

The Role Of Information And Communication Technology In Realizing Sustainable Education

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Abstract

As of late, improvements in technology have played a hugely vital capability in our general public as well as in a scope of educational settings, one of which is Education for Sustainable Turn of events (ESD). Numerous people are presently ready to lead experiences that are for the most part more fulfilling because of the headway of information and communication advances, which are likewise alluded to as ICTs in specific occasions. The goal of this study is to give an inside and out assessment of the current logical proof about the commitment of information and communication advances (ICTs) to the field of sustainable turn of events. While leading a writing search utilizing the Trap of Science and Scopus bibliographic storehouses, we stuck to the Favored Revealing Things for Efficient Surveys and Meta-Breaks down (PRISMA) rules. As indicated by the outcomes, the most eminent arrangements that have been taken on are portable learning and far off education, the two of which are attached to the satisfaction of the sustainable advancement objectives. Portable learning and far off education are both associated with the consummation of the sustainable advancement targets. The consequences of this study lead to various ends, one of which is the need to

direct an examination of the few methodologies that are presently being tried. Especially important is the utilization of ICTs in educational settings determined to make the general climate all the more harmless to the ecosystem.

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1. INTRODUCTION

The term "information and communication technology" is abbreviated as "ICT". A term that refers to a variety of technologies that allow users to access information through telecommunications. It is comparable to IT (Information Technology), but its primary emphasis is on the technology used for communication. This encompasses the use of wireless networks, mobile phones, the internet, and any other forms of communication medium. This shows that we now have more options in the use of information and communication technology (ICT) in training programmes. Teachers can interact with their students in a pleasant way. Because of the fast advancement of technology, not only has our way of life but also the expectations of society been forced to undergo profound transformations. Considering the impact that new advancements are having on the working environment and everyday life, most of educator education foundations in the cutting-edge world are endeavouring to revamp their educational projects and study hall offices to close the mechanical hole that exists between the present and what's in store concerning instructing and learning.

The effect of ICTs on society is making a significantly certain difference. They are meaningfully affecting each feature of daily existence. The impacts of these factors are progressively obvious in educational settings. ICTs give understudies and educators more noteworthy choices to change learning and instructing to individual necessities, which is the reason society is forcing schools to respond to this mechanical development properly.

1.1. Operational Definition of Terms Information Communication Technologies (ICT)

alludes to the PC and web associations used in this survey article to oversee and send material for educational purposes.

- **E Learning**

is a type of educational program that uses an information organization, such as the web, local area network (LAN), peripheral network (WAN), wholly or to some extent, to deliver courses, work collaboratively or both. Learning using a web-based program, such as Model, Slate, or Web Voyager, is called e-learning.

- **Blended Learning**

alludes to instructing strategies that mix conventional study hall guidance with internet learning programs. For example, an educator might uphold understudy picking up during class time and backing beyond class concentrate on utilizing the worldview secluded object-situated unique learning climate

- **Constructivism**

is a hypothesis of discovering that holds that individuals "build" meaning or new information in view of their current information and experience during learning as opposed to the well-established behaviourism approach of learning, teachers at times allude to it as the creating teaching method.

1.2. Information Communication Technologies in Education

ICT uses a variety of technologies, which enables it to stay abreast of new advances. World Wide Web, sometimes known as www, is one of the most significant and well-liked Internet services (along with IRC, email, etc.). Simply because it is so simple to use and offers rich and colourful materials, its popularity has increased tremendously.

- **Audio – Conferencing**

At a time when text had low data transmission capacity, but images such as graphics, sketches or pictures could also be sent by voice communication, at that time this type of conference was considered fact. It integrates the live (real-time) transmission of voice messages by a telephony. Still images can be integrated using a PC console, graphics tablet or whiteboard.

- **Video – Conferencing**

Moving pictures may be sent in addition to audio and graphics while using video conferencing. Instead of telephone lines, video conferencing technology uses either a satellite connection or a television network (cable or broadcast).

- **Web – Based Conferencing**

As the name proposes, electronic conferencing utilizes the web to communicate text, illustrations, sound, and video information. It needs a PC and a program, and communication might be both simultaneous and offbeat.

- **Open And Distance Learning**

The utilization of every one of these ICT-based administrations essentially affects the preparation of educators. Higher inclusion and more contact are made conceivable. Moreover, it improves advancing by doing, directed instructing, independent learning, critical thinking, information social event and investigation, decisive reasoning, and the limit with regards to communication, joint effort, and learning.

2. LITERATURE REVIEW

Johnson, L (2015) Horizon Report is a resource that provides enlightening information on new technologies and the possible effects such technologies will have on higher education. The report is published annually by the National Centre for Education Management. A method known as iterative analysis was utilized in this research to identify trends, issues, and technologies that need to be monitored. Because of this, organizations are able to forecast future developments and adapt their plans appropriately. The Horizon Report is a useful resource for educational institutions that are interested in improving research, teaching, and learning via the use of technology.

UNESCO ICT (2017) Competency Framework for Teachers document. Not only does this framework place an emphasis on technical abilities, but it also places an emphasis on the ability to smoothly incorporate technology into teaching. Students will have a better chance of developing skills relevant to the 21st century and improving their digital literacy if this is done. The concept is aligned with the increasingly widespread acknowledgment of educators as crucial stakeholders in maximizing the potential of technology to improve learning outcomes.

Dabbagh and Kitsantas (2012) concentrate on the idea of individual learning conditions (PLEs) and how they connect with virtual entertainment and self-controlled learning. In particular, the creators centre around how PLEs work with independent learning. One way to think about PLEs is as online versions of traditional classrooms. According to the findings of their study, personal learning environments (PLEs) have the

potential to serve as a link between formal and informal learning settings. Learners are able to design individualized learning environments that foster autonomy, engagement, and collaboration by leveraging on the affordances that social media platforms make accessible. These settings may be created via social media.

Selwyn's (2011) A deep dive into the complications of incorporating technology into elementary, middle, and high school teaching is provided in this critical examination. The book sheds light on themes such as digital disparities, changing educational paradigms, and the developing responsibilities of educators. The book underlines the numerous repercussions of technology use. A nuanced approach to the integration of technology is what Selwyn recommends, one that takes into account both the potential advantages and the unexpected effects.

Handbook (2018) Information Technology in Primary and Secondary Education provides an in-depth examination of the role of technology in elementary, middle, and secondary education. This handbook contains a collection of chapters that are based on research and cover a wide range of issues, such as the design of curricula and professional development for teachers, as well as the influence of developing technology on teaching methods. It is a useful resource for educators, academics, and politicians who are attempting to manage the intricacies of integrating technology into classrooms.

Hew and Brush (2007) find holes in the research that has been done on the incorporation of technology in K-12 education. Their in-depth research highlights the need of conducting studies that close the gap between the usage of technology in the classroom and the consequences for student learning. The study makes some suggestions for possible new lines of inquiry for future research and places a strong emphasis on the significance of looking into instructional methods that make efficient use of technology to provide students with meaningful learning experiences.

Warschauer's (2003) The study that is provided here takes a new perspective on the concept of "digital divide" by examining it in the context of educational technology. It is not enough, in his view, to just provide people with access to technology; rather, the focus should be on making sure that everyone has an equal chance to make meaningful use of technology. This article sets a heavy emphasis on the role that technology plays

in creating social inclusion and recommends solutions for eliminating disparities in access, skills, and opportunities. In addition, the article cites many examples of how social inclusion may be fostered via the use of technology.

3. METHODOLOGY

3.1. Search Design

From a methodological point of view, determining the applicability of the sources and the representativeness of the sample are two essential components. Then, using the most unmistakable logical datasets, Web of Science (WoS) and Scopus, a methodical review of the written text on the use of ICTs in education to improve Sustainable improvements were made while also reflecting the principles of this discovery. The decision of these data sets was made for two essential reasons. First, because they are now regarded as the key sources for identifying scientific articles with the highest effect, and second, because of the prestige and worldwide recognition of these resources.

But it has also been determined that looking into other foreign databases and archives is appropriate for future research that may supplement this study. Second, the databases' reputation on a global scale and the necessary indexing methods, as well as the precise definition of a set of search criteria and a clear technique, all assist the sample's representativeness.

All research published in English or Hindi in the last ten years was taken into consideration while choosing the papers for this study. Despite the large number of search phrases, keywords were used to carry out the search sequence. At first, these keywords were ICT, technology, and digital technology, as well as education for sustainable development and learning for sustainable development.

The Favored Detailing Things for Methodical Audits and the utilization of expressive and subjective approaches, and the use of semantic strategies to the examination of interpersonal organizations for later visual portrayal with VOS watcher programming have all been viewed as in this survey.

3.2. Selection Process and Data Extraction

The distributions needed to meet the accompanying needs to incorporate:

(1) distributed in Hindi or English; (2) discuss the use of ICT in education to create sustainable change; (3) grouping search descriptions into titles, concepts and taglines; (4) open distribution; and (5) articles. The following have been removed from the avoidance rules: (1) Collection Procedures; (2) Studies conducted outside of an educational setting; (3) Copy the lesson; and (4) Access distribution is prohibited. Unlike other formats, only scientific articles are selected, mainly because we are looking for articles with significant impact. Initial eligibility criteria were used for selection followed by thorough examination and analysis of all texts using searchable descriptions in titles, abstracts and/or keywords. Citations and references of selected articles were searched. The four stages of data collection are identification, screening, eligibility, and inclusion.

The chosen papers were also the subject of another search for citations. Figure 1 depicts the development of this field's research output during the last ten years.

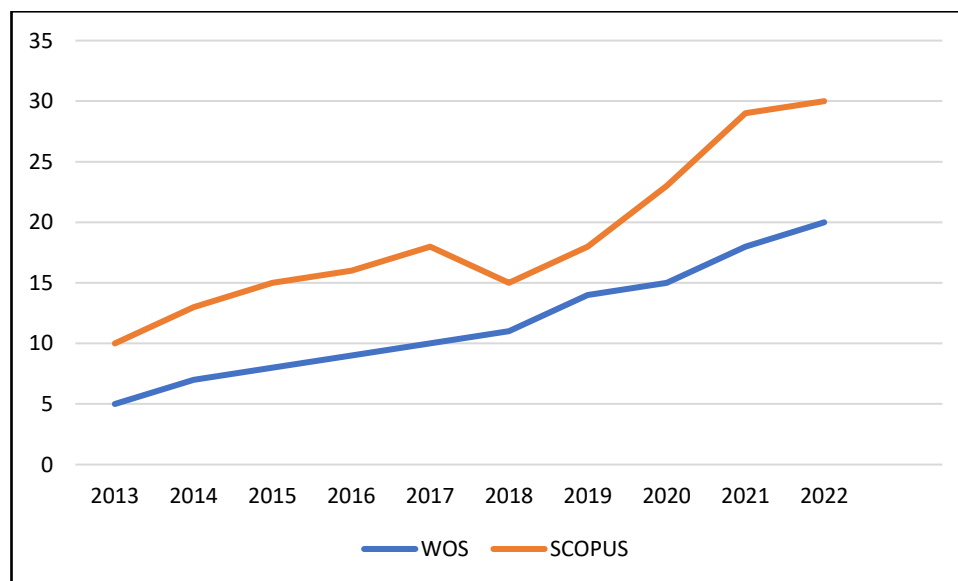


Figure 1: Evaluation in per year in source databases

This qualification survey found 5033 records that didn't meet all of the previously mentioned that didn't permit admittance to the full text, 11 that were distributed in dialects other than English that were prohibited because of the sort of archive (doctoral propositions, books, communications, gathering procedures, or specialized reports), that clearly had a place with other information regions. Figure 2 shows a stream outline of the methodology for choosing logical articles.

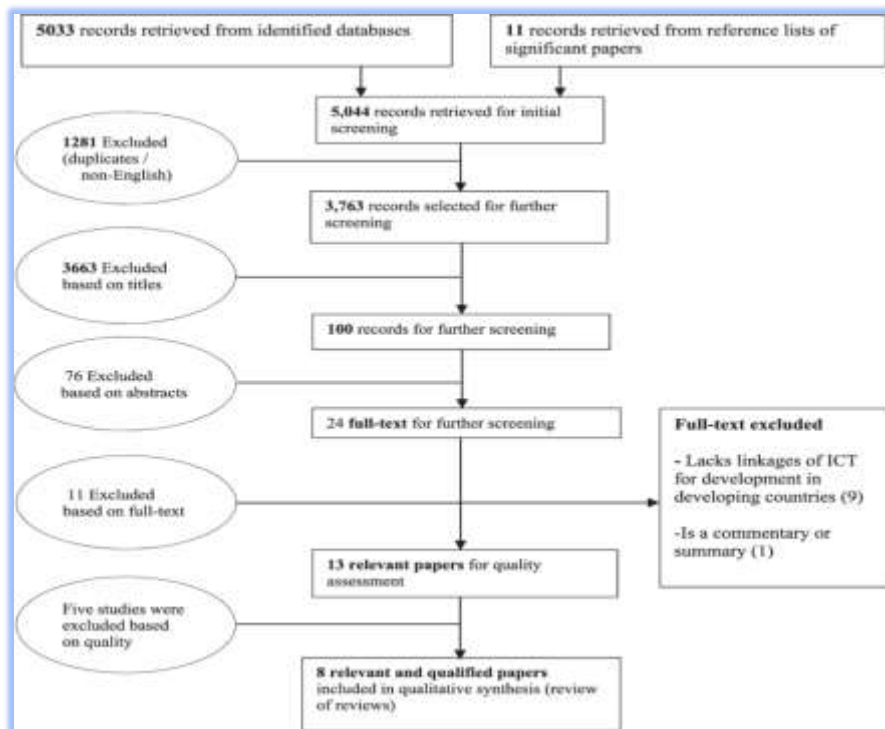


Figure 2: Sample flow chart

4. RESULTS

In both databases, had the greatest index of article publications. These works are included in the several quartiles that correlate to the databases. In addition, the topic's low effect is notable given that most papers acquire extremely few citations from both databases (Table 1).

Table 1: Number of articles cited per year

Cites	Database 2013-2022	
	WoS	Scopus
2	13	8
3	1	2
4	2	3
5	3	4
6	1	3
7	3	2
8	1	2
9	2	0
10	2	1
>10	1	1

As shown in Figure 3, in terms of the type of information and communication technology (ICT) used in education to ensure sustainable change, M-Learning (36.84%) and E-Learning (15.79%) is mainly used in teaching offices.

These mechanical instruments support sustainable improvement by propelling understudy learning and information securing (36.84%), upgrading using time productively and the speed of learning (26.32%), helping inspiration and understudy interest (21.05%), or limiting relational contrasts (15.79%).

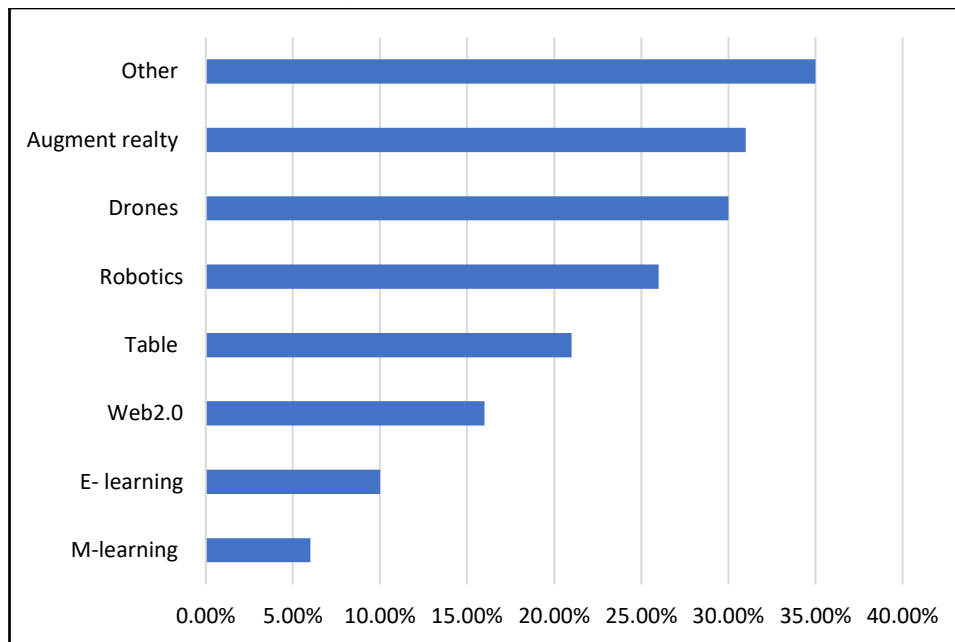


Figure 3: Information and Communication technology applied for sustainability

The next might be noted corresponding to the three subject gatherings displayed in Figure 4. The utilization of ICT in education for sustainable turn of events and its benefits are associated with Bunch 1, which is featured in red. Supportability (weight = 69), information (weight = 62), and using time effectively (weight = 49) are a couple of the standards.

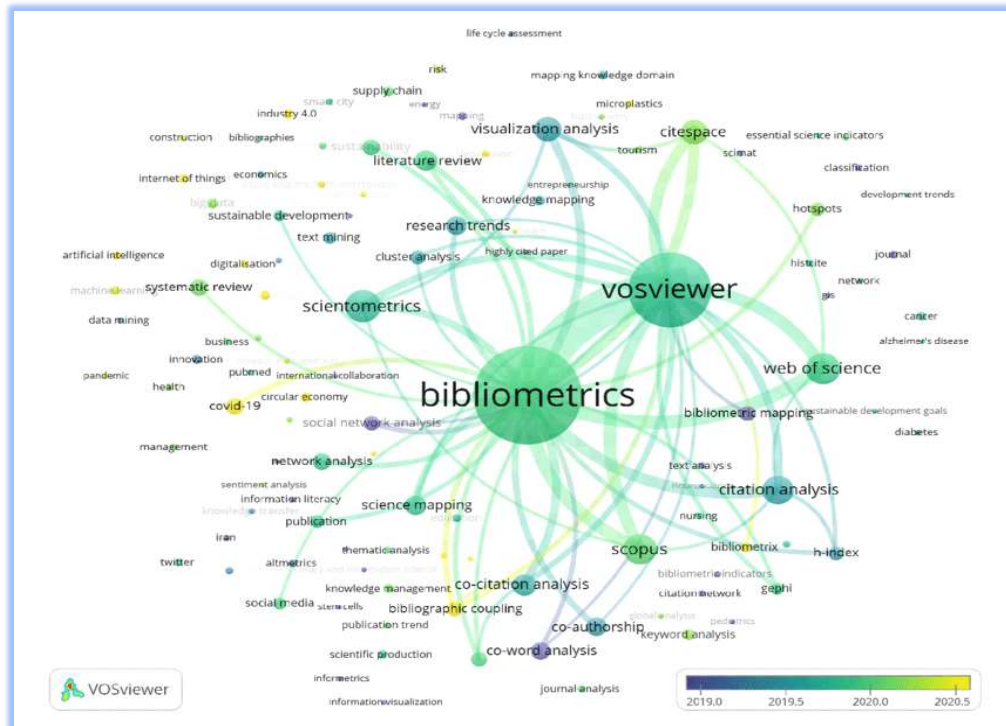


Figure 4: Bibliometric Cluster Map

The subsequent group, displayed in blue, is worried about viable showing techniques involving ICT for Sustainable Turn of events. Great showing methods (weight = 46), mindfulness (weight = 25), and educator (weight = 19) are a portion of the depictions that are available.

Green in variety, Group 3 is related with the vital Information and Communication Advancements utilized in Sustainable Improvement Education. The descriptors "m-learning" (weight = 155), "ICT" (weight = 133), and "I-learning" (weight = 125) stick out.

In the second bibliometric thickness map, we can perceive how applicable the descriptors are evaluated in view of their shade (Figure 5).

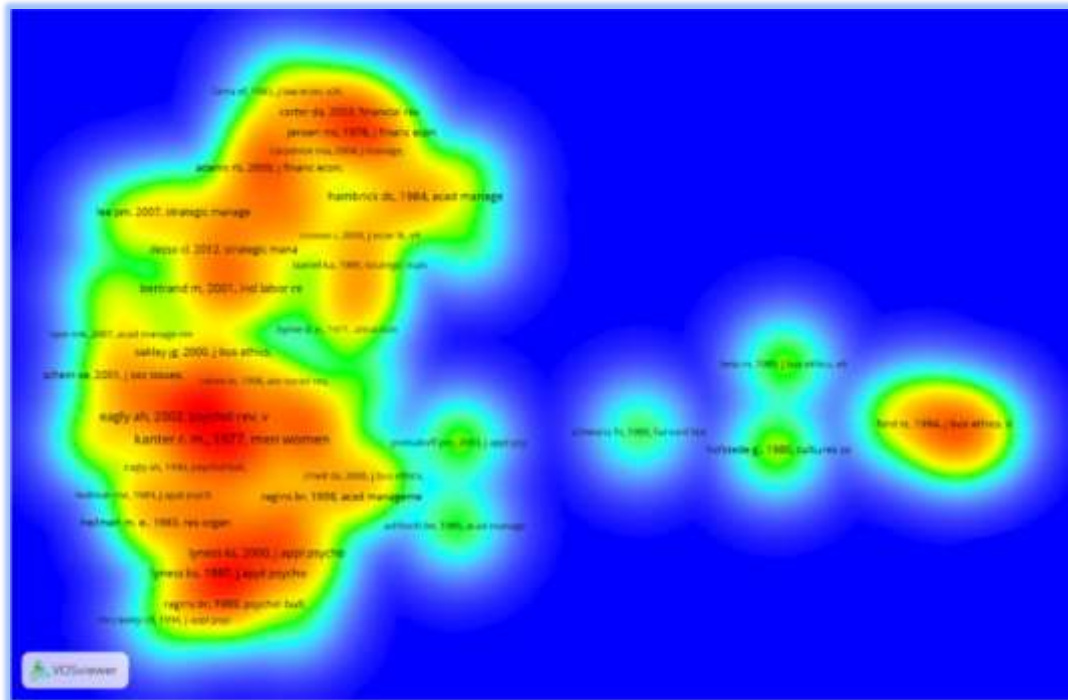


Figure 5: Bibliometric Density Map.

5. CONCLUSION

The motivation behind this study was to look at the collection of late exploration on ICT in education as a procedure for sustainable turn of events. Through a survey, it has had the option to give an outline of the general state of logical creation in this field, underscoring that, notwithstanding an expansion in yield as of late One of the issues that teachers should defeat is empowering the utilization of sustainable technology to increase educational expectations. The essential exploration regions around here, we can underscore that ICTs are assuming a greater part in the making of imaginative educational practices, are constantly designed for a more sustainable model, and are turning out to be more understudy loped. In such manner, we should stress that educators are changing customary education in various ways by using advancements all the more really, remembering a more noteworthy accentuation for distance learning and its various applications in their study halls, with an end goal to close the support hole and the computerized partition in the public eye. At last, regarding the last exploration we can verify that what's to come lines of request incorporate continuous examination into the improvement of good practices with ICT for Sustainable Advancement in the different degrees of education, determined to affirm whether these are being created at all educational levels or recognizing the possible limits. Thus,

research advances in its understanding of how successful educational practices combine with IT to create a sustainable event. There is an urgent need to support discovery using IT to change the educational environment, as it opens doors to equity and enhances discovery as a result of first-class education.

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