

### Invitation

Dear Sir/ Madam

I take this opportunity to invite you to two-day International Conference on "Cross-border and Multicultural Perspectives in Professional Development of Teachers" to be held at Partap College of Education, Ludhiana on 22-23 February, 2020. We hope that the conference will initiate stimulating discussions, networking & cooperation. We look forward to your contribution and participation for the same.

Dr. Manpreet Kaur  
Principal

### PAPER PRESENTATION

Papers are invited from delegates on sub-themes not exceeding 3000 words. Papers will be reviewed by the peer committee.

Selected papers will also be published in form of edited Book with ISBN. The book will be released and distributed during the conference.

For more information, visit [www.partapcollege.org](http://www.partapcollege.org).

### POSTER PRESENTATION

Delegates can also present their paper in the form of a Poster. Poster should be printed on flex size 3' width & 4' length and submitted by 18 February, 2020.

#### **Distinguished Paper & Poster Award:**

One paper & one poster will be selected from each sub-theme for the award by IPDA.

### IMPORTANT DATES

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| 1. Call for Papers                    | 26 December, 2019 |
| 2. Paper Submission due               | 20 January, 2020  |
| 3. Authors notified                   | 26 January, 2020  |
| 4. Submission of camera ready version | 1 February, 2020  |

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Accommodation will be arranged for outstation delegates on prior information & payment basis.

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- Registration forms are available on website

# Partap IPDA International Conference 2020



on

## Cross-border and Multicultural Perspectives in Professional Development of Teachers

in collaboration with

*Kazan Federal University, Kazan, Russia*

under the patronage of

*International Professional Development Association, UK*



22 - 23 February, 2020

### Conference Chairs

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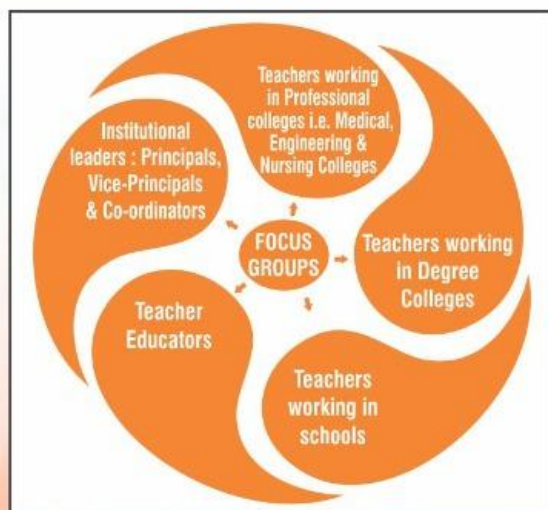


## ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

There has recently been an extensive discussion on intercultural experience and awareness in multicultural education, foreign language education and cross-cultural training in research. Intercultural experience provides the learners an opportunity to communicate with others in diverse languages and it also assists in developing skills to critically compare and analyse the beliefs, attitudes and behaviors that appear both in their own as well as in culture of others. Teachers across the world seem to experience personal and professional dilemmas with cultural diversity (Ben-Peretz and Flores 2018), and studies consistently suggest that teachers' professional development (PD) is needed on the issue (Acquah et al. 2016). Teaching demands continuous professional development which includes life-long training, analyzing and developing professional attitudes and modernizing basic competencies. A teacher also requires to employ and promote an interdisciplinary approach, develop psychosocial behavior which is necessary for the management of human resources and stimulation of individual and team pedagogic research for innovation in diverse cultures. In order to foster cultural and international integrity, issues of ethnic and cultural diversity need to be dealt with in teacher preparation programs. This conference will draw a wide range of thoughts, theoretical and practical frames to develop multicultural perspective of teachers for professional development in this digital age.

## SUB-THEMES

- International perspectives in professional development.
- Exchanging work experiences in different cultural contexts.
- Professional profiles and skills for increasing mobile and global linkages, networking and collaborative work.
- Challenges in establishing cross-border and multicultural perspectives.



## INTERNATIONAL PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

International Professional Development Association (IPDA) was founded in 1968 and has six National associations, IPDA Ireland, IPDA India, IPDA Scotland, IPDA Cymru, IPDA Hongkong & IPDA England. IPDA has more than 200 members across 17 countries and its members are united in desire to enhance the quality and effectiveness of professional learning and development in all phases of education and in wide variety of work locations. Partap College of Education established IPDA India in 2013 with the aim of providing opportunities for professional learning of teachers at local, national and international level and to coordinate the efforts of various agencies engaged in professional development of teachers.

## CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

### Day -1 (Saturday, Feb. 22, 2020)

Registration	08.30 - 10.00
Poster Exhibition	09.30
Inauguration	10.00 - 10.20
<b>Key Note Address –I</b>	10.20 - 11.10
<b>Key Note Address –II</b>	11.15 - 12.00
Tea/ Coffee	12.00-12.30
<b>Key Note Address –III</b>	12.30-13.20
Lunch	13.30- 14.30
Technical Sessions (Parallel Sessions)	14.30 -16.30
<b>Cultural Programme</b>	16.30- 17.30
IPDA India AGM	17.30-18.30

### Day -2 (Sunday, Feb. 23, 2020)

Registration	08.30- 10.00
<b>Key Note Address-IV</b>	10.00 - 10.45
<b>Key Note Address -V</b>	10.45 - 11.30
<b>Tea/ Coffee</b>	11.30 – 12.00
Technical Sessions	12.00 - 13.30
Lunch	13.30- 14.30
Reflections on Conference	14.30- 15.30
Closing Ceremony	15.30 - 16.30

## EMINENT SPEAKERS

### Prof. Juanjo Mena

Department of Education  
University of Salamanca, Spain

### Dr. Pimenova Tatiana Sergeevna

Associate Professor  
Kazan Federal University, Russia

### Prof. Kirandeep Kaur

Deptt. of Education & Community Services  
Punjabi University, Patiala

### Prof. Laura Sara Agrati

University of Giustino Fortunato  
Italy

### Dr. Svetlana V. Karkina

Associate Professor  
Kazan Federal University, Russia

**Conference Fee** Rs. 1000

**Publication Fee** Rs.700

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