

**Faculty Development  
Programme  
On  
'Design , Develop and  
Deliver Blended  
Learning Courses with  
MOODLE LMS'  
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# About the FDP

- A very promising technological and pedagogical model that has received a lot of attention during the last few years and adoption by Stanford, Harvard, Duke and almost 100 of the world's top ranking Universities to teach millions of learners is that of the MOOC. The MOOC is considered on the one hand as a panacea for education and on the other as a defilement of the sanctity of the higher education tradition. Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs) are gaining traction all over the world to provide unlimited participation and open access to quality education via web. The visitors to the top three MOOCs platforms (Udemy, Coursera and edX) are from the United States, followed by visitors from India. This shows the tangible interest in MOOCs in India with their cost effectiveness and potential to reach a large number of learners. MOOCs provide us the opportunity to broaden the access to quality education at all levels.
- This FDP will sensitize the participants how to use the tools available in Moodle to develop unique courses for many kinds of institutions. The workshop also leverages Moodle's unique capacity to seamlessly bring together instructional materials, dynamic activities, social interaction, and student management functions. Following the best practices in designing a Moodle course, the participants will also incorporate strategies to accommodate multiple learning styles. They will also accommodate the emerging instructional technologies and provide a strategy for a wide variety of course modalities, including self-paced independent study, cohort-based courses with student- instructor interaction, and highly collaborative student-centered courses.

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