

CUDC - 2017

Chitkara University Doctoral Consortium

May 13, 2017 | Venue: Chitkara University, Punjab

ABOUT CUDC

The rationale of CUDC-2017 is to provide a platform for Research Scholars in Management, Engineering, Pharmaceutical Sciences, Health Sciences and Applied Sciences to showcase their unique research ideas, real research problems and stimulate discussions on various emerging issues. CUDC-2017 will also bring together the researchers interested in the investigation of real world challenges. The consortium will provide PhD students with an opportunity to present their work to a group of mentors and peers from a diverse set of academic and industrial institutions, to receive feedback on their doctoral research plan and progress.

OVERVIEW

The objective of this consortium is to provide PhD students with an opportunity to present their work to a group of mentors and peers from a diverse set of academic and industrial institutions. The presenters will receive feedback on their doctoral research plan and way forward. We invite PhD students who have completed their coursework and are in the process of forming or carrying out a plan for their PhD research.

WHO SHOULD APPLY?

The doctoral consortium will benefit most the students who are in the process of forming or developing their doctoral research. The PhD students must have completed their coursework and should not have submitted the final thesis as yet. PhD students whose research fall within criteria as mentioned above are encouraged to apply. Those who do not intend to submit the paper or still thinking of registering in the PhD are also encouraged to participate as active listeners. Such participants shall be given a certificate of participation and passes for attending all technical sessions.

CONSORTIUM TAKEAWAYS

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CUDC 2017 will provide a platform to potentially present your work in Scopus Indexed Journals and definitely in consortium proceeding. The consortium will also provide an opportunity to attend keynote talks by leading researchers and industry professionals. Finally, we hope to achieve a diversity of research topics, disciplinary backgrounds and methodological approaches in this inaugural Chitkara University doctoral consortium.

TRACKS

The consortium encourages multidisciplinary doctoral research and invites papers from the areas of Management, Engineering, Pharmaceutical Sciences, Health Sciences and Applied Sciences. The following is the list of suggested topics (but not exhaustive) for CUDC-2017.

TRACK 1: MANAGEMENT

<p>Track Convener Dr. Amit Mittal Dean - Doctoral Research Centre Chitkara Business School</p>	<p>Contemporary Issues in Business and Emerging Concepts in Marketing, Finance, Corporate Governance, HR, Strategy and Business Environment.</p>
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TRACK 2: ENGINEERING, TECHNOLOGY AND SCIENCES

<p>Track Convener Dr. Rajnish Sharma Dean - Research (CURIN) Chitkara University Research and Innovation Network</p>	<p>Emerging Trends of Research in Multidisciplinary, Interdisciplinary and Overlapping Areas of Computer Science / Electronics / Mechanical Engineering, Technology and Applied Science (Physics/Chemistry/Maths/Environmental)</p>
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TRACK 3: PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

<p>Track Convener Dr. Sandeep Arora Director - Chitkara College of Pharmacy</p>	<p>Drug Discovery and Pharmaceutical Chemistry, Drug Discovery and Phytochemistry, Pharmaceutical Technology, Industrial processes and formulation Development Pharmaceutical validation, preclinical Pharmacology, Clinical Pharmacology and Clinical Development, Regulatory Affairs and Pharmaceutical Management.</p>
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TRACK 4: HEALTH SCIENCES

<p>Track Convener Dr. Preethi Pradhan Dean - Chitkara School of Health Sciences</p>	<p>Taking forward theory of Healthcare Management and Health Sciences- Allied Health, Optometry, Physiotherapy and Nursing, Issues and Challenges in Measurements and Application of Tools in Healthcare, Healthcare Human Resource Management and Models for Diverse HR Practices, HR Health Care Needs Assessment, Patient Care Process Screening, Diagnosis, Treatment- Research Methods</p>
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CALL FOR PAPERS**Chitkara University Doctoral Consortium - CUDC 2017****Submission of Extended Abstracts: February 15, 2017****REVIEW PROCESS**

The doctoral consortium will follow a review process in which submissions will be evaluated by a number of factors including (1) the quality of the submission (2) the expected benefits of the consortium to the student's PhD research.

GUIDELINES FOR MANUSCRIPT SUBMISSION

We invite extended abstracts from doctoral scholars. Selection of papers for presentation in the consortium will be based on extended abstracts of up to 2,500 words (including tables, Figures and key references). The extended abstract should be in Times New Roman 10-point font, single spacing and with one inch margin on all sides and include personal particulars like name, title of paper, affiliation (Department and Institute), e-mail, telephone and postal address. The author(s) should clearly mention under what area of interest (Track) of the conference the abstract is to be included. The extended abstracts will be blind reviewed and only those abstracts approved by the reviewers will be selected for presentation.

The extended abstract should cover:

- Introduction
- Review of Literature & Theoretical Framework
- Methodology (Research questions and hypotheses: Sampling and Research Techniques)
- Expected Contributions of your PhD Work
- Major Findings and Conclusion/ Description of Remaining Work
- Key References

Note: All tables & figures (JPEG) shall be included in manuscript, however tables and figures also need to be attached separately.*

PUBLICATION OPPORTUNITY

All selected manuscripts/extended abstracts shall be published in the form of consortium proceedings with ISBN. The authors of shortlisted manuscript shall be invited to submit full length paper to be published in Scopus Indexed Journal as per the journal review policy.

PAPER SUBMISSION & IMPORTANT DATES

We use Conference Management Toolkit (CMT) from Microsoft for Paper Submission. Make an account for yourself and upload your manuscript, We accept paper in PDF, DOC (DOCX) format.

Last Date of Submitting Extended Abstract:	February 15, 2017
Notification of Shortlisted Papers:	March 17, 2017
Last Date of Registration:	April 7, 2017
Consortium Day:	May 13, 2017

COMMITTEE

CORE COMMITTEE

Patrons	Dr. Madhu Chitkara, Vice Chancellor, Chitkara University
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Dr. Sanjay Jachak	Professor, National Institute of Pharmaceutical Education and Research (NIPER), Mohali-India

REGISTRATION

- For each selected paper, atleast one of the authors must register for the conference before April 7, 2017.
- The authors are required to register and pay Rs. 1500 in case the paper is accepted for presentation in the consortium and Rs. 1000 for those who only intend to participate (non- presenters) in all the technical sessions as an active listener.
- Registration fee includes – Registration Kit, Consortium Proceedings, Refreshments, Lunch and Certificate of Presentation/Participation.
- Registration fee to be paid online. Payment Gateway will be available in due time.
- For any queries, please write to cudc@chitkara.edu.in

TRAVEL & STAY

Travel

- The nearest railway stations to Chitkara University Punjab are Ambala Cantt. (UMB), Rajpura(RPJ) and Chandigarh(CDG).
- Nearest Airport is Chandigarh International Airport (IXC).
- If you are getting down at Ambala Cantt Railway station, you can easily get a roadways bus going toward Patiala or Ludhiana or Jalandhar route. You may board that bus and get down at Rajpura Bypass (or Gagan Chowk). From Rajpura Bypass Chitkara University Campus is just 8Kms on Patiala – Chandigarh Highway. You can easily find a public transport from there to reach the campus. In addition there are universities buses that ply from Ambala, Rajpura & Patiala. Timing and pick-up points of these buses will be available shortly. You are welcome to board our university buses after showing your registration receipt.
- If you are getting down at Chandigarh Railway Station, you may board a local bus to reach ISBT Sector 17. From ISBT Sector 17 you can board another local bus to reach Zirakpur. From Zirakpur Chitkara University Campus is just 16Kms on Patiala – Chandigarh Highway. You can easily find a public transport from there to reach the campus.

Stay

- There are a limited number of shared accommodations on the university campus in students' hostels which shall be made available on first come first serve basis at nominal fee of INR 500 per person per night including food.
- We have identified a few hotels near the University campus (near Rajpura Bypass and Zirakpur) where you can make bookings on your own.
- Hotels near Rajpura Bypass:- Hotel Shahi Regency, Eage Motel, Hotel Mayur
- Hotels near Zirakpur:- Hotel Park Plaza, Hotel Aloft
- If you have any questions, please feel free to get in touch with us at cudc@chitkara.edu.in