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International Conference for Student Academic Research

Empowering Student Researchers
Worldwide

InterConnect 2026: A Holistic Approach to Research

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About the Conference

Conference Theme

InterConnect 2026: A Holistic Approach to Research

Connecting ideas across disciplines to solve real-world challenges. Young researchers integrate perspectives from science, technology, humanities, and social sciences.

By fostering collaboration, creativity, and critical thinking, the conference highlights research as a holistic process that links knowledge and innovation to make global impact.



3 Academic Tracks



2 Days of Hybrid Conference



8 Research Domains



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Academic Pathways Across Three Levels

Young Scholar Track - YST	High School Scholar Track - HSST	University Scholar Track - UST
<p>Eligibility: Grades 5–8</p> <p>Paper Type: Short Paper (800–1,000 words, up to 5 pages)</p>	<p>Eligibility: Grades 9–12</p> <p>Paper Type: Full Paper (2,000–3,000 words, up to 10 pages)</p>	<p>Eligibility: UG/PG Students</p> <p>Paper Type: Full Paper (3,000–5,000 words, up to 15 pages)</p>
<p>Presentation: 3 minutes + 2 minutes Q&A</p> <p>Focus: Encourages young learners to explore research thinking through structured inquiry, exploratory studies, and small-scale experiments.</p>	<p>Presentation: 8 minutes + 2 minutes Q&A</p> <p>Focus: Supports students conducting independent or mentored research projects across STEM, social sciences, and interdisciplinary domains.</p>	<p>Presentation: 8 minutes + 2 minutes Q&A</p> <p>Focus: Showcases rigorous research contributions including experimental studies, computational research, systematic reviews, or interdisciplinary investigations.</p>

Showcase Research Across All Academic Fields

ICON-STARs welcomes scholarly research from a wide range of academic disciplines, reflecting the rapidly evolving landscape of global research. Submissions are encouraged across traditional and emerging fields.

Business, Economics & Innovation

- Business Strategy and Entrepreneurship
- Sustainable Finance and Green Economics
- Digital Economy and FinTech
- Carbon Economics and Climate Finance
- Supply Chain and Global Trade Systems

Artificial Intelligence, Data & Digital Technologies

- AI and Machine Learning
- Generative AI & AI-for-Science
- Robotics, IoT & Smart Systems
- Cybersecurity & Cyber-Physical Systems
- AI Ethics, Governance & Responsible Tech

Social Sciences, Psychology & Public Policy

- Behavioral Science & Decision-Making
- Public Policy & Global Governance
- Digital Society & Media Studies
- Education Innovation & Learning Sciences
- Development Studies & Social Innovation

Natural Sciences & Engineering

- Physics, Chemistry, Materials
- Aerospace, Mech, Electrical Engineering
- Quantum & Semiconductors
- Climate & Atmospheric
- Advanced Materials & Nanotechnology

Biology, Health & Life Sciences

- Biotechnology & Genetic Engineering
- Microbiome & Synthetic Biology
- Bioinformatics & Computational Biology
- Tissue Engineering & Regenerative Med
- Precision Medicine & Drug Discovery

Environment, Sustainability & Climate Systems

- Climate Mitigation & Adaptation
- Sustainable Energy & Green Tech
- Environmental Economics & Policy
- Biodiversity & Ecosystem Restoration
- Food Systems & Ag Innovation

Humanities, Law & Ethics

- Technology and Society
- Environmental Law and Climate Justice
- Digital Humanities
- Science Communication and Ethics
- Philosophy of Science

Governance, Risk & Global Systems

- International Relations & Global Governance
- Risk Governance & Policy Design
- Cybersecurity & Biosecurity
- Public Admin & Institutions
- Complex Systems & Networks



Who can Participate?

- ✓ School Students
- ✓ Undergraduate Students
- ✓ Graduate Students
- ✓ PhD Scholars
- ✓ Working Professionals
- ✓ Other Interested Individuals

Abstract Submission Guideline

✓ Purpose

Briefly explain the problem or question the project explores.

✓ Design/Methodology/Approach

Describe what the student did to study the problem (experiment, observation, model, survey, prototype, etc.).

✓ Findings

Summarise the main results or discoveries.

✓ Practical Implications

Explain how the project can help people, society, environment, or everyday life.

✓ Originality/Value

Describe what makes the project interesting, creative, or unique.

✓ Word Limit

The abstract should be around 200-300 words.

✓ Keywords

Provide 4–5 keywords separated by commas.



Full Paper Guideline *(Only for HSST and UGST)*

Parameter	Requirement
Font	Times New Roman
Size	12 pt
Line Spacing	1.5
Citation Style	APA/Harvard
Margins	1 inch on all sides
File Format	PDF or DOCX

Paper Length: 2,000 – 3,500 words

Research Paper Structure

Title

Author Information: Name

School / Institution, City, Country

Email

Abstract: 250–300 words (structured abstract)

Keywords: 5–6 keywords

Introduction Should include:

- background
- research problem
- significance of study

Literature Review: Discuss previous studies or research relevant to the topic.

Research Objectives / Hypothesis: Clearly define the purpose of the research.

Research Paper Structure

Methodology (Section Explains):

- research design
- data collection method
- sample size (if applicable)
- tools used (survey, experiment, simulation, etc.)

Results: Present findings using:

- tables
- graphs
- charts

Discussion: Interpret results and explain what they mean.

Conclusion: Summarize key insights.

Limitations and Future Scope: Mention limitations of the study.

References

Citation style: APA Style (simplified)

Example: Smith, J. (2020). Renewable energy basics. Science Journal.



Awards & Certificates

01

**Best Paper
Award**

Top 3 outstanding research papers in each track will be honored with a Best Paper Award Certificate.

02

**Certificate of
Participation**

All participants will be awarded an official conference participation certificate.

E certificates will only be provided to registered participants only.
All authors must register separately.





Fees & Registration (in INR)

Transparent pricing structure with early bird discounts.
Payment required only after abstract acceptance.

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Online Presenter **₹4500**

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Online Participant **₹1800**

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