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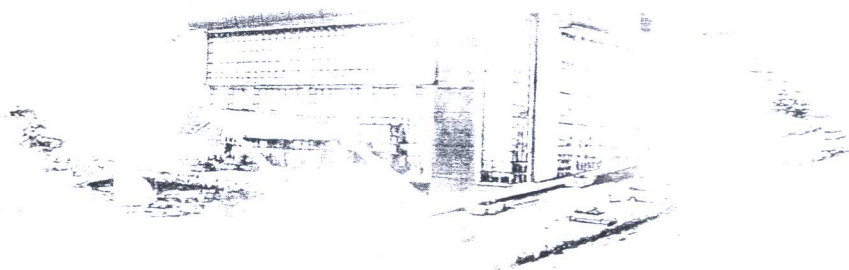
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Abstract

The aim of this research is to find appropriate technologies that will further enhance the use of distance education in Developing countries where the literacy rate is rather low. The research all together has looked at Distance Education from a different perspective. In order to achieve this objective the rationale behind this research has been examined and has discovered the scope with in which this research would be restricted to be in focus. In order to do this the background of distance education, its definition, past ways of administering distance education, the technologies being used for the delivery of distance education and their drawbacks have been analyzed. The thing that was next taken into consideration was the point of view of other people who have had previous experience with the topic, the experts. By doing this a clear understanding of the topic was achieved. The methodology for this research was chosen after that so that the research design, research implementation in form of data collection can be done. The analysis of the raw data collected and the interpretations of that were found from processing data. This gave the research a clear path to reach its conclusion. A conclusion that computerized curriculum might be one of the best technologies for delivering distance education in developing countries. As in the context of developing countries this method seems the most plausible in terms of cost, function and in achieving the specified objectives. The conclusion of this research is also incorporated with the recommendations that can be suggested after the completion of this research. The limitations of this particular research is also mentioned which gives it the doubt of the benefit scope.

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