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## Innovations in Distance Education

Innovation has become a buzz word in all walks of life, and Distance Education is not far from it. Creativity and change are two important concepts are related to innovation. Innovation is a creative process, and it advocates change in the current practice. For distance education, innovation is an imperative. It is not something that we may do, but it is something that we must do. [More...](#)

## Nurturing Innovations in Education

In India, education is an important social sector that requires incessant innovation. The need for innovations is increasingly being felt in India and concrete steps are taken for promoting and nurturing innovations. At present, India does have a huge market for education, the necessary intellectual capital, and a thriving telecommunications network to support ICT based education. What it does not have is a culture that rewards innovation and risk taking, and venture capitalists. [More...](#)

## Simple Google Search Tricks

Google has become the standard search engine of virtually every internet user of today. In fact "Google" has come to signify the search on the internet. There are some lesser known search operators that can be used with this "unassuming little input box". Let take a look at some little tricks that we can use to get more out of a simple Google search. [More...](#)

## News & Events:

NCIDE organised the Fifth Popular Talk of the popular talk series on Innovations in Open and Distance Education. The talk on "EasyNow: Empowering Teachers for ODL" was delivered by Dr. R. Sreedher, Director, CEMCA. [More...](#)

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## In This Issue:

Welcome to the fifth issue of *Ennovate* - the NCIDE eNewsletter. This issue contains an article on Innovations in distance education. The article discusses how innovation is imperative to distance education. It also highlights the need for innovation in distance education. This issue contains an article on nurturing of innovations in education. The article stresses the need for taking concrete steps in this direction. The issue also contains an article discussing simple search tricks that can be used to get more out of Google. This issue also list some of the events held at NCIDE.

## Notable Quotable:

An innovation is one of those things that society looks at and says, if we make this part of the way we live and work, it will change the way we live and work.

Dean Kamen

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