



## **Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Program**

Ramanujan College  
(Accredited Grade 'A++' by NAAC)

University of Delhi

in collaboration with

**Shyama Prasad Mukherjee College for Women**

University of Delhi

under the aegis of the

**University Grant Commission- Malaviya  
Mission Teacher Training Program**

is organising an

**Online Short Term Programme**

***Sustainable Food Development: Integrating Socio-  
economic, cultural and Political Perspectives in Indian  
Traditions***

14 - 19 October, 2024

Last date to register-13 October, 2024



**3:00 PM to  
9:30PM**

**No Registration Fee**

## **Call for Registration & Participation**



# RAMANUJAN COLLEGE

Ramanujan College, a constituent College of the University of Delhi was established in 1958 as an evening college. The College has been accredited Grade “A+” by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) in its Second Cycle.

Ramanujan College" is felicitated “PRITHVI AWARDS 2024” by ESG Research Foundation in “Global ESG Conference” held on 14th September, 2024 in appreciation of valuable contribution of the College to the Society as Ramanujan college conducts various online courses on ESG Literacy and Sustainability.

Ramanujan College offers sixteen undergraduate programmes in different disciplines. Besides this, the college has been awarded the DDU KAUSHAL (Deen Dayal Upadhyay – Knowledge Acquisition and Upgradation of Skilled Human Abilities and Livelihood) Kendra (2016) by UGC and Teaching Learning Centre (2017) by the Ministry of Education. The College also offers short-term diploma, certificate, and executive development programmes on contemporary and skill-oriented themes to complement the regular graduation courses. It is also the Study Centre of School of Open Learning (SOL), Non-Collegiate Women Education Board (NCWEB) and Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU) for various courses.

In 2018, the College conducted a Course on Human Rights, Environment and Ethics through its National Resource Centre (NRC), under the Annual Refresher Programme in Teaching (ARPIT) scheme of MoE. The College has also entered into Memorandum of Understanding(s) with foreign universities. It is also working for collaboration with other higher education institutions located in remote areas of the country, under the Vidya Vistar Scheme of the University of Delhi.



# SHYAMA PRASAD MUKHERJI COLLEGE FOR WOMEN

## Celebrating 55 Years of Excellence at SPM College

SPM College began its journey in 1969 named after the esteemed academician Shyama Prasad Mukherji, the college quickly grew with a vision in establishing strong academic standards and infrastructure. In 1982, SPM College moved to its current 10-acre campus in Punjabi Bagh. The college features two academic blocks, over 100 classrooms, nine laboratories, four seminar rooms, equipped library, extensive sports infrastructure, and a state-of-the-art auditorium which accommodates 1000+ students. We prioritize human values alongside academics, supporting diverse students. Over the years, SPM College has hosted numerous prominent leaders, professionals & academicians to inspire future generations. Currently, SPM College offers 19 courses, along with UGC approved add-on certificate courses to enhance student employability.

Department of Food Technology at SPM College was established in 1985 with the vision to produce graduates who excel in critical thinking, creativity, and innovative approaches, driving the future of the food industry. Department offers Food Technology course at B.A. Programme level & UGC approved add on course on Diet & Wellness.

Department is passionate about providing students with an extensive industrial and academic exposure. We regularly organize factory visits, exhibitions, and competitions. Our students consistently excel in academic activities, both within our institution and beyond. Students have been University & college toppers. We take immense pride in our academic contributions, including the successful hosting of an international and a UGC-sponsored conference, which saw enthusiastic participation from over 250 scholars globally. Our department has published significant works, including the edited book "Food Frontiers", course books, and conference proceedings. Our faculty members are distinguished by their expertise and professional development.



# CONCEPT NOTE

## Multidisciplinary Short Term Programme Course on Sustainable Food Development: Integrating Socioeconomic, cultural and Political Perspectives in Indian Traditions

India is a guardian of rich knowledge systems that intertwine food, culture, and health. Yet, as modernization progresses, a gap is emerging between contemporary lifestyles and our ancient traditions. Food in Indian culture is more than sustenance; it is a celebration that connects us to our identity and beliefs, starting even before birth.

Rooted in wisdom like Ayurveda, Indian culinary practices focus on a holistic approach to health. Today, there is a growing effort to blend modern nutrition and food processing with these age-old traditions. Understanding prenatal and postnatal nutrition from both Ayurvedic and modern perspectives highlights the significance of nourishing foods for overall well-being.

As education evolves, the need for interdisciplinary research becomes crucial, especially in science and technology. Instructors play a vital role in imparting knowledge that encompasses socio-economic, cultural, and political dimensions of food practices. Objective of the course is to:

- 1. Deliver Holistic Education:** Integrate food and nutrition education with socio-economic, cultural, and political contexts for a comprehensive understanding of sustainability.
- 2. Cultural Appreciation:** Foster respect for diverse culinary traditions to promote inclusivity.
- 3 Advocacy and Action:** Inspire to engage in civic discourse and advocate for sustainable food systems.
- 4. Personal Health and Well-being:** Promote nutrition knowledge to enhance individual and societal health.

This online course aims to enhance educators' pedagogical skills and innovative teaching methodologies, bridging the gap between contemporary education and cultural heritage. The curriculum features contributions from experts across various fields, fostering a rich exchange of insights.

By empowering educators with a holistic understanding of sustainable food development, this course aims to nurture a culturally rich and sustainable society, ensuring that India's traditions thrive in modern education. Join us in shaping a brighter future through the lens of food and culture!

## THEMES

- **Introduction to Indian Knowledge System, Ayurveda, and Traditional Food Practices**
- **Sustainability in Food Production and Consumption**
- **Global Perspectives on Food Security and Nutrition**
- **Innovations in Food Processing and Technology**
- **Cultural Diversity and Food Heritage Preservation**
- **Nutritional Anthropology: Exploring the Intersection of Food, Culture, and Health**
- **Sustainable Agriculture and Agroecology**
- **Food Policy and Governance**
- **Food Waste Reduction and Circular Economy**
- **Community Food Systems and Food Justice**
- **Indigenous Food Knowledge and Biodiversity Conservation**
- **Public Health Nutrition and Disease Prevention**
- **Food Sovereignty and Resilience in Times of Crisis**
- **Ethical Food Choices and Sustainable Consumer Behaviour**

# REGISTRATION

## **ELIGIBILITY**

The program is interdisciplinary and is open to all interested participants. All faculty members (Permanent/ Temporary/ Adhoc/ Guest) from any university/college are eligible to participate.

## **REGISTRATION PROCESS**

**Interested participants are requested to follow the steps mentioned below in order to register for the training programme:**

- 1. Visit the website: <https://mmc.ugc.ac.in/>**
- 2. Click on “Register” and fill your basic information. A confirmation mail with your username and password will be sent to your registered email ID.**
- 3. Login using your username and password. Change your password on the first login.**
- 4. Click on the “Apply for Guru Dakshta (Faculty Induction Programme), Refresher Course and Short Term Programme / Faculty Development Programme” tab. In the Centre section, select “Apply for Short Term Course”. In Program Name & Center Name, choose “Ramanujan College, Delhi (14/10/2024 -19/10/2024)”.**
- 5. Upload the duly signed No Objection Certificate (NOC) Letter.**
- 6. click on “Apply”.**

After successful registration, the participants will receive a confirmation via email. Please keep checking the spam folder of the email as the bulk email sent may end up in the spam folder. An official group has been made for communication with the participants on "Whatsapp." You are therefore requested to install the WhatsApp either from the Play Store or App Store. The link to join the official group will be provided in the confirmation mail.

## **IMPORTANT:**

- Registration is mandatory for participation.
- The Programme is in accordance with NEP 2020 and meeting the requirements of Career Advancement Scheme, UGC.
- Attempting and submitting all the quizzes and assignments are mandatory, and each participant should score a minimum of 50% in total to avail of the programme completion certificate.
- Minimum 90% attendance is required to get the program completion certificate.
- Graded certificates on the basis of performance will be awarded to the participants.
- No Objection Certificate (NOC) is REQUIRED to participate in the Programme.
- Failing to meet any of the above conditions will result in the denial of completion certificate.

***For further information, write to us at  
: [mmttc@ramanujan.du.ac.in](mailto:mmttc@ramanujan.du.ac.in)***

or



## **No Objection Certificate(NOC)**

This is to certify that Dr/Mr./Ms./Prof. .... is working as ..... in the Department of ..... University/College/Institute ..... w.e.f. .... Hereby, he/she is permitted for attending the Online One-Week Short term Program on 'Sustainable Food Development: Integrating Socio-economic, cultural and Political Perspectives in Indian Traditions' to be conducted by the Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre (MMTTC), Ramanujan College (UGC) in collaboration with Shyama Prasad Mukherji College For Women, University of Delhi scheduled from October 14, 2024 to October 19, 2024 through Online Mode (03:00 PM to 9:30 PM).

Place:

Date:

Signature

(Head of Institution/Principal/HoD)  
(with Seal)

# ORGANISING BOARD OF THE PROGRAMME

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