

e-Short Term Course (e-STC)

on

“Exploring the research journey from basics to experimental”

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Number of Participants

Maximum number of participants is 30 for this e-Short Term Course (e-STC) on first cum first serve basis.

Registration link after payment:

<https://forms.gle/qPFG2947dkUNMWreA>

Registration fee is compulsory for all the delegates and is non-refundable.

- a) Research Scholars/Students – 200 Rs.
- b) Academia– 500 Rs.
- c) Industry Persons – 1000 Rs.

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Last date of Registration: 06th February 2026

Resource persons

Faculty from NIT Hamirpur and other academic institutions will deliver the lectures.

Certification

Minimum 75% attendance is required to issuing the certificates.

About the institution

The National Institute of Technology, Hamirpur is an Institute of National Importance. The Institute offers B.Tech, M.Tech, MBA, MSc and PhD programmes in various disciplines of Engineering, Humanities and Sciences.

The Institute is functioning in a vast area of above 250 acres at Anu in Hamirpur district of Himachal Pradesh and is 4 Kms from main bus stand of Hamirpur on Mandi-Jalandhar National Highway (NH-70). The city of Hamirpur is well connected with the rest of the country by road.

Nearest Railway Station: UNA (about 85 Km)

Nearest Airport: GAGGAL (Kangra) (about 85Km)

About the department

The Department of Management Studies offers full time PG degree programme, viz. Master of Business Administration (MBA). Students get the advantage of dual specialization, out of - Human Resource Management, Marketing Management, Operations Management and Financial Management. The Department also offers Ph.D. programmes on stipendiary and non-stipendiary basis for full time and off campus candidates.

The diversity of the curricula offered through the Department provides the students with the foundation skills that can be used not only in the

classroom, but to master challenges in globalized dynamic and competitive markets. This is done through a plethora of channels including lectures, talks, case studies, research projects, group discussion, workshops, seminars, etc. Faculty members possess a blend of academic and

professional experience, which facilitates disseminating of knowledge to the students through both classroom sessions and independent student activities. The faculty is highly qualified with international exposure and motivated to inculcate quest for perfection among the students. Short term Training/Management Development Programmes for industry and faculty are regularly organized by Department of Management Studies with MHRD and AICTE collaboration. The Department has well experienced and dedicated faculty members with different specializations. We have well equipped laboratories with state-of-the-art facilities like servers/workstations, desktops and mobile devices.

About the e-STC

This e-STC would serve as a platform for understanding the advanced research paths. The e-STC, will discuss all the tools and techniques essential for paper writing to paper publications. In this e-STC SPSS, Smart PLS, research ethics, plagiarism, and experimental study design will be discussed.

Objectives of e-STC

- Understand fundamentals of research methodology and design
- Learn basics of data handling and analysis using SPSS
- Perform structural equation modeling using SmartPLS with application of mediation and moderation
- Understand principles and design of experimental research

- Learn sampling techniques and scale development procedures
- Develop skills for writing research papers

Topics to be covered

Introduction to Smart PLS - path modeling, Using Smart-PLS for Higher Order Constructs, Mediation and moderation using Smart PLS, T test, ANOVA in SPSS, Research and publication ethics, usage of Turnitin and experimental research.

Pedagogy

Practical examples using software SPSS, Smart-PLS, and research methodology and techniques for experimental research will be employed along with conceptual lectures in this e-STC.