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There are several reasons that our university and college teachers are not serious about research. Many of the teachers don't have positive approach towards research. Some of them have real urge about research and they want their work to be published and commented so that there can be valid and reliable conclusions. But unfortunately they don't get proper platform to publish their work, as there are limited number of research journals available now. To cater the needs of the research scholars, we have started 'Vivek Research Journal'. This is a sincere attempt to encourage researchers in various disciplines to publish their research articles and help them to generate research culture among them.

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