

A REPORT ON THE 14TH ANNUAL RESEARCH CONGRESS 2022

HELD ON 10.12.2022 (SATURDAY)

Karpagam Academy of Higher Education conducted the 14th Annual Research Congress on 10th December, 2022 in the MBA Seminar Hall at 10.00 a.m. The programme started with the invocation. Prof.B.V.Pradeep , Director, Research delivered the welcome address. Dr.R.Vasanthakumar, President delivered the Presidential Address and stressed the importance of research to the society. He also stated that the artificial intelligence and robotics may rule the world in future. The special address was given by Prof.K.Ramasamy, Chancellor, Karpagam Academy of Higher Education. He expressed the researchers to do multidisciplinary research discovery so that such products will be useful to the society. Prof.B.Venkatachalapathy, Vice Chancellor, delivered the inaugural address by wishing the researcher to do better in their field. The keynote address was by Dr.P.Shanmugam, Chief Scientist("G"), CSIR-Central Leather Research Institute, Chennai. The chief guest registered his gratitude to the management of Karpagam Academy of Higher Education for having given a platform for the research scholars to meet together and share their knowledge and understanding in their research area. He asked the young researchers to make their name memorable in the society by contributing their best. He said that learning with interest, emotion and involvement can lead to invention and the same will lead to innovative research. He also spoke that women can greatly involve in research and reach great heights. He encouraged the scholars with positive words He mentioned: "Learn till you get deep sleep and love to do hard work, so that you reach success in your life". The Chief guest highlighted the important phases of research such as collecting literature reviews, paraphrasing, summarizing, critical review of literature, comparisons, conceptualization, hypothesize, experimental hypothesis, analysis, interpreting, finding the novelty, conclusion and naming the novelty. Such process are mandatory in research that will help the scholars to do research in a coherent way. Finally, the vote of thanks was proposed by the Additional Director of Research, Dr. P. Suresh Prabhu.

Presentation by Ph.D. Scholars for KAHEARC-2022 was on the same day 10.12.2022 (Saturday) for 19 subjects soon after the Inaugural function.

Intimations had been sent to 433 Ph.D scholars (batches from July 2017 to July 2021 both FT/PT and January 2022 (FT only) by Email on 19th October 2022 and later first reminder and then second reminder.

Out of 433 Ph.D. scholars invited for KAHEARC-2022, 324 Scholars (74.8%) attended and presented their research work. 7 scholars conveyed their inability to attend due to various reasons. (Mails enclosed)

24 internal faculty members and 22 External members were invited as Experts/Co-ordinators. The research scholars of different disciplines presented their research work in Respective Departments, experts/co-ordinators of respective subjects being present for each session/hall. At the end of each presentation, there were discussions among the participants and Experts /Co-ordinators. Duly filled in reports were collected from the HODs/ Co-ordinators.