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Invitation for Research Papers for publication in RUJOST & RUJOSH

As commitment towards quality in research and publication, Ranchi University has taken initiative to enhance impact and outreach of Ranchi University journals— **Ranchi University Journal of Science and Technology (RUJOST)** and **Ranchi University Journal of Social Sciences and Humanities (RUJOSH)**. All Heads of PG Departments are requested to encourage faculty members and research scholars to submit their original research papers not published/ or accepted elsewhere for publication in the above journals. Please see the guideline for the author.

Please submit your research paper to the following e-mail addresses:

For RUJOST: rujost.ru@gmail.com

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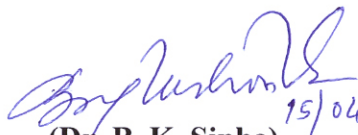
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Please ensure your article is in accordance with the prescribed attached author's guidelines for the respective journals. (Enclosures)

For any query, please contact IQAC office.

Enclosures:

1. Annexure-I for RUJOST
2. Annexure-II for RUJOSH


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Annexure-I

Author Guidelines for Journal Publication in Ranchi University Journal of Science and Technology (RUJOST)

1. General Information

- The Ranchi University Journal of Science and Technology (RUJOST) encourages authors for publishing of their **original research articles, review papers, short communications, and case studies**.
- Manuscripts must be **unpublished and not under consideration elsewhere**.
- All submissions must adhere to **ethical research and publication guidelines**, including plagiarism/ similarity checks.
- The language of publication is **English (U.K. or U.S., but consistent throughout the manuscript)** except Humanities.

2. Manuscript Preparation

2.1 Structure of the Manuscript

The manuscript should be arranged in the following order:

1. Title Page

- Title: Concise, informative, and relevant (≤ 20 words).
- Author(s) Full Name(s): **First name, Middle initial (if any), Last name**.
- Affiliation(s): Department, Institution, City, Country, and Email ID.
- Corresponding Author: Indicate with *asterisk* and provide contact details.

2. Abstract (150–250 words)

- A structured summary covering **background, objectives, methods, key findings, and conclusions**.
- Avoid citations and abbreviations in the abstract.

3. Keywords (4–6 words)

- Select relevant keywords that enhance discoverability in indexing databases.

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- Clearly state the **research problem, objectives, and significance**.
- Provide a **brief literature review** to establish the study's context.
- State the research hypothesis (if applicable).

5. Materials and Methods

- Clearly describe **study design, sample size, data collection, experimental methods, and analytical techniques**.
- Ensure reproducibility by detailing software, statistical tests, and instruments used.
- Ethical approvals and consent declarations (if human or animal subjects are involved).

6. Results

- Present **data objectively with supporting figures, tables, and graphs**.
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7. Discussion

- Interpret the findings in light of existing literature.
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11. References

- Follow - **Science - Harvard**;
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3. Formatting Guidelines

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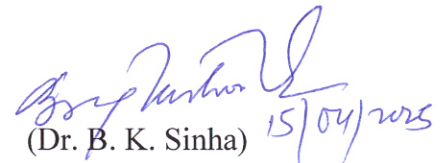
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5. Submission & Review Process

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- **Open Access Option:**


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