

In occasion to celebrate the Indian Philosophers' Day

ICPR Sponsored One Day National Seminar

On

Crisis of Indian Ethics and Metaphysics in the age of Consumerism

Organized by

Department of Philosophy

Cooch Behar Panchanan Barma University

On 30th May 2018

Chief Patron

Dr. Debkumar Mukhopadhyay, Honorable Vice Chancellor, CBPBU

Invitation

Dear Sir/Madam,

It is the immense pleasure and privilege that in occasion to celebrate the 1st Indian Philosophers' day, the Department of Philosophy is going to organize ICPR sponsored one day national seminar on "Crisis of Indian Ethics and Metaphysics in the age of Consumerism" scheduled to be held on 30th May of 2018. You are cordially invited to participate in this academic program as well as share your views and thought in pursuit of research findings and moral challenge.

Dr. Bijay Kumar Sarkar

Convener of the seminar

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Head

Department of Philosophy

Focal theme:

Indian Ethics and metaphysics are the study of moral spiritual issues. These include the religious beliefs and cultural properties. Indian culture is based on its ethics and metaphysics. Man creates progressive cultural and moral mottos. So he is also required to discharge his duties according to the moral code of ethics either individually or socially, for social harmony. Without following the path of righteousness no one can attain the supreme goal of life, hence in Indian way of life every individual has to perform duty which is appropriate for his varna and asrama. As the sources of morality, Indian mythologies emphasis on non violence, truthfulness, charity, forgiveness etc. which are practiced as dharma in practical life. The ideas of Indian ethics and metaphysics are fused together to form a unified system of universe. 'Truth' is both ethical and metaphysical in Indian concept. Nothing can be rational if it is not ethical. In this context, the seminar intends to highlight the necessities of moral and spiritual development in individual and social life. The seminar also targets to find out the remedies of moral degradation in modern India.

Major Sub-Themes of the Seminar:

1. Importance of classical Indian ethics and metaphysics
2. Indian legends and mythologies as source of Indian ethics
3. Indian Literature and morals
4. Role of Indian Ethics in social and political atmosphere
5. Corruptions versus ethics
6. Religion, history & heritage of India to develop morality and spirituality
7. Any other relevant issue

Objectives of the Seminar:

1. To analyze the importance of Indian ethics and metaphysics
2. To collect the innovative responses for practicing of Indian ethics
3. To highlight the moral policies for constitutional safeguard
4. To highlight the human values in the present situation

5. To enrich and enhance the knowledge of students, scholars and academicians through interaction with each-other about the essence of dharma and duty in social life
6. To enrich and enhance the knowledge of the students, scholars and academicians through interaction with each others about the essence of gender equality and women empowerment

Abstract Submission:

The interested paper presenters are requested to send their abstract of 200 words before 20/05/2018 through email (bijaysarkar80@gmail.com) and send the full paper in between 20/05/2018 26/05/2018. Selected papers will be published with ISBN number.

Registration: There is no registration fee.

Due to paucity of fund no TA/DA & other allowances and accommodation will be provided for attending the seminar except departmental hospitality and refreshment.

Few lines for university:

Cooch Behar Panchanan Barma University is a developing university established in 2012 in district town of Cooch Behar.

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