

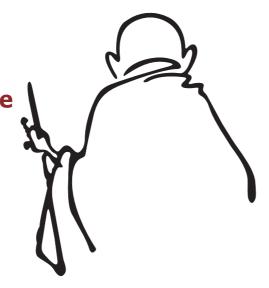
Centre for Culture, Media & Governance, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi in collaboration with



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International Seminar

Rethinking Gandhi **A Communication Perspective**



DAY1: March 22 2011 Session Schedule

9.30 - 10.00 am Registration

Seminar Hall, India- Arab Cultural Centre, Jamia Millia Islamia

10.00 - 10.10 am Introducing the Seminar

Prof. Biswajit Das, Director, Centre for Culture,

Media and Governance, JMI

10.10 am - 11.50 am

Session One: Enchantment & Disenchantment with Modernity Chair: Prof. Sree Prakash, Academy of Third World Studies, JMI

- Suresh Sharma, CSDS, DelhiHind Swaraj: Gandhi's Seed Text
- P K Kar, Former Professor, Baroda University, Baroda
 Nationalism, Religion, and the Critique of Modernity: Gandhi's Hind
 Swaraj
- Alok Bajpei, NMML, Delhi
 Hind Swaraj: A Critique of Modernity or A Rejection of Modernity
 Consciousness? Some Contextual Reflections
- Salil Mishra, AU, DelhiEngaging with Modernity: Hind Swaraj and After

Rapporteur: Irfan Zuberi, CCMG, JMI

11.50 am - 12.15 pm [TEA]

12.15 - 1.30 pm

Session Two: Symbol, Strategy & Movements

Chair: Prof. Suresh Sharma, CSDS, Delhi

- Shashi Bhushan Upadhyay, IGNOU, Delhi
 Gandhi and the Ahmedabad Labour Strike, 1918 An Unfinished Communication
- Ajay Mahurkar, IGNOU, Delhi The Sholapur Problematic
- Visha Lakshi Menon, DU, Delhi
 Stakeholders in Governance: The People of UP, 1937- 39

Rapporteur: Shabda Bedi, Faculty of Education, JMI

1.30 - 2.30 pm [Lunch]

2.30 - 4.10 pm

Session Three: Myth, Media & Communication

Chair: Shri Madhukar Upadhyay, Scholar-in-Residence, MCRC, JMI

- Keval Kumar, Former Professor, Pune University, Pune Gandhi: Journalist, Communicator, Satyagrahi
- Olivier Arifon, France
 A Communicational Approach of Gandhi: A Resonance for the 21st century
- Sadan Jha, CSS, Surat
 Spinning Experiences and the Question of Information: Multi-Verse of Gandhi's Charkha
- Edward Rodrigues, Mumbai University, Mumbai
 Excremental Modernism: Exploring Gandhi's Engagements with Dirt and
 Defilement

Rapporteur: Priya Naik, JNU

4.10 - 4.30 pm [TEA]

4.30 - 4.45 pm Visual Mapping on Rethinking Gandhi

By Young scholars, Centre for Culture, Media and Governance, JMI



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10.00 - 11.20 am

Session Four: Communication and Praxis

Chair: Prof. Prafulla Kar, Former Professor, Baroda University

Rakesh Batabyal, JNU, Delhi
 Communicating Responsibility: Gandhi and the Idea of Responsibility

- Satyakam Joshi, CSS, Surat
 Impact of Modernisation and Globalisation on Gandhian Institutions
 in South Gujarat
- Dev N Pathak, CCMG, JMI, Delhi
 Reading Gandhi With/In Popular Cinema: A Pedagogue's Perspective

Rapporteur: Fabiha Khalid, JMI

11.20 am - 11.30 pm [TEA]

11.30 am - 1.10 pm

Session Five: Media, Metaphor & Meaning

Chair: Prof. Imtiaz Hasnain, AMU, Aligarh

- Asha Sarangi, JNU, Delhi
 Poetics and Politics of Communication in Gandhi
- Ratnakar Tripathy, ADRI, Patna
 Confession as Public Communication: Reflections on 'My Experiments with Truth'
- Parthasarathi Mondal, TISS, Mumbai
 The Violence of Desire: A Gandhian Perspective
- Rahul Ramgundam, JMI, Delhi
 Gandhi's Khadi Movement: Making of an Inclusive Experience

Rapporteur: Pankaj Kumar, JNU



1.10 - 2.00 pm [LUNCH]

2.00 - 3.40 pm

Session Six: Media and Contemporaniety

Chair: Prof. Hari Babu, Hyderabad Central University, Hyderabad

- Gopalan Ravindran, University of Madras, Chennai
 The Rhizomatic Constructions of Gandhi on Web 2.0
- Subi Chaturvedi, LSR, DU, Delhi
 Unspooling the Mahatma: A Textual Reading of the Imagery & the
 Icons that Make Gandhi
- Rama Lakshmi & Rajiv Desai, Washington Post, Delhi Looking Beyond the Mahatmahood
- Shuaib Mohammed Haneef, Pondicherry University, Puducherry Revisiting Gandhian Thoughts in an International Commune

Rapporteur: Basheer Ahmad, JMI

3.40 - 4.00 pm [TEA]

4.00 - 5.00 pm [ROUND TABLE]

Chair: Prof J P S Uberoi, University of Delhi

Speakers: • Daniel Drache, York University, Canada

- Bishnu Mohapatra, NUS, Singapore
- Rita Kothari, MICA, Ahmedabad

Rapporteur: Fabiha Khalid, JMI & Manisha Jha, IGNOU

5.00 pm: Concluding Remarks

Prof. Biswajit Das, Director, Centre for Culture, Media and Governance, JMI

[HIGH TEA]