Centre for Disability Studies, Jadavpur University





in collaboration with

Department of Political Science Sidho-Kanho-Birsha University

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Byanjanbarna Foundation, Kolkata

Organizes a Two day UGC Sponsored International Seminar

Society, Education and Culture: Discourse on Disabilities in Rural Bengal 7th and 8th of March, 2019 Time: 10:30A.M.-5:30 P.M.

Venue: Department of Political Science Sidho-Kanho-Birsha University, Purulia, West Bengal, India

All Academicians, Educationists, Policy Makers, College/University Faculty Members, Librarians, Research Scholars are here by requested to register their names and attend the above mentioned Seminar.

Sub-Themes:

Social Integration and Challenges of People with Disabilities in Bengal

Culture of Disabilities

Disability in the Arts

Disability Rights Movement

Socio-Political Aspects of Disability

Politics of Disabilities - Tradition and Prospects

Human Rights of People with Disabilities in Bengal

Discrimination of People with Disabilities

Disability as a Social Impairment

Social Model of Disabilities

Societal norms and attitudes around disability

Is there a disconnect between academic and institutional discourse and realization?

Are the needs of people with disabilities being met? Portrayal of People with Disabilities in Literature Role and Contribution of People with Disabilities in Education Barriers faced by People with Disabilities Vulnerability faced by People with Disabilities Concept of People with Disabilities People with Disabilities in Bengali Society Any Other Relevant Sub-Theme addressing the Focal Theme

Guidelines for Submission:

- 1. Abstracts are invited in not more than 250 words, on the above sub-themes from academicians, educationists, teachers, scholars, librarians, policy makers, research
- 2. All abstracts will be peer reviewed and evaluated before final acceptance.
- 3. Authors of accepted abstracts will be invited to submit and present their papers at the seminar. Bengali and English both languages will be accepted.
- 4. After the seminar, only selected papers will be published in a volume based on the recommendation of the expert committee.
- 5. The length of the final submission should not exceed 2000 words, excluding footnotes or endnotes.
- 6. The abstract and the final submission must be typed in Times New Roman, with font size 12 and 1.5 line spacing.
- 7. The MLA (8) Style of Citation (latest edition) must be strictly adhered to while submitting the abstract and the final submission.

Submission Procedure:

The abstract and research paper bearing the following details shall be sent as an attachment to: dbiswas27@rediffmail.com.

1. Name, 2. Affiliation with Institution, 3. Address for Correspondence, 4. Contact Details : Phone No. and E-mail Id, 5. Title of the Paper

Important Dates:

Last Date for Submission of Abstracts (Soft-copy): 27th February, 2019 Intimation on Selection of the Abstract: 3rd March, 2019

Date of Seminar: 7th-8th March, 2019 Time 10.30 am -5:30pm

Registration/Donation Fees: Rs. 1000/- only

Student: Rs. 400/- only

How to reach:

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Whom to Contact:

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