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Notice regarding Vageeshwari – Dec. 2021 issue

The Department encourages and invites all musicians, musicologists, teachers, research scholars (of both Ph.D. and M.Phil. from any university in India or abroad) and music lovers to submit their research papers for publishing in the Dec. 2021 issue of Vageeshwari. The last date for submission is **31 Oct. 2021**.

All authors of research papers must adhere to the following guidelines –

1. All research papers must be mailed only to the official email id of Vageeshwari, i.e.

vageeshwari.du.musicdept@gmail.com

Note: Papers mailed to the Departmental email id or any other email id, or sent by post to the Departmental address, will not be accepted under any circumstances.

2. Each author is required to mention in his email, his/her following details –
 - i. Name
 - ii. Designation
 - iii. Office / Home Address
 - iv. Email id
 - v. Mobile number

Failure to do so will result in his paper not being accepted for publishing.

3. The papers must be emailed as attachment only, in **both Word and PDF formats**.
4. The author must submit his paper in English or Hindi only. For English, the papers must be in “Times New Roman” font, with a **font size of 12**.

Papers being submitted in Hindi must be typed in “*Kruti Dev 10*” font, with a **font size of 14**.

Note: Papers submitted in any other language or font will not be accepted.

5. **Use of diacritical marks is not permitted**, except for the words which use the letter Æ and ā. Papers using any other diacritical mark, will be liable to be rejected.
6. The author must stick to a **4000-5000** word-limit only.
7. The author must also mail as an attachment, **an abstract of not more than 250 words**, summarizing the key aspects of the paper.
8. The author should specify **five key words in his/her paper**.
9. Authors are required to **number their footnotes and/or references in the x² format** in the prescribed APA format only as per this link (<http://www.bibme.org/citation-guide/apa/>)

- **CITING A JOURNAL ARTICLE IN PRINT:**

APA format structure:

Author, A.A.. (Publication Year). Article title. *Periodical Title, Volume(Issue), pp.-pp.*

APA format example:

Nevin, A. (1990). The changing of teacher education special education. *Teacher Education and Special Education: The Journal of the Teacher Education Division of the Council for Exceptional Children, 13(3-4), 147-148.*

- **CITING A JOURNAL ARTICLE FOUND ONLINE:**

APA format structure:

Author, A.A.. (Publication Year). Article title. *Periodical Title, Volume(Issue), pp.-pp.*

doi:XX.XXXXX or Retrieved from journal URL

APA format example:

Jameson, J. (2013). E-Leadership in higher education: The fifth "age" of educational technology research. *British Journal of Educational Technology*, 44(6), 889-915. doi: 10.1111/bjet.12103

• CITING A BOOK IN PRINT:

APA format structure:

Author, A.A. (Year of Publication). *Title of work*. Publisher City, State: Publisher.

APA format example:

Finney, J. (1970). *Time and again*. New York, NY: Simon and Schuster.

Notes: When citing a book in APA, keep in mind:

- Capitalize the first letter of the first word of the title and any subtitles, as well as the first letter of any proper nouns.

• CITING A GENERAL WEBSITE ARTICLE WITH AN AUTHOR:

APA format structure:

Author, A.A. (Year, Month Date of Publication). Article title. Retrieved from URL

APA format example:

Simmons, B. (2015, January 9). The tale of two Flaccos. Retrieved from <http://grantland.com/the-triangle/the-tale-of-two-flaccos/>

• CITING A GENERAL WEBSITE ARTICLE WITHOUT AN AUTHOR:

APA format structure:

Article title. (Year, Month Date of Publication). Retrieved from URL

APA format example:

Teen posed as doctor at West Palm Beach hospital: police. (2015, January 16). Retrieved from <http://www.nbcmiami.com/news/local/Teen-Posed-as-Doctor-at-West-Palm-Beach-Hospital-Police-288810831.html>

- The full title of the book, including any subtitles, should be stated and *italicized*.

- **CITING AN E-BOOK FROM AN E-READER:**

E-book is short for “electronic book.” It is a digital version of a book that can be read on a computer, e-reader (Kindle, Nook, etc.), or other electronic device.

APA format structure:

Author, A.A.. (Year of Publication). *Title of work* [E-Reader Version]. Retrieved from <http://xxxx> or doi:xxxx

APA format example:

Eggers, D. (2008). *The circle* [Kindle Version]. Retrieved from <http://www.amazon.com/>

- **CITING A BOOK FOUND IN A DATABASE:**

APA format structure:

Author, A.A.. (Year of Publication). *Title of work*. Retrieved from <http://xxxx> or doi:xxxx

APA format example:

Sayre, Rebecca K., Devercelli, A.E., Neuman, M.J., & Wodon, Q. (2015). *Investment in early childhood development: Review of the world bank's recent experience*. doi: 10.1596/978-1-4648-0403-8

Note: When citing an online book or e-book in APA, keep in mind:

- A DOI (digital object identifier) is an assigned number that helps link content to its location on the Internet. It is therefore important, if one is provided, to use it when creating a citation. All DOI numbers begin with a 10 and are separated by a slash.

It may be noted that references in any format, other than APA format, will not be accepted.

10. Every paper will undergo stringent screening, first at the Departmental level of the Editorial Board, and then at the Peer Review level. The Editorial Board reserves the right to reject those papers outright which are either too short or of poor academic content and research quality.
11. The papers must avoid plagiarism at all costs. Blindly copying from or giving reference of Wikipedia and other such reference websites is strictly not allowed. Such papers will be liable to be rejected without undergoing the process of Peer Review.
12. Those who have mailed their research papers after the publication of the Dec. 2020 issue of Vageeshwari, need to mail their papers again, keeping in mind the aforesaid guidelines. Papers mailed before the publication of this notice, will not be accepted.
13. The decisions of the Editorial Board regarding all matters relating to the publishing of Vageeshwari shall be final and binding in all respects.

Note:

- a. This notice supersedes the “Guidelines for Paper Submission” in the ‘Journal’ link of the Departmental website – www.music.du.ac.in.
- b. More information is available upon clicking the aforesaid ‘Journal’ link.

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