



## **Ramanujan College, University of Delhi**

Accredited 'Grade A++' by NAAC

Kalkaji, New Delhi-110019

in collaboration with

**ESG Research Foundation**

(Knowledge partner)

**&**

**INDIAN ACCOUNTING ASSOCIATION, NCR CHAPTER**

launching

**ONLINE TWO MONTHS COURSE**

*on*

**ESG & SUSTAINABILITY LITERACY**

**(22<sup>nd</sup> January, 2024 – 21<sup>st</sup> March, 2024)**

# **About Ramanujan College**

## **(University of Delhi)**

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 Up-gradation 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 an 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 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 collaborate 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.



SRINIVASA RAMANUJAN

22 DECEMBER 1887 - 26 APRIL 1920



## **About Knowledge Partner**

### **ESG Research Foundation**

ESG Research Foundation (ERF) is a not-for-profit organization incorporated in 2021 with the objective of increasing awareness and adoption of the growing importance of the Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) aspects of the business operations, both within public and private sector.

ERF aims to achieve its objective by undertaking projects focused on UN Sustainable Development Goals (e.g., Climate Action, Sustainable Cities & Communities, Zero Hunger, etc.) and wider ESG aspects of business operations (e.g., Circular Economy, Net-zero transition, etc.) and also to work alongside government bodies, Institutions, Organizations, private and public sector businesses and societies to support their transition to more sustainable operations and in-turn enable achievement of India's ESG and climate related goals.

ERF also strives to raise awareness in organizations and communities through webinars, seminars, trainings and lecture meetings, about the importance of ESG and how it can help achieve commercial and operational objectives, whilst creating a positive impact on environment and societies.

#### **ERF: Core Team**

CA. Atul Kumar Gupta, Founder Promoter, Director (President, ICAI, 2020-21)

CA. Deepak Batra, Founder Promoter, Director

CA. Spandan Shah, Director

Mr. Rajesh Kumar Bhalla, CEO (Former Additional Secretary, ICAI)

## **About Indian Accounting Association**

### **NCR Chapter**

The Indian Accounting Association is an interface between academicians, professional and practitioners from various universities, business, industry and government. The main function of IAA is to promote and disseminate the knowledge of accounting and the related subjects in India and abroad. Further, it aims to undertake and encourage research in the field of accounting. Ever since its inception, the IAA has served as an important forum for raising the status of accounting both as a discipline and as an important tool for managerial decision making.

The Association was founded by academicians and professionals in accounting on March 15, 1969, and inaugurated on February 14, 1970 by the Accountant General of Uttar Pradesh. At present, IAA has a network of 57 branches in India with more than 7300 life members, and a Research Foundation as an affiliate at Kolkata.

It has various Chapters. Its **NCR Chapter** with President CA(Dr)Sanjeev Singhal, Vice President Dr Rekha Dayal, Secretary Dr J.L. Gupta and Joint Secretary Prof. Anjali Gupta is a leading chapter contributing to the aim of IAA. In the past it has successfully conducted several National and International - Workshops, Faculty Development Programs and Refresher Courses on topics like-

- Research Tools for Quality Research
- Computerized Accounting Using Tally. ERP 9
- 6 batches of Diploma Course in IFRS
- “Goods and Services Tax”, Direct and Indirect Taxation
- Research Methodology and Teaching Pedagogy
- Accounting Standards
- Financial Accounting and Income Tax
- Multi Variate Data Analysis
- Data Analysis for Research
- Time Series and Panel Data Analysis

## **About The Course**

The Planet is undergoing crisis from climate change, pollution, loss of biodiversity, depletion of resources, disruption of ecological balance. Continuing with unsustainable development, the more severe will be the consequences. It is high time to take action to repair the damages that humanity has done to the planet. It is the responsibility of one and all to inculcate the seed of sustainability among the students being the youth and the future of the nation. Once, the youngsters understand the problem and are empowered to take appropriate actions, they can truly make a difference.

The Ramanujan College in Collaboration with ESG Research Foundation is launching this Course on **ESG and Sustainability Literacy** focusing on the value of fostering and preserving the nature and its resources to protect the planet from further deterioration. The Course has been designed to empower students and teachers with the knowledge and skills needed to create a positive impact on our planet and society. With these skills and materials, the participants will be able to gain an overview of the key issues related to sustainability and adopt sustainable practices in their daily life. This initiative will not only help in saving our mother Earth but also will help the students in building their careers in the field of Sustainability.

### **Course Eligibility and Registration Details**

The Course is open to students of 8th to 12th Standards, Undergraduate and Teachers.

All those interested are requested/required to register and pay the fee of ₹INR 950 only, which is non-refundable.

To register visit this link <https://rcmoocs.in>

After successful registration and payment of fee, the candidates will receive a confirmation on their registered email. Please make sure to also check spam folder.

A group of participants will be created on “telegram” during the course duration. The link to join the official group will be provided in the confirmation mail.

**Last date to register – 21<sup>st</sup> January, 2024**

**Admission on first come, first serve basis. The Right of Admission is reserved**

### **Pre-Requisites for The Course**

- A laptop/desktop/smart phone with internet connectivity
- Pre – installed Zoom application
- Pre – installed Telegram App

## **Topics of the Course**

- Current Threats - Global Warming, Climate Change, Air Pollution, Depletion of Resources
- Introduction to ESG (Environmental, Social and Governance) - Key Ingredients
- Global Goals- SDGs (Sustainable Development Goals)
- Carbon Footprint and Greenhouse Gases
- Scope 1, 2 and 3 Emissions; Reduce Emissions from your daily activities.
- Biodiversity Protection for Healthy Ecosystem
- Improved Quality of Life - Health and well being
- Individual's responsibility in environmental conservation- Reduce, Reuse, Recycle, Afforestation etc.
- Waste and Water Management
- Benefits of ESG
- How ESG Creates Value for Businesses
- Future Prospects-Career Opportunities

## **Aims & Objectives**

- ✓ The Course aims to educate and increase awareness of various environmental and social challenges that the world is facing today and their implications on the businesses and the society at large.
- ✓ The main objective of this Course is to empower students and teachers with the knowledge and skills needed to create a positive impact on our planet and society.
- ✓ The Course also introduces the academic approach of Sustainability and explores how today's human societies can endure in the face of global change, ecosystem degradation and resource limitations.
- ✓ Participants will be able to learn and understand core concepts of ESG and Sustainability, including Climate Change and ethical Business practices.
- ✓ Participants will be better equipped to reduce their Carbon Footprint, Promote conservation and advocate for eco- friendly practices.

## **Course Features**

- Course Duration – 20 hours- From Anywhere, anytime.
- 4 hours of Online Recorded Lectures
- 4 Hours of LIVE Doubt Clearing Classes (Alternate Weekends)
- Study Material (12 hours Duration)
- Quality content at minimal/affordable prices
- Award of Certificate on Successful Completion


## Assessment and Certification

There will be periodic assessments in the form of quizzes, followed by a final assessment at the end of the course.

The participants must fulfil the below criteria to get the E-Certificate:

- 100% assignments/quiz submission
- 50% marks should be scored in the quizzes.
- 50% marks in final assessment which is mandatory for award of Certificate.

## Sample Certificate




**Ramanujan College**  
University of Delhi

This is to certify that

**Mr. \_\_\_\_\_**

has successfully completed online two months certificate course on  
**“ESG & Sustainability Literacy Program”**  
(in collaboration with ESG Research Foundation and Indian Accounting Association - NCR Chapter)  
from 22<sup>nd</sup> December, 2023 – 21<sup>st</sup> February, 2024 and obtained  
Grade ...



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Member, University Court and  
Finance Committee, University of Delhi,  
Secretary, IAA NCR Chapter

  
Mr. Rajesh Kr. Bhalla  
CEO  
ESG Research Foundation



## **Important Information**

1. Registration is mandatory for participation
2. Attempting and submitting all the quizzes is mandatory and each participant should score at least 50 % aggregate to be eligible for the course completion and award of Certificate.
3. Certificates mentioning grades secured on the basis of performance will be awarded.
4. There is No requirement for submission of NOC (No Objection Certificate) or approval of leave sanctioned for participation in the programme/Course.
5. Failure to meet any of the above conditions/requirements will result in cancellation of the course registration/withholding/ denial of the completion certificate.

## **Organising Team**

### **Patron**

**Prof. S.P. Aggarwal**, Principal, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi

### **Course Coordinators**

**Dr. Rajiv Nayan**, Assistant Professor, 9868342405, Ramanujan College, DU

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### **ESG Research Foundation - Knowledge Partner**

Query Related to Course Content

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