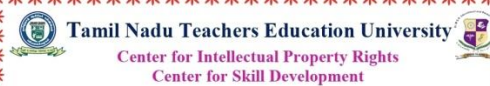


Report on One Week National Online Faculty Development Program on ‘MOOC Development and Digital Course Design’

Day 1: 08.06.2026

We are delighted to present a report on the inaugural and Day 1 session of the One-Week National Online Faculty Development Programme on ‘MOOC Development and Digital Course Design’ organized by Faculty of Education and Academic Staff College, Dr. M.G.R. Educational and Research Institute, Chennai, in association with the Centre for Intellectual Property Rights and Centre for Skill Development, Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University (TNTEU), Chennai on 8th June 2026. The programme received an overwhelming response, with more than 1200 participants, including faculty members, research scholars, and academicians from various colleges and universities across India.



Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University
Center for Intellectual Property Rights
Center for Skill Development

in association with

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jointly organizes

One Week National Online Faculty Development Program on

‘MOOC DEVELOPMENT AND DIGITAL COURSE DESIGN’

From 08.06.2026 to 13.06.2026

About TNTEU

The Government of Tamil Nadu enacted Act No. 33 of 2008 to provide for the establishment and incorporation of Teachers Education University in the State of TamilNadu. The Act came into effect from 01/07/2008 by Gazette Notification issued in G.O.M.S.256, Higher Education (K2) Department, dated 25/06/2008. Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University is a State University located in Chennai, Tamil Nadu, which specializes in Teachers' Education. As on 2012, 665 Colleges that are offering Bachelor of Education (B.Ed.) Degree Courses, are Affiliated with the University. Some of these affiliated colleges are also offering Master of education (M.Ed.). The University is accredited with NAAC 'A' grade by UGC. The Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University has signed many Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Government schools as well as B.Ed. colleges to help the school children for their upliftment.

About Center for Intellectual Property Rights – TNTEU

The Center for Intellectual Property Rights at Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University aims to create awareness about intellectual property rights among students, researchers, and faculty members. It promotes innovation, creativity, and original research activities within the academic community. The center provides knowledge about patents, copyrights, trademarks, and other forms of intellectual property protection. It helps scholars understand the importance of legally protecting their research work and creative ideas. Various seminars, workshops, conferences, and awareness programs are organized regularly to educate participants about intellectual property rights and their significance in the field of education and research. Guidance is also provided for patent filing, copyright registration, and related legal procedures. Professor P.C. Naga Subramani serves as the Director of the Center for Intellectual Property Rights and actively supports initiatives related to research.

SPEAKER DETAILS			
DATE	TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER DETAILS
08.06.2026	10.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m.	INAUGURAL	
	11.30 a.m. to 1.30 p.m.	Introduction to MOOCs and Online Learning Platforms	Dr. G. Mythili Additional Director, STRIDE, IGNOU, New Delhi. 
09.06.2026	10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.	Instructional Design and Course Planning for MOOCs	Prof. Pradeep Kumar Misra Director CPRHE, National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration New Delhi. 
10.06.2026	10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.	E-Content Development and Multimedia Tools	Prof. Mandar Bhanush Professor of Mathematics, University of Mumbai, Mumbai, Maharashtra. 
11.06.2026	10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.	Online Assessment and Learner Engagement Strategies	Prof. Dr. Sonal Jain PG Department of Computer Science and Technology Sardar Patel University, Gujarat. 
12.06.2026	10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.	AI Tools, Course Publishing, and Future Trends in MOOCs	Prof. Dr. Neeraj Kumar Rathore DEAN, Faculty of Computer Science, Indra Gandhi National Tribal University (IGNTU) Madhya Pradesh 
13.06.2026	10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.	Emerging Trends in Educational Technology and MOOCs	Prof. Gaurav Singh Professor (Educational Technology), Central Institute of Educational Technology (CIET), NCERT, New Delhi 
	12.30 p.m. to 1.00 p.m.	VALEDICTORY	

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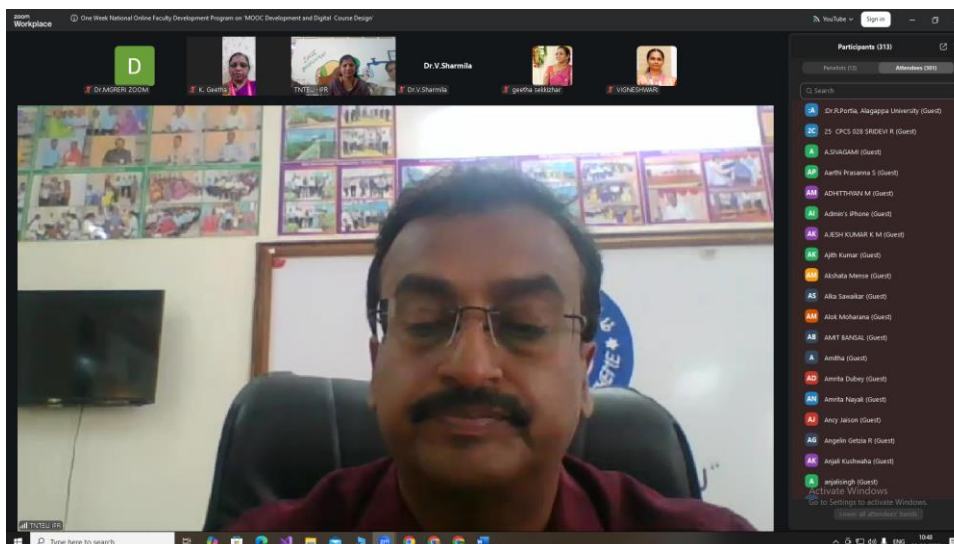
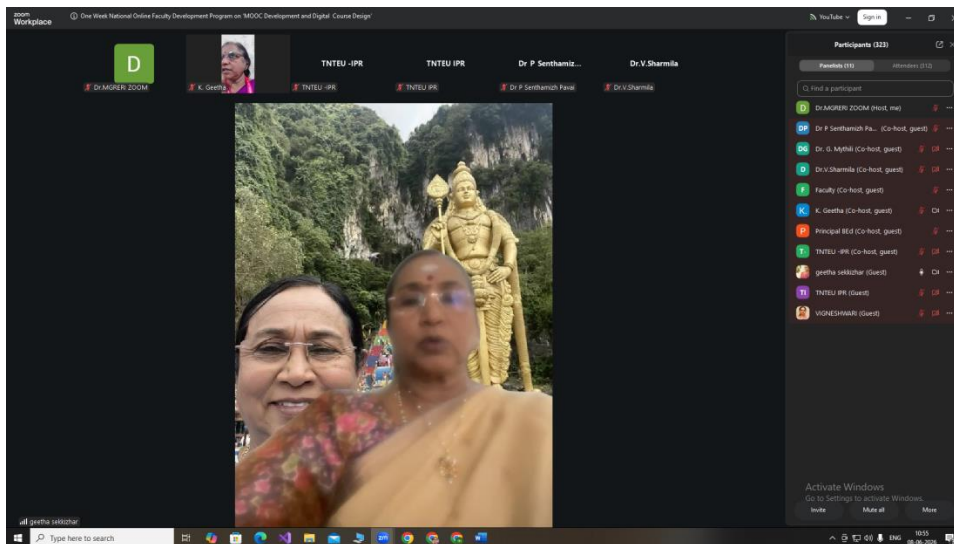
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Inaugural Session

The programme commenced with a warm welcome address by Prof. P. C. Naga Subramani, Director, Centre for Intellectual Property Rights, TNTEU, Chennai. Dr. V. Sharmila, Director,

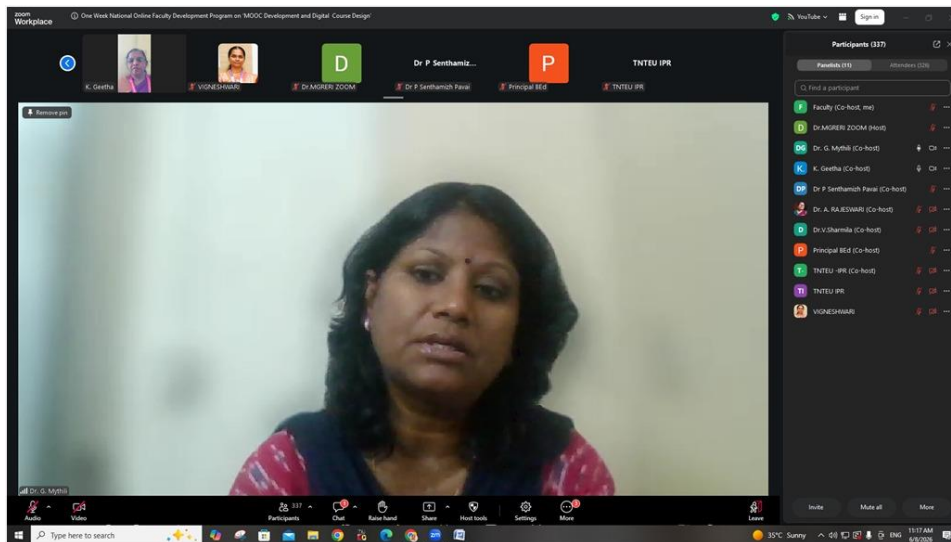
Centre for Skill Development, TNTEU, Chennai, introduced the theme of the FDP and highlighted the growing importance of MOOCs and digital learning in higher education.

The inaugural address was delivered by Dr. S. Geetha Lakshmi, Vice Chancellor, Dr. M.G.R. Educational and Research Institute, Chennai, who emphasized the transformative role of technology in education and highlighted the importance of equipping educators with digital competencies to meet the evolving demands of 21st-century teaching and learning. The presidential address was delivered by Dr. K. Rajasekaran, Registrar i/c, TNTEU, Chennai. The session concluded with a vote of thanks proposed by Dr. J. Vigneshwari, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Education, Dr. M.G.R. ERI, Chennai.



Day 1 Session

The Day 1 session started at 11.00 a.m. with the participation of 366 participants from various colleges and universities across India. The resource person was introduced by Dr. A. Rajeswari, Assistant Professor, Department of Curriculum Planning and Evaluation, TNTEU, Chennai. The first session on 'Introduction to MOOCs and Online Learning Platforms' was delivered by Dr. G. Mythili, Additional Director, STRIDE, IGNOU, New Delhi . She provided an overview of MOOCs, their significance, and differences from conventional online courses. The session covered SWAYAM guidelines and course development cycle, UGC Regulations 2024, credit transfer and credit value provisions, and the Six Quadrant Approach to MOOC development. She also highlighted the role of online learning platforms in promoting accessible, flexible, and learner-centric education. The session concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Dr. L. George Stephen, Assistant Professor, Department of Pedagogical Sciences, TNTEU, Chennai. Marking the beginning of the Faculty Development Programme, the Inaugural and Day 1 sessions offered valuable insights into MOOC development and digital course design, encouraging meaningful discussions on modern online teaching and learning practices.



Zoom Workplace

Dr. G. Mythili's screen

Dr. P. Senthambiz...

Development, delivery and Evaluation of Course on SWAYAM

Dr. G. Mythili
Additional Director
STRIDE, IGNOU

One Week National Online Faculty Dev...

Welcome Everyone

Who can see your message?

To: Everyone

Type message here...

Chat

Show chat previews

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Why SWAYAM

Prepared and organized by eminent Academician

No number limit

Added Course along with studies

No Age bar

Scheduled Online Course

Academic Development

Free of Cost (Certificate with a little fee)

Marks/grades secured in this exam could be transferred to the academic record of the students.

Assessment of the student through proctored examination

UGC has already issued the UGC (Credit Framework for online learning courses through SWAYAM)

Swayam Initiative of Government of India

Participants (164)

Dr. A.K. Komala, NITNCE (Guest)

Dr. Ashay Pratap Singh (Guest)

Dr. Anilak (Guest)

Dr. Ash Muralida (Guest)

Dr. E. JVA SUDHA (Guest)

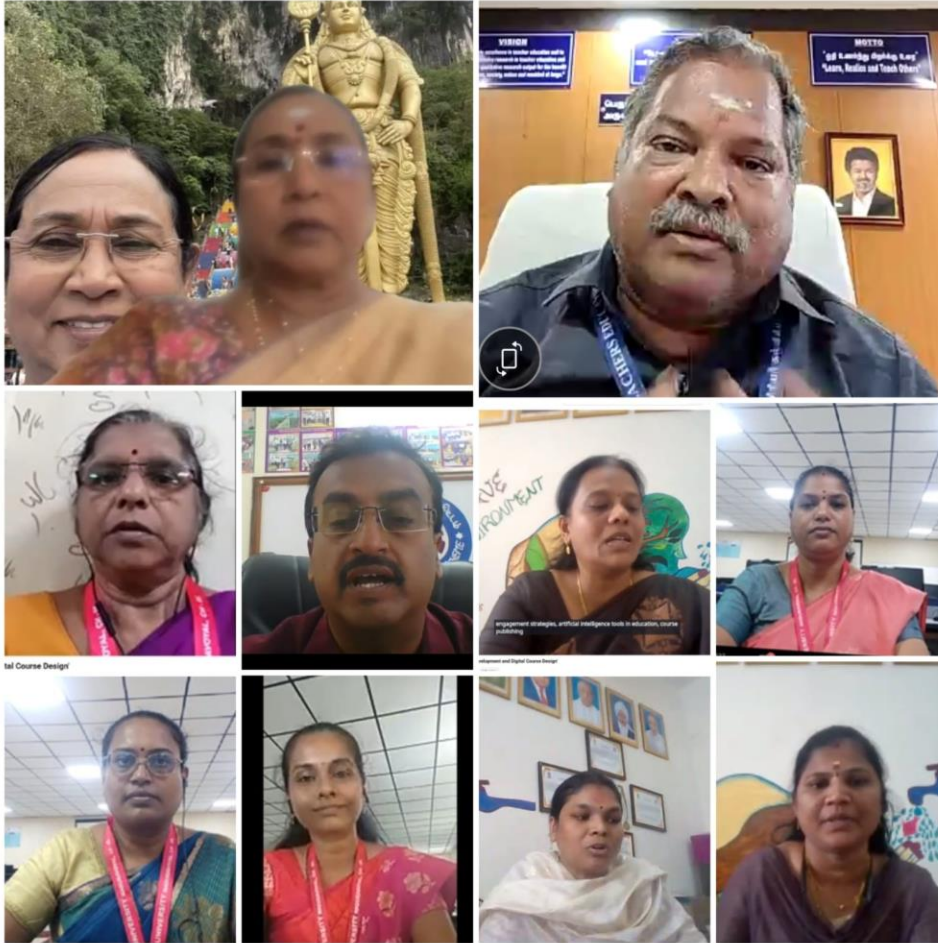
Dr. C. Reddy Appara (Guest)

Dr. Dilligani (Guest)

Dr. Deepa, C (Guest)

Dr. Hemanta Jadhav (Guest)

Dr. J. S. Divya, POME - RCMAPRI (Guest)



Day 2: 09.06.2026

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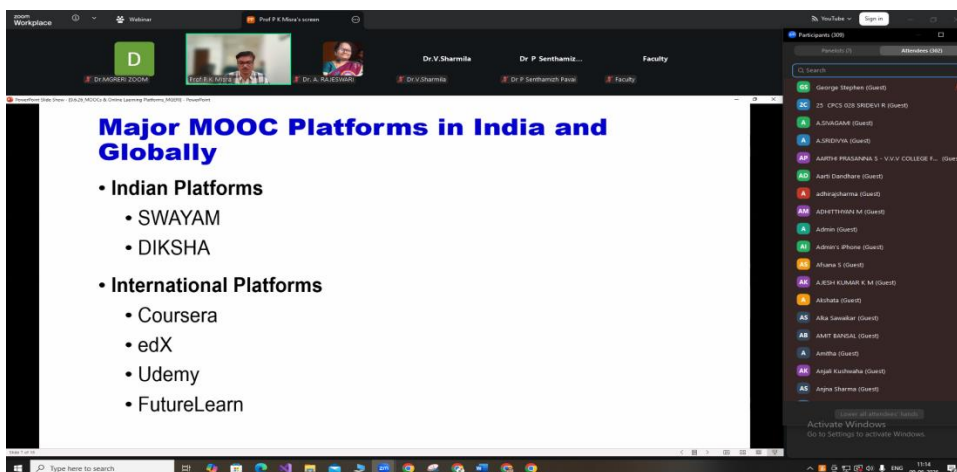
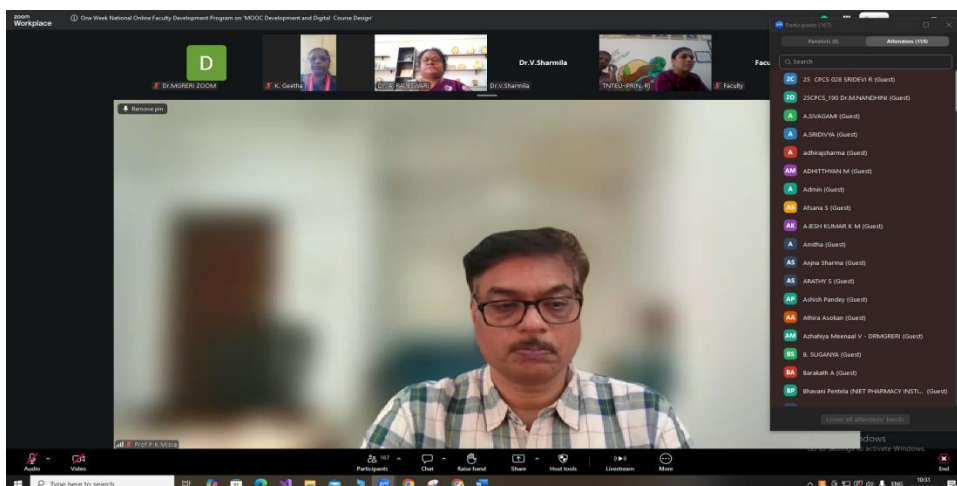
The session commenced at 10.30 a.m. with the enthusiastic participation of 348 faculty members, research scholars, and academicians from various colleges and universities across India.

The resource person was introduced by Dr. A. Rajeswari, Assistant Professor, Department of Curriculum Planning and Evaluation, TNTEU, Chennai.

The resource person for the day was Prof. Pradeep Kumar Misra, Director, Centre for Professional and Resource Development in Higher Education (CPRDHE), National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration (NIEPA), New Delhi. The session focused on Instructional Design and Course Planning for MOOCs.

Prof. Pradeep Kumar Misra delivered an insightful and engaging lecture on the principles of instructional design, effective course planning strategies, learner-centered content development, alignment of learning outcomes with assessment methods, and the systematic process involved in designing successful MOOCs. The session provided a clear knowledge on developing quality digital courses that enhance learner engagement and promote meaningful learning experiences in online environments. The participants actively engaged in the discussion and clarified their queries during the question-and-answer session.

The programme concluded with a Vote of Thanks delivered by Dr. L. George Stephen, Assistant Professor, Department of Pedagogical Sciences, TNTEU, Chennai.



Day 3: 10.06.2026

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The session commenced at 10.30 a.m. with the enthusiastic participation of more than 280 faculty members, research scholars, and academicians from various colleges and universities across India.

The resource person was introduced by Dr. V. Sharmila, Director, Centre for Skill Development, TNTEU, Chennai.

The resource person for the day was Prof. Mandar Bhanushe, Professor of Mathematics, University of Mumbai, Mumbai, Maharashtra. The session focused on “E-Content Development and Multimedia Tools”.

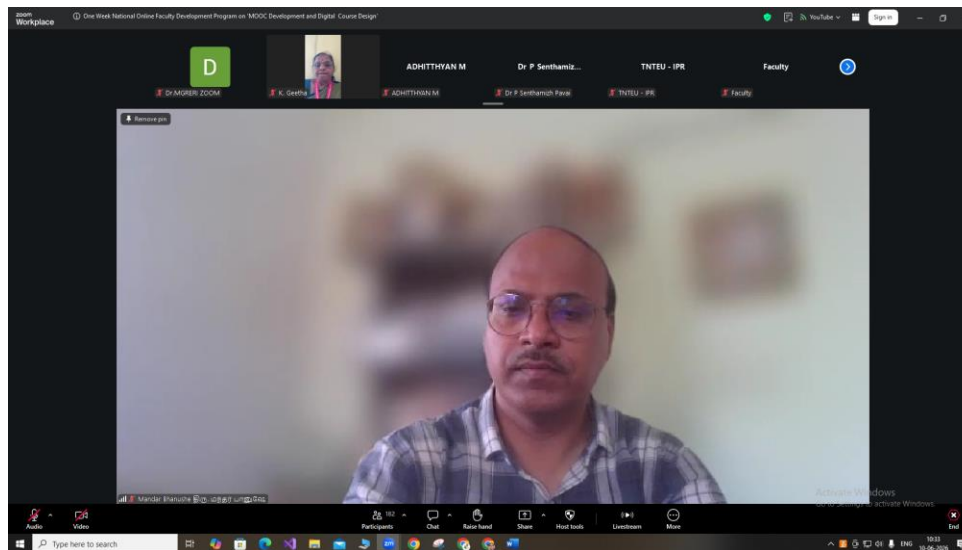
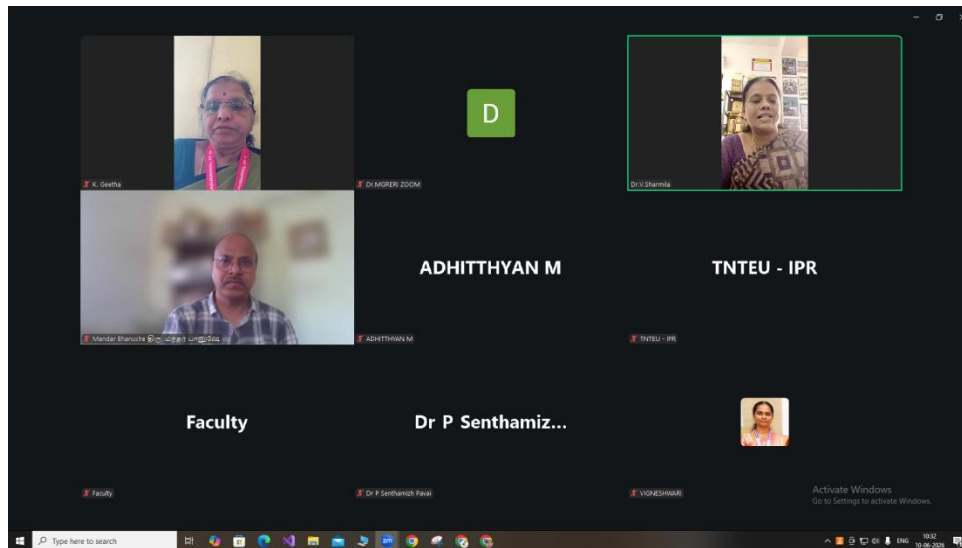
Prof. Mandar Bhanushe delivered an informative and highly interactive session on the development of engaging e-content for MOOCs and digital learning environments. He explained the significance of multimedia integration in online teaching and demonstrated various digital tools that can enhance learner participation and engagement. The session covered virtual presentation tools such as Pear Deck, H5P Interactive Presentations, Prezi, Google Slides, and SlideShare, along with virtual collaboration platforms including Padlet, Jamboard, Ziteboard, and OpenBoard.

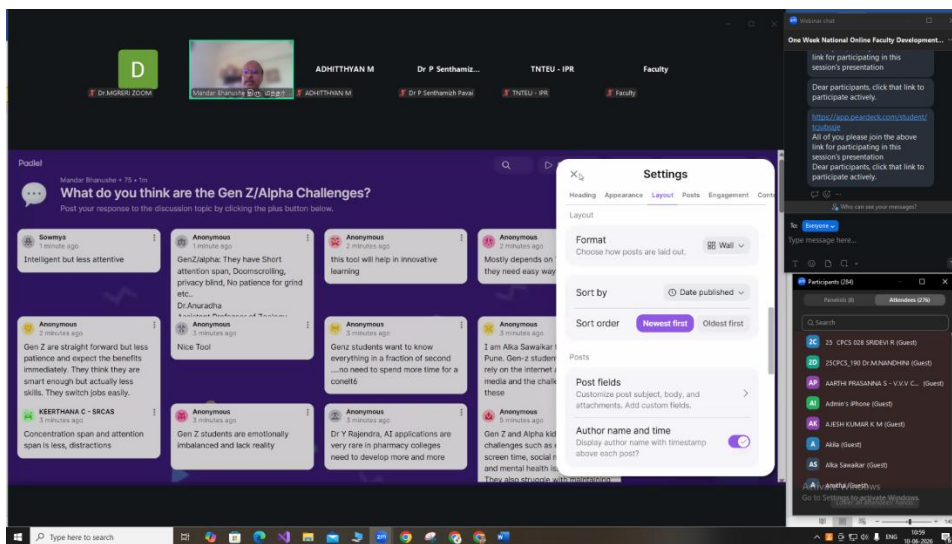
The resource person emphasized the importance of interactive content design, learner engagement strategies, and the effective use of multimedia resources in creating quality online courses. Through live demonstrations and activity-based learning experiences, participants gained practical exposure to contemporary tools used for digital content creation and online instruction. An interactive activity conducted through Padlet enabled participants to experience collaborative learning in a virtual environment.

The participants actively engaged in the session, interacted with the resource person through digital platforms, and clarified their queries during the question-and-answer session. The session

provided valuable insights into the design and delivery of effective e-content for MOOCs and other online learning platforms.

The programme concluded with a Vote of Thanks delivered by Dr. A. Rajeswari, Assistant Professor, Department of Curriculum Planning and Evaluation, TNTEU, Chennai.





Day 4: 11.06.2026

We are delighted to present the report of Day 4 of the One-Week National Online Faculty Development Programme on “MOOC Development and Digital Course Design”, jointly organized by the Faculty of Education and Academic Staff College, Dr. M.G.R. Educational and Research Institute, Chennai, in association with the Centre for Intellectual Property Rights and Centre for Skill Development, Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University (TNTEU), Chennai, held on 11th June 2026.

The session commenced at 10.30 a.m. with the enthusiastic participation of more than 280 faculty members, research scholars, teacher educators, and academicians from various colleges and universities across India.

The resource person was introduced by Dr. L. George Stephen, Assistant Professor, Department of Pedagogical Sciences, Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University, Chennai.

The resource person for the day was Prof. Dr. Sonal Jain, PG Department of Computer Science and Technology, Sardar Patel University, Gujarat. The session focused on the theme “Online Assessment and Learner Engagement Strategies.”

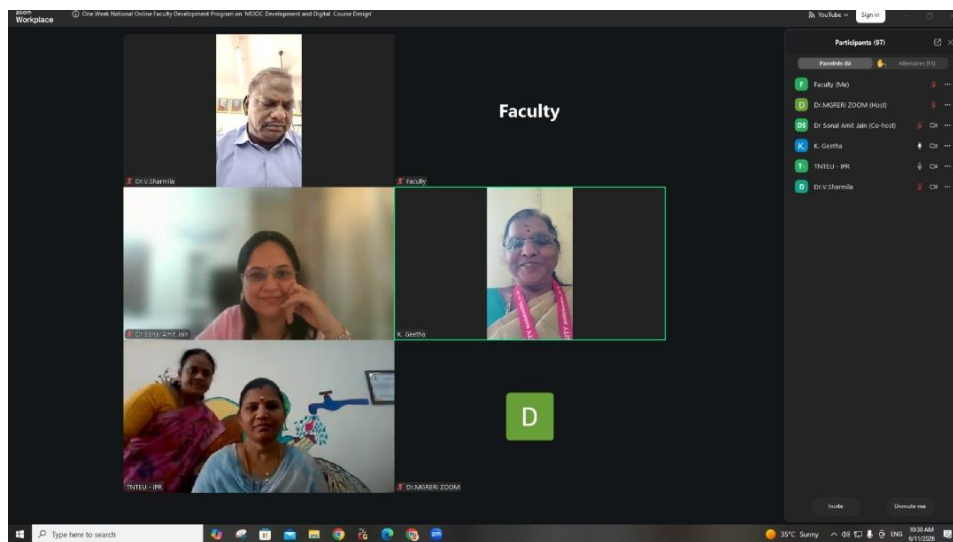
She delivered an insightful and highly interactive session on the significance of learner engagement and effective assessment practices in online learning environments. She highlighted the importance of learner-centered approaches in MOOCs and discussed the major reasons for learner dropout, including lack of motivation, poor interaction, time constraints, inadequate support systems, and challenges in maintaining learner engagement throughout the course.

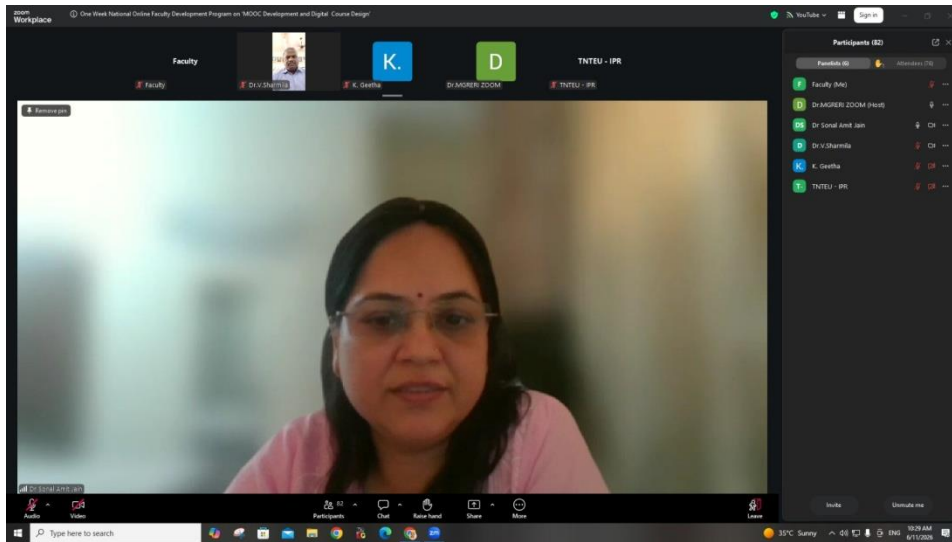
She demonstrated the use of digital tools such as Mentimeter for interactive participation, instant feedback, and learner engagement. She also explained the process of designing online assessments using Google Forms and emphasized the importance of continuous assessment and timely feedback in improving learning outcomes. The session provided practical insights into creating meaningful and authentic assessments that support active learning.

Further, she introduced various learner engagement and collaboration platforms, including Piazza, Slack, Edpuzzle, and Discussion Forums, and explained how these tools can be effectively used to promote communication, collaboration, peer learning, and active participation among learners. Through examples and demonstrations, participants gained an understanding of how technology can be leveraged to create engaging and interactive online learning experiences.

The participants actively engaged in the session, interacted with the resource person, and clarified their queries during the discussion session. The programme provided a comprehensive understanding of contemporary online assessment practices, learner engagement techniques, digital collaboration tools, and strategies for reducing learner dropout in MOOCs and online courses.

The programme concluded with a Vote of Thanks delivered by Dr. V. Sharmila, Director, Centre for Skill Development, Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University, Chennai.





Day 5: 12.06.2026

We are delighted to present the report of Day 5 of the One-Week National Online Faculty Development Programme on “MOOC Development and Digital Course Design”, jointly organized by the Faculty of Education and Academic Staff College, Dr. M.G.R. Educational and Research Institute, Chennai, in association with the Centre for Intellectual Property Rights and Centre for Skill Development, Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University (TNTEU), Chennai, held on 12th June 2026.

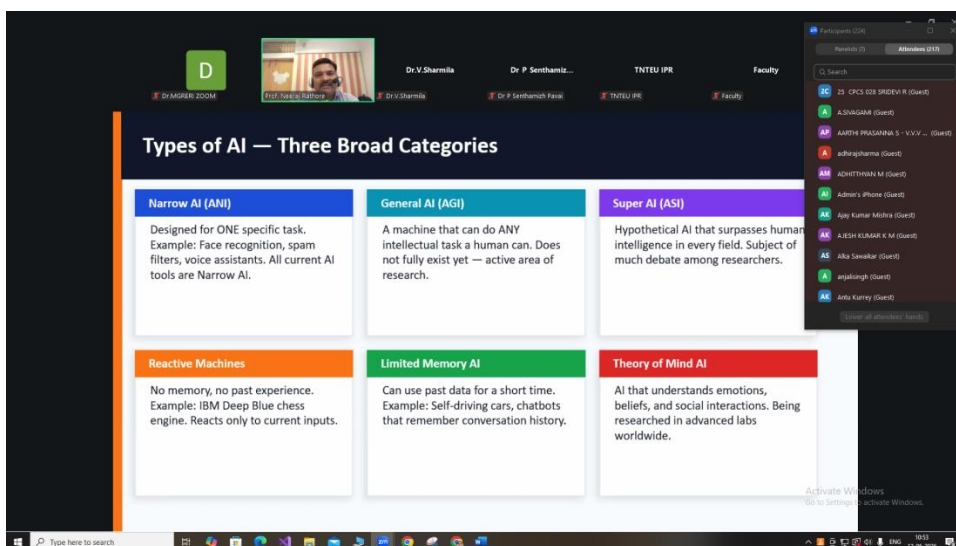
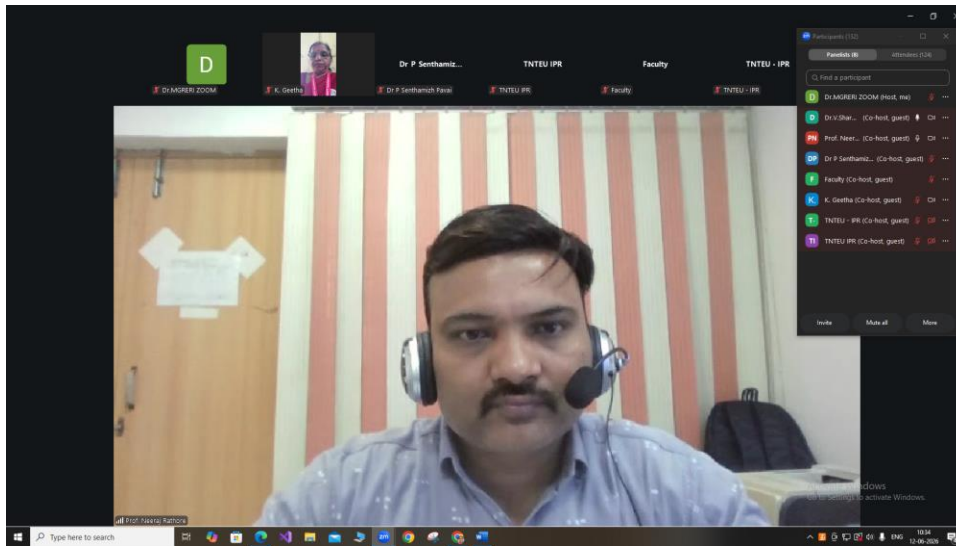
The session commenced at 10.30 a.m. with the enthusiastic participation of more than 295 faculty members, research scholars, teacher educators, and academicians from various colleges and universities across India.

The resource person for the day was Prof. Dr. Neeraj Kumar Rathore, Dean, Faculty of Computer Science, Indira Gandhi National Tribal University (IGNTU), Madhya Pradesh.

The session focused on the theme “AI Tools, Course Publishing, and Future Trends in MOOCs.” He delivered an insightful and engaging session on Artificial Intelligence (AI), covering its fundamentals, evolution, and growing significance in education and online learning. The session included an overview of Machine Learning and Generative AI, explaining how these technologies are transforming teaching, learning, research, and digital content creation. He also demonstrated various AI tools useful for academic and professional purposes, highlighting their role in improving productivity, creativity, and efficiency in daily tasks.

The resource person further emphasized the importance of ethics and safety in AI, focusing on issues such as data privacy, bias, responsible use of technology, and intellectual property rights. He also discussed the growing importance of Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs), their expanding global reach, and emerging trends such as AI-driven personalization, adaptive learning, and micro-credentials. He briefly explained the process of publishing courses on MOOC platforms, enabling participants to understand how to design, develop, and deliver effective online courses.

The session also provided practical insights into course development on MOOC platforms, including identifying learning objectives, structuring course content, creating multimedia resources, designing assessments, and ensuring quality standards. The participants actively engaged throughout the session, interacted with the resource person, and clarified their queries during the discussion, making the programme highly interactive and enriching with valuable inputs on AI, MOOCs, and future directions in digital education.

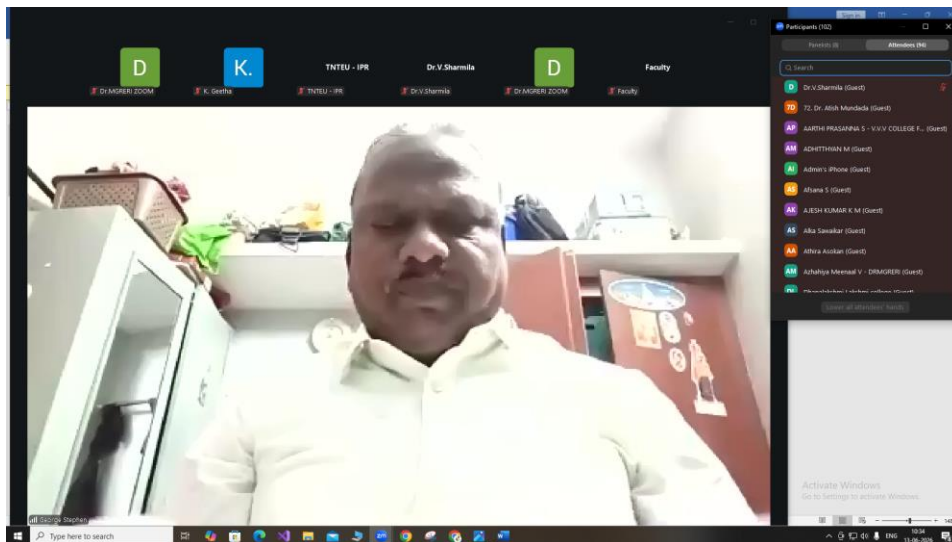


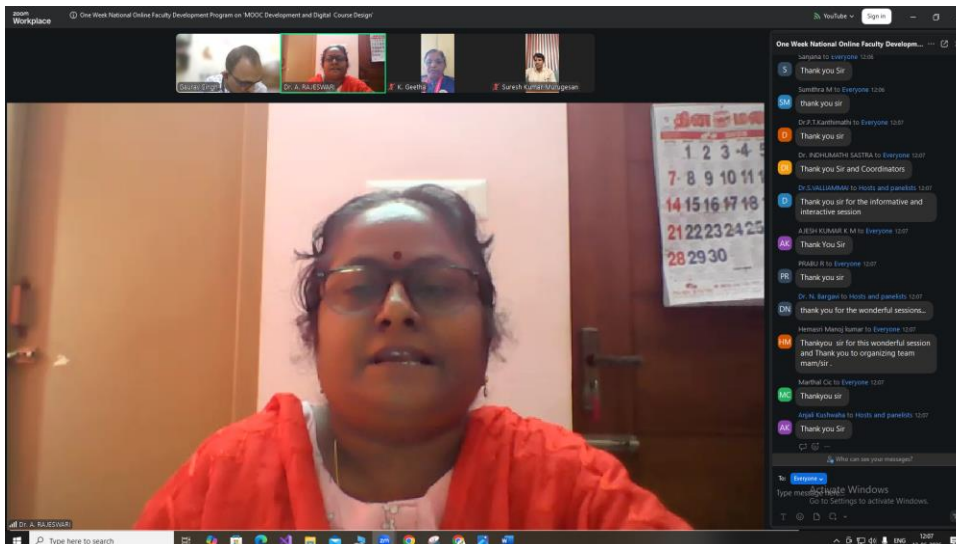
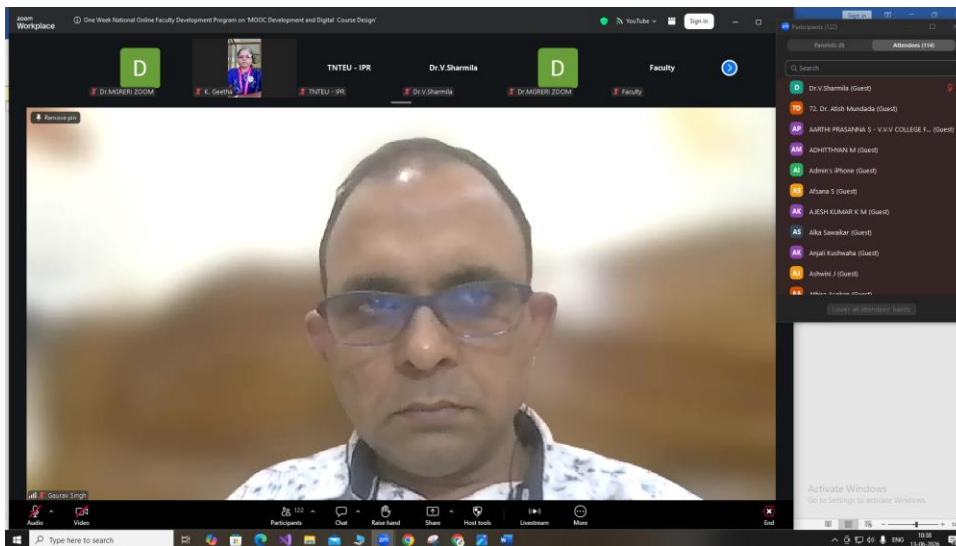
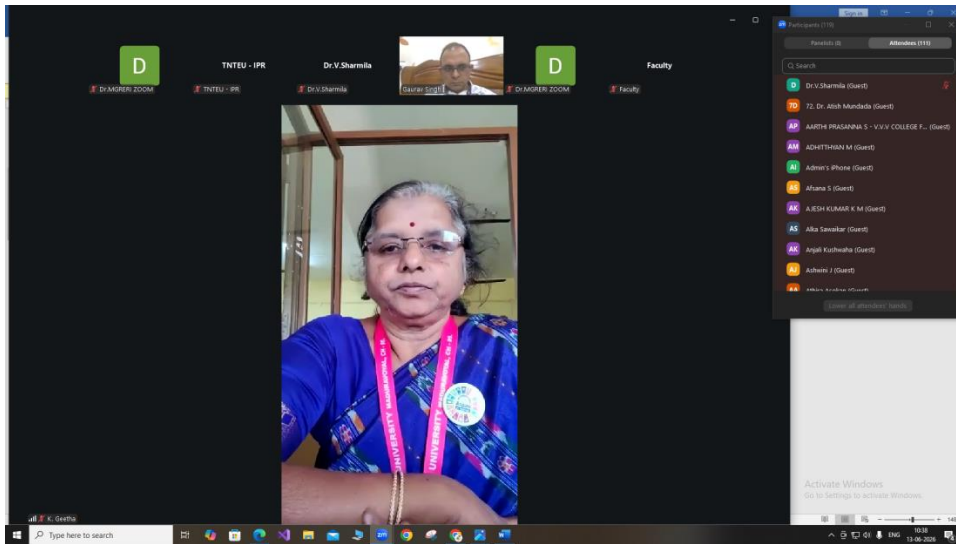
Day 6: 13.06.2026

The sixth and final day of the One-Week National Online Faculty Development Programme on “MOOC Development and Digital Course Design” was conducted on 13th June 2026 through the online mode. The programme was jointly organized by the Faculty of Education and Academic Staff College, Dr. M.G.R. Educational and Research Institute, Chennai, in association with the Centre for Intellectual Property Rights and Centre for Skill Development, Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University (TNTEU), Chennai.

The Day 6 session began with the introduction of the resource person by Dr. L. George Stephen, Assistant Professor, Department of Pedagogical Sciences, TNTEU. The session was delivered by Prof. Gaurav Singh, Professor (Educational Technology), Central Institute of Educational Technology (CIET), NCERT, New Delhi, on the topic “Emerging Trends in Educational Technology and MOOCs.”

The resource person highlighted the latest developments in educational technology and MOOCs, with special emphasis on learning analytics, artificial intelligence, personalized learning, and data-driven approaches to improve learner engagement and learning outcomes. The session provided participants with valuable insights into the future of digital education and technology-enabled learning. The session concluded with a vote of thanks proposed by Dr. A. Rajeswari, Assistant Professor, Department of Curriculum Planning and Evaluation, TNTEU.



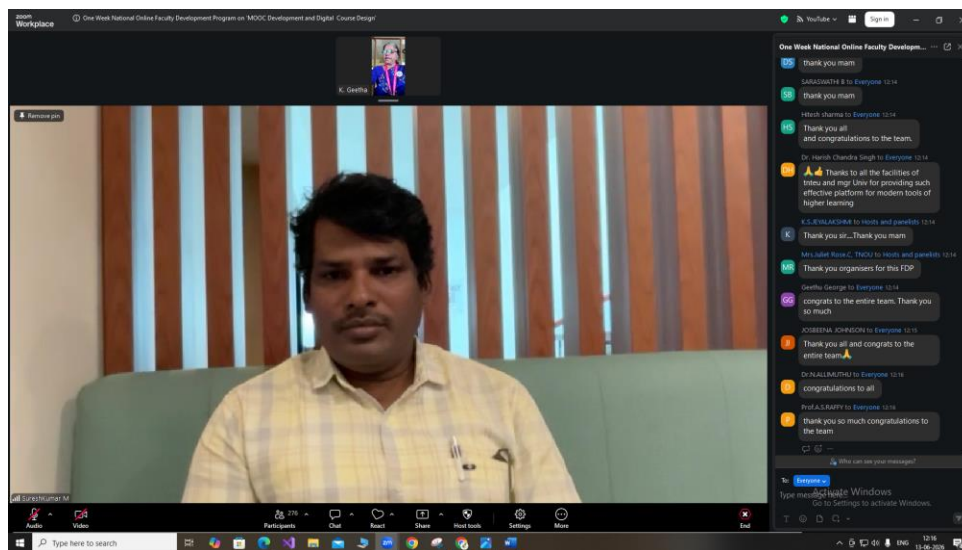


Valedictory Session

Subsequent to the technical session, the Valedictory Session was held to mark the successful completion of the FDP. The programme commenced with a welcome address by Dr. K. Geetha, Principal, Faculty of Education, Dr. M.G.R. ERI. The FDP Report was presented by Dr. P. Senthamizh Pavai, Professor, Faculty of Education, highlighting the key activities and outcomes of the six-day programme.

The Valedictory Address was delivered by Dr. Suresh Kumar Murugesan, Chairperson and Head, Department of Psychology, The American College, Madurai, who emphasized the importance of continuous professional development and digital competency among educators. Participants shared their feedback and appreciated the quality and relevance of the sessions conducted throughout the FDP.

The programme concluded with the Vote of Thanks proposed by Dr. L. Maria Suganthi, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Education, Dr. M.G.R. Educational and Research Institute, Chennai. The successful completion of the FDP marked a significant step towards empowering educators with the knowledge and skills required for effective MOOC development and digital course design.





MRS SHARMA, Sharma to Everyone 12:47

MS Thank you so much for the opportunity to attend 6 days FDP and learn from the eminent resource persons. It is my great pleasure and privilege to be associated with you for more than 6 years once again heartfelt thanks to the entire team. regards Manju Asht.

Dr. Atish Mundada to Everyone 12:47

DA Kudos to all the members of organizing committee for successful conduct of this FDP. lectures were really apt to the theme of this FDP. Regards- Dr. Atishkumar Mundada, Professor, SVKM's NMIMS School of Pharmacy and Technology Management, Indore

Marthal Cic to Everyone 12:47

MC All the message was very useful sessions. excellent. thank you for TNETU and MGR FDP Organisers.

Dr Vignesh G to Hosts and panelists 12:47

DV The FDP programme conducted all these six days are packed with excellent resource



Madhusmruti Khandai, Royal College of Pharmacy and Health

MK Thank you to the organizers for all these wonderful and informative sessions. Dr. Madhusmruti Khandai, Royal College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, Odisha.

Komal's iPhone to Hosts and panelists

DH 🙏👍 Thanks to all the facilities of tnetu and mgr Univ for providing such effective platform for modern tools of higher learning

DI The Faculty Development Programme on MOOC Development and Digital Course Design was an excellent and highly enriching learning experience. The sessions were well-organized, informative, and delivered by eminent resource persons with great expertise. The programme provided valuable insights into MOOCs, instructional design, e-content development, online assessment, learner engagement strategies. Al