in **APA style**.
- Language: English/Gujarati/Hindi
- Font for Hindi Language: Mangal
- Font for Gujarati Language: Shruti
- **No hand written paper will be accepted.**

E-certificate will be provided to participant on successful completion of seminar.

TARGET GROUP

Teacher Educators, teachers and research scholars in filed of education will be considered as the participants of this workshop. Number of participants will be 100.