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Massive Open Online Course (MOOC)

on

Teaching Excellence

(November 1-30, 2019)

Discussion & Forum



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The ICAR-National Academy of Agricultural Research Management (NAARM), Hyderabad announces a MASSIVE OPEN ONLINE COURSE on **Teaching Excellence** during November 1-30, 2019.

About the Course

Quality education has been the driving force for the development of the nation and it depends largely on the competencies of the teacher. The development of pedagogical competencies was not addressed properly in the university curriculum, especially in professional universities.

Teaching profession requires a prior initial training, not only in terms of specialized professional knowledge but also on psycho-pedagogical competencies. Development of teaching competencies of the faculty is needed the most. This one month course helps in-service, young, unemployed and aspiring faculty to become effective teachers/managers of teaching.

Who can attend this course?

- Teachers or those who are desirous of teaching in schools, colleges etc.,
- Teachers/ unemployed who have constraints to undergo training in residential mode, can attend this course in on-line mode at their convenient time to enhance their teaching efficiency and become effective teachers.

Why this course?

- Being online, this course facilitates you to hone teaching skills from the best faculty at your own pace and time.
- By sparing few hours at your free time in a week, you can complete the course from anywhere and get certified by the reputed organisation like ICAR- NAARM
- You can foster and develop peer networks across the boundaries and benefit from their wisdom through online discussions and Community of Practices

At the end of the course....

Participants will be able to understand various dimensions of teaching management and develop effective teaching styles for quality education. The following areas are broadly covered in the programme

Introduction to Psychology of Learning, Domains of Learning- Bloom's Taxonomy, Teaching Competency and Attributes, Communication Skills, Innovative Teaching Methods, Presentation Skills, Engaging Students in Learning, Time Management.

Course Syllabus

Week -I: Psychology of Learning to know different types of learning, Importance of transfer of learning, Concept of learning objectives and learning styles, Concept and limitations of Bloom's Taxonomy.

Week -II: Dynamics of teaching, Different types of communication for effective teaching.

Week -III: Teaching methods for quality education via teacher centered methods and student centered teaching methods.

Week - IV: Effective classroom management covering presentation skills, use of audiovisual aids, Instructional strategies to improve student engagement and provides knowledge and skills of the classroom time management.

Participants' performance will be evaluated during this week through online examination. Issues and challenges in current time teaching are also addressed in this module.

Course Format

Every week, students will be expected to view uploaded video lectures which are about 10 – 15 minutes each and relevant courseware will be added to provide background on concepts relevant for the week. Most lectures will have integrated questions/ discussions/ assignments to keep participants engaged. Performance assessment will be done through an online examination for the award of a certificate. Resource materials and web links will be provided wherever necessary.

Certification

On completing this course, the online certificate will be issued by ICAR-National Academy of Agricultural Research Management (NAARM) on payment of Rs.1000, subject to participation in assignments/ exercises during four weeks and minimum marks in the online evaluation will be the criteria for issuance of the certificate.

Programme Fee: No programme fee for participating in the course. However, those successful participants desirous of having certification can download their course completion certificate on payment of Rs 1000/-.

Session dates: November 1-30, 2019

Registration: You can register online at <http://elearning.naarm.org.in> from 1st August to 30th October 2019.

About NAARM (ISO 9001-2008)

The ICAR - National Academy of Agricultural Research Management (NAARM), a constituent of Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) is the only institution of its kind in the world focusing on capacity building in agricultural research and education management. The Academy in its four decades of existence focusses on creation, dissemination, and application of knowledge through its education, training, research, consultancy and policy support programmes for National Agricultural Research and Education Systems (NARES).

Important Dates

Start of online registration: August 1, 2019 (till October 30, 2019 midnight)
Start of Online Course: November 1, 2019
End of Online Course: November 30, 2019
Online exam (50 Multiple Choice Questions covering all 4 weeks contents): December 1, 2019 (till midnight)

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