



## 12-Day Capacity Building Programme on Innovative Teaching and Advanced Research

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## About the University

Nagaland University, the 13th Central University and the only Central University in Nagaland, was established through an Act of Parliament of India and received the assent of the President of India on October 20, 1989, as *The Nagaland University Act 1989 (No. 35 of 1989)*. The university formally came into existence on September 6, 1994, and has jurisdiction over the entire state of Nagaland.

Currently, the university operates across three campuses:

1. The headquarters at Lumami in Zunheboto district.
2. Kohima Campus at Meriema in Kohima district.
3. Medziphema Campus (School of Agricultural Sciences and Rural Development) in Dimapur district.

Nagaland University has 44 departments offering undergraduate, postgraduate, and Ph.D. programs across various disciplines, including Arts, Commerce, Sciences, Agricultural Sciences, Engineering & Technology, and Management. The university is affiliated with 69 colleges throughout Nagaland.

## About the Department

The **Department of Teacher Education, Nagaland University (Kohima Campus)**, is a premier centre for advanced studies in education with a commitment to excellence in teaching, research, and capacity building. The department offers M.Ed. and Ph.D. programmes and is actively engaged in preparing competent teacher educators and researchers who contribute meaningfully to the academic and societal landscape. With a focus on innovation, critical inquiry, and the integration of **Indian Knowledge Systems and NEP 2020 reforms**, the department regularly organizes workshops, training programmes, and national seminars. Through its dedicated faculty and vibrant research culture, the department strives to nurture educators as reflective practitioners, researchers, and leaders in the field of education. Currently, the department has more than 50 students enrolled in its Ph.D. program, while the M.Ed. program has an intake capacity of 50 students (one unit).

## About the Programme

The **12-Day Capacity Building Programme (CBP) on “Empowering Educators: Innovative Teaching and Advanced Research”**, sponsored by ICSSR, is designed to enhance the professional competence of faculty members in higher education. Scheduled from **8th to 19th September 2025**, the programme will focus on innovative pedagogical practices, advanced research methodologies, integration of technology, and interdisciplinary collaboration. In line with the vision of **NEP 2020**, it seeks to foster a strong research culture and enable educators to address contemporary societal challenges through education and research.

## Objectives

1. Enhancing Teaching Competence through innovative pedagogies
2. Building Research Capabilities with training in methodologies and academic writing
3. Integrating Technology in teaching and research practices
4. Promoting Interdisciplinary Collaboration across diverse fields
5. Fostering a Research-Oriented Culture with ethics and evidence-based practices
6. Addressing Societal Challenges by aligning with NEP 2020 and SDGs

## **Themes/Topics**

### **Theme 1: Innovative Pedagogical Practices**

1. Learner-Centered Approaches: Problem-Based, Inquiry-Based, and Flipped Classrooms
2. Experiential Learning: Simulations, Case Studies, and Fieldwork
3. Inclusive Education Strategies for Diverse Learners

### **Theme 2: Advanced Research Methodologies**

4. Designing Effective Research Studies: From Problem to Research Questions
5. Data Collection Methods: Surveys, Interviews, Observations
6. Data Analysis Techniques: Regression, Factor Analysis, SEM, etc.
7. Academic Writing Skills: Structuring Papers, Reviews, and Referencing
8. Publishing Research: Selecting Journals, Manuscript Preparation, and Responding to Reviewers

### **Theme 3: Integration of Technology in Teaching & Research**

9. Digital Tools for Teaching: LMS, Virtual Classrooms, and Educational Apps
10. Using Technology in Research: Data Analysis Software and Project Management Tools
11. Ethical Considerations in Digital Education and Research

### **Theme 4: Interdisciplinary & Collaborative Research**

12. Building and Managing Interdisciplinary Research Teams
13. Designing and Conducting Interdisciplinary Research
14. Writing and Publishing Interdisciplinary Research

### **Theme 5: Promoting Research Excellence & Research Culture**

15. Creating a Research-Oriented Academic Culture
16. Mentoring Junior Researchers: Best Practices
17. Building Research Networks, Collaborations, and Consortia

### **Theme 6: Addressing Societal Challenges through Education & Research**

18. Aligning Teaching and Research with NEP 2020 and SDGs
19. Conducting Research on Societal Challenges: Inequality, Sustainability, and Justice
20. Disseminating Research Findings for Social Impact: Policy Briefs, Media, and Community Engagement

## **Requirements for Participation in the Programme**

Participants must have a laptop with a reliable internet connection and sufficient data.

## **Duration and Venue**

The workshop is scheduled to be held online from September 8<sup>th</sup> to September 19<sup>th</sup>, 2025, and will be organized by the Department of Teacher Education, Kohima Campus, Nagaland University.

## **Timings**

- 10AM to 4 PM

## Who Can Attend?

Higher Education faculty Members in the fields of Social Sciences and Humanities from across India are eligible to participate. All categories will be considered during participant selection. Aspiring teachers can register for participation in the workshop by using the following link: <https://forms.gle/4bHAVRfcpfmqrXfn8> . The deadline for registration is August 25<sup>th</sup> , 2025.

For any queries, participants can contact the Workshop Director or Co-Director via email at [pkpattnaik@nagalanduniversity.ac.in](mailto:pkpattnaik@nagalanduniversity.ac.in).

## Workshop Organizing Committee

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