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Report

Of

NATIONAL WEBINAR

(25th March, 2026)

A National Webinar on “*Enhancing Research Visibility and Use of ORCID*” was organized by the *Westcott Central Library, Christ Church College* in collaboration with the Department of Library and Information Science, Central University of Himachal Pradesh. The webinar was supported by ORCID Global Participation Fund (GPF).

The webinar aimed to create awareness among faculty members, research scholars, and students regarding the importance of ORCID ID in enhancing research visibility and academic identity.

Resource Person

Mr. Aravind Nair

Manager, Library & ORCID Webinar Trainer
SAI University, Chennai, India.

He brings rich experience in library automation, digital libraries, and electronic resource management, with hands-on expertise in systems like KOHA, D-Space, Coral ERM, and Open Journal Systems.

Programme Objectives:

1. To create awareness about ORCID ID and its significance
2. To enhance research visibility and global recognition
3. To guide participants in creating and managing ORCID profiles
4. To understand integration of ORCID with research databases and publications

➤ **Flyer of Webinar**



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CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF HIMACHAL PRADESH**
Organises
National Webinar
on
**Enhancing Research Visibility
and Use of ORCID**
Supported by ORCID GPF

 25 MARCH 2026  02:00 PM - 03:00 PM

Open to Faculty Members, Research Scholars and Students

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Principal, Christ Church College, Kanpur

ORCID Project Director
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No Registration Fee
E-Certificate of Participation will be provided

 **Online Meeting Link will be shared with the registered participants.**

Click here for Registration

Limited Seats Available **1/1**

➤ **Proceedings of the Webinar**

The program commenced with a warm welcome to all the participants.

1. Welcome Address

The webinar began with a welcome speech delivered by *Dr. Parul Gupta, Coordinator & Librarian*. She welcomed all the dignitaries, speakers, and participants and briefly highlighted the significance of organizing such academic events.

2. Introductory Address

This was followed by a welcome speech and introduction by *Prof. Shivarama Rao K, Head, DLIS*, who elaborated on the objectives of the webinar. He emphasized the growing importance of digital researcher identity and introduced the concept of ORCID to the participants.

3. Patron's Address

The Hon'ble *Principal, Prof. Vinay J. Sebastian*, addressed the participants and encouraged them to actively engage in research activities. He stressed the importance of maintaining a unique researcher identity for global recognition.

4. Expert Lecture:

The main lecture was delivered by *Mr. Aravind Nair, Manager (Library & ORCID National Trainer, SAI University)*, who provided an in-depth and practical understanding of the use of ORCID (Open Researcher and Contributor ID) in academic and research ecosystems.

➤ **During his session, he elaborated the following key aspects:**

- **Introduction to ORCID:**

He explained that ORCID provides a unique 16-digit persistent digital identifier to researchers, which helps in distinguishing their work from others with similar names. It acts as a global academic identity.

- **Step-by-step ORCID Registration Process:**
 - ✓ A live demonstration was provided on how to create an ORCID ID, including:
 - ✓ Signing up using email
 - ✓ Setting visibility (public/private)
 - ✓ Adding basic profile details
 - ✓ Verifying the account
- **Integration with Research Databases:**

He highlighted how ORCID can be linked with major databases and platforms such as Scopus, Web of Science, Cross-Ref, and institutional repositories, allowing automatic updating of publications.

- **Linking Publications and Works:**
 - ✓ Detailed guidance was given on:
 - ✓ Importing publications from databases
 - ✓ Adding DOI-based entries
 - ✓ Manual addition of research works
 - ✓ Maintaining an updated research profile
- **Benefits in Research Visibility:** He emphasized that ORCID enhances global visibility by:
 - ✓ Ensuring proper attribution of work
 - ✓ Increasing discoverability of publications
 - ✓ Supporting funding and grant applications
 - ✓ Simplifying manuscript submission in journals
- **Avoidance of Author Ambiguity:**

ORCID helps resolve issues related to name similarity, spelling variations, and institutional changes, ensuring accurate identification of researchers.

- **Role in Academic Publishing:**

He discussed that many reputed journals and publishers now require ORCID IDs during submission, making it an essential component of modern scholarly communication.

- **Best Practices:**

Participants were advised to regularly update their ORCID profile, link it with all research outputs, and integrate it with institutional and publishing systems for maximum benefit.

The session was highly interactive, and participants gained hands-on knowledge about effectively using ORCID to strengthen their academic profile and research impact.

5. Vote of Thanks

The webinar concluded with a vote of thanks proposed by Dr. Parul Gupta, who expressed gratitude to all the speakers, organizers, and participants for making the event successful.

6. Outcome of the Programme:

- Participants gained knowledge about ORCID registration and usage
- Awareness regarding research visibility and academic identity increased
- Enhanced understanding of linking publications and maintaining research profiles
- Helped in improving research credibility and global reach

7. Total No. of Registration

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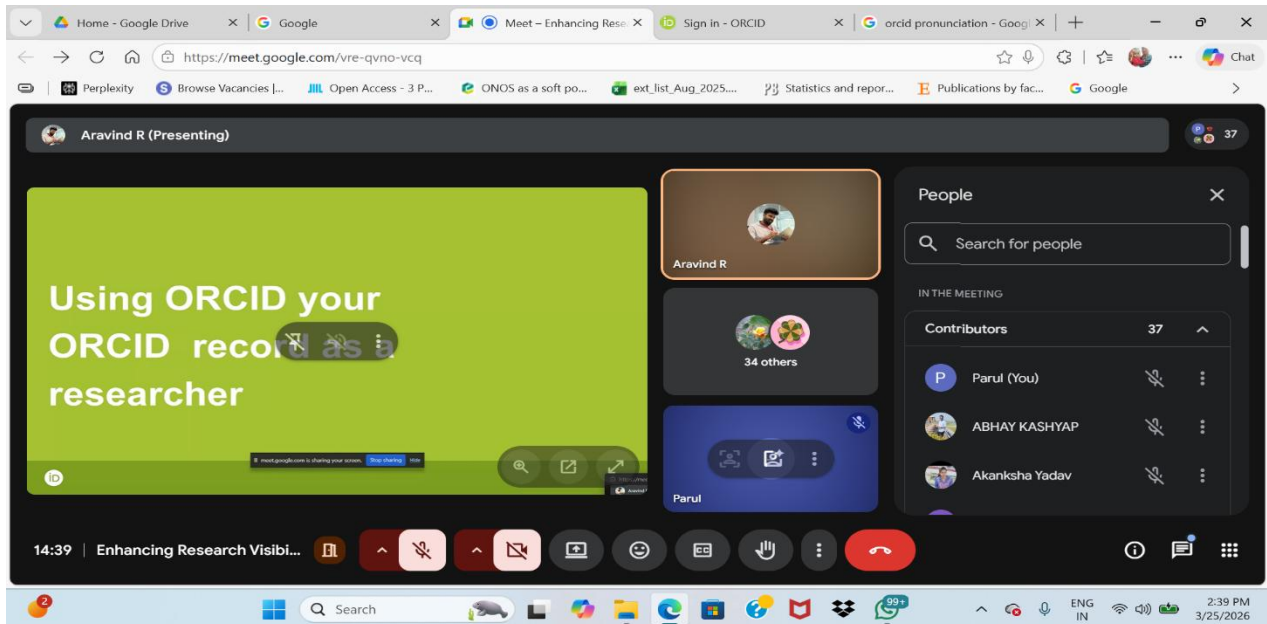
8. Conclusion

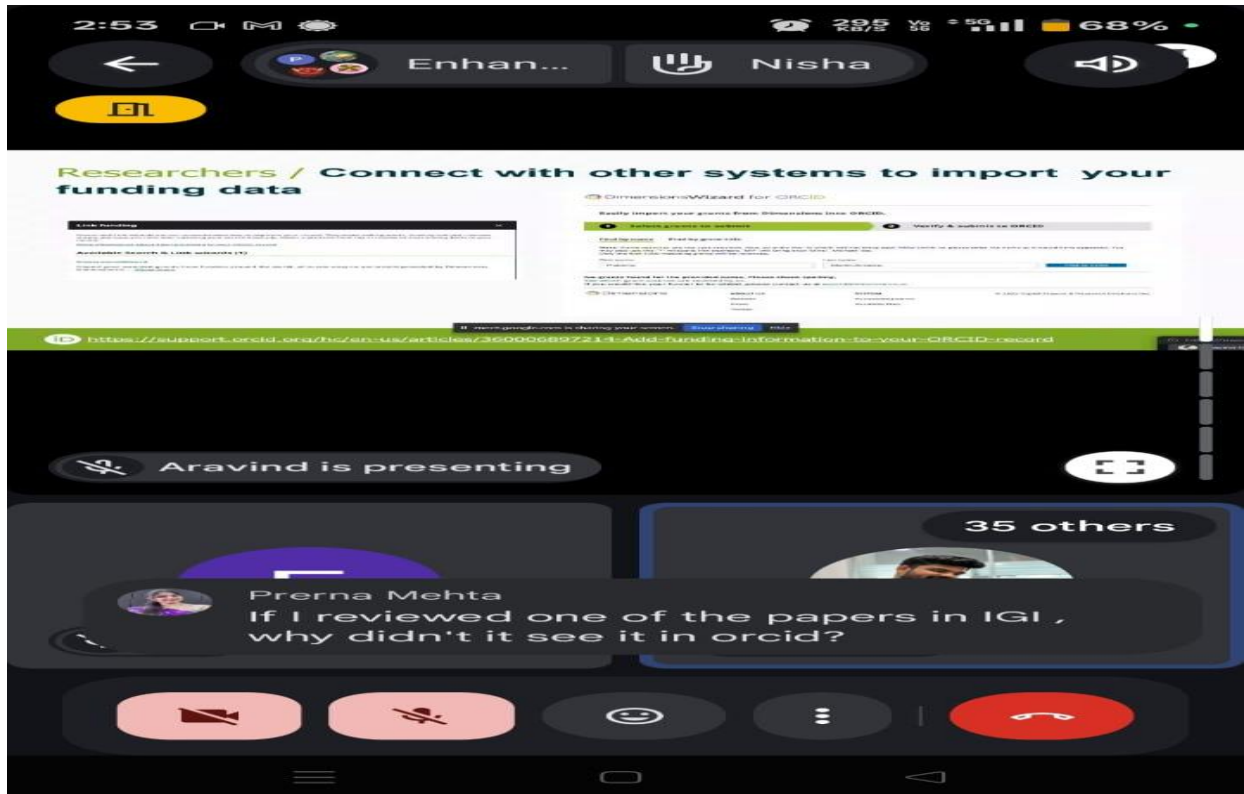
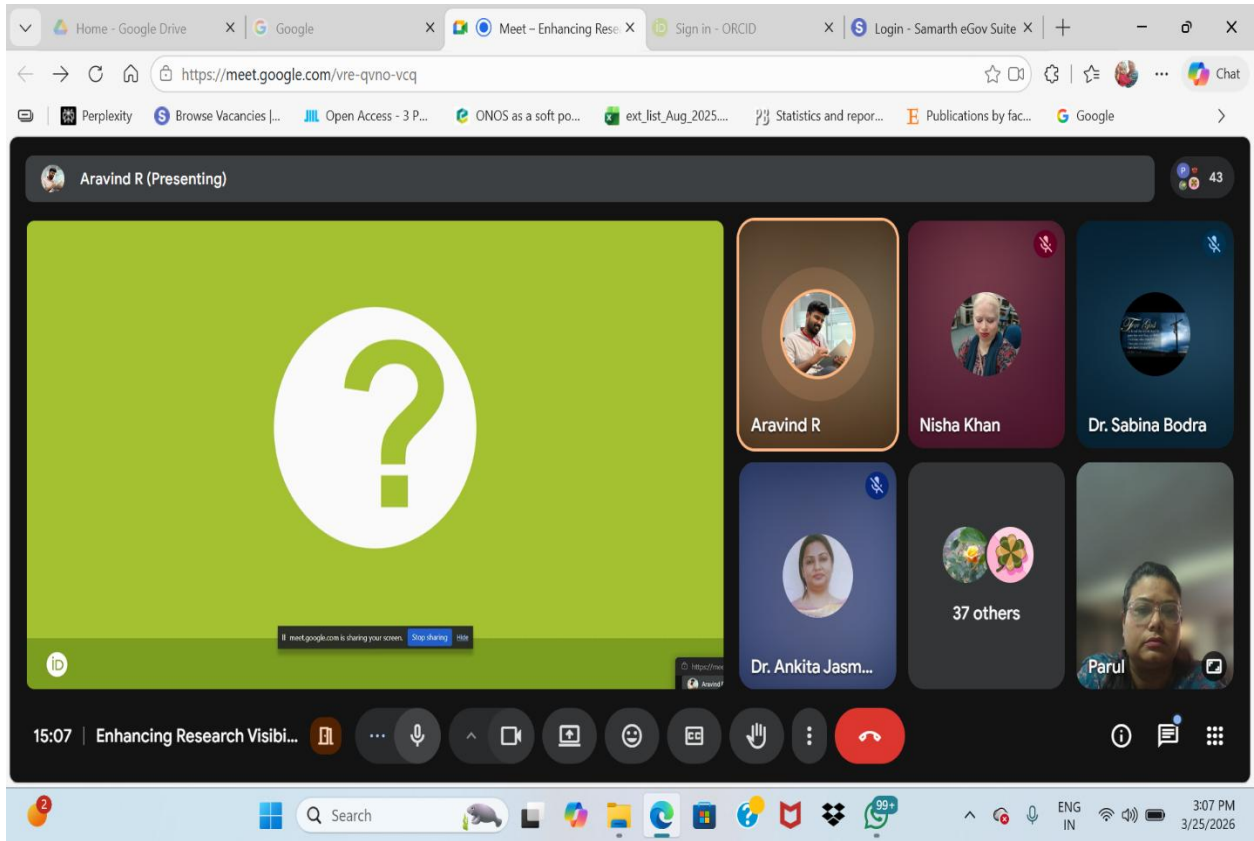
The webinar was highly beneficial for researchers and students as it provided comprehensive knowledge about ORCID and its role in enhancing research visibility. The session helped participants understand how to effectively create and utilize ORCID ID for academic growth and global recognition.

➤ Certificate of the Webinar

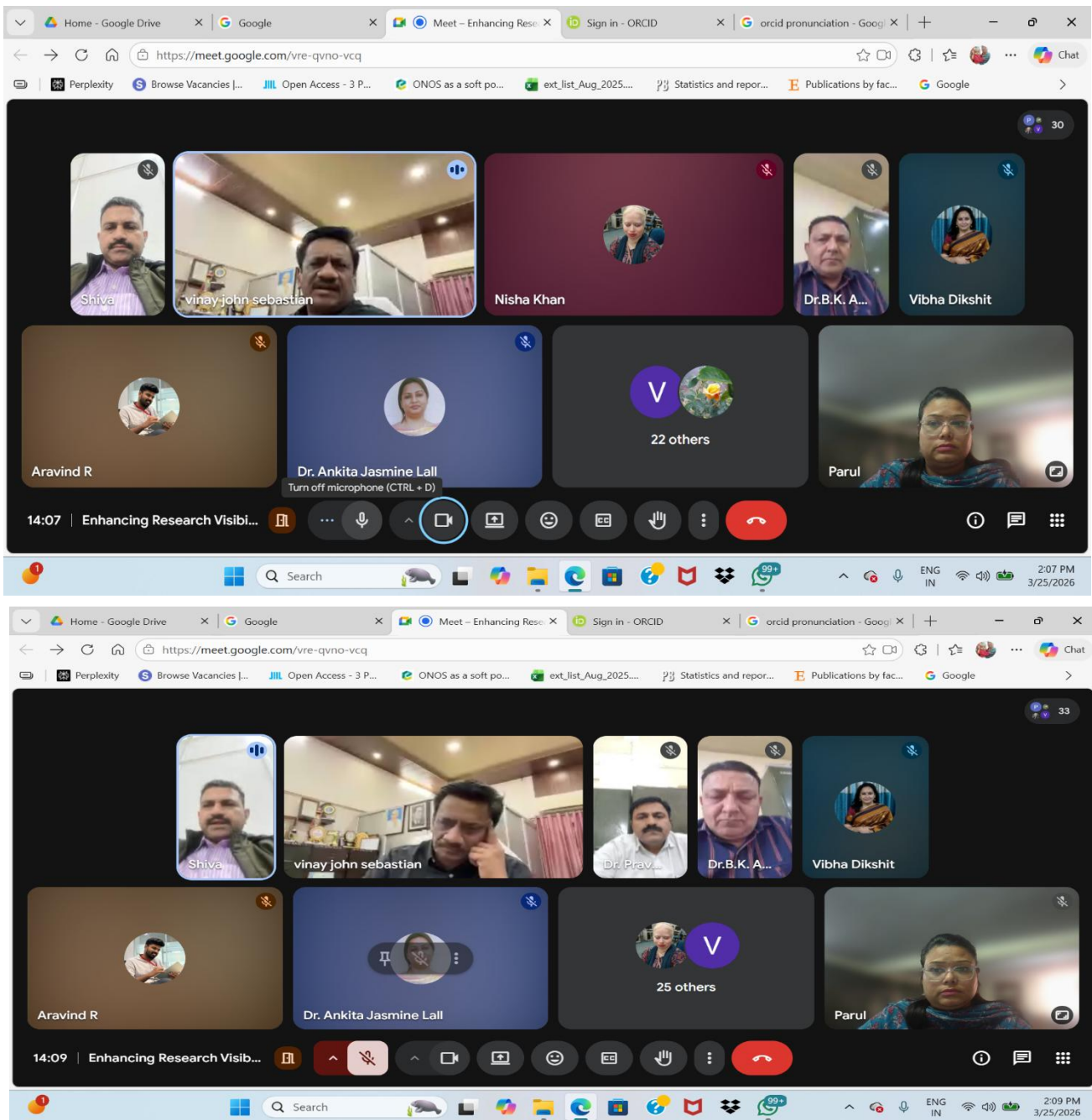


➤ Attendance : Web Based





➤ Glimpse of the Program



Dr. Parul Gupta
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