

## **4. The Elements Poignanting the Rationale of Research Problems in Educational Technology Researches**

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### **4.1 Abstract:**

Examination issues in a logical exploration are framed after a specific cycle. This cycle begins with characterizing an examination subject and changes into a particular exploration issue or theory. The point of this investigation was to look at the manner in which instructive innovation analysts recognize their examination issues. To this end, sources that instructive innovation scientists apply to and factors that influence instructive innovation analysts during the way toward characterizing research issue, and how instructive innovation specialist's slender examination problems were analyzed.

The exploration was done as a contextual analysis. Information were assembled from instructive tech-neology scientists by semi-organized meetings. Members were ten specialists who were doctoral stud-marks and employees from three distinct colleges. Information were exposed to content examination. Discoveries introduced under "Sources Used, Factors and Narrowing the Problem" topics related with characterizing research issue. Writing, singular components and Academic Exchange were the basic classes under these three subjects. Likewise, extent of the issue was distinguished as compelling regarding restricting the issue and identifying the issue. The aftereffects of the examination are relied upon to be valuable for instructive innovation scientists.

### **Keywords:**

Educational Technology Research, Research Process, the Process of Defining Research Problems.

### **4.2 Introduction:**

Logical exploration as a rule begins with having an issue, ability to take care of an issue or interest in a theme. Accordingly, each investigation begins with an examination issue and finishes with a report (Dunne, Pryor, and Yates, 2005). An examination issue can be related to various ways. They incorporate scientists every day beneficial experience (Maddux, 2003), issues looked in usage, requirement for testing speculations (Tomul, 2009) and suggestion raised by past investigations. Other than intriguing, researchable, reasonable and productive points, specialist's having adequate starter data and abilities about the subject and accessibility of related information influence meaning of exploration theme.

Furthermore, conversation of potential exploration points in logical functions assumes a significant part in characterizing the issue to be considered.

In the wake of settling on the exploration issue, the issue must be limited and examination addresses must be composed (Anderson, 1998). Numerous specialists bring up that characterizing the issue bears basic significance for the entire examination measure (Bryman, 2007). In this point it is essential to recognize the examination subject and exploration issue. Examination themes can be emerging from scientists' very own encounters and information picked up by the various investigations then again research issue characterizes the claim to fame about the subject. Subsequently research issues contribute the improvement of fascinating and critical hypotheses or testing speculations. Likewise, they legitimately impact the association with the writing and the exploration system.

There are a wide range of strategies with respect to issue characterizing measure in the writing. They incorporate alluding to the writing, contemporary practices, individual encounters and applying to different controls (Alter and Dennis, 2002). Among others, recognizing research holes is the most remarkable strategy. Such investigations are centered on three unique cases:

- Initially, as disputable things are recognized in the writing, examines are done to edify these things.
- Second, correlative examinations are done in connection with past investigations in the writing.
- Third, examines are done to distinguish and close the reasonable holes in situations where hypothetical examinations are finished yet not executed at this point (McMillan and Schumacher, 2010).

Analysts think in connection with characterizing the exploration issue that basic reasoning is expected to discover contemporary and new issues under conditions (Maddux, 2003). This recommendation could direct analysts occupied with instructive innovation, which is multidisciplinary and influenced from mechanical upgrades. The writing presents numerous investigations on portraying research patterns in instructive innovation. Those models give important data about exploration subjects considered both before and today. In any case, Liu (2008) contends that in connection with instructive innovation examines drifts alone would not be valuable for characterizing research issues, subsequently those instruments can't totally react to prerequisites of instructive innovation. To represent, Reeves (2000) advances three primary issues with respect to instructive innovations research: scientists can't separate fundamental and applied explores, investigates in this are not sufficient, writing audit and meta-examination isn't palatable and they are not managing enough for analysts. Additionally, inferable from the way that instructive innovation has a wide inclusion, it is applied and utilized in numerous territories, alluding to various scientist viewpoints will enable youthful analysts to improve their perspective. These investigations in the writing show that the way toward characterizing research issue in instructive innovation merits as much consideration as different zones. The point of this examination is to look at the manner in which instructive innovation scientists recognize their exploration subjects and issues. Especially, answer is looked for the accompanying examination questions.

- What sources instructive innovation specialists apply during the way toward characterizing research issue?
- What variables influence instructive innovation scientists during the way toward characterizing research issue?
- How do instructive innovation specialists limited an examination issue?

#### **4.2.1 Research Model:**

The exploration was done as a contextual investigation. This approach was chosen so as to profoundly inspect the encounters of instructive innovation scientists related with characterizing research issues and discover factors that rule in this cycle.

#### **4.2.2 Members:**

The members of the investigation were doctoral understudies and employees in the zone of instructive innovation. Purposive examining technique was utilized so as to choose members. In this way, by utilizing most extreme variety examining doctoral understudies and employees in the territory of instructive innovation from three unique colleges were remembered for the investigation. Members were ten specialists who were individuals from Computer Education and Instructional Technology (CEIT) office in Turkey, coded as K1, K2, K3, K4, K5, K6, K7, K8, K9 and K10.

#### **4.2.3 Information Collection:**

Semi-organized meeting convention was utilized as an information assortment instrument. With the assistance of this convention information were accumulated about the members' cycle of characterizing research issues. This convention contains five inquiries so as to uncover out the way toward characterizing research issues of members. The focal point of inquiries was the means by which to characterize and restrict the issues.

#### **4.2.4 Information Analysis:**

Meetings caught with a voice recorder and deciphered. By taking examination issues of study into thought information were broke down by utilizing content investigation. In this cycle above all else information were conceptualized; at that point as per decided ideas information masterminded and the best subjects that clarified information were resolved.

#### **4.2.5 Legitimacy and Reliability:**

To guarantee the reliability discoveries were inspected by various specialists and master feelings were taken in the exploration cycle.

For adaptability, purposive examining strategy were chosen, subjects and codes were introduced by direct citations taken from members. For likeness, all records were kept inspected by various analysts. In the exploration cycle peer survey were utilized and codes were examined by an alternate scientist.

#### **4.2.6 Results:**

In this segment, aftereffects of breaking down exploration discoveries and techniques applied for characterizing research issues are introduced under subjects "Sources, Factors and Limiting the Problem". Inscriptions and topics with respect to every one of the exploration issues are introduced in tables.

#### **4.2.7 Sources Used:**

In this examination, specialists' conclusions with respect to instruments and strategies applied while characterizing issue are explored. Gathered information were coded and introduced in classes. The sources applied in issue characterizing measure are given in four classes as "Writing, Academic Exchange, Area of Study and Individual Factors".

#### **4.2.8 Variables:**

Additionally, the elements influencing specialists in characterizing issues are remembered for this investigation. Despite the fact that review discoveries resemble the other the same the sources utilized, this subject additionally brought about the classification "Extent of the issue". Suppositions acquired under elements are given in four classes as "Extent of the Problem, Literature, Academic Exchange and Individual Factors".

#### **4.2.9 Restricting the Problem:**

In this part, scientists' perspectives with respect to how to restrict research issues are given. Their perspectives are introduced under five classifications as "Exploration technique, Literature, Academic Exchange, Individual Factors and Scope of the Problem".

#### **4.2.10 Discussion:**

This examination explores the cycle of instructive innovation specialists' characterizing logical exploration issues in the light of subjects, for example, assets utilized, factors influencing the cycle and restricting of the issue. It was discovered that specialists apply to writing as a significant hotspot for characterizing research issues. Likewise, they use writing at an impressive degree for characterizing and restricting the issue. Bradley (2001) and Shugan (2003) found that writing survey assumes a significant part in characterizing the exploration issue. Different investigations uncover that writing helps specialists in characterizing research issues frequently. Alluding to writing may incorporate examining issues that are not explained at this point, filling in the spaces and utilization of hypothetical information. Frequently utilization of writing may be disclosed with its ease to utilize, not being dubious, being a sheltered way, being perceived and being upheld by research organizations.

The discoveries show that analysts apply to scholastic sharing during characterizing of the examination issue and accordingly they allude to the mutual things while restricting the issue. A portion of the members study PhD. By scholarly sharing, they likewise mean meetings with their scholastic counselors.

The entirety of the members, especially those in PhD, as often as possible experience scholarly sharing by methods for looking for master and friend assessments. Significant outcomes in the writing additionally uphold this discovering. For instance, Bostancı and Yüksel (2005) in their investigation about characterizing the exploration issue bring up that scholastics should don't hesitate to apply to scholarly individuals and their experience.

As indicated by Bradley (2001), it is basic that specialists scrutinize each other's works for both creating basic reasoning abilities and interfacing hypothesis with training.

In a comparable vein, Kraut, Egidio, and Galagher (1988) state that science is a social cycle past considering researchers to be people occupied with instruments and apparatuses in labs and examine the pretended by social communication in advancing logical examinations. In this specific circumstance, they likewise notice the impact of actual closeness on improving participation among specialists and the possibilities innovation bears for empowering removed scientists to work together. In our investigation, a portion of the members expressed that they trade contemporary materials with their partners through web for characterizing the issue. To this end, one member stays aware of scholarly organizations, for example, conversation records, discussions and virtual foundation of colleges in connection with her/his field to characterize research issues.

The examination exhibits that scientists are guided by such close to home issues as time, working climate, analyst ability and cost in settling on and restricting the issue. Similarly, Aslam and Emmanuel (2010) put out that time and cost are among factors that ought to be considered in characterizing research issues. As indicated by Fraenkel and Wallen (2003), a decent examination issue must be researchable inside a specific measure of time with a specific measure of exertion. Likewise, as indicated by our examination, analysts' territories of interest and capacity, proficient experience, other experience and specialized topic, relating to singular elements, are compelling in characterizing research issues.

Under assessment of acquired topics with singular components, in regard of trying specialized topic, instructive innovation analysts originating from different fields can coordinate their control with instructive innovation. Likewise Alter and Dennis (2002) recommend that examination issues can be characterized by alluding to different orders. Looking from this point of view, different foundation in issue characterizing cycle would definitely make logical examination more proficient and higher caliber and assume a significant function in raising qualified labor force, creating information and serving to the network (Erdem, 2006).

We likewise discovered that members characterize research issues in relationship with certain issues they face in their exercises or workplaces. Additionally, Tomul (2009) focuses solid issues looked in execution as a strategy for characterizing research issues. In this specific circumstance, specialists noticed that they especially study matters and genuine issues in their fields. It was added that the field has a wide scope of subjects in issue characterizing measure for what it's worth about innovation.

For instance, Erdoğan and Çağiltay (2009) propose that instructive innovation has such a huge inclusion that it is executed and utilized in numerous regions. Despite the fact that essentially steady of the discoveries, Maddux (2003) brings up that genuine issues can be a wellspring of exploration issues. The members expressed that they additionally are motivated by instances of coordination of current advancements with schooling.

### **4.3 End-Note:**

This investigation distinguishes how the way toward characterizing research issues in instructive innovation happens. Henceforth, it is felt that our investigation could help discover what analysts consider in characterizing research issue. Then again, as this investigation is done with a restricted example gathering, further examinations should be possible to clarify research issues better.

The way toward characterizing the exploration issue is examined under three topics as sources applied to, elements and restricting the issue in the light of discoveries. Point by point conversation of the three topics gives different classifications, for example, writing, singular variables and scholarly trade under the entirety of the three subjects.

In this manner, it very well may be said that discovered classes go with the cycle of issue characterizing. Aside from these, it is discovered that applications impossible to miss to instructive innovation are utilized in characterizing research issues.

At the end of the day, the region of study is persuasive at this stage. Concerning the realities influencing specialists in settling on the issue, extent of the issue appears to be remarkable other than the three regular classes.

In this specific situation, it was discovered that contemporary, real and promising themes become persuasive for analysts' settling on choice. With respect to narrowing down of the issue; research technique, test choice, research period and dependability and legitimacy considers manage scientists other than the extent of the issue contemplated.

As an end, advancing the exploration issue is the main part of logical examination. It is underlined that characterizing of the exploration issue is persuasive all in all examination; along these lines, choice can be made on the best way to do the exploration and what strategy will be utilized at that point.

At this stage, it is believed that examination techniques are simple apparatuses, and these instruments can be utilized just if there are solid points (Reeves, 2000). Withdrawing from the significance of legitimate ID of the examination issue for the remainder of the logical cycle, following suggestions can be made:

- At postgraduate level, further courses must be offered with respect to the significance of writing and survey of writing.
- Steady contact ought to be kept with researchers so data and experience can be traded, and scholastic functions, for example, discussion, gathering, gatherings, and so forth ought to be followed for new chances. Besides, postgraduate understudies ought to be urged to all scholarly exercises.
- Consistent and proficient relations ought to be set up between executing bodies at public level and researchers so as to take care of contemporary issues and propose powerful outcomes.
- Study points should be researchable and plausible contemplating time and specialization necessities. While characterizing the examination theme and issues, singular factors, for example, territories of interest and specialization ought to be thought of.
- Chosen research issues should be contemporary, valid and gainful for the order, and patterns in the control ought to be followed.
- Analysts particularly in instructive innovation, as a quickly changing and creating region, ought to have a guide for distinguishing research issues.
- Specialists can frame their examination gatherings and gap errands, so they can stay aware of upgrades in this day and age since things change so rapidly. Additionally, they can share their insight and legitimize their examinations, and reprimand each other's investigations.

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