



प्रशिक्षणं स्याच्च सदा प्रयुक्तं
संज्ञानकौशल्यविकासहेतौ ।

National Conference on Indian Knowledge System for **ELEVATING LEARNING** (*Urdhvagami Adhyayan*)

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Organised by

Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Open University, Ahmedabad
School of Education, Distance Education and Educational Technology (SoE)

In Association with

Bharatiya Shikshan Mandal || **Global Educational Research Association**

Venue

Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Open University,
'Jyotirmay' Parisar, Sarkhej-Gandhinagar
Highway, Chharodi, Ahmedabad, Gujarat - 382 481.

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Concept Note

'Naya Bharat' is a thriving combination of our rich ancient heritage and promising innovative abilities. What is required is that people in the so called 'mainstream' need an appropriate view of this invaluable combination. This can be achieved if educationists and scholars of Indian scientific community, our philosophy, psychology, language and literature, art and architecture come together to contribute to the deliberations by establishing the contemporary relevance of their thought. We have conceptualized education as the process of 'elevating human consciousness', a process that is holistic in the sense that it embraces all aspects of life, and leads the human being to a life directed towards 'Sat, Chit, Anand'.

This concept of education requires a curriculum embedded in a sublime vision of life. It requires a pedagogy that can unleash great energy to lift up learning.

Hence, the sub themes of 'Elevating Learning' are focused on the following fundamental aspects:

1. Profound Understanding of Heritage: Can you interpret the ancient and yet 'Sanatan' tradition of Indian Knowledge Systems in the context of 'Naya Bharat'? If you can visualize how our learners can find fulfilment in the contemporary socio-cultural and techno-scientific context, you are welcome to contribute it in this conference.

2. Innovative Approach: Imaginative and brilliant ideas germinate the best of the seeds of learning. Do you have any creative-innovative ideas of a model or a method? What is its strength in elevating learning? How can it be made workable in a classroom situation? What are the principles or foundations of learning that support these ideas? Present a theoretically sound and coherent idea – it will help in generating lot of hypotheses and classroom activities to elevate learning. And if you are an entrepreneur of learning, if you have the vision for developing classroom tasks and activities, come and contribute to the discussion

3. Individual / Group Projects: Write about your own experiments with learning, describe them, present pros and cons and be an authentic voice of elevating learning. Each one of us can shape up interesting, novel, pedagogically significant practices and share them with our international fraternity.

Sub-themes

This vibrant discourse can be organized along the following sub-themes:

1. Holistic Approach for Elevating Learning
2. Parents Participation and local wisdom/resources
3. Integration of the I K S in the School / Teacher Education
4. 'Acharya' as a 'Prabuddha' Leader
5. Governance / Management of Elevating Education
6. Teacher Education – Bharatiya Pariprekshya
7. Special Education for Differently Abled Individuals
8. Co-curricular activities in 'Bharatiya' Pariprekshya
9. Research for Elevating Teacher Education
10. Inclusive Education
11. ICT and AI Enabled Learning Beyond Classrooms

Call for Papers

The papers will be allowed to be presented in parallel sessions. A panel of renowned educationists will screen all the papers and recommend some for publication in the peer reviewed journal. Participants are requested to submit their abstract (100 words) and papers (1000 to 1500 words) on or before **28th February, 2025, PDF and Word file** soft copy must be sent to office.soe@baou.edu.in

Languages : English / Hindi /Gujarati/ Sanskrit (in unicode fonts)

Format for Papers

Paper Size : A4, Line Spacing : 1.5, Margin : 1" Top and Bottom, 1.5" Left justified, Font : Times New Roman, unicode fonts, Size : 14 for Title, 12 for Text, Style Sheet : APA (www.apa.org)

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Important Dates

Submission of Abstract with registration : 24-02-2025

Submission of the paper : 28-02-2025

Online Registration

For Participants : ₹ 500

For Paper Presenters : ₹ 600

NO SPOT REGISTRATION

Participation in the conference will be through online registration. Please follow these steps for online registration:

- (1) Touch/ scan the QR Code or Click the link given below for the registration.
- (2) Fill up the Registration Form.
- (3) Pay the Registration fee using the secured payment gateway.
- (4) Final submit the online Registration Form.
- (5) Registration fee for all the members who are associated with the *Conference namely, PRASHIKSHAN* is mandatory. No TA/DA will be paid. The fee receipt will be given at the time of registration at the venue.

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**Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar
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The Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Open University (BAOU) was established by the Act No.14 of 1994 passed by the Gujarat State Legislature on 13th April, 1994, and assented to by the Governor of Gujarat on 27th July, 1994. The BAOU is the seventh Open University in the country in terms of their establishment. The University offers 80+ programmes with an enrolment of more than 8,00,000+ learners.

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Advance and disseminate learning and knowledge by a diversity of means, including use of any communication technology,

Provide opportunities for higher education to a large segment of the population,

Promote the educational well-being of the community generally, and * Encourage the Open University and distance education system in the education pattern of the State

Vision of the University : To elevate the access of education, to improve the quality of education; to reach the unreached by creating learner-centric environment; to provide life-long learning opportunities and skill up-gradation to all learners using innovative technologies and methodologies.

Mission of the University : Educating and empowering the last mile learners, enabling them to compete with the global world by equipping them with the upright combination of knowledge, skills, employability and values for serving society. The mission of the university is "Education for all". The university strives for excellence by developing an innovative, flexible and open system of education using the latest methods and technologies.

Prof.(Dr.) Ami Upadhyay, Hon. Vice-Chancellor and her team are leading the university to meet the challenges of distance education, and fulfil the objectives of the university.

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Bharatiya Shikshan Mandal

Concept : Bharat, the pioneer of the earliest educational system of the world where such luminaries as Bharadwaja, Kashyap and Agatsya led the path; India, which was home to global universities like Takshashila and Nalanda, is today, even after decades of independence, suffering the crushing load of Macaulayan system of education that was conceived to keep her tightly bound in the shackles of mental slavery.

Objectives : Bharatiya Shikshan Mandal was established to reorient the present education system of India in the light of the values of Indian culture, so that each student turns out to be a worthy citizen inspired by values like national integration, nobility of thought and character, spiritual elevation, dignity of labour, disciplined life, social harmony, humane sensibility and nationalistic fervor; and for this purpose it strives to initiate a campaign among students, teachers, parents, educationists, thinkers and enlightened intellectuals who can bring about an awakening in the whole society.

Seven point campaign

1. Historical inconsistencies prevailing in the history and other disciplines be removed and the teaching of history be based on the concept of Indianness.
2. The entire history of the freedom struggle of India, starting with the earliest aggression of the Greek Emperor Alexander, about 2500 years ago, be introduced in the curriculum.
3. The achievements and great traditions of India in Science, literature and Fine Arts be included in the curriculum.
4. The eternal Indian values be established in the curriculum at all levels of education.
5. The provisions that divide the Indian society, in minorities and other groups be removed from the legal system and the Constitution of India.
6. Sanskrit language is the perennial source of Indian culture. Therefore Sanskrit be introduced as an integral part of the education system.
7. Indian society to be propelled on the road to self-reliance, power and prosperity, *Swadeshi* approach be developed through the medium of education.

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Global Educational Research Association



GLOBAL EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH ASSOCIATION (GERA) has been founded on 12 November 2010. The vision of an Education Research Association is to create a world where educational practices and policies are continuously informed by high-quality, evidence-based research, leading to enhanced learning outcomes, equitable access to education, and the overall improvement of education systems globally. ERAs aim to be a driving force for positive change in education, ensuring that research plays a central role in shaping the future of education.

Here are key elements that typically define the vision of an GERA:

Informed Educational Practice: A future where educational practices at all levels are guided by cutting-edge, research-driven insights that maximize learning outcomes for all students.

Equity and Inclusion: A vision where education is universally accessible and equitable, with research addressing barriers to learning and advocating for inclusive, diverse educational environments that serve all learners, regardless of background.

Global Collaboration: An interconnected global network of researchers, educators, and policymakers who collaborate across borders to tackle universal educational challenges and share innovative solutions.

The mission of an Education Research Association (GERA) is to advance the understanding, practice, and policies of education through the promotion and dissemination of high-quality research. ERAs aim to connect researchers, educators, and policymakers to foster a deeper understanding of educational issues, improve teaching and learning practices, and influence educational reforms at all levels.

Here are some core components of the mission:

Promote Educational Research: Encourage rigorous, evidence-based research that contributes to the growth of knowledge in education, helping to improve teaching strategies, curriculum development, and student outcomes.

Foster Collaboration: Provide a platform for researchers, educators, and practitioners to collaborate, exchange ideas, and share insights that lead to innovative educational practices and solutions.

Support Professional Development: Offer resources, training, and opportunities to enhance the skills of educators and researchers, helping them to stay current with new research, methodologies, and educational trends.

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