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Lecture and hands-on

"Journal Indexing 101: Understanding the Basics"



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"Indexing 101: Understanding the Basics"
For Faculty

Organized by

Central Research Publication Unit

5th April, 2024 10:00 am to 11:30 am

UG section of the Library BVDU, Dental College and Hospital, Sangli

- Name of Activity —: Lecture & Hands-on "Journal Indexing 101:
 Understanding the Basics"
- **Date –:** 11th April, 2024
- Time -: 10:00 am. To 11:30 am.
- Venue –: UG section of the Library
- Organiser –: Central Research and Publication Unit (CRPU)
- Name of Presenter -: Dr. Tanushri Dalvi, Associate Professor, Department of Public Health Dentistry & Dr. Shashank Vijapure, Assistant Professor, Department of Periodontology
- Faculty In-charge-: Dr. Mamata Kamat, Co-ordinator, CRPU
- Nature of Activity -: Indoor
- Number of Participants -: 52

The Central Research and Publication Unit (CRPU), Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University) Dental College and Hospital, Sangli organized a lecture and hands-on workshop titled "Journal Indexing 101: Understanding the Basics" for faculty members. Dr. Tanushri Dalvi, Associate professor, Department of Public Health Dentistry and Dr. Shashank Vijapure, Assistant professor, Department of Periodontics conducted the lecture and Hands-on respectively. Dr. Mamata Kamat (CRPU Co-Ordinator), welcomed the faculty members and introduced the speakers.

The lecture began with an introduction to the importance of journal indexing in academic publishing, emphasizing its role in enhancing research visibility and impact. Various indexing databases, such as Web of Science, Scopus, PubMed, and Google Scholar, were discussed, highlighting their coverage areas and significance. The session focused on highlighting various indexing databases, navigating their homepages, searching for journal indexing status, and discerning predatory journals.

The speaker provided insights into the features and functionalities of each indexing database, enabling faculty members to understand how to explore their homepages efficiently and search for journal indexing status.

Hands-on Workshop:

Following the lecture, faculty members were divided into groups for a hands-on activity. Each group was tasked with finding a given journal in various indexing databases. Participants utilized the skills learned during the lecture to navigate the databases' homepages, search for the journal, and determine its indexing status.

Additionally, checklists and handouts were distributed to aid participants in identifying predatory journals. Practical exercises allowed faculty members to apply the knowledge gained and enhance their proficiency in utilizing indexing databases effectively.

Faculty feedback on the session received overwhelming response and appreciation.

This scientific session was organized under the guidance of Principal, Dr. Sharad Kamat and supported by CRPU Committee members; Dr. Mamata Kamat, Dr.Uma Datar-Chougule, Dr.Aditi Kanitkar, Dr.Tanushri Dalvi, Dr.Shashank Vijapure, Dr. Harshawardhan Kadam.









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