

Guide for required INTERNATIONAL SEMINARS and RESEARCH COLLOQUIUM

As stated in the curriculum of the doctorate program, students are required to attend several International conferences and colloquiums.

Definition of Terms

International Seminars/Workshops/Conferences - are activities organized by an individual or institution for the purpose of sharing innovative ideas and best practices in their field or industry. Events like these are attended by participants around the world with the end goal of learning from colleagues and industry experts.

Research Colloquium - is activity where experts of a particular field come together to present their most recent academic findings. Participants may be local or international.

International Seminars/Workshops/Conferences can be an interdisciplinary event revolving around a common theme. Research Colloquium is a specific sharing of knowledge and expertise within a specific industry.

International Seminars and Research Colloquium Participation Guide

1. Finding relevant International Seminars and Research Colloquium is the **responsibility of the student**.
2. Once the student finds the International Seminars and Research Colloquium, s/he needs to inform the In-residence program of his intention to participate.
3. The In-residence program will verify the authenticity of the International Seminars and Research Colloquium and have the power to approve the participation of the student.
4. The student is required to submit a proof of Participation in the form of: 1) Proof of Attendance 2) Certificate of Participation as Presenter etc.
5. The student is required to submit a document summarizing his experience and learning in the event. This document must reflect:
 - 5.1 The relevance of the theme of the International symposium or Research Colloquium to his academic research



- 5.2 Specifically discuss his participation in the event.
 - 5.3 This document must be no less than THREE (3) pages, no less than 1,500 words.
This document will be submitted to the In-Residence Site Director and must be part of the dossier of the student
 - 5.4. This document will be part of the evaluation of the Research Committee before scheduling the Viva Voce Defense of the student.
6. The In-residence program and the SSM Headquarters will assist the students by providing a list of International Seminars and Research Colloquium that might be interesting to the student.
 7. In some cases, In-residence Sites and/or the Headquarters might organize and in-house international symposium or Research Colloquium for the students of SSM.