



# International Conference on

# Emerging Trends in Educating Persons with Disability

# 23<sup>rd</sup> January, 2019

organized by

# **Dr. MGR Institute of Special Education & Research**

# in collaboration with

**Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University** 

# India

**Dr. MGR Institute of Special Education & Research,** MGR Garden, Chennai **Dr. MGR Institute of Special Education and Research** is a Special Education College, affiliated to **Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University**, which is located in Dr. MGR Home & Higher Secondary School for the Speech & Hearing Impaired, MGR Garden Ramavaram, Chennai. Dr. MGR, the former Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu bequeathed his MGR Garden where he lived for more than 40 years, for the education and rehabilitation of persons with speech and hearing impairment. As per the wishes expressed in his will Dr. MGR Home and Higher Secondary School was established in January 1990 and has successfully helped to educate and rehabilitate hundreds of persons with speech and hearing impairment over the past 28 years. With the creative vision and enthusiasm of his wife Smt. Janaki Ramachandran, and well-wishers and the guidance and support of stalwarts in the field of rehabilitation, we could fulfill and carry out the wishes of Dr. MGR as expressed in his will. As a need was felt to establish a training college offering B. Ed. degree course in special education in order to train teachers to teach students who are deaf and hard of hearing, Dr. MGR Institute of Special Education was established.

#### **Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University** (The Government of Tamil Nadu enacted Act No. (33) of 2008), Chennai, Tamil Nadu

Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University is an exclusive University for teachers' education established by the Government of Tamil Nadu to promote excellence in teacher education. As many as 718 Colleges of Education (Govt., Govt. Aided & Self-financing) are affiliated to this University. A total of about 1.10 Lakh students are currently studying in both B.Ed and M.Ed programmes of 2-year duration. In addition, M. Phil & Ph. D programmes are offered in several colleges of Education. This University is unique in nature relatively to the other Universities since its assignment is to promote excellence in teacher education and create dynamic and smart teachers for the benefit of the society and the nation at large. The University is in pursuit of excellence by promoting human values for social harmony, providing quality teacher education for the rural students and to make the colleges of education excel through innovative teaching, research and extension activities. Their vision is to provide internationally comparable quality teacher education to the youth. The aim is not only focused on imparting subject knowledge and skills, but also to mould the students with better conduct and character committed to the social needs and national development.

### **About the Conference**

Inclusive and equitable quality education and promotion of lifelong learning opportunities provide a space to learn for children with special educational needs. Children with special educational needs have a right to suitable, effective and appropriate education. The International Conference on *"Emerging Trends in Educating Persons with Disability"* aims to bring together leading academic scientists, researchers and research scholars to exchange and share their experiences and research results on the aspects of latest developments in educating persons with disability through quality education. It also provides a premier interdisciplinary platform for researchers, practitioners and educators to present and discuss the most recent innovations, trends, and concerns as well as practical challenges encountered and solutions adopted in the fields of special education pertaining to disability. The audience will have the opportunity to learn about a range of approaches to research on panoramic education and psychosocial issues from small-scale qualitative studies to larger-scale quantitative research designs.

### Theme of the Conference

The conference aims to explore the latest thinking and research around effective access and engagement for pupils and to discuss the challenges and opportunities that present themselves in terms of ensuring access and engagement for children with disability from expertise around the globe.

The Major focus area of the Conference includes:

- 1. Managing diverse learners in classrooms
- 2. Early Intervention and early childhood education
- 3. Primary, secondary and higher education
- 4. Vocational training or skill development
- 5. Life oriented education of persons with special needs
- 6. Economic and social issues in education
- 7. Universal design
- 8. Assessment of persons with special needs Issues and Solutions
- 9. Technology and innovation in Teaching
- 10. Preparing prospective teachers for inclusive education
- 11. Government policies and RTE Act

## **Call for Papers**

The organizing committee of the conference invites prospective participants (academicians, professionals and postgraduate students) to contribute and help shape the conference through submissions of their research abstracts and full papers for consideration as an oral or poster presentation. High quality research contributions describing original and unpublished results of conceptual, constructive, empirical, experimental, or theoretical work in all areas of "*Emerging Trends in Educating Persons with Disability*" are cordially invited for presentation at the conference. The conference solicits contributions of abstracts of not more than 200 words and Full Papers including figures, tables and references must have a minimum length of 03 pages and cannot exceed 06 pages. The papers must be written in English within 12 pt Times New Roman in 1.5-line spacing that address themes and topic of the conference. The abstracts can be mailed to **tnteumgrconf2019@gmail.com** on or before the date specified.

#### **Important Dates to Remember**

Abstracts/Full-Text Paper Submission Deadline	December 20, 2018
Final Paper Submission & Early Bird Registration Deadline	December 25, 2018
Conference Date	January 23, 2019

#### **Registration Fee**

Category	<b>Registration Fee</b>
Students & Research Scholars	Rs. 250
Faculty	Rs. 500
Foreign Delegates	\$50

Registration fee is to be paid along with the registration form through Demand Draft (DD) drawn in favor of **"Dr. MGR Institute of Special Education and Research"** payable at Chennai. The registration fee can be transferred through online mode to the following account:

Dr. MGR Institute of Special Education and Research SB Account No: 0942132000004 IFSC: CNRB0000942 Bank: Canara Bank, Kasturba Nagar Branch, Adyar, Chennai, Tamil Nadu, India

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