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Subject: Inviting Nominations for National Workshop on “Design and Development of Self-Learning Materials for Distance, Online and Blended Learning”.

Dear Sir/Madam:

Warm Greetings from Staff Training and Research Institute of Distance Education, IGNOU!

As your good-self is aware, the National Education Policy-2020 proposes considerable transformation in Higher Education curriculum, pedagogy, use of technology, assessment methods; and underlines all HEIs, to go for Blended Teaching-Learning utilizing innovative learning resources. Moreover, many HEIs are going to offer online programs/SWAYAM/ODL programmes and courses. Therefore, there is a need to orient/train faculty on design and development of Self-Learning Resources which is foundation to blended TL and will lead to student-centered learning.

Keeping this in view, the STRIDE of Indira Gandhi National Open University (which is now equivalent to UGC-HRDC) is organizing 06-days **National Workshop on “Design and Development of Self-Learning Materials for Distance, Online and Blended Learning”** from 13-18 March, 2023 (Face to Face mode) at IGNOU, Headquarters, Maidan Garhi, New Delhi. **A background note about the programme containing detailed information regarding registration fee, accommodation and different activities planned during the programme is attached as ANNEXURE I for your kind perusal.**

This programme is UGC-Approved Short Term Professional Development Programme, and equivalent to UGC-HRDC Programme, therefore certificate shall be considered for API and CAS too.

In this backdrop, may I take this opportunity to request you to kindly nominate faculty from your university/institution to attend this national workshop. Nominated faculty may be asked to fill the Google Form (Link given below) preferably by **25th February, 2023**. The number of seats are limited @ 25, if the number of participants exceeds we may go for the second batch of the workshop with the approval of competent authority, and the participants shall be informed accordingly.

Google Form Link for registration: <https://forms.gle/rQAKeEoyddYMx5C18>

May kindly note that the Registration Fee per participant is Rs. 6000 to be paid online in “IGNOU-STRIDE-Plan account No. 2257000102037292, IFSC Code PUNB0225700, Punjab National Bank, IGNOU, Maidan Garhi, New Delhi-110068.

The nomination will be entertained on first come first serve basis.

For more details, your nominated faculty may contact the Programme Coordinators:

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Looking forward to hearing from you soon.

With best regards,

Yours sincerely,
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