



15th UMR CONFERENCE

RESEARCH PAPER REVIEW COMPETITION

GUIDELINES

Participants will be given a research paper on the day of the competition and will be asked to review it within 60 minutes.

The following guidelines must be followed while reviewing the research paper.

Official language

Review papers written only in English will be accepted.

Writing Style

- The review papers must be hand-written
- Writing should be clear

Word content:

700 words maximum

IMPORTANT DEADLINE

Deadlines for online registration and application for the review paper competition: **Saturday- 23rd April, 2022,**

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Components of a research review paper

1. Suggest an alternate title for the given research article
2. Suggest keywords for the review you are asked to write
3. Introduction & Background

- The introduction of your review should accomplish three things:
Introduce the topic, state the topic's relevance, Reveal the findings to the reader
- Grab the reader's interest while introducing the topic.
- Explain the relevance of the topic.
- Provide the necessary background information.

4. The body of the paper

- A review paper is not a pure summary of the information you read for your review.
- You are required to analyze, synthesize, and interpret the information you read in some meaningful way.
- Establish a clear concept from the onset of your writing and examine which pieces of your reading help you in developing and supporting the ideas
- Keep your discussion focused on the given research article.
- Start each paragraph with a topic sentence that relates to the study's research question.
- Describe the important results that reflect the article's research question and objectives.
- Mention the methodology just to tell the rest of the story, mentioning the experimental procedure is not necessary

5. Conclusion and future directions

- Succinctly summarize your major points.
- Point out the significance of the findings of the results.
- Discuss the questions that remain in the area.
- Keep it brief.
- Be careful not to present any new information in the conclusion section.

Review articles contain neither a materials and methods section nor an abstract.

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