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## **PRESS-RELEASE**

**Orientation Session on ‘Academic Research and Understanding the Basics of Getting Published’ at IIT (ISM) Dhanbad; Ms Sumita Sen, Regional Training and Implementation Manager OUP for North & East Europe, South Asia and South East Asia, Middle East & Africa conducts the session.**

Research Scholars of IIT (ISM) today learnt the nuances of getting published, during an in person orientation session held at Central Library of the institute.

The occasion was Oxford University Press (OUP) session conducted by Central Library of IIT (ISM) during which they learnt about, how to write a manuscript, types of journal manuscripts, differences between a thesis and an article, how to select which journal you want to write for, how to upload a manuscript on OUP platform-article submission process, the journal publishing cycle, what is Open Access-Kinds of Open Access and Understanding Read & Publish.

The 90 minute session was conducted by Sumita Sen- Regional Customer Training and implementation Manager, North & East Europe, South and South East Asia, Middle East and Africa Online Resources and Journals of Oxford University Press (OUP) during which she also explained about the process of how to publish with Oxford Journals, features and advantages of OUP Journal Search, Oxford Reference Style, Peer Review Process and several other topics.

Ajay Mandal, Professor in Charge, Central Library, said, “The session conducted by Sumita Sen who has over 20 years of experience in training small and large groups across diverse industries was meant for the learners to walk away with an understanding of the publishing process and steps to follow when preparing to be published for the first time.

Central Library on August 29, 2023 also organized an online author workshop of Wiley during which the researchers were provided tips about how to craft and submit articles to high impact journals successfully and provide more insight into publication ethics, plagiarism, possible reasons for article rejections, and the expectations that editors may have for their authors and their work.

The workshop, titled, secrets of getting published in high-impact-factor journals held last year was conducted by Dr Yateendra Joshi who is recognized as only master editor of India and amongst the 30 master editors worldwide and is also a member of the Council of European Association of Science Editors.

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