



# **TEACHING LEARNING CENTRE RAMANUJAN COLLEGE**

**(Accredited Grade 'A' by NAAC)**

**UNIVERSITY OF DELHI**



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## **MINISTRY OF EDUCATION**

**PANDIT MADAN MOHAN MALAVIYA NATIONAL  
MISSION ON TEACHERS AND TEACHING**

is organising an

## **INTERDISCIPLINARY TWO WEEK ONLINE REFRESHER COURSE**

**On the theme**

## **FEMINIST TEACHING & RESEARCH IN HIGHER EDUCATION: THEORY AND PRACTICE**

**उच्च शिक्षा में स्त्रीवादी शिक्षण और शोध :  
सैद्धांतिक एवं व्यावहारिक पक्ष**

**23 JULY - 06 AUGUST 2021**

**CALL FOR REGISTRATION &  
PARTICIPATION**

# TEACHING LEARNING CENTRE, RAMANUJAN COLLEGE

Teaching Learning Centre is mandated by the Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD) to organise Faculty Development Programmes (FDPs), Faculty Orientation and Induction Programmes (FIPs), discipline specific and interdisciplinary Refresher Courses, conferences, workshops, through offline and online modes. These programmes are based on in-depth subject knowledge, quantitative and qualitative research methodologies, and on an interdisciplinary approach as is envisaged in the National Education Policy (NEP), 2020.

The TLC, Ramanujan College has been set up with the aim of Reaching the Unreached teachers in terms of regional diversity and geographically remote areas of the country. It has successfully conducted more than hundred learner-centric programmes since October 2017 and trained over one lakh teachers across the country in various discipline specific and interdisciplinary programmes.

In the TLC Programmes distinguished and internationally acclaimed resource persons deliver lectures and conduct sessions on wide ranging disciplines/topics of relevance in the contemporary and ever evolving global scenario to benefit the teaching fraternity, corporates and researchers. The sessions are also uploaded for larger audiences on the official YouTube Channel of the College.

Ramanujan College is a pioneer in offering offline/online courses for faculty members of higher education institutions and research scholars through the customised Learning Management System (LMS), designed by the College's Research Development and Services Cell. It is predominantly participant-friendly and incorporates evaluation methods and comprehensive feedback systems to judge learning outcomes. The LMS is hosted on CLOUD with high scalability and reliability. The College has installed its own Cloud Infrastructure to host its servers for research and data analysis.

## **Enrichment Spectrum at the Teaching Learning Centre (TLC), Ramanujan College**

- Transforming teachers into knowledge-creators
- Emphasis on creating self-learning space for participants
- Interaction with eminent scholars and academicians
- Four Quadrant Approach (e-tutorial, e-content, Self-Assessment and Web Resources).
- Regular follow-up with the participants through Google Classroom/ Telegram/ Discussion Forum.
- Adaptation skills for the dynamic contemporary environment
- Augmentation of professional capabilities and research-based knowledge
- Inter and cross-disciplinary methodologies of study
- Co-creation and mutual contribution between participants and facilitators
- Formation of knowledge capital
- Online certificates using the Blockchain Technology to ensure authenticity and verifiability

## **RAMANUJAN COLLEGE**

Ramanujan College is a constituent College of the University of Delhi (DU). It is inspired by the life and work of Srinivasa Aiyangar Ramanujan, one of the world's greatest mathematicians. The College has been accredited Grade "A" by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) in its First Cycle. It is located in the well-known area of Kalkaji, near Nehru Place, in South Delhi.

The College was established in 1958 as an evening college for boys with just five programmes. Since 2010, Ramanujan College has been expanding and now with the latest addition of B.Sc. Environmental Sciences (Hons) in 2020, it at present offers sixteen undergraduate

programmes in different disciplines. This achievement, in alignment to the recommendations of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, makes the College a centre for interdisciplinary studies and research with a future focus on blended learning. It has gradually grown into a self-sufficient and self-reliant institution owing to its academic vigour and intellectual capital.

Ramanujan College was awarded the Deen Dayal Upadhyay – Knowledge Acquisition and Upgradation of Skilled Human Abilities and Livelihood (DDU KAUSHAL) Kendra in 2016 by the UGC, under which two vocational courses were started in Banking Operations and Software Development.

The College has conducted a Course on Human Rights, Environment and Ethics through its National Resource Centre (NRC), under the Annual Refresher Programme in Teaching (ARPIT) scheme of Ministry of Education (MoE). This Course was uploaded on MoE's Massive Open Online Course (MOOC) platform SWAYAM and many participants registered for it.

Ramanujan College offers various short-term diploma, certificate, and executive development programmes on contemporary and skill-oriented themes. These are conceived and designed by faculty members in consultation with external experts. The courses get exceptional response from the students and are conducted throughout the academic session. They are open to alumni and students of all the colleges. Some of these courses support the curriculum, some prepare the students for higher studies and also accelerate the professional growth.



The College is the Study Centre of School of Open Learning (SOL), Non-Collegiate Women Education Board (NCWEB) and Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU) for various courses. As an initiative towards students and teachers exchange programmes, the College has entered into Memorandum of Understanding(s) with foreign universities. It is also working for collaboration with other higher education institutions located in remote areas of the country, under the Vidya Vistar Scheme of the University of Delhi.

The prestigious Teaching Learning Centre was awarded to Ramanujan College in 2017 by the Ministry of Education, under the Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teachers and Teaching (PMMMNTT) scheme.

In pursuit of its vision: “Discover, Empower, Transform: Building A Better World”, Ramanujan College is today perceived as one of the best colleges in the country.

## CONCEPT NOTE

Generally, the term ‘feminism’ is used to describe a political, cultural, and economic movement aimed at establishing gender justice, equality, and legal rights & protection for the vulnerable section of society. Feminists around the world radically and strongly raise voice(s) and question against all kinds of oppressions and injustices. They have attempted to change and alter the pervasive predominant perspectives towards stereotypes tradition and boundless modernity in order to create a healthy, egalitarian, and progressive environment for the betterment and holistic growth of men and women together. Therefore, it is not only significant, but also crucial to engage with such a valuable perspective to enhance the vision towards the world in which we live. Feminism as a discipline has expanded its horizon and is continuously spreading its branches in every field of knowledge that provides us an opportunity to reflect upon our issues and problem uniquely. Feminism has found out fertile ground in higher education where it presents a wider range of interdisciplinary engagements and connectedness in between research &



teaching which involves feminist perspective in a different academic discipline such as, philosophy, literature, arts, social sciences, sciences, commerce, management, etc. Current shift in academics patterns and education policy (NEP) have affected differently to men and women, and feminism has much to contribute to understanding and addressing gender contexts of various disciplines in colleges, universities and educational policies. In doing so, feminism makes use of specific methodologies, pedagogies, and techniques, theories, and practices in order to capture the essence of the subject to utilize it for further future research and teaching. With that in our mind, we are organizing two weeks online refresher course for faculties, scholars and a person who is curious to enhance their knowledge in feminism world. The purpose of this refresher program is to understand the feminist theories and methodologies in-depth in special reference to the application of the theories and methodology at interdisciplinary platform.

## THEMES

1. Philosophy and gender discourses
2. Dalit literature and women.
3. Women and social work.
4. Role of feminism in commerce and Management
5. Rise of women in sciences and technology
6. Feminist movements and sexual selves
7. Historical and religious dimension of feminism.
8. Feminist theories and methodologies higher education.
9. Feminist pedagogies in teaching
10. Law and women's rights
11. Transsexual and transgender (LGBTQ) Debates
12. मीडिया और स्त्री
13. साहित्य के विविध विमर्शों के केंद्र में स्त्री
14. खेल, स्वास्थ्य और स्त्री
15. विविध कलाओं में स्त्री का योगदान
16. स्त्री चिंतन : दार्शनिक और मनोवैज्ञानिक दृष्टि
17. समाज और राजनीति में स्त्री की भागीदारी
18. व्यावसायिक क्षेत्र में स्त्री की चुनौतियाँ

## EXPECTED LEARNING OUTCOMES

We expect that the refresher program will result in an appreciation of the significance of feminist theories and methodologies in research and teaching. It will be a great learning experience for scholars, teachers, and learners to know feminist theories and methods and their use in various disciplines. We also hope that not only it will result in the opening up of a dialogue between the western and eastern understanding of feminist methods, theories and practices but also provide a platform for further dialogues and discussion in the field of knowledge.

## SESSION DETAILS

It will be a two-week bilingual Refresher Programme on MOOCs platform. Sessions will be dedicated to recorded/live lectures in English as well as in Hindi language on practical and theoretical aspects of feminist theories and methodologies in different subjects, assignments, quizzes, discussions, and final test. On the first and last day, there will be the inaugural and valedictory session.

## REGISTRATION PROCESS & PAYMENT DETAILS

### ELIGIBILITY

Faculties, research scholars, and learners (Philosophy, Literature, Arts, History, Pol-Science, Psychology, Sciences, Commerce, Management, etc.), especially those who are interested in feminist theories and methodologies and their use in another disciplines, should find attending the refresher course a worthwhile experience.

All those who meet the eligibility criterion are required to register and pay a **Non-Refundable fee of INR 1450/- by visiting [rcmoocs.in](http://rcmoocs.in)** (Registration Link)

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE: 22 July 2021**

After successful registration & payment, the participants will receive a confirmation via email. Please keep checking the spam folder of the email as the bulk email sent may end up in the spam folder.

An official group has been made for communication with the participants on "Telegram." You are therefore requested to install the Telegram App either from the Play Store or App Store. The link to join the official group will be provided in the confirmation mail.

### IMPORTANT:

- Registration is mandatory for participation.
- Attempting and submitting all the quizzes and assignments are mandatory, and each participant should score a **minimum of 50% in total** to avail of the programme completion certificate.
- Graded certificates on the basis of performance will be awarded to the participants.
- As part of the Ministry of Education's requirement under the PMMMNMTT scheme, all participants need to submit online feedback for each session.
- Failing to meet any of the above conditions will result in denial of a certificate of completion to the participants.
- **No Objection Certificate (NOC) or Leave is NOT REQUIRED to participate in the Programme**

For more information, write to us at:  
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