

UGC-CAS Graduate Seminar 2019
“Educational Landscapes in India’s Changing Socio-Political Context”

Zakir Husain Centre for Educational Studies
 School of Social Sciences
 Jawaharlal Nehru University

Program Schedule

Venue: Committee Hall, Convention Centre, JNU

Day 1: 25th March 2019

REGISTRATION	9:00-9.30 a.m.
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Comperere: Nayani Sarma

Opening Session	9:30-10:30 am Inaugural Session
Welcome Address	S. Srinivas Rao, Professor & Chairperson, ZHCES, JNU
About the CAS Programme	Saumen Chattopadhyay, Professor & CAS Coordinator, ZHCES, JNU
Introducing the theme of the seminar	Ankita Sharma, PhD Scholar, ZHCES, JNU
Chair	Karuna Chanana, Professor (Retd.),ZHCES, JNU
Key Note Address	R. Govinda, Distinguished Professor, CSD, Former VC, NUEPA
Vote of Thanks	Pradeep Kumar Choudhury, Assistant Professor, ZHCES,JNU
Rapporteur	Shweta Sheel, Ph.D. Scholar, ZHCES

Tea Break	10:30- 11:00 a.m.
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Session-I	11:00-12:30 pm Education, Urbanization and Marginalities
Chair	Patricia Burch, Associate Professor, Centre for Policy, Education, Equity and Governance,University of South California
Speakers	Naomi Prachi Hazarika, M.Phil Scholar,National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration Urban Marginalities, Educational Aspirations and the Labour market: An Ethnographic Enquiry of youth in SangamVihar, New Delhi
	Heena Khari, Research Scholar, Tata Institute of Social Science, Mumbai Educational Choices: An Ethnographic Study of Urban Gujjars of Delhi
	Antara Chakrabarty, M.Phil Scholar, Jamia Millia Islamia Why RTE? Voices from the Marginalized: A Study Based on the “homeless” of South Delhi
Discussant	Rajshree Chanchal, Assistant Professor, Ambedkar University Delhi
Rapporteur	D S Sundaresh, Ph.D. Scholar, ZHCES, JNU

Session-II	12:30-2:00 pm <i>Education in Historical Perspectives</i>
Chair	Ajay Dandekar, Professor, Dept. of History, School of Humanities and Social Sciences, Shiv Nadar University
Speakers	Torane Shalaka Arun, Ph.D. Scholar, ZHCES, JNU Exploring the World of Scribes and Bureaucrats in the Peshwa Court of Pune (1770 – 1818)
	Urmila Unnikrishnan, Research Scholar, ZHCES, JNU Popular Astronomy in Colonial Context: Malayalam Science Literature
	Siddharth Gautam, Research Scholar, ZHCES, JNU Teacher in Ancient India: Discussion from Various Textual Authorities
	Md. Chingiz Khan, Research Scholar, Centre for Historical Studies, JNU Socio-economic and Political Dimensions on the Educational Status of a Minority
Discussant	Om Prasad, Research Scholar, ZHCES, JNU
Rapporteur	Chanderlekha Singh, Ph.D. Scholar, ZHCES, JNU

Parallel Session II	12:30-2:00 pm <i>Changing Landscapes of Higher Education</i>
Chair	Sachidanand Sinha, Professor & Chairperson, CSRD, JNU
Speakers	Sumit Kumar, PhD Scholar, National Institute Educational Planning and Administration Knowledge-based Industries: Footloose or not?
	Aakriti Saini, Research Scholar, ZHCES, JNU Analysis of Demand for Social Sciences: A Case Study of Two Colleges of Delhi University
	Antara Sengupta, Research Fellow and Leena Chandran Wadia, Senior Research Fellow, Observer Research Foundation, Mumbai The Case for Integrating Vocational Education into Mainstream Higher Education
	Kumud Ranjan, Research Scholar, ZHCES, JNU Conflict with the University: The Pursuit/Process of Social Scientific knowledge
Discussant	Nidhi Sabharwal, Associate Professor, Centre for Policy Research in Higher Education, NIEPA
Rapporteur	Arunima Naithani, Research Scholar, ZHCES, JNU

Lunch 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Session III	3:00-4:30 pm	Issues of Access and Equity in Higher Education
Chair	Sudhanshu Bhushan, Professor & Head, Department of Higher & Professional Education, NIEPA	
Speakers	Pawan Singh Harsana, Research Scholar, Centre for Jawaharlal Nehru Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia	After Affirmative Action: Assessing the Remedial Systems for the Underprivileged in Higher Education
	Sadath Hussain, Research Scholar, ZHCES, JNU	Engineering and Technological Education in Hyderabad Karnataka Region: Addressing the question of access and equity
	Sarbeswar Padhan, Assistant Professor (Economics), Dr. Bhim Rao Ambedkar College, University of Delhi	Student Migration for Higher Education: A Case Study in the National Capital Region (NCR)
	Arunima Naithani, Doctoral Student, ZHCES, JNU	Higher Education and Regional Development: A Case Study of Public-Funded Institutes in the Indian Himalayan Region (IHR)
Discussant	Venkataraman L N, Assistant Professor, Department of Policy Studies, TERI	
Rapporteur	Amit Kumar, Ph.D. Scholar, ZHCES, JNU	

Parallel Session III	3:00-4:30 pm	Discourse on School Education Policy
Chair	Satvinderpal Kaur, Professor, Dept. of Education, Panjab University, Chandigarh	
Speakers	Shreya Sandhu, Research Scholar, TISS, Mumbai	Changing forms of State Intervention in Schooling: A Case Study of Delhi
	Suvasini Iyer, Centre for International Education, University of Sussex, UK	Becoming Valuable: Embodying Competence in an International School in Provincial India
	Aysha Malik, PhD Scholar, NIEPA	Equity and Access of Children in school: A Study of School-Merger Policy in Rajasthan
	Nayani Sarma, Research Scholar, ZHCES, JNU	Social Inclusion in Schools: A Critical Analysis of the Role and Agency of the Teacher in Education Policy Documents
Discussant	Naresh Kumar, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Educational Policy, NIEPA	
Rapporteur	Richa Rana, Ph.D. Scholar, ZHCES, JNU	

Tea Break 4:30-5:00 pm

Distinguished Lecture	5:00-6:00 p.m.
Chair	Geetha B. Nambissan, Professor, ZHCES, JNU
Speaker	Satish Deshpande, Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Delhi Title of the Talk: <i>The Future of Higher Education</i>
Rapporteur	Lipika Das, Ph.D. Scholar, ZHCES, JNU

Day 2: 26th March 2019, Tuesday

Session IV	9:30-11:00 am <i>Gender Discourse in Education</i>
Chair	Seema Singh, Professor, Department of Humanities, Delhi Technological University
Speakers	Aakanksha D'Cruz, Research Hemline and hair-band: Gendering Convent School Scholar Ambedkar University Discipline Delhi (AUD)
	Ravi Shankar & Ramesh Chandra Women's Emancipation through Education: Unveiling Nayak, Assistant Professors, Mody the Modern-Tradition Crux in the Private Space University, Rajasthan and Mrs. Reenu Ram, PhD. Scholar, CSSS, JNU
	Visakh Viswambaran, Research Constructivist pedagogical intervention for gender Scholar, Dept. of Social Work, sensitization. Central University of Kerala
Discussant	Tripti Bassi, Assistant Professor, Lady Shri Ram College for Women, Delhi University
Rapporteurs	Tsering Angmo and Shehana Sajad, M.Phil Scholars, ZHCES, JNU

Tea Break 11:00 – 11:30 a.m.

Session-V	11:30-1:00 pm <i>Critical Pedagogy and Teacher Education</i>
Chair	Poonam Batra, Professor, Central Institute of Education, Delhi University
Speakers	Megha Dadhwal, Ph.D. Preparing Teachers for Classroom Diversity: Tracing Scholar, ZHCES, JNU Understanding of 'diversity' from Indian Policies and Commissions
	Smriti Sharma, Assistant Hegemonies in Initial Teacher Preparation: Challenges Professor, LSR, boundaries by creating hybrid spaces University of Delhi
	Raja Rajeshwari T, Study of Popular Culture in India as caste based cultural labour and its pedagogical implications
Discussant	Gunjan Sharma, Assistant Professor, AUD
Rapporteurs	Nitya and Nikita Jain, Research Scholars, ZHCES, JNU

Parallel Session V 11:30-1:00 pm <i>Quest for Inclusive Education</i>	
Chair	Sudesh Mukhopadhyay, Professor (Retd.) Dept. of Inclusive Education, NUEPA
Speakers	Afaq Ahmad Mir, Disability Discourse: Experiencing the Narratives of Research Scholar, Dept. Disabled Students about their Inclusion in Higher of Sociology, Aligarh Education in India Muslim University
	Srishti Chauhan, PhD Gender Experiences of Transgender Students in University Scholar, ZHCES, JNU of Delhi
	Lipika Das, Research Inclusive Education in MLE Schools: A study of the Scholar, ZHCES, JNU Bonda Tribe in Malkangiri District, Odisha
Discussant	Shareena Banu, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Sociology, Jamia Millia Islamia
Rapporteur	Anupama A. R., Ph.D. Scholar, ZHCES, JNU

Lunch 1:00-2:00 pm

Panel Discussion 2:00-3:30 p.m. <i>Education, State and Policy Dynamics</i>	
Chair	N. V. Varghese, Professor and Vice Chancellor, NIEPA
Panellists	Santosh Mehrotra, Professor of Economics, Centre for Informal Sector and Labour Studies, JNU
	Kiran Bhatta, Professor, Centre for Policy Research, New Delhi
	Santosh Panda, Professor, Staff Training and Research Institute of Distance Education, IGNOU
Rapporteur	Meghna Khurania, M.Phil Scholar, ZHCES, JNU

Session VI 3:30-5:00 pm <i>Education and Language</i>	
Chair	Ayesha Kidwai, Professor, Centre for Linguistic, SLLCS, JNU
Speakers	Pushpanjali Bhagat, Language as a barrier in transformation: A study of Research Scholar, Multilingual Science Classroom in India ZHCES, JNU
	Anup Kumar Bali, PhD The question of language in Higher Education: A Case Study Scholar, AUD of Ambedkar University Delhi
	Asha Sundaram, Multilingual Education and Linguistic Rights: Analysis of Research Scholar, Policy Documents ZHCES, JNU
Discussant	Neema Chaurasia, Assistant Professor, Shyama Prasad Mukherji College, University of Delhi
Rapporteur	Mohna, Ph.D. Scholar, ZHCES, JNU

Parallel Session VI 3:30-5:00 pm	
<i>Discourse on Household Expenditure on Education</i>	
<i>Chair</i>	Mona Khare, Professor and Head, Dept. of Educational Finance, NIEPA
<i>Speakers</i>	Biswaranjan Baral, Research Scholar, ZHCES, JNU Determinants of Household Expenditure on Elementary Education in India: A NSSO Study
	Indal Kumar, PhD Scholar, CSRD, JNU Shadow Education System in India: Emerging Dimensions
	Pushpendra Singh, Doctoral Fellow, Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, IIT Roorkee & Shree Priya Singh, Doctoral Fellow, Dept. of Economics, BHU Education Cost in India: Decomposing the Gender Inequality in Education Expenditure
	Deepak Kumar, PhD Research Scholar, CESP, JNU & Bhanu Pratap, Junior Academic Consultant, IGNOU Regional Centre, Deoghar Gender Bias in Household Educational Expenditure at Secondary Level of Education in India: Does Caste of a Child Matter?
<i>Discussant</i>	Angrej Singh Gill, Assistant Professor, Panjab University
<i>Rapporteur</i>	Vimal Verma, M.Phil Scholar, ZHCES, JNU

Vote of Thanks Pradeep Kumar Choudhury, Assistant Professor, ZHCES, JNU

High Tea 5:00 PM onwards