

# 65<sup>th</sup> All India Adult Education Conference

Lifelong Learning in Transforming Indian  
Educational Scenario

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## ABOUT THE COLLABORATING INSTITUTIONS

### Indian Adult Education Association, New Delhi

With a legacy spanning over 85 years, the Indian Adult Education Association (IAEA) stands as a beacon of Adult and Lifelong Education in India. Founded by luminaries like Dr. Zakir Husain, the IAEA has been pivotal in eradicating illiteracy through its extensive efforts in organizing seminars, conferences, and publications. Situated at Indraprastha Estate, New Delhi, this iconic institution continues to contribute significantly to the professionalization of adult education nationwide.

### Prajapita Brahma Kumaris Ishwariya Vishwa Vidyalaya, Abu Road

Brahma Kumaris, officially known as 'Prajapita Brahma Kumaris Ishwariya Vishwa Vidyalaya' is a worldwide spiritual movement dedicated to personal transformation and world renewal. Founded in 1937 in Hyderabad, Sindh (then a part of undivided India) by Prajapita Brahma, Brahma Kumaris has spread to over 110 countries in 5 continents of the world and has had an extensive impact on all sections of the society. It is working as an international NGO, associated with the United Nations Department of Public Relations. The organization is committed to help individuals transform themselves, based on the understanding of their true, spiritual identity, which transcends their mere material existence. It supports the cultivation of a deep collective consciousness of peace and of the individual dignity of each soul. Being a women – led organization it is widely known as Brahma Kumaris.

### Gandhigram Rural Institute (Deemed to be University), Dindigul

Gandhigram had its genesis on 7th October, 1947 and it progressed and expanded remarkably in the areas of rural community development under the dynamic leadership of its founders, Dr. G. Ramachandran and Dr. T. S. Soundaram Ramachandran, the dedicated disciples of Gandhiji. The Gandhigram Rural Institute of Higher Education was started in 1956 to bring higher education closer to the villagers. The significant educational experiment, broadly conforming to the recommendations of the Dr. R. Radhakrishnan Commission relating to rural universities and rural colleges, was inaugurated by Dr. R. Rajendra Prasad, the then President of India on August 1956.

## Conference Venue: Madhuban

The International Headquarters of Brahma Kumaris Madhuban in Mount Abu, Rajasthan, is not just a place; it's a spiritual sanctuary nestled in the serene Aravalli Ranges. It serves as the global headquarters of the Brahma Kumaris, welcoming over 35,000 guests annually. Madhuban offers an immersive experience in spiritual learning and peaceful living.

## Key Attractions:

**Gyan Sarovar (Lake of Knowledge):** A hub for learning, offering residential programs on moral and spiritual values. Includes the Universal Harmony Hall, International Spiritual Art Gallery, and a dedicated International Centre for Higher Learning.

**Shantivan (Forest of Peace):** A sprawling complex that hosts spiritual congregations and conferences, highlighted by the Diamond Hall, which seats 20,000 people.

**Peace Park:** A tranquil natural retreat nestled between the peaks of the Aravalli hills, perfect for meditation and reflection.

## Weather Information:

Mount Abu in January offers a crisp, cool climate with temperatures ranging from 9.8°C to 23.8°C. Attendees are advised to pack warm woolen clothing to stay comfortable during the event.

## How to Reach:

**By Train:** The nearest station is Abu Road, with complimentary shuttle services available to Shantivan.

**By Car:** Set your GPS to "Shantivan Complex, Abu Road, Rajasthan – 307510".

**By Air:** Fly to the nearest airports in Rajasthan or Ahmedabad, followed by a scenic drive to Abu Road.

## Registration Details Deadlines and Fees:

| Registration Period             | Delegates | Students |
|---------------------------------|-----------|----------|
| Till December 15, 2024          | ₹2500/-   | ₹1500/-  |
| December 16 - December 31, 2024 | ₹3000/-   | ₹2000/-  |

## Payment Methods:

### **Demand Draft:**

Payable to “Indian Adult Education Association” at New Delhi.

Address: Indian Adult Education Association, 17-B, Indraprastha Estate, New Delhi – 110 002.

### **NEFT:**

Bank: Canara Bank, DTC I.P. Depot, I.P. Estate

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## Paper Presentation

### **Abstract Submission:**

Submit by November 30, 2024 (max. 500 words) via [directoriatea@gmail.com](mailto:directoriatea@gmail.com).

### **Full Paper Submission:**

Due by December 20, 2024. (Format: MS Word, Times New Roman, 12pt, 1.5 spacing).

### **Sub-Themes Include:**

Interdisciplinary Approach through Lifelong Learning

Sociological Influence in Lifelong Learning in India

Professional Development through LLL

Lifelong Learning for Rural Transformation

Lifelong Learning in Higher Education

Lifelong Learning and Secondary Education

Lifelong Learning and Pre-School Education

Artificial Intelligence as a Strategy for Empowering Lifelong Learning

NGOs and Lifelong Learning

Value Education in Lifelong Learning

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