

**Inviting research papers for 'Symbiosis International
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Symbiosis Centre for Distance Learning (SCDL), Pune, is one of the largest autonomous distance learning educational institutions in India. In this day and age, distance learning looks beyond traditional reference books and course-end assessments. However, publications by Indian researchers with respect to online and distance learning are almost non-existent. Symbiosis Centre for Distance Learning, Pune, has provided this platform to researchers and academicians in the form of an international research journal on ODL.

With great pleasure, we wish to inform you that we have successfully published Volume 3 Issue 2 of Symbiosis International Research Journal on Online & Distance Learning (SIRJODL) with a new ISSN Number 2582-9009. Following is the link to view all the scholarly articles being published in Volume 3 Issue 2.

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Symbiosis International Research Journal on Online & Distance Learning (SIRJODL) is pleased to invite papers on central theme

‘Sustaining and Enhancing the Quality of ODL’ for our Volume 4 Issue 1 which is scheduled to be published in January 2022. In this issue, we will accept articles mainly on the following topics:

- 1. Developing an Interactive Online Teaching-Learning Community in ODL**
- 2. Facilitating Students to Achieve Learning Outcomes in ODL**
- 3. Use of OERs in ODL**
- 4. Quality Assurance and Quality Indicators in ODL**
- 5. e-Proctored Exams in ODL**
- 6. Distance Education Models and Best Practices**

Faculty members in Management;

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Authors can contribute their research papers on any topic related to the above-mentioned sub themes. Soft copies of the research paper may be submitted as Word documents as per our ‘instructions for author’ and ‘submission guidelines,’ (which are attached herewith) and sent via email to researchjournal@scdl.net

Submission deadline: 15th December, 2021

Thanks and Regards,

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AUTHOR GUIDELINES

- 1. Manuscripts can identify, extend, unify, test and/or apply scientific and multi-disciplinary knowledge related to ODL.**
- 2. One soft copy, not exceeding 3,000 words, including notes, references and tables, typed using double line spacing, in Times New Roman (size 12) font, indent first line of every paragraph 0.5 inches, include page number on every page, on A-4 size, with a one-inch margin on all four sides, should be submitted, with a separate cover page. Please find attached template for writing your research paper.**
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‘Sustaining and Enhancing the Quality of ODL’.

Sub themes:

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- 'Sustaining and Enhancing the Quality of ODL'

Sub themes

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 e-Proctored Exams in ODL
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 Use of OERs in ODL
 Facilitating Students to Achieve Learning Outcomes in ODL

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