A Report Summary on 4th International Conference on The Role of Innovation Entrepreneurship and Management for Sustainable Development (ICRIEMSD-2023)

The fourth international conference on The Role of Innovation Entrepreneurship and Management for Sustainable Development (ICRIEMSD-2023) held on 3rd and 4th November, 2023 at OP Jindal University, Raigarh in Hybrid Mode. The conference brought together 300 plus participants from various academic institutes, universities and industry across the globe. This was a two-day international conference organized by the School of Management, OP Jindal University in association with Sohar University Oman and Jose Maria College Philippines.

The first day of the conference was organized Offline at Sayaji Hotel Raipur and second day was organized Online.

The conference was started with the welcome address from Dr. R D Patidar, Vice Chancellor, OP Jindal University. Hon'ble Chief guest Prof. Rajiv Prakash, Director, IIT Bhilai addressed the audience by providing an insight to the entrepreneurship ecosystem in India and IIT Bhilai. The Guest of honor Mr. Pradeep Tandon, President, Corporate affairs, Jindal Steel & Power addressed the audience by sharing the importance of innovation in the industry context.

The Inaugural session also witnessed the addresses by special guests Dr. M.K. Verma, Vice Chancellor, CSVTU, Bhilai, CS Sharad Kankani, President, ICSI Raipur Chapter. The representative from conference partner institutions Dr. Felix Chavez Jr., President, JMC Inc., Philippines and Dr Hamdan Sulaiman Al Fazari, Sohar University, Oman also shared their thought about the conference.

The Conference Souvenir was released by Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Chief Guest and all the dignitaries on the dice. Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, OPJU honored the Chief Guest and the Guest of Honors with a token of appreciation in the form of a memento. Dr. Himanshu Vaishnaw Convenor of the conference proposed vote of thanks.

Soon after the Inaugural session, a special lecture session on "Recent trends in management education" was conducted. The lecture session was taken by Dr. Sumeet Gupta, Professor IIM Raipur. In the session he has shade the light on the emerging trends in management research.

The conference received overwhelm response, total 255 abstract from the various reputed institutes in the India such as AMU, Ashoka University, Vellore institute of technology, Delhi University, University of Allahabad, EDI Ahmadabad, Amity university, National Institute of Construction Management and Research, BITS Pilani

Hyderabad Campus, ICFAI University, Jamia Millia Islamia, Pondicherry University, National Institute of Technology Kurukshetra, GITAM University Bengaluru, Defence Institute of Advanced Technology etc. and foreign participants were from Albania, Algeria, Oman, Philippines, Peru, Nepal, Morocco, USA, Indonesia etc. Out of 255, 200 abstracts were accepted for the presentation. Total 150 full paper have been received and presented in the 21 technical sessions of the two days conference. The 21 technical sessions chaired by various eminent academicians and researchers from the very reputed Institutes of the globe such as Middlesex University, Dubai, Indian Institute of Management Raipur, Sohar University, Oman, B R Ambedkar University Lucknow, NIT Hamirpur , University of Mindanao, Philippines, IBS, Hyderabad, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi , NIT Patna, National Forensic Science University, Gandhinagar,

University of Southampton Malaysia, Guru Ghasidas University, Bilaspur, KTO Karatay University, Türkiye, GITAM University, Visakhapatnam etc.

The first day total 4 technical sessions on the various themes have been conducted in the physical mode. Out of 4 technical session one session was fully devoted the students track categories in which only students have presented their papers. Total 45 research papers have been presented by the various researchers from the different institutes of India.

The second day of the conference began with the parallel session. Total 110 papers have been presented in the 17 technical sessions. After the technical session a workshop on "Publishing impactful research" was organised. The resource person of the workshop was Dr. Abhijeet Bishwas, a young professor from Institute of management studies BHU Varanasi. He has provided the various tips and guidelines regarding how to write and publish impactful research in management discipline.

In the Valedictory function we had eminent speakers Dr. RD Patidar Vice chancellor, OP Jindal University, Dr. Sandeep Poddar, Deputy Vice Chancellor (Research & Innovation), Lincoln University, Malaysia, Dr. Sudhir Rana, Professor, Gulf Medical University, UAE & Editor, FIIB Business Review, Dr. Siew Chan, Associate Professor, University of North Georgia, Dr. Felix Chavez Jr., President, JMC Inc., Philippines, Dr Hamdan Sulaiman Al Fazari, Sohar University, Oman.

The conference report was presented by Dr. Saurabh Gupta, Convenor of the ICRIEMSD-2023. Total 21 best paper awards (One in each technical session) were announced by Prof. Manoj Kumar Mishra, Convenor of the conference. On behalf of the School of Management OP Jindal University, Dr. J P Rath, Associate Professor, delivered Vote of thanks. That concludes a remarkable, memorable, knowledgeable conference ICRIEMSD-2023.