

About Us:

Srinivas Institute of Management Studies, established in 1999 under the aegis of A. Shama Rao Foundation, is a premier education institution imparting innovative and quality education to youth in areas of Business Management, Commerce, Social work and Computer Applications, affiliated to Mangalore University and approved by AICTE, New Delhi. The Institute is accredited with 'A Grade' by National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC). Keeping pace with the emerging challenges, the College is imparting students and faculty with skills knowledge and necessary for success in a dynamic educational scenario and employment market. The campus is located at Pandeshwar, the heart of downtown Mangalore, the business and financial centre of Western Karnataka.

About the Conference:

Higher education in India particularly is institutionalized, characterized by higher concentration of importance and leadership for teachers and lesser degree of autonomy for the students who are the recipients of the knowledge. This has been a stumbling blocking to learning among the younger generation in the context of changing student expectation over time, given the advancement in communication technology, changes in social and family setup and more orientation for free learning. This calls for a need to reorient the pedagogy so as to shift the focus to more student-centric learning. Curriculum design and development assumes important to transform students from passive learning to active learning. We are hosting a national seminar on “Curriculum Design and Development for Student-Centric Learning” to be held at our college on 25-26 March 2016 is aimed towards the following:

- To examine the present curriculum practices in relation to pro-student orientation
- To assess the extent of goal attainment in learning through conventional curriculum design.
- To explore the relevance of innovative curriculum design.
- Exploring ways and means of ensuring student-centric learning through curriculum development.
- Evolving more student-centric best practices which could be incorporated in curriculum..
- Evaluating challenges in student-centric learning in higher education.

Papers presented in this seminar and discussions that follow will definitely add a new dimension to our perception of our curriculum design and student-centric learning.

Target Audience:

This conference is mainly intended for faculty members and research scholars in Management, Commerce, Computer Science, Education, Social Work, Sociology, Economics and other Social Sciences. The educationalists, consultants, policy makers and other professionals are also invited for their participation and presentation of their views on the Theme.

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Important Dates:

Last Date for submission of full paper	8th January, 2016
Intimation of Paper Acceptance	22nd January, 2016
Last Date for Registration	20th February, 2016
Conference Date	25-26th March, 2016