



**A Two-week (12 days) 'Capacity Building Program  
(CBP)' for Young Faculty Members in Social Sciences on  
ACADEMIC AND RESEARCH EXCELLENCE IN HIGHER EDUCATION  
(7<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> May, 2024) {Offline Mode}**

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**Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR)**  
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**Organized by**

**Department of Education  
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Kohima Campus, Meriema-797004**

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## About the University

Nagaland University, established as the 13th Central University and the sole Central University in Nagaland, was founded under the Nagaland University Act 1989 (No. 35 of 1989), which received presidential assent on October 20, 1989. The university officially commenced its operations on September 6, 1994, with jurisdiction over the entire state of Nagaland. Prior to its establishment, Nagaland fell within the purview of North Eastern Hill University (NEHU), with Kohima serving as one of NEHU's campuses, alongside SASRD-Medziphema. Upon the creation of Nagaland University, both former NEHU campuses and their affiliated colleges came under Nagaland University's jurisdiction. The primary goals of the University include: Disseminating knowledge by establishing infrastructural and research facilities across various fields of study deemed appropriate; Offering comprehensive courses encompassing humanities, natural and physical sciences, social sciences, agricultural science, forestry, engineering, and other relevant disciplines within the University's educational programs; Implementing measures to foster innovation in teaching-learning methodologies, encouraging interdisciplinary studies and research endeavours, and educating and training individuals to contribute to the development of Nagaland & Prioritizing the enhancement of social and economic conditions and the welfare of the people of Nagaland, while also nurturing their intellectual, academic, and cultural growth.

Currently, the university operates across four campuses: Lumami, Kohima, Medziphema (housing the School of Agricultural Sciences and Rural Development), and a temporary campus in Dimapur (home to the School of Engineering & Technology). It boasts 44 departments offering a range of undergraduate, postgraduate, and Ph.D. programs in disciplines spanning Arts, Commerce, Sciences, Agricultural Sciences, Engineering & Technology, and Management. Additionally, Nagaland University affiliates with 69 colleges from across the state of Nagaland. Additionally, Under the abled leadership of Prof. Jagadish K Patnaik, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor the University aims to provide top-notch technical education at both undergraduate and postgraduate levels, equipping students to confidently navigate a world shaped by scientific and technological progress. It endeavours to conduct research beneficial to both industry and society, disseminate research findings, and offer knowledge-based technological services to meet the needs of various sectors. Furthermore, the University seeks to contribute to national capacity-building efforts in technology development, explore new avenues in education and research, and foster collaboration between academic institutions and industries through sponsored research initiatives and faculty support.

## About the Department

The Department, initially known as the Department of Educational Research, was founded on September 7th, 1978, as part of NEHU, Nagaland Campus. Subsequently, it was rebranded as the Department of Education and became a part of Nagaland University on September 6th, 1994. Situated within the School of Humanities and Education, Kohima Campus, Mereiema-797004, the Department comprises of 10 faculty members. It offers two academic programs: M.A. Education with a intake capacity of 55 students in each semester and a Ph.D. program in Education. Over the years, approximately 95 Ph.D. degrees have been conferred by the university and presently, there are 45 research scholars pursuing their Ph.D. in Education. The Department of Education at Nagaland University has hosted numerous international and national events, including Refresher Course, Capacity Building Programs (CBP) and Research Methodology Courses (RMC) supported by the ICSSR, UGC and SAKSHAM-GFATM etc. Additionally, the department has completed approximately 25 research projects funded by various external organizations such as SCERT, NCERT, UGC, ICSSR, NCW, NSACS, and the Government of Nagaland (SSA, RMSA & SAMAGRA), among others.

## About the ICSSR

The Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) was established in 1969 by the Government of India to promote social science research nationwide. Its key objectives include monitoring and guiding social science research progress, providing financial support for research projects and programs, managing scholarships and fellowships, identifying and developing research areas, offering financial assistance to institutions and journals involved in social science research, fostering interdisciplinary collaborations, and advising the Government of India on social science research matters. Through ICSSR, the Indian government funds various aspects of social science research such as projects, fellowships, international collaborations, capacity building, surveys, and publication support. Additionally, scholars can access library and information services through the National Social Science Documentation hub (NASSDOC) established by ICSSR. Furthermore, ICSSR operates the ICSSR Data Service, which serves as a national data service and enhances the research environment for social scientists in India. The ICSSR operates six Regional Centres, each located in specific regions across India, with roles including representing ICSSR locally, facilitating communication between regional social scientists and ICSSR, and connecting regional researchers with the wider national and international social science community.



## About The Programme (CBP)

A two-week 'Capacity Building Program (CBP)' spanning 12 days, focused on enhancing academic and research excellence in higher education for young faculty members in social sciences, is scheduled from March 12th to March 23rd, 2024. This program is sponsored by the Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), under the Ministry of Education, Government of India, New Delhi. The event is organized by the Department of Education at Nagaland University's Kohima Campus, located in Meriema-797004. The esteemed Chief Patron of the program is Prof. Jagadish K Patnaik, Honourable Vice-Chancellor of Nagaland University. The capacity building programme is designed to empower and enhance the capabilities and approaches of early-career academics in the field in order to improve teaching and research competencies while interacting with educators from various areas. The aim of this programme is to give an exposure to in service faculty preferably Lecturers/Assistant Professors in Social Science disciplines to the latest advances in their subjects, technological spin off etc. and/or to enhance their general methodological and writing skills. The aim is to give participants hands-on experience in preparing a project proposal and conducting a research project.

## The objectives of the CBP

- 1. Enhancing Understanding:** To deepen participants' understanding of various themes, including Indian Knowledge Systems, National Education Policy 2020 implications, professional ethics, quality assurance, and holistic education, among others.
- 2. Skill Development:** To develop practical skills necessary for conducting high-quality research in social sciences, including research methodologies, data analysis techniques, academic writing, and crafting effective research proposals.
- 3. Promoting Integration:** To encourage the integration of modern technologies, such as ICT, SWAYAM, MOOCs, and OERs, and utilize library resources effectively for teaching, learning, and research purposes.
- 4. Fostering Collaboration:** To facilitate interdisciplinary collaboration and networking among participants, enabling them to engage with peers, experts, and government initiatives for academic excellence and research development.
- 5. Application in Practice:** To equip participants with the knowledge and tools required to translate theoretical concepts into practical applications within their academic and research environments, promoting effective leadership, curriculum design, governance, and student diversity and inclusion in higher education.

## Themes for deliberations

1. Exploration of Indian Knowledge Systems with a Focus on Northeast India
2. Implications of the National Education Policy 2020 on Higher Education
3. Professional/Ethical Standards and Values in the Higher Education Institutions
4. Enhancing the Wellbeing of Higher Education Stakeholders
5. Ensuring Quality Assurance in Higher Education
6. Advancing Research in Social Sciences: Problems, Methodologies, Tools, and Data Collection Techniques etc.
7. Integration of ICT, SWAYAM, MOOCs, and OERs in Higher Education
8. Leveraging Libraries and E-libraries for Teaching, Learning, and Research
9. Academic Writing: Components, Challenges, and Issues
10. Practical Application of Qualitative and Quantitative Data Analysis Methods Using Relevant Statistical Software
11. Crafting Effective Research Proposals for Grants and Funding
12. Navigating the Publication Process in Research: SCOPUS/Web of Science/UGC CARE Listed Journals, Avoiding Plagiarism, and Addressing Challenges
13. Government Initiatives for Academic Excellence in Higher Education
14. Research and Skill Development in Higher Education
15. Academic leadership, Curriculum Design, Governance, Student Diversity & inclusion in Higher Education
16. Intellectual Property Rights in the Context of Social Sciences
17. Holistic Education & Multidisciplinary Research in Higher Education
18. Paper Clinic: Interactive Discussion on Research Papers and Field Visit Experiences
19. Technology-Cyber Security etc in Higher Education

## Eligibility & Selection criteria

All those who are working as a **Lecturer/Assistant Professor/Young Faculty** in the field of Social Sciences (*Economics, Management, Commerce, Sociology, Social Work, Social Anthropology, Cultural Studies, Socio-Sanskrit Studies, Socio-Philosophical Studies, Social Linguistics, Gender Studies, Health Studies, Political Science, International Studies, Public Administration, Diaspora Studies, National Security and Strategic Studies, Education, Social Psychology, Legal Studies, Social Geography, Environmental Studies, Modern Social History, Media Studies etc.*) in a UGC-recognized Indian University/Deemed University/College/Institute of National Importance and ICSSR Research Institutes or researchers in social science research are eligible to apply for the course. The selection to the

course will be made as per ICSSR guidelines, no leave of any kind is permissible during the course period & Personal laptop with internet connectivity is compulsory.

### **Intake**

The intake for the CBP shall be maximum of 30 (10 from local/the city, 10 from Nagaland State other than local/city, and 10 from outside the Nagaland State) participants from social science disciplines.

### **Registration Fee & Medium of course:**

**There is no registration fee for the selected participants & Sessions will be conducted in English only.**

### **How to apply**

Interested candidates can fill the application form herewith enclosed in the end of the Brochure. Scan Copy of duly filled application form (2 pages), Caste/Category Certificate (if applicable) must be attached **via email (through scan) at: [nueduicssrcbp2024@gmail.com](mailto:nueduicssrcbp2024@gmail.com)** & original application form and hard copy of other certificates/testimonials must be submitted on joining the programme, if selected. Incomplete form in any respect will be liable to be summarily rejected. The applications will be scrutinized as per the ICSSR guidelines.

### **Important Dates: CBP will be in face-to-face mode (Offline Mode)**

**Last date of submission of scan copy of application form (through e-mail): 30-03-2024**

**Intimation to selected candidates (through e-mail): 01-04-2024**

**Confirmation by selected candidates (through e-mail): 03-04-2024**

**Intimation of selection to waitlisted Candidates (through e-mail): 05-04-2024**

**Confirmation by 2nd selection Candidates (through e-mail): 07-04-2024**

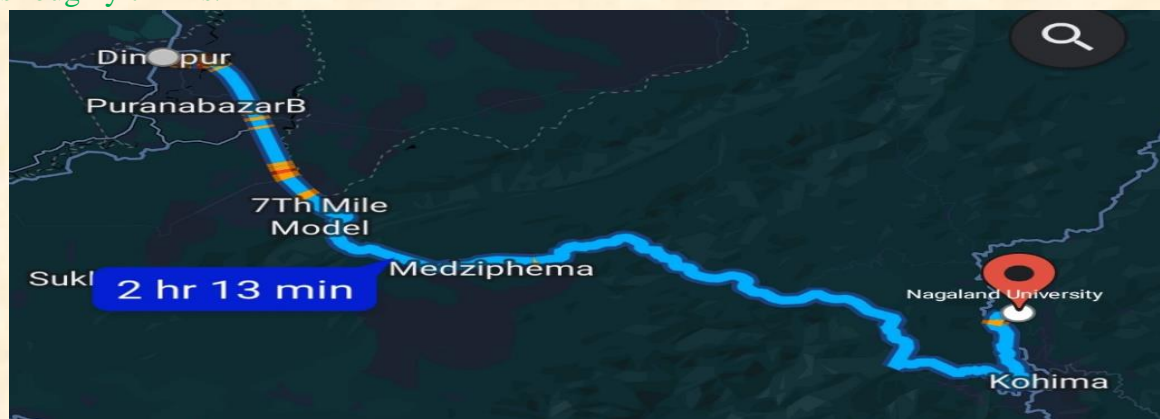
**Capacity Building Programme: 7<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> May, 2024 (10 AM to 4 PM)**

### **Accommodation & Travel Allowance**

Selected outstation candidates will be paid train fare (Not exceeding Rs. 3000/-) by 2<sup>nd</sup> Class/Sleeper/AC III Tier (No booking shall be done on Rajdhani/Shatabdi or Duronto Trains) by shortest route to and fro on production of confirmed train tickets and original bus tickets subject to availability and admissibility of funds (Taxi, Own Car Mileage, Auto, Air Fare shall not be admissible under any circumstances). No local conveyance would be reimbursed. In deserving and exceptional cases limit of Rs. 3000/- may be condoned at the option of organisers. Stay arrangement will be made for outstation participants free of cost. Local participants would be provided only lunch and tea/snacks during the programme break.



**How to reach the venue** (*Department of Education, Nagaland University, Kohima Campus, Meriema, Kohima, Nagaland – 797004*): A very convenient way for reaching Kohima is to take the train or flight to Dimapur and then a taxi or bus service to Kohima which is roughly 74kms.



(Google map link: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/smTpaYTFLQY11gN66> )

### **Programme Organising Committee**

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**Application Form**

1. Name (in Capital letters): \_\_\_\_\_ *paste colour photo*
2. Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Date of Birth (DOB): \_\_\_\_\_ & Gender: Male/Female
5. Educational Qualifications with NET: \_\_\_\_\_
6. Date of appointment: \_\_\_\_\_ & Designation: \_\_\_\_\_
7. **Category:** GEN / OBC / SC/ ST/EWS/ Others & Aadhar No.: \_\_\_\_\_
8. Address of your Institute: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
9. Mobile No(whatsapp): \_\_\_\_\_ & e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_
10. Teaching Experience: \_\_\_\_\_ years & Research experience: \_\_\_\_\_ years
11. Whether you require accommodation? Yes/ No
12. Have you attended similar course earlier? YES/NO
13. Certificate from University/ College/Institute annexed: YES /NO

**Declaration**

I hereby declare that the entries made in this form are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I hereby undertake to participate in all the sessions and assignment work during the programme and will abide by the rules and regulations of Nagaland University.

Place:

*Signature of Applicant with date*



### Certificate from University/College/Institute

This is to certify that Dr./Mr./Ms. \_\_\_\_\_  
has been working in this University/College/Institute as  
\_\_\_\_\_ in the (Subject) \_\_\_\_\_ since  
\_\_\_\_\_. He/ She will be relieved on time from the University/College/Institute  
for attending the course, if selected for the **Two-week (12 days @ 7<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> May, 2024)**  
**ICSSR-Capacity Building Programme (CBP@ Offline mode)** to be conducted by *the*  
*Department of Education, Nagaland University (A Central University), Kohima Campus*  
*Meriema-797004, Nagaland State.*

This is further to certify that this College/Institute/Department is affiliated  
to \_\_\_\_\_ University for the last 2 years. Also certified that this  
College/Institute/University is included under Section 2(f)/12(b) or 2(f) and 12(b) of the UGC  
Act. (Strike out which is not applicable)

To the best of my knowledge, the information given above by the applicant is true, complete  
and correct.

Place: \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of the Head of the Institution With office seal**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_