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ALUMNI INTERACTION MODULE (AIM) - VII

Teaching and Research: The Path Less Trodden

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6:00 PM
17-July-2021

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REPORT FOR ALUMNI INTERACTION MODULE (AIM) –VII

Speaker: Ms. Karishma Hentry
Topic: Teaching and Research: The Path Less Trodden
Date: 17-7-2021
Time: 6 PM
No. of Students Participated:42

Introduction

Karishma Henry, Alumnae of SCAS is a genius having good communication skills and presentation skills. She is pursuing Ph D in University of Kerala. She wants to build a good career in teaching and to become a creator and motivator in the organizational environment.

Expected outcome

1. To know about teaching and research in commerce
2. To get tips for passing eligibility tests for M Phil and PhD
3. To get awareness about the research paper publications

Report

The Department of Commerce organized an alumni interaction for the students of the department interested in pursuing teaching as a profession on July 17, 2021 from 6.00 pm to 7.00 pm on the topic 'Teaching and Research: The Path Less Trodden'. The speaker was our alumna of 2014-2017 BCom Computer Applications –B Batch, Ms. Karishma Hentry.

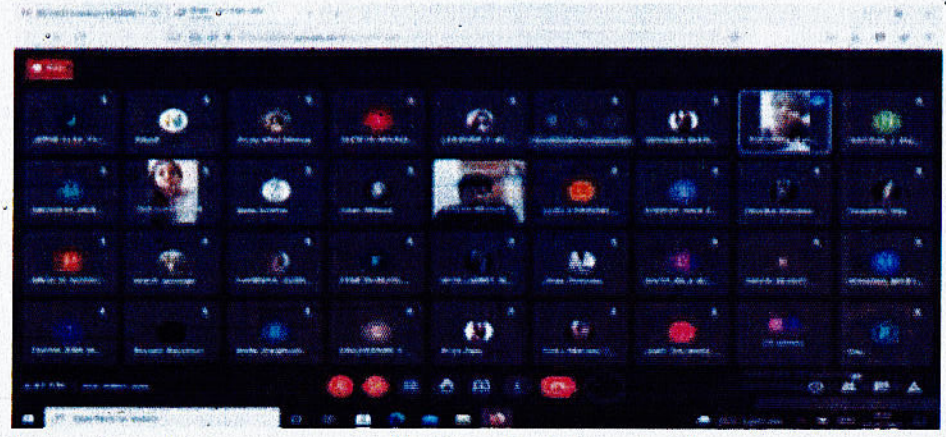
Karishma completed her MCom and MPhil and is currently working as lecturer at St. Albert's College, Kochi. She has also qualified NET, and is set to pursue her Phd in Commerce.

During the session she highlighted the pros and cons of opting for teaching as a career in commerce. She highlighted the need to focus on the add-ons needed to move ahead in the field such as

-need to qualify Net
- need to pursue Phd.
- need to publish research papers in UGC care and Scorpus indexed journals -
need to present papers in national and international conferences.

She offered tips on preparing for NET, for identifying UGC care and Scorpus indexed journals and the weightage that these have in a teaching career.

She also effectively addressed the queries of the students and instilled confidence in them to consider teaching and research as a career option.



The session which was organized by Asst Prof. Preetha Thomas, was attended by more than 70 participants It was well received and truly beneficial.

Question and Answer during the session:

Q1) What is the importance of research?

Put simply you reach a stage in your education where you need to be taught by someone who is actively engaged in advancing their subject. That is not rocket science but the people that confuse training with education simply do not understand

Q2) Is it easy to publish in Scopus indexed journals?

Journal publication is a complex procedure in every researcher's life. But, if you follow the right procedure to publish your paper then **it becomes very easy to publish in Scopus Indexed journals.**

All you need to know is the right steps and procedure to **write a research paper and publish it** in a good Scopus Indexed journal.

Q3) Why Scopus Indexed journals are so important?

As we have discussed, every researcher or student needs to publish a paper in Scopus indexed journal to fulfill their degree requirement.But Scopus is such a prestigious

journal database and indexing platform. Scopus only selects journals after checking several parameters of a journal.So, only the best quality journals get a chance for the indexing status of the Scopus. This means the journal which is indexed in the Scopus database are considered to be high in standard and most researchers and scientist refer to those journals for their future work or research.So getting a research paper published in a **Scopus indexed journal** brings extreme joy and prestige for any author or researcher.

Q4) How to search Scopus indexed journals?

Always search any Scopus indexed journals on the official website of Scopus.

Step-1

Go to https://www.scopus.com/sources

Step-2

You can search the journal by these parameters

1. Subject area
2. Title
3. Publisher
4. ISSN

5. If you know the ISSN of the journal, then choose the Option **"ISSN"** from the option and write the ISSN on the right-hand side of the search bar and press the **" Find Source"** button

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