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Statement bank: An innovative means to assist assignment evaluation

Evaluation of learners through assignments plays a critical role in the ODL system, because the learner is not present physically in front of teachers/evaluators as in case of traditional teaching/evaluating mode. The learner in ODL system is generally provided assignment questions, which s/he is expected to answer and send back to the teachers for evaluation. On evaluation, the teacher provides comments or statements on the assignment and sends it back to the learner. [More...](#)

Getting More from Wikipedia

Wikipedia with over 17.8 million articles in more than 270 languages is a colossal hub of information. It has become a virtual 'Encyclopedia Britannica' for us. Since its creation in 2001, Wikipedia has grown rapidly into one of the largest reference websites, attracting nearly 78 million visitors monthly as on January 2010. Wikipedia has become one of the world's most visited sites on the Web. [More...](#)

News & Events:

NCIDE organised the seventh Popular Talk of the popular talk series on Innovations in Open and Distance Education. The talk on "Innovation- A changing Scenario" was delivered by Dr. Ashok Jain, Vice President, EMPI Business School and, Former Director, NISTADS. [More...](#)

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In This Issue:

Welcome to the sixth issue of *Ennovate* - the NCIDE eNewsletter. This issue contains an article on Statement bank. It discusses the significance of statement bank in assisting assignment evaluation. The article discusses innovative statement banks developed to facilitate teachers. This issue contains an article on Wikipedia. The article mentions some of the search engines that add to the usability of wikipedia. This issue also list some of the events held at NCIDE.

Notable Quotable:

For better or worse, that is true with any new innovation, certainly any new technological innovation. There's many good things that come out of it, but also some bad things. All you can do is try to maximize the good stuff and minimize the bad stuff.
Steve Case

We at NCIDE highly value your comments and feedback on the Newsletter and the articles, and look forward to receiving your suggestions. We also welcome your contributions for the future issues. Please send us your mails at: ncide@ignou.ac.in

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