

**REPORT ON THE ONE DAY SEMINAR ON “WRITING EFFECTIVE RESEARCH  
PAPERS AND RESEARCH PROPOSALS” HELD ON 4<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY, 2020**

One day Seminar on ‘**Writing Effective Research Papers and Research Proposals**’ was organized at Vinayaka Missions Research Foundation (Deemed to be University) on 4<sup>th</sup> January, 2020 at VMKV Medical College and hospitals. The primary aim of organizing this seminar was to familiarize with writing effective research papers in the SCI indexed Journals and to familiarize to write effective research proposals based on the requirements of different funding agencies. The program was aimed to promote research among the faculty members exclusively for the research students who got registered from the year 2017 in all disciplines offered by VRMF-DU.

Prof. MilindBhutkar, Dean, VMKV Medical College welcomed all the dignitaries and delegates of the one day seminar. Prof. P.K Sudhir Vice Chancellor VMRF-DU delivered the presidential address and briefed about the importance of publication and encouraged all delegates to their active participation. Prof. Sudhir emphasized that writing the quality papers helps advancing knowledge and encouraging communication. Resource person Prof. Albert Alexandar, Professor from Kongu Engineering College, Perundurai and Prof. Kannan, Medical Superintendent, VMKV Medical College, Salem and other faculty members were also present. Dr.S.Suriyanarayanan, Deputy Director proposed the vote of thanks.

Session was started with the topic Writing Effective Research Papers for SCI Journals. During the session Prof. Alexandar explained about research methodology, selection of a journal , structure of a journal, language issues, presentation of results and discussion, tools for quality

improvement. During the session he explained the method of writing with examples of sample exercises. He also briefed about how to avoid plagiarism during the paper writing process.

The second session was ‘Writing Effective Research Proposals for Funding Agencies’ delivered by Prof. Albert Alexandar . During the session he explained about the importance of funding and challenges in the process of acquiring grants for sponsored research. He also explained about list of funding agencies, selection of funding agency, writing a effective proposal , salient point to remember when write a proposal. The topic was discussed with a sample exercises for the effective grant proposal to various funding schemes including bilateral projects.

The target audiences were registered Ph.D. students from the batch 2017 to till date. 220 participants from various disciplines were registered for the seminar. Faculty members are also participated during the seminar.

Both the sessions were very interactive and received well with the participants. Participation certificates were distributed to all the participants.



Glimpses of One Day Seminar on “Writing Effective Research Paper and Research Proposals” held on 4<sup>th</sup> January, 2020.

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