

# Two Days International Multidisciplinary Conference "Navigating Complexity, Fostering Holistic Development, and Environmental Sustainability: A Multidisciplinary Approach to 21st Century Challenges" Vivekananda Global University, Jaipur India International Council for Education, Research and Training UN World Environment Day, June 05-06, 2025

Warm Greetings!

Vivekananda Global University, Jaipur India, and International Council for Education, Research and Training (ICERT), India & USA, is organizing Two Days International Multidisciplinary Conference on "Navigating Complexity, Fostering Holistic Development, and Environmental Sustainability: A Multidisciplinary Approach to 21st Century Challenges" on the occasion of UN World Environment Day, June 05-06, 2025 at Vivekananda Global University Jaipur, India in blended/hybrid mode.

## **About the conference: Objectives & Sub-Themes**

The conference will provide the ideal opportunity to meet academics, practitioners, and experts in education, research, leadership, social sciences, humanities, management, science, art, culture, inclusive education, environmental education, engineering, law, health and public policy, to share their experience and projects to receive quality feedback.

Professional, academicians, scholars, researchers, psychologists, special educators, practitioners, and Postgraduate/ Graduate students are invited to submit their abstracts to be considered for presentation at the Conference. Speakers and presenters will share new concepts, best practices, knowledge, experience, theories, and solutions, with a focus on promoting learning, professional development, education, and inspiration among professionals and academics in their respective fields.

The conference focuses on (but is not limited to) all areas of theoretical and empirical research in the following fields:

Arts, Culture, Humanities, Science, Law, Management, Social Sciences, Technology, Health, Engineering, Mass Media, Journalism, School Education, Higher Education, Banking, Economics, Languages, Commerce, etc. A few sub-themes are given below, but not limited to:

#### 1. Spirituality, Psychology, and Mental Health

- Mindfulness and Well-being: Communication Strategies for Inner Peace
- Spiritual Resilience and Psychological Healing in Crisis Situations





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- The Role of Meditation and Contemplative Practices in Stress Reduction
- Transpersonal Psychology and Spiritual Growth
- Spirituality as a Therapeutic Tool in Counseling and Psychotherapy

# 2. Communication, Media, and Digital Spirituality

- Social Media as a Tool for Spiritual Awakening and Global Consciousness
- The Rise of Digital Chaplaincy and Online Spiritual Counseling
- Virtual Reality and Augmented Reality in Religious and Spiritual Practices
- Ethical Challenges of AI in Spiritual Discourse and Communication
- Podcasting and Storytelling: Modern Narratives of Faith and Spirituality

## 3. Spirituality in Education and Leadership

- Integrating Spirituality into Modern Education Systems
- Ethical Leadership and Spiritual Intelligence in Corporate Communication
- Spiritual Literacy: Teaching Compassion and Values in Schools and Universities
- The Role of Spiritual Communication in Character Development
- Transformational Leadership Through Mindfulness and Spiritual Wisdom

#### 4. Science, Medicine, and Holistic Healing

- The Neuroscience of Spirituality: Scientific Perspectives on Faith and Consciousness
- Spirituality and Complementary Medicine: Bridging Ancient Wisdom with Modern Science
- The Role of Prayer and Meditation in Healing Chronic Diseases
- Energy Medicine and Spiritual Healing Practices
- Holistic Approaches to Palliative Care and End-of-Life Communication

# 5. Interfaith Dialogue, Ethics, and Global Harmony

- Interfaith Communication and Conflict Resolution in a Multicultural World
- Ethical and Philosophical Perspectives on Spiritual Communication
- The Role of Spiritual Dialogue in Peacebuilding and Global Cooperation
- Cross-Cultural Spirituality and Religious Pluralism in the Digital Age





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The Influence of Ancient Spiritual Texts in Modern-Day Ethics and Diplomacy

## 6. Spirituality, Sustainability, and Social Change

- Spiritual Approaches to Environmental Conservation and Climate Activism
- The Role of Indigenous Spirituality in Sustainable Development
- Spiritual Narratives in Political and Social Movements
- Ecospirituality: Bridging Ecology and Spiritual Consciousness
- Humanitarian Communication and Spiritual Activism for Global Welfare

# 7. Spirituality and Artificial Intelligence: Ethical and Philosophical Dimensions

- AI, Consciousness, and the Future of Spiritual Communication
- Chatbots and AI-driven Spiritual Counseling: Opportunities and Challenges
- The Ethics of Machine Spirituality: Can AI Experience Transcendence?
- Virtual Gurus and AI-assisted Religious Teachings
- The Role of AI in Preserving and Spreading Ancient Spiritual Knowledge

#### 8. Business, Economics, and Workplace Spirituality

- Corporate Spirituality: Enhancing Workplace Ethics and Employee Well-being
- The Role of Spirituality in Leadership and Organizational Communication
- Mindful Marketing: Ethical Branding through Spiritual Narratives
- The Economics of Spiritual Tourism: Pilgrimages in the Digital Age
- Money and Morality: The Intersection of Spiritual Values and Capitalism

#### 9. Performing Arts, Literature, and Spiritual Expression

- The Role of Music and Dance in Spiritual Communication
- Sacred Soundscapes: Chanting, Mantras, and Vibrational Healing
- Literature as a Medium for Spiritual Awakening and Personal Transformation
- Theater and Ritualistic Storytelling: Performing Faith in the Modern World
- Digital Spiritual Art: NFTs and the Evolution of Sacred Art Forms

#### 10. Gender, Identity, and Spirituality

• Feminine Spirituality: Women's Voices in Religious and Mystical Traditions





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- LGBTQ+ Spiritual Narratives: Reconciling Faith and Identity
- Masculinity and Spirituality: Rethinking Strength and Vulnerability
- Sacred Motherhood: Spiritual Dimensions of Parenting and Caregiving
- Spirituality and Social Justice: Addressing Inequality Through Sacred Communication

# 11. Spirituality and Youth: Challenges and Opportunities in the 21st Century

- Spiritual Awakening Among Millennials and Gen Z: Trends and Transformations
- Youth-led Spiritual Movements and Social Change
- Spirituality in Popular Culture: Movies, Comics, and Gaming
- Finding Purpose in a Distracted World: Communication Strategies for Young Minds
- The Role of Spirituality in Preventing Substance Abuse and Mental Health Crises

# 12. Mysticism, Metaphysics, and Consciousness Studies

- Near-Death Experiences (NDEs) and Communication with the Afterlife
- Psychedelics and Spirituality: Expanding Consciousness Through Sacred Medicine
- Astral Projection and Lucid Dreaming: Communicating Beyond the Physical Realm
- Quantum Consciousness and Spirituality: Exploring the Science of the Soul
- Esoteric Knowledge and Spiritual Enlightenment in the Information Age

## 13. Spirituality and Law: Rights, Freedom, and Ethics

- Freedom of Religion and Expression in a Digital World
- Spiritual Rights and Human Dignity: Legal Perspectives
- The Ethics of Proselytization in a Globalized Society
- Sacred Spaces and Urbanization: The Conflict Between Development and Devotion
- Spirituality in Legal Systems: Moral Foundations of Justice and Law

#### 14. Death, Dying, and Afterlife Communication

- Hospice Care and the Role of Spirituality in End-of-Life Conversations
- Cross-Cultural Beliefs on Death and the Afterlife
- Mediumship and Spirit Communication: Cultural and Psychological Perspectives





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- Digital Afterlife: Memorialization in the Age of Social Media
- Rituals and Traditions Surrounding Death in Different Faiths

## 15. Spirituality in Sports and Physical Well-being

- Yoga and Mindfulness in Athletic Performance
- The Role of Rituals and Prayer in Competitive Sports
- Martial Arts as a Spiritual Practice: The Mind-Body Connection
- Nature Sports and Ecospirituality: Finding God in Adventure
- Sports Psychology and the Power of Visualization: A Spiritual Approach

# 16. Law and Policy:

- International Environmental Law and Governance
- National Environmental Regulations and Enforcement
- Environmental Justice and Equity
- The Legal and Ethical Implications of Climate Change
- The Social and Cultural Dimensions of Environmental Change
- The Role of Arts and Literature in Promoting Environmental Awareness
- The Role of Education in Fostering Holistic and Sustainable Development
- Building Resilient Communities for Environmental and Social Challenges

#### 17. Multidisciplinary:

- Sustainable Business Models and Corporate Social Responsibility
- Green Finance and Investment for a Sustainable Economy
- Marketing and Consumer Behavior for Sustainable Consumption
- The Economics of Environmental Sustainability
- Digital Solutions for Environmental Sustainability
- Sustainable Design and Green Manufacturing
- Smart Cities and Sustainable Urban Development
- The Role of Technology in Promoting Holistic Well-being
- Biodiversity Conservation and Ecosystem Restoration
- Renewable Energy Technologies and Sustainable Infrastructure





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- Policy and Governance for Environmental and Social Harmony
- Community Engagement and Grassroots Initiatives for Environmental Action

Any other relevant topics related to the main theme or disciplines mentioned above, and UN SDGs.

Only original and previously unpublished work on a range of topics related to the conference theme will be accepted.

**Call for Research Papers:** Well researched papers on the theme/ sub-themes of the conference are invited from academicians, research scholars, students, professionals from different institutions. Abstracts of individual paper presentation proposals should be in about 300-500 words, in doc/word format. The participants should include in the abstract, details as to the title, name of author(s), University/Institution, and keywords.

A proceeding book of the conference including all abstracts (all presenters) with ISBN, papers presented during the conference, a print copy to physically present candidates, and soft copy to all, will be provided to all research presenters.

**Best Paper Presentation Award**: A Certificate of Best Paper Presentation, Best paper presentation award, will be awarded to two best presenters from each technical session.

**Paper Publication**: Authors who will present their research papers in the conference will be eligible to send their research paper (same as presented or different) for publication in following Journals:

**ICERT International Multidisciplinary Journals**, peer reviewed academic/ scholarly, open access journals with DOI. To know more about the journal, please visit <a href="https://www.icert.org.in">www.icert.org.in</a>. Accepted papers will be published in July 2025

## 1. Shodh Sari-An International Multidisciplinary Journal

An International scholarly/ academic journal, peer-reviewed/ refereed journal, ISSN: 2959-1376

#### 2. Edumania-An International Multidisciplinary Journal

An International scholarly/ academic journal, peer-reviewed/ refereed journal, ISSN : 2960-0006





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#### **Submission Guidelines:**

- Full length papers should not exceed 8000 words don't add endnotes or footnotes.
- For English Full paper: It should be typed in Microsoft Word. The font should be "Times New Roman" with "12" size for matter,16 size in bold for title, 14 size in bold for main headings & 12 size in bold for sub-headings, having line spacing of 1.5 inch and one-inch custom margin on all sides & A4 Size Paper.
- For Hindi Full paper: It should be typed in Microsoft Word in "Unicode" with font size14 for content, 16 bold for title & 14 bold for headings, having line spacing of 1.5 inch and one-inch custom margin on all sides.
- A Uniform Style for Citation should be strictly adhered to while submitting full length papers.
- All in-text citations must be hyperlinked with the references (cross-reference). Use the word
  reference tab for cross-referencing and hyperlinking. We also recommend you use Mendeley
  or other referencing tools.
- Submit a brief profile of the author on the Word file/ doc file, which should not exceed more than one page, and try to keep it as brief as possible.
- Each article must be submitted with an impact statement of not more than 150 words.
- References/ bibliography must be serialized as 1, 2, ......
- Provide write you ORCiD, google scholar, academia, or other identifiers if you have one in your profile.
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Chanakya Award 2025





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Applications are invited from professionals, academicians, health professionals-teaching faculty, industry professionals-trainer/ leaders, and social reformers/ educationist for the prestigious international award "Chanakya Award 2025", for their excellence in education, innovations in academics, research, social welfare, and youth empowerment, will also be presented by the ICERT to recognize prominent personalities for their respected achievements & contribution in their respective fields and society as per the category and the eligibility.

"Chanakya Award" is a commemoration and homage to Chanakya, who was a professor, philosopher, a great scholar, and a royal adviser. ICERT Chanakya Award is recognition & felicitation to the educator who is an apt example of a true Guru and an ideal teacher or a social reformer.

# **Eligibility Criteria:**

- 1. The application must have the minimum 30 yrs. age
- 2. The applicant must have demonstrated keen learning attitude, and achievements in life.
- 3. Applicants must have adequate experience in education, industry, social welfare or other discipline, and have positively contributed towards youth empowerment.
- 4. Must mention your social contribution and achievement in the profile before uploading in registration form.
- 5. Your profile must consist of
  - (i) Your full name as per your academic/ government approved identity document, and DOB.
  - (ii) Current work affiliation and job title, and contact info.
  - (iii) Educational qualification including degree, courses etc., with dates, and institution names,
  - (iv) Current and past employment with institution name, dates, and title
  - (v) Award citation and honours if any
  - (vi) Research experience with journal name and ISSN number with volume and issue number
  - (vii) Social welfare activities with evidences, social profile links/identifiers, etc.





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Award nomination is not a matter of award recognition claim, all nominations will be screened by the Award Screening Committee, the committee decision will be final and selected members will be informed via ICERT email: <a href="mailto:awards@icert.org.in">awards@icert.org.in</a>

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Only participation Fee is \$10 USD/ Rs. 700

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Award nomination & Processing fee is \$30 USD/Rs. 3000

A fee of \$40 USD/Rs. 4000 for conference participation, research paper presentation and award nomination. (For one author, 500 additional fee for each co-author)

A fee of Rs. 4000 for research paper presentation, publication and award nomination. (For one author, 500 additional fee for each co-author)

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A soft and hard copy of the Award Certificate, Printed & Framed Award Certificate will be provided to each awardee.

Date of conference: June 05-06, 2025

Time: 11:00 am to 2:30 pm (Indian Standard Time)

Registration Link: https://forms.gle/AC8pQMSzMEm5xEvB7

Kindly note that the last date of the following:

Last date of registration: May 30, 2025

Last date of submission of abstract: May 30, 2025





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Last date of Award Application: May 30, 2025

Full Paper Submission: May 30, 2025

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Early submissions are greatly appreciated

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