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**Announcement**  
**Invitation of Applications for Financial Grant for Organizing Seminars,**  
**Conferences, Workshops**  
**&**  
**Research Methodology Workshop / Capacity Building Program**  
**(AY-2023-24)**

**Notification Date: 01.08.2023**

The 'Western Regional Center' of ICSSR' (WRC/ICSSR), set up with the approval of the Government of Maharashtra in January 1973, in collaboration with the University of Mumbai, is located at the Kalina campus of the University of Mumbai. The Western Regional Office of the ICSSR covers following three states in the Western Region: Maharashtra, Goa and Gujarat.

**Some defined activities of the WRC/ICSSR are as follows:**

1. To organize as well as fund training courses in Research Methodology in the social sciences as approved by ICSSR from time to time;
2. To arrange as well as fund lectures, seminars and discussions for Indian social scientists with the help of eminent social scientists;
3. To undertake any other programs designed to promote and facilitate social science research in the region;
4. To extend financial support for quality Minor Research projects in Social Sciences (limited number);
5. To extend book and journal grants;
6. To maintain a hostel / Guest house facility where the social scientists can stay at a minimal cost, etc.

**In reference to above stated activities, the WRC/ICSSR is inviting applications for:**

- A. Financial grant for organizing **lectures, seminars, conferences and discussions for Indian social scientists** (Financial Grant Limit: Rupees One lakh and fifty thousand).



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Social Science Research

The application format is available at following link: <https://mu.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2021/12/Format-for-Application-of-Seminar-Conference-Workshops.pdf>

- B. Financial grant for organizing **training and capacity building program in Research Methodology** in the social sciences (Duration 10-12 days). The application format is available at following link: <https://mu.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2022/01/Application-Format-for-Research-Methodology-Workshop-CBP.pdf>

The indicative outline of Curriculum For Ten Days Research Methodology Course and Capacity Building Program is available at following link: <https://mu.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2022/01/CURRICULUM-FOR-TEN-DAYS-RESEARCH-METHODOLOGY-COURSE-and-CAPACITY-BUILDING-PROGRAM.pdf>

Applicants can mail the duly filled application forms at email id: [wrcmumbai@gamil.com](mailto:wrcmumbai@gamil.com)

They are also requested to send duly filled form (hardcopy) at the following address:

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**Vidyanagari, Kalina**  
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**Maharashtra**

**THE LAST DATE FOR SUBMISSION OF GRANT REQUEST APPLICATIONS FOR ORGANIZING LECTURES/ SEMINARS/ CONFERENCES/ SYMPOSIUM/ RM-CBP (Proposed dates of organizing programs spread till 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2024) IS 30<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER, 2023**

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Honorary Director, WRC/ICSSR