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### A Report on “Formatting and Documentation in Writing Research Papers”

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A one-day workshop on “**Formatting and Documentation in Writing Research Papers**” was organised by Academic staff College in Rose Hall on 04.10.2018. The workshop was conducted by **Dr.B.Siva Nagaiah**, Assoc.Professor of English & Vice-Principal, ASC for the registered faculty members of ECE, CSE,MBA,CAMS and Fine Arts.

The objectives of the workshop areas follow:

What is Research?

What are Do’s and Don’ts in Research?

What are the aims of a qualitative Research?

How to prepare a publication ready paper?

The resource person Dr. B. Siva Nagaiah introduced the significance of academic research for the prosperity and growth of individual faculty for their successful career. He dealt with various key components of active research and the need for knowing the differences in style format and documentation techniques.

The resource person made a comparative analysis taking APA Style format, IEEE Style guide and MLA Style book into consideration. Further he dealt with the developments in various style formats from the previous edition to the present edition. He also presented a few papers published in online and print journals and discussed the variations in documentation and style formatting.

Dr. B. Siva Nagaiah made the participants understood how important it is to write a good abstract with key words, introduction, development of content including figures and tables and conclusion of a research paper with successful findings. He also mentioned the format for adding notes and references which is currently adopted in reputed journals as per the above mentioned style guides.

The participation certificates were distributed by Dr.K.L.Narayana, Dean-R&D at the end of the programme.Dr. V. Rajesh, Principal –ASC thanked the resource person for delivering the lecture to the satisfaction of the participants.



Resource Person : Dr.B.Siva Nagaiah, Assoc.Professor



Group Photo of the Participants and Certificates were distributed by Dr.K.L.Narayana, Dean R&D



