Overview of Training Program
Designing Research in the New Normal
August 13-14, 2020

OBJECTIVES OF THE WEBINAR:

(1) To select research topics suited for new normal conditions;
(2) To find scientific sources in support of the research topics;
(3) To design appropriate methodology for the chosen topic; and
(4) To assess the quality of the research proposal.

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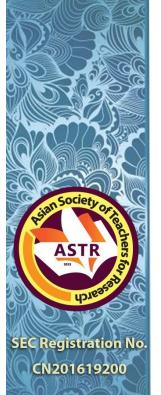| Time	Session/s	Method/Activity
Day 1 **August 13, 2020** *9:01-9:15 am*	**Opening Program** *Greetings* *Introduction of the Resource Speaker*	
9:16-12:00 nn	***Critical Shifts in Research Topic Selection*** *A. Contextualizing research topics to new normal* *B. Benchmarking from Thesis and Dissertation* *C. Exploring topics from Research Gaps in the RRL* *D. Conducting RRL from School-Based Theses* *This session will tackle the critical shifts in research topic creation from conceptualization of the research topic to the writing of the Review of Related Literature to identify the research gaps. This session will also teach participants how to benchmark research topics for*	**LECTURE/WORKSHOP**

	publication from existing thesis and dissertation.	
12:01-1:00 pm	**LUNCHBREAK**	
1:01-4:00 pm	**Finding Scientific Sources** A. *Nontraditional sources* B. *Social Media* C. *Paywalled Sources* D. *Open Access Sources* *This session will detail the different scientific sources and how to find them.*	**LECTURE/WORKSHOP**
4:01-4:45 pm	**Wrap-up of Day 1 sessions** **Open Forum**	
Day 2 ***August 14, 2020*** *9:00-10:00 am*	***Designing Appropriate Methodology: Quantitative Methods*** *The session will teach participants how to determine appropriate research methodology that is aligned with the research objectives. The first part deals with the quantitative methods which focuses on gathering numerical data and generalizing it across groups of people or to explain a particular phenomenon.*	***LECTURE/WORKSHOP***
10:01-12:00 nn	***Designing Appropriate Methodology: Qualitative Methods*** *The session will teach participants how to determine appropriate research methodology that is aligned with the research objectives. The second part deals with the qualitative methods which is a kind of research that relies on unstructured and non-numerical data.*	***LECTURE/WORKSHOP***
12:01-1:00 pm	**LUNCHBREAK**	
1:01-3:00 pm	**Research Proposal Writing** A. **Exploring funding sources**	***LECTURE/WORKSHOP***

	How do you fund your research? This session will discuss on the different funding sources and research grants available and how to avail them.	
3:01-5:00 pm	**Research Proposal Writing** **B. Assessing Quality of Research Proposal** *What are the qualities of a good research proposal? The session will teach how participants how to assess the quality of the research proposal.*	
4:01-4:45 pm	**Wrap-up of Day 2 sessions** **Open Forum** **Closing Program**	

Requirement:

The participant should have a mobile phone/laptop, stable internet connectivity and ZOOM account to participate in this Webinar.