

Syllabus: Academic Research & Report Writing

## **Course Content**

- Types of research papers, Structure of research papers, Research paper formats, Abstract writing, Methodology, Results and discussions, Different formats for referencing, Ways of communicating a research paper.
- Structure of a thesis, Scope of work, Literature review, Experimental / computational details, Preliminary studies, Results and Discussions, Figures and Tables preparation, Conclusions and future works, Bibliography and Appendices.
- Making effective presentations using Power Point, Uses of plagiarism detection tools.

## References:

- 1. A Manual for Writers of Research Papers, Theses, and Dissertations by Kate L. Turabian
- 2. The Craft of Research by Wayne C. Booth, Gregory G. Colomb, and Joseph M. Williams
- **3.** Research Design: Qualitative, Quantitative, and Mixed Methods Approaches by John W. Creswell and J. David Creswell
- 4. Writing Literature Reviews: A Guide for Students of the Social and Behavioral Sciences by Jose L. Galvan