

National Conference on Education: Rethinking and Conceptualization of Ethics and AI in Education

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Concept Note



Ethical vision and praxis in the domain of contemporary higher education leave many lacunas are open. Political interventions and social biases besmirch the already fraught context. Moreover, rapid advancements in technology, especially that in the field of artificial intelligence, bring in further complications.

The convention of liberal education demands and assumes academic autonomy which in actual practice gets diluted in varied manners. Political groups, whether in positions of executive power or otherwise, are capable of interfering in the curriculum and pedagogy. And, social biases which have got effortlessly entrenched in the academic space prove too persistent to effect easy erasure. In the meantime, AI is getting permeated in all aspects of academia creating innovations in administration, student development, pedagogy, and, research. AI-based pedagogical tools are capable of meeting personalized academic requirements of students. However, ethical interventions are needed to address dilemmas caused by Artificial intelligence in teaching, learning and evaluation. In an age when a bot can write a sonnet, AI compels us to address ethical challenges related to authorship, creativity and originality. Notions of data manipulation and plagiarism need to be redefined to encounter the novel challenges caused by AI in academic assessments and in research.

Hence, engaged academic deliberations into the problematic of ethics in Higher Education are both relevant and imperative. Endemic corruption, disregard for inclusive practices, discriminations and

oppressions based on casteist, racial, sexist and other stratified identities, academic and intellectual malpractices, etc. are some of the issues that need urgent attention, deliberation, and, correction. Studies in and on literature are capable of engendering effective tools to stretch ethical imagination and can thus probe into aspects of higher education like the quotidian functioning of academic institutions, the drafting of learning objectives and epistemological frameworks, and, the applied pedagogies.

The National conference intends to serve as a vital platform to explore the intricate relations between Higher Education and ethics primarily from the background of literary studies. At the same time since the topic necessitates a multi-disciplinary approach scholarly research papers on this are invited from all domains of humanities and social sciences to foster dialogue, critical thinking, and ethical awareness in the academic community.

Suggested topics include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Legal Ethics in higher Education
- Digital literacy , Cyberwellnes and Social Media inclusion in Education
- Cybercrimes and forensic sciences
- Addressing the needs of inclusivity in higher education
- Virtual reality and mixed reality in higher education
- Artificial intelligence in higher education
- Robotics and Education
- Bio ethics in Higher Education
- Environmental ethics and climate literacy

- Ethical Challenges in Teaching and Learning
- Ethics in Pedagogy, Curriculum and assessment
- Inclusive Practices in Higher Education
- Sustainable Practices in Higher Education
- Ethics and Educational Technology
- Research Ethics and Academic Writing, Publishing

- AI Ethics and Data Bias
- Ethics, Culture, Race, Gender
- Rethinking Early Childhood Education Diaspora
- NEP and paradigm shifts in contemporary Education
- Ethical Choices and Moral Dilemmas in Education

Abstract should submit on or before 10 th March to: sanjavants@gmail.com

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Abstract guidelines: Abstract should be in a word file with 12 font size, Times New Roman with 250 words. Selected papers will be published in free Scopus indexed journal Dharma and remaining papers will be published in ISBN Edited book with separate fees.

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Speakers:

Topic:

AI : Lessons from the present and previous hype cycles

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Speaker 2:

Topic: Ethical implications of AI in Education

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Speaker 3:

Topic: Ethics and Mobile Security for Teachers and Students

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