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CALL FOR PAPERS

Academicians, research scholars, policymakers and students are invited to contribute research papers on the main theme or any of the themes and sub-themes listed above. Papers may be theoretical, empirical, or case study-based.

GUIDELINES FOR PAPER SUBMISSION:

- **Abstract:** 250—300 words with 4—5 keywords
- **Full Paper:** 3000—5000 words, Times New Roman, 12 pt, double spacing
- **Referencing Style:** APA 7th Edition
- Papers should be original and unpublished
- **Selected papers will be published in Peer Reviewed Journal with ISSN.**

REGISTRATION FEE:

Faculty & Academicians: 300/-
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Last Date of Abstract Submission: 15-03-2026
Last Date of Full Paper Submission: 25-03-2026
Abstract & Full Papers shall be sent to :
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ABOUT HYDERABAD

The Old City of Hyderabad is the historic and cultural heart of Hyderabad in the state of Telangana, India. Established in the late 16th century by Muhammad Quli Qutb Shah, the Old City developed around the iconic Charminar and reflects the rich legacy of the Qutb Shahi rulers and the later Asaf Jahi (Nizam) dynasty. The area is known for its magnificent monuments, traditional markets, and vibrant Indo-Islamic heritage. The Old City is famous for landmarks such as Charminar, Mecca Masjid, Falaknuma Palace, Chowmahalla Palace, Purani Haveli, and Khursheed Jha ki Devdi, which showcase impressive Islamic architecture and the royal lifestyle of the Nizam era. It is also a major commercial hub, with bustling bazaars like Laad Bazaar and Pathergatti known for bangles, pearls, perfumes, traditional clothing, and popular street food.

ABOUT THE COLLEGE

Government Degree College for Women, Hussaini Alam is a government higher-education institution located in the historic Old City of Hyderabad, Telangana. Established in 1984 and affiliated with Osmania University, the college aims to provide accessible and quality higher education to women, particularly from the surrounding Old City and nearby urban communities.

The college offers undergraduate and postgraduate programmes in Arts, Commerce, and Science streams, including B.A., B.Com., B.Sc., and selected postgraduate courses. With a student strength of around 3,000 students, the institution plays a significant role in promoting women's education and empowerment in the region. Along with academics, it encourages skill development, career guidance, and participation in extracurricular activities such as NSS, cultural programmes, and awareness campaigns. Government scholarships and fee-reimbursement schemes support many students in continuing their education.

ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT

The Department of Economics has been offering Economics as a part of Social Sciences since the inception of the college. The Department is committed in providing quality education in Economic Theory, Policy, and Practical Applications. It aims to develop students' analytical thinking, research skills, and understanding of contemporary economic issues at local, national, and global levels. Through experienced faculty, interactive teaching methods, seminars, projects, PPT presentations and field visits, the department encourages students to connect economic concepts with real-world situations. It also promotes academic excellence, and career readiness, preparing students for higher studies, competitive examinations, and diverse professional opportunities.

ABOUT THE SEMINAR

As India marches toward its centenary of independence, the vision of Viksit Bharat @ 2047 represents a commitment to transforming the nation into a developed, inclusive, and technologically empowered economy. Central to this journey is digitalization, which serves as the backbone for modern governance, economic equity, and social progress. This National Seminar aims to examine how digital innovation can act as a catalyst for sustainable national building.

The seminar explores critical pillars of the digital revolution, including the expansion of 5G infrastructure, the rise of a robust Fin-Tech ecosystem, and the integration of emerging technologies like Artificial Intelligence (AI), Block chain, and the Internet of Things (IoT). While the Digital India initiative has already revolutionized public service delivery and financial inclusion through UPI and e-governance, significant hurdles remain. The discussions will address the "digital divide" in rural areas, the urgent need for cyber security, and the challenge of creating a future-ready, digitally skilled workforce.

Special emphasis is placed on Agri-tech for rural prosperity and Green Digitalization to ensure that technological growth aligns with environmental sustainability. By bringing together academia, policymakers, and industry experts, this seminar aims

to provide a strategic roadmap. Ultimately, the goal is to identify policy reforms and innovative solutions that ensure digital transformation which leads to an equitable and prosperous India by 2047.

OBJECTIVES:

1. To understand the role of digitalization in boosting India's journey towards Viksit Bharat @2047.
2. To strengthen the digital economy by ensuring universal financial inclusion promoting strong cyber security.
3. To explore opportunities for strengthening digital governance and improving public service delivery.
4. To access the role of emerging technologies such as AI, Internet of things (IOT), Block chain and Big data in nation building.
5. To promote technology driven learning and digital skilling for future ready workforce.
6. To promote Agri-tech and rural digitalization for higher productivity, market access.

PROPOSED THEMES AND SUB-THEMES OF NATIONAL SEMINAR:

- 1. Digital Infrastructure & Connectivity**
 - Expanding digital reach to rural and remote areas.
 - 5G, AI, and emerging technologies in national development.
 - Smart cities and digital governance
- 2. Digital Economy & Financial Inclusion**
 - FinTech and digital payments for inclusive growth.
 - Role of block chain and crypto currencies in India's economy.
 - MSMEs and startups in the digital era.
- 3. E-Governance & Public Service Delivery.**
 - Digital India: Progress and future roadmap.
 - AI and big data for governance efficiency.
 - Cyber security and data privacy in e-governance.
- 4. Digital Transformation in Education & Skill Development**
 - Online education and Ed-Tech innovations
 - AI-driven personalized learning
 - Up skilling and re-skilling for the digital economy.