

**ID 6020 – INTRODUCTION TO RESEARCH
JAN – MAY 2013 SCHEDULE**

VENUE: CENTRAL LECTURE THEATRE (CLT)

Co-ordinators: K. C. Sivakumar (Mathematics) and Ramesh Gardas (Chemistry)

DATE	TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
MODULE 1: INSTITUTE MODULE: COMMON TO ALL DISCIPLINES			
24.01.2013	14.00 - 17.00	Literature Review	K. Ramamurthy (CE)
31.01.2013	14.00 - 17.00	HOT – Higher Order Thinking	S. Karmalkar (EE)
07.02.2013	14.00 - 16.00	Communication Skills	S. C. Chaudhury (HSS)
09.02.2013	09.00 - 11.30	Presentation Skills	J. Murali Krishnan (CE)
14.02.2013	14.00 - 17.00	Data Analysis Skills	Rahul Marathe (MS)
28.02.2013	14.00 – 15.00	How to get your paper rejected & How to give a bad presentation.	V. Krishna Nandivada (CSE)
	15.00 – 17.00	Fulfilment in research and life	Devdas Menon (CE)
02.03.2013	10.00 – 12.30	Introduction to Research	Sarit Kumar Das (ME)
07.03.2013	14.00 – 17.00	Experimental Skills	C. G. Robinson (CE)
09.03.2013	09.00 – 12.00	Technical Writing Skills	Ms. Lakshmi Gopal (Valardocs)
MODULE 2: DEPARTMENT MODULE			
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MODULE 3: INSTITUTE MODULE: COMMON TO ALL DISCIPLINES			
18.04.2013	14.00 – 17.00	Stress Management & Managing Inter-personnel relations	V. Vijayalakshmi (MS)
25.04.2013	14.00 – 17.00	Ethics in Research	K. Ramamurthy (CE)
27.04.2013	09.30 – 11.30	End-semester Examination	

NOTE:

- Grading pattern: 30% (Dept. module) + 70% (Institute module).
- The evaluation pattern for the department module may be decided by the department coordinator and final marks to be communicated to Dr. K. C. Sivakumar (kcskumar@iitm.ac.in) and Dr. Ramesh Gardas (gardas@iitm.ac.in).
- End semester examination will be based on modules 1 and 3.