

HEALTH, ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

**EIGHTH CONFERENCE OF
INDIAN ASSOCIATION FOR
SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HEALTH**

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Pre-Conference workshop on “Approaches to Social Science Research”



**Pre-Conference Workshop: 8-10 February, 2011
Conference Dates: 11 – 13 February, 2011**

Venue: Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati

Organized by

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	<p>Eighth Conference of INDIAN ASSOCIATION FOR SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HEALTH organized by Department of Population Studies and Social work Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati-517 502 Andhra Pradesh Dates: Pre ConferenceWorkshop : 8-10, February,2011 Conference: 11-13, February 2011 iasshconf@hotmail.com</p>	
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THEME:

HEALTH, ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

Themes of Symposia:

- S1.** Health Transition and Sustainable Development
- S2.** Environmental Determinants of Health
- S3.** Linkages between Health, Environment and Sustainable Development
- S4.** Policies and Programmes to Mitigate and to promote Sustainable Development

Topics of Technical Sessions

- T1.** Health Transition and Human Development
- T2.** Environment, Nutrition and Health
- T3.** Climate Change and its impact on Population and Health
- T4.** Poverty and Pollution Interrelationships
- T5.** Impact of de-forestation on health and nutrition
- T6.** Water and Sanitation and its impact on Health
- T7.** Biodiversity and its impact on Health and Longevity
- T8.** Urban Ecology and Environment
- T9.** Occupational and Environmental Health
- T10.** Natural Disasters and their impact on health
- T11.** Social Transformation and Resilience to Environmental Changes
- T12.** Interdisciplinary Research Challenges in EHD
- T13.** Measurement Issues- Poverty, Pollution, Climate Change, PQLI, EIA etc.
- T14.** Vulnerability and Equity in Environment and Health

Topics of be Covered in the Pre-conference Workshop

Steps in the Research Process, Selection and Defining of Research Problem, Formulation of Hypotheses, Construction of Interview Schedule and Questionnaire, Selection of Suitable Topics for the Preparation of Interview Schedule and Questionnaire, Collection of Data with Interview Schedule and with Questionnaire, Discussion of Data Collected, Steps on Editing and Coding of Data, Data Entry / Use of Computers in Data Analysis, Relationship between Objectives and Hypothesis, Tabulations and Tests of Significance and Steps in Report Writing .

Call for Abstracts:

Abstract of papers on topics relevant to the Symposia / Technical themes are invited from those who want to present papers at the conference. The abstracts should be within 300 words (maximum half A-4 size page) and the length of the paper should be not exceeding 5000 words (not more than 15 A-4 size pages) and follow the format given below:

Title of Abstract followed by Name and Address of the author(s) on top centre and the abstract should include a brief introduction, objective, method and materials, findings or conclusions, without any sub headings. The abstract may be prepared in Microsoft Word Times New Roman 12 pt font with single line spacing. Researchers are allowed to submit no more than two abstracts. They should underline the name of the presenter and indicate the name of the Technical Session. In the present conference apart from **Oral Presentations** and **Poster Presentations** are introduced. Researchers should indicate in the abstract letter their choice of presentation of the abstract as: **1. For Oral Presentation** or **2.For Poster Presentation** or **3. Either Oral or Poster Presentation. However, the final decision of allocation papers to the concerned rests with the Review committee.**

There will be two best research paper awards to the young scholars less than 30 years of age, should be single author research paper. Interested young scholars should submit abstract of paper and mention "For Young Scientist Research paper award" on or before **September 15, 2010** and full paper by **January 5, 2011**. Apart from the Young Scientist Research paper award, in the present conference there will be two "best poster award" for the poster presentations.

Submission of Abstract:

Please send abstract as an attachment by email to: iasshconf@hotmail.com

IMPORTANT DATES:

Last date for receiving Abstract/s:	September 15, 2010
Intimation of Acceptance of abstract/s:	October 30, 2010
Travel Grant intimation:	November 15, 2010
Last Date for Pre-Conference and Conference Registration fee without late fee	December 15, 2010
Last Date for Receiving the Full-length Paper	January 5, 2011

No spot Registration

Registration Fees: (Non-Refundable Registration Fee)

Type of Participants	Before December 15, 2010	After December 15,2010
1. Conference Registration Fee: (Per person)		
Member & Accompanying Person (Co-author or Family Member)	Rs. 800	Rs. 1000
Non-members	Rs. 1000	Rs. 1200
2. Pre-Conference Workshop Registration fee:		
Members from outside Tirupati (with accommodation)	Rs. 500	
Members within Tirupati (Local)	Rs. 250	
3. Overseas Participants		
From Developing Countries	\$ 100	\$ 125
Accompanying Person	\$ 75	\$ 80
From Developed Countries	\$ 200	\$ 250
Accompanying Person	\$ 150	\$ 150

Note: 1. Registration closes by 31 January 2011.

2. For local delegates' accommodation will not be provided.

3. Accompanying person will not receive conference material.

4. Preference will be given to M .Phil / Ph. D scholars for pre-conference registration.

Registration Fee Payment:

Filled Registration form along with Non Refundable fee by DD drawn in favour of **Secretary, IASSH** payable at **Coimbatore** to the following address:

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Registration fee covers: Food, accommodation in suitable Guest Houses/Hostels, and Conference materials. Accompanying person will not receive conference material. Those who want **more comfortable accommodation can stay in nearby hotels on payment basis** for which the Local Organizing Committee will extend their co-operation. For Local delegates accommodation will not be provided as the priority is given to out station delegates. **Payment of Non-Refundable Registration Fee closes by January 31, 2011.**

Travel Grant:

Authors of the accepted abstracts for ORAL or POSTER PRESENTATION or delegates attending PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOP will be provided **Second Class Sleeper or III tier AC rail fare. Decision of award of travel grant rests with the review committee on the basis of available funds.** Please explore the possibility of obtaining TA/DA from your parent organizations, which will facilitate more participation of young scholars. **The recipient of travel grant must be a member of IASSH.**

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Registration Form



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Name of the Presenter: _____

*Paper submitted for Oral Presentation: _____ or Poster Presentation: _____ or

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Whether accommodation required? (Underline and tick your requirement)

Yes: I accept accommodation provided by local organizing committee.

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