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We cordially invite the final year post-graduate students to this training program

Selection of Journal for Research Publications

On

24th January 2026
2.00 PM onwards

Venue:

Dr. B.C.Roy, Seminar Hall
University Library Learning
Resource Centre



Dear Sir/Madam,

It is our immense pleasure to inform you that the University Library Learning Resource Centre, SDUAHER, Kolar, is organising a workshop on “**Selection of Journals for Research Publications**” on 24th January 2026, from 2.00 PM at Dr. B. C. Roy Seminar Hall, ULLRC, SDUAHER, for 2023-24 batch PG students, SDUMC.

The main aim of this hands-on workshop is to familiarise on how to identify predatory Journals, features of Predatory and cloned journals.

- Impact Factor (IF): A higher IF indicates greater citation potential.
- SCImago Journal Rank (SJR): Measures journal influence beyond citations.
- Indexing: Prefer journals indexed in PubMed, Scopus, Web of Science, MEDLINE, DOAJ, etc.
- Journal Finder



Resource Persons:



Dr. Shilpa M.D., MBBS, MD.

Professor, Dept. of Pathology, SDUMC constituent of SDUAHER, Kolar. She has eleven years of teaching experience and has published scientific research articles in National and International Journals indexed in Scopus, PubMed and Web of Science. She is involved in conducting many research projects in her field of expertise.



Dr. Prakash, MLISc, M.Phil., Ph.D.

University Librarian, SDUAHER, Kolar. He has thirty years of experience as a Librarian. He has published scientific research articles in National journals. He has conducted hands-on training on research methodology, reference management Tools (Mendeley & Zotero), Selection of Journals for research publications and plagiarism (Turnitin), literature search and many more.



PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

2.00 PM

REGISTRATION

2.15 PM

Welcome Address

2.20 PM

Lighting the Lamp

Address by

Chief Guests

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Chief Administrative Officer, SDUAHER

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Registrar, SDUAHER

Dr. Prabhakar K.

Dean FoM & Principal, SDUMC

2.30 PM

Training Programme

Publish or Perish: the Trap of Predatory Journals

Dr.Shilpa M.D.

Prof. of Pathology, SDUMC

3.00 PM

Tea Break

3.15 PM

Selection of Journal for Research Publications

Dr. Prakash

University Librarian, SDUAHER

Feedback & Post-Test

Vote of Thanks



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University Library Learning Resource Centre

Date:13/02/2026

Sl. No.	Name & Level of Event: Workshop on “Selection of Journal for Research Publications” on 24/01/2026 at Dr. B.C.Roy Seminar Hall, ULLRC, SDUAHER, Institutional Level
1	Hands-on training on “Selection of Journal for Research Publications for Postgraduate students 2023-24 batch, SDUMC to familiarise organised by UNIVERSITY LIBRARY AND LEARNING RESOURCE, SDUAHER
2	Background /Introduction
	<p>The University Library Learning Resource Centre, SDUAHER, Kolar organised a hands-on workshop on “Selection of Journal for Research Publications” on 24th January 2026, from 2.00 PM at Dr. B. C. Roy Seminar Hall, ULLRC, SDUAHER for 2023-24 batch PG students, SDUMC. The main objective of the workshop was to familiarise on how to identify predatory Journals, features of Predatory and cloned journals. Impact Factor (IF): A higher IF indicates greater citation potential. SCImago Journal Rank (SJR): Measures journal influence beyond citations. Indexing: Prefer journals indexed in PubMed, Scopus, Web of Science, MEDLINE, DOAJ, etc. Journal Finder.</p> <p>The program commenced with a welcome address by Ms. Pooja, MBBS, 2023-24 Batch, SDUMC, Kolar. The workshop was inaugurated by Dr. Prof. Muninarayana C., Registrar, SDUAHER, Kolar. In his inaugural address, he emphasised the importance of selecting appropriate journals for research publications. He explained the significance of journal indexing in databases such as SCOPUS, Web of Science, and the UGC CARE List, and expressed importance of verifying indexed journals using various tools. Additionally, he provided an overview of UGC, NMC, and NIRF norms related to research publications and degree awarding, highlighting their relevance in maintaining academic standards and institutional rankings.</p> <p>The workshop was led by Dr. Shilpa M.D., Professor, Department of Pathology, SDUMC. She emphasized that selecting the right journal for publishing medical research is crucial for ensuring visibility, credibility, and academic impact. She provided a brief overview of key factors to consider while choosing a journal, including scope and relevance to the research topic, indexing and reputation, impact factor and citation metrics, avoidance of predatory journals, and adherence to journal guidelines and peer-</p>

	<p>review processes. She also stressed the importance of ensuring that journals follow ethical standards, including the COPE (Committee on Publication Ethics) guidelines.</p> <p>She highlighted that selecting an appropriate journal enhances the reach and recognition of research work, improves citation potential, and strengthens academic profiles for promotions and regulatory compliance. Publishing in indexed and ethically governed journals also safeguards the integrity of research and contributes to institutional rankings and accreditation standards.</p> <p>Dr. Prakash, Assistant Professor and Senior Librarian, ULLRC, SDUAHER, briefed the participants on the practical steps for verifying journals using platforms such as SCOPUS, Web of Science, UGC CARE List, DOAJ, and Journal Finder tools. He demonstrated how to check journal indexing status in SCOPUS and Web of Science databases, verify approved journals through the UGC CARE List, and identify open-access journals through the Directory of Open Access Journals (DOAJ). He also explained the use of Journal Finder tools to match research manuscripts with suitable journals based on subject scope, keywords, and publication criteria. The session helped participants understand how to select credible journals and avoid predatory or non-indexed publications.</p>
3	Venue: Dr. B.C.Roy Seminar Hall, ULLRC, SDUAHER
4	Sponsors
	ULLRC, SDUAHER
5	Inauguration
	Welcome Address by Ms Pooja V. MBBS Student 2023 Batch., Dr. (Prof.) Muninarayana C., Registrar, SDUAHER SDUAHER inaugurated and enlightened the workshop.
6	Resource Persons / Judges / Chairman / Panel Team Dr. Shilpa M.D., Assoc. Professor Department of Pathology, SDUMC Dr. Prakash, Asst. Professor / Librarian, ULLRC, SDUAHER, Kolar,
7	Participants & Delegates in Number:
	51
8	Awards / Prices: Nil
9	Valedictory To conclude Mr. Ganga Reddy A, Asst. Librarian delivered the vote of thanks.
10	Any Other Information
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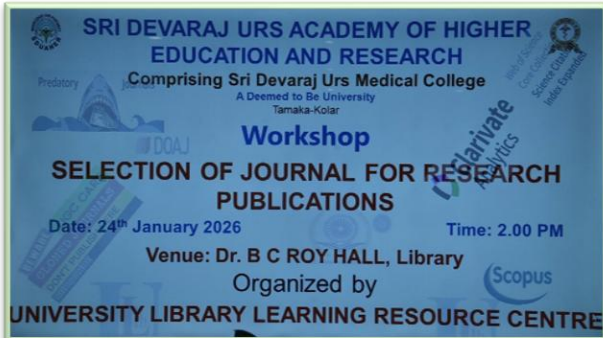

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PHOTOS

Workshop-on “SELECTION OF JOURNAL FOR RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS” for postgraduate students 2023-24 batch, SDUMC on 24th January 2026





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