

DIQA KU holds workshop on ‘Authorship and Manuscript Writing’

Srinagar, Dec, 22: In order to assist researchers and faculty in the development of the skills needed in writing and submitting quality research papers and manuscripts the Directorate of Internal Quality Assurance (DIQA) University of Kashmir organised a one –day workshop on ‘Authorship and Manuscript Writing: Techniques & Practices for Quality Publications’ here on Monday.

During the workshop doctoral students, researchers and faculty members from various departments and schools of the university were provided hands-on training by expert and informed about various nuances of writing and publishing quality research papers, articles & manuscripts in 03 technical sessions which included topics like ‘Literature Search: Making a reading list prior to research citations and references management’, ‘Plagiarism and AI detection’ and ‘Finding good journals for Publication Research Matrices, Chat GPT and its use in academia’.



In his presidential address Dean Research KU Prof Irshad Ahmad Nawchoo while impressing upon the research scholars and faculty to participate in such workshops said “We have seen and heard it before also that how some Noble laureates have made it so big by just publishing a 2-3 page article instead of a voluminous book which demonstrates the fact that it is the quality which matters and not the quantity.”

He added “Due to its quality a small write up or a research based article can take lead over a 100-200 page book which again signifies that how crucial it is to publish quality stuff and how important it is to comprehend and use techniques and tools involved in quality writing.”



While providing an overview of the workshop Prof Gopakumar V Head, Knowledge Centre Digital University Kerala who was also resource

e person/expert for the workshop provided the participants with an insight and training into the overall processes required to successfully publish a quality research paper and article.

Earlier in his welcome address Director DIQA Prof Manzoor A Shah said that the idea of this workshop on manuscript writing assumes contemporary relevance in the larger context of the rising expectations of the research scholars and the faculty in general.

“Writing quality research paper and manuscript is a skill and this skill we should learn from the experience of those who have made immense contribution in this field. Today`s discourse is one such opportunity to learn for our scholars and faculty,” added Prof Manzoor A Shah.

Deputy Director DIQA, Dr Ajaz Akbar Mir presented vote of thanks on the occasion while as Mr Ozair Nissar, Liaison Officer DIQA delivered the valedictory remarks.

Dr Javaid Ahmad Sheikh, Coordinator of the workshop conducted the proceedings of the day-long event.