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School of Business

presents

Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on

From Question to Synthesis:

A Hands-on Workshop on Systematic and Thematic Reviews

(Hybrid Mode)

21 July to 25 July 2025

Timings:

10:00 am – 4:30 pm

Venue:

MineRVa, RV Teachers College,
Jayanagar, Bengaluru

About RVU

RV University (RVU) is a new-age university for liberal education based in Bengaluru, India. RVU has been established by Rashtreeya Sikshana Samithi Trust (RSST), which has over eight decades of legacy of excellence in higher education. RVU is a State Private University under the RV University Act, 2019. It has received all regulatory approvals from the Government of Karnataka as well as University Grants Commission (UGC).

About the School of Business

School of Business (SoB) is driven by its vision "To cultivate future-ready socially responsible business leaders through a world-class, technology-infused education, empowering them to drive positive change in the global economy". SoB has implemented T-potential model of learning (to the depths and in breadth) complemented with the masterclasses, live projects, and opportunities to work with CXOs, International partners, policy makers, entrepreneurs to broaden the outlook of our students. This multidimensional approach gives them the edge in gaining perspectives, skills, and experience in solving real world issues.

About the Workshop

This comprehensive workshop is designed to equip researchers, academicians, and postgraduate students with the essential skills and tools to conduct high-quality systematic and thematic literature reviews. Participants will learn how to define research questions using frameworks like PICO, SPIDER, and CHIP, and how to plan and execute a structured review process. The sessions will cover strategies for effective literature search, selection and screening techniques, and methods for data extraction and synthesis. Special focus will be given to analyzing findings thematically, writing coherent and impactful review manuscripts, and presenting results using visual tools. By the end of the workshop, participants will be prepared to undertake their own systematic or thematic review projects with clarity and confidence.



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Spotlight Session



Dr. Rajeev R. Tripathi

Assistant Professor
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Special Session



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Assistant Professor
SoB, RV University

Convenor



Ms. Rajani Balaji

Assistant Professor
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About the Speakers:

Resource Person

Dr. Priyanka Suresh is a Ph.D. alumna of IIT Madras and a marketing scholar with teaching experience at JAGSoM, Bengaluru, NMIMS Mumbai, and Stella Maris College, Chennai. She blends academic depth with industry engagement through MDPs, consultancy, and impactful research. Her work has featured in leading conferences like IISC, IIM Nagpur, ISMS, and IMRDC, and has an ABDC 'A' journal publication to her credit. A recipient of the AIM–Sheth Research Proposal Award, she's equally at home with data, theory, and the case method—having recently attended the Harvard Business Publishing Case Teaching Seminar at IIMB. She has also served as a resource person for literature review workshops at RV University (March 2025) and for dual-degree scholars at IIM Sambalpur & University of Bordeaux (May 2025-online). She is fuelled by good questions, strong tea, and the belief that research can actually be fun.

Spotlight Session

Dr. Rajeev R. Tripathi is an Assistant Professor in the Production and Operations Management area at IIM Bangalore. His academic and professional interests lie at the intersection of sustainable operations, game theory, and supply chain economics.

He teaches across IIM Bangalore's MBA and doctoral programs, offering courses on Game Theory, Responsible Business Operations, and Operations Management. His excellence in teaching has been recognized within the institution. His research has been published in top-tier journals such as the European Journal of Operational Research, Journal of the Operational Research Society, and Operations Research Letters, and has received best paper awards at multiple academic conferences.

He holds a Ph.D. from IIT Madras and a B.Tech. from Cochin University of Science and Technology.

Special Session

Dr. Samudra Sen obtained his doctorate in Public Systems from the Indian Institute of Management Ahmedabad (IIMA). He also holds a Master degree with specialisation in Human Resource Management and a bachelor's degree in Computer Applications. Currently, Dr Sen is working as a faculty of Decision Sciences at School of Business, RV University, Bengaluru and is a IBM certified Data Science Professional. Dr. Sen's research interests include education, productivity analysis, public policy, etc. He has written several cases, published research articles, book chapters and reports.

Eligibility:

Open to Research Scholars and Faculty members

Registration Details:

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Registration deadline: Monday, 14 July 2025

Registration Fee:

Academicians/ Professionals – INR 3000
RV Faculty Members – INR 1500
Research Scholars – INR 1500

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