17th ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE
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in collaboration with

School of Humanities and Social Sciences
Indian Institute of Technology Mandi (HP)

THEME:
Health, Gender and Development:
Emerging Issues and Challenges

Conference: 8-10 December 2019

Tenth Pre-Conference Workshop on
“Research methods in Social Sciences”
5-7 December 2019

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CONFERENCE THEME

Health, Gender and Development: Emerging Issues and Challenges

SUB THEMES:

ST1. Health, Gender and Well-being
ST2. Health Programmes and Development Policies
ST3. Health, Environment and Management
ST4. Health Care, Technology and Development

TECHNICAL SESSIONS:

ST1. Health, Gender and Well-being
   T01. Social and economic determinants of health
   T02. Health and epidemiological transition
   T03. Family, health and wellness
   T04. Reproductive and child health
   T05. Ageing, health and well-being
   T06. Gender, health and sustainable development
   T07. Health, gender and violence
   T08. Gender dimensions of health care and human rights

ST2. Health Programmes and Development Policies
   T09. Health financing and gender budgeting
   T10. Universal health coverage and insurance
   T11. Health care systems and management
   T12. Health Inequalities in India
   T13. National Health Mission: Areas and Action
   T14. Population, health and development
   T15. Food and nutrition security
   T16. National Health Policy-2017 and SDGs

ST3. Health, Environment and Management
   T17. Environmental threats to health and wellness
   T18. Decentralization and health care systems
   T19. Health infrastructure and regional disparities
   T20. Environmental threats to health and wellness
   T21. Emerging demographic and health challenges
   T22. Climate change and health conditions
   T23. Health, environment and technology
   T24. Public health, water and sanitation
   T25. Migration and health linkages
ST4. Health Care, Technology and Development

T26. Health care, technology and human rights
T27. Health information technology
T28. Global public health development and sustainability
T29. Vaccine and immunization: quality and safety
T30. Corporate social responsibility (CSR) and health
T31. Drug delivery systems and designs
T32. Media influences on health risk behaviors

Call for Abstracts:

Abstracts (maximum 300 words) are invited on topics relevant to the technical themes from scholars who want to present papers at the conference. You must submit the abstract online at: http://www.iassh.org/onlineabstract.aspx

Topics Covered in the Pre-Conference Workshop

Introduction to Social Science Research, Selection of Research Problem, Approaches in Quantitative and Qualitative Research, Methods of Collection of Qualitative and Quantitative Data, Development of Tools, Data Analysis using SPSS and Atlas-ti, Writing Research Proposal, Thesis writing, Presentation Skills, Ethics in Social Sciences Research.

Youth Best Paper / Poster Awards:

An Expert Committee will select best research papers from young scholars (less than 30 years of age). These should be single authored research papers. Interested young scholars are encouraged to submit their abstracts online for the competition by mentioning “For Young Scholars Research Paper Award”. There will be “Best Poster Awards” in the category of poster presentations. Oral presentation will be allotted 15 minutes time.

Memorial Lectures

IASSH has instituted a memorial lecture in honour of Prof. John Caldwell, doyen of Demography, who passed away in 2016. The fourth Prof. John Caldwell Memorial Lecture will be held during the conference. In honour of late Prof. K.E.Vaidyanathan, a distinguished demographer and former President of the Association, the sixth Prof. K.E.Vaidyanathan Memorial Lecture will also be held during the annual conference.
IMPORTANT DATES:

Last Date for Receiving Abstracts online: Sept 30, 2019
Intimation about Acceptance of Abstracts & Travel Grant: Oct. 15, 2019
Payment of Conference and Workshop Registration Fee: Oct. 30, 2019
Submission of Full paper: Nov. 20, 2019
Conference: Dec. 8-10, 2019

Travel Grant

Travel Grant may be awarded to paper presenters of few selected abstracts which include to and fro rail fare. All participants are requested to explore the possibility of obtaining TA/DA from their organizations, which will facilitate participation of more young scholars. Decisions regarding the award of travel grants rest with the review committee and depends upon the availability of funds. Local hospitality will be provided to registered paper presenters of selected abstracts.

Registration Fees (Non-Refundable):

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Note: Preference will be given to M.Phil / Ph.D scholars in the pre-conference workshop.
** Efforts will be made to accommodate the accompanying person(s) if participants register well in advance.
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