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ON

Development of SWAYAM MOOCs

(29-30 July, 2026)

Organized by

Centre for Online Education
UP Rajarshi Tandon Open University, Prayagraj

Venue

Tilak Hall, Saraswati Campus
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ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

U.P. Rajarshi Tandon Open University was established through the UP Act No. 10 of 1999 as passed by the Uttar Pradesh legislature. This University was named after Rajarshi Purushottam Das Tandon, an illustrious son of India from Prayagraj who made great sacrifices for the sake of our independence and dedicated himself to the cause of Hindi as the National Language. The jurisdiction of the University covers the whole state of Uttar Pradesh. The University has carved a niche for itself among the premier academic institutions for open learning and distance education. The courses offered by UPRTOU are recognized by the joint committee of UGC-AICTE and DEB. The University offers wide range of educational programmes related to general education, training, research and extension work through open and distance learning. The University started functioning from the session 1999-2000 with 3344 distance learners. In the current session i.e. session 2024-2025 more than 65,000 distance learners are enrolled in 111 programmes at 1465 study centres. Since its inception, the cumulative strength has reached 4.20 lakh learners.

ABOUT PRAYAGRAJ

Prayagraj is one of the fastest growing cities in India at present. It is located 205 kilometers south of the state capital, Lucknow. It is one of four sites of the mass Hindu Pilgrimage Kumbh mela, the others being Haridwar, Ujjain and Nashik. Every year in the month of January Magh mela is organized at Sangam, while every six-year Ardh Kumbh and every twelve year Kumbh, and every 144 years Maha Kumbh is organized. It has a position of importance in Hindu scriptures for it is situated at Triveni Sangam, the confluence of the holy rivers Ganges, Yamuna and ancient Saraswati River. Hindi, Urdu and English are the languages that are spoken in Prayagraj. Major tourist destinations are Anand Bhawan, Chandra Shekhar Azad Park, Khusaro Bagh, Akabar Fort, Nag Basuki Temple, All Saint Cathedral Church, High Court etc.

ABOUT THE RESOURCE PERSON



Prof. Jeetendra Pande is a distinguished academician and an expert in Open and Distance Learning (ODL), currently serving as Professor and Director, School of Computer Science & Information Technology at Uttarakhand Open University.

He holds B.E., M.Tech., and Ph.D. degrees in Computer Science & Engineering and has made significant contributions in the fields of Cyber Security, Digital Learning, and SWAYAM MOOCs. He is the recipient of the prestigious Gold Medal for Innovation in Open and Distance Learning from Indira Gandhi National Open University, and has authored several books, research publications, and patents.

Prof. Pande is the creator and instructor of the popular SWAYAM MOOC "Introduction to Cyber Security," which has benefited over 80,000 learners worldwide. During this workshop, he will provide hands-on guidance on the complete process of SWAYAM MOOC development, including course planning, content creation, video lecture preparation, assessment design, quality standards, and course submission. His expertise will enable faculty members to effectively design and develop high-quality MOOCs aligned with national educational standards.

ABOUT THE WORKSHOP

The Two-Day Workshop on Development of SWAYAM MOOCs is being organized by the Centre for Online Education, U.P. Rajarshi Tandon Open University, Prayagraj, on 29–30 July 2026. The workshop aims to provide faculty members with practical knowledge and hands-on training in designing, developing, and publishing high-quality MOOCs on the SWAYAM platform. Participants will gain insights into course planning, e-content development, video lecture preparation, assessment design, and SWAYAM guidelines, enabling them to effectively contribute to digital and online education initiatives in line with NEP 2020.

ABOUT THE CONVENOR



Prof. A. K. Malik is a distinguished academician, researcher, and Professor of Mathematics at the School of Sciences and Director, Centre for Online Education at U.P. Rajarshi Tandon Open University.

He holds M.Sc., M.Tech., and Ph.D. degrees in Mathematics and has over 20 years of experience in teaching, research, and academic administration. He has made significant contributions to higher education, mathematics, and digital learning. He has authored 33 books, published more than 100 research papers, delivered over 100 invited lectures at national and international and academic platforms, and served as an examiner for more than 400 Ph.D. thesis evaluation, reflecting his extensive academic and research expertise.

Prof. Malik has been instrumental in promoting digital education initiatives at UPRTOU. Under his leadership, the University has successfully completed 12 SWAYAM Prabha Course Proposal in the Phase-I and is actively progressing towards the implementation of SWAYAM Prabha Phase-II, along with strengthening online learning resources and supporting the effective implementation of NEP 2020. He has also been recognized among the Top 5% Scientists Worldwide in the SciRank Global Scientist Index 2025 for his outstanding research impact and academic excellence.

REGISTRATION FORM LINK

Note: The faculty Members can register from the below link:

https://forms.gle/kmcCRYG4ubjKEt7k9

(Last date of the registration is 28 July, 2026)

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