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BARASAT GOVERNMENT COLLEGE

DEPARTMENT OF PHILOSOPHY



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By celebrating World Philosophy Day each year, UNESCO underlines the enduring value of philosophy for the development of human thought, for each culture and for each individual. World Philosophy Day is an international day that celebrates philosophy as a way to understand the world, ourselves, and our relationships with each other. This year, to popularize philosophy as a discipline and as everyday practice, the theme for World Philosophy Day, as taken by UNESCO is "Philosophy: Bridging Social Gaps". This theme highlights the importance of philosophy in prompting understanding and dialogue between different cultures and perspectives.

To be tuned with this and to celebrate World Philosophy Day, 2024, Department of Philosophy in association with IQAC, Barasat Govt. College, is going to organise an interdisciplinary event involving Students of this institution where different cross-cultural perspectives will be promoted through dialogues.

Environmental Philosophy, a confluence of ethics, nature, and humanity fascinatingly undertakes this bridge building agenda. Questioning our moral responsibilities towards others members of the planet, this field re-addresses and redefines our identities and our relationship with the Earth.

Join us for an inspiring journey of Ecofeminism (a powerful movement linking environmental exploitation with social injustices, particularly the oppression of women, advocating for a more inclusive, just approach to ecological care) and the insights of rich Indian philosophy where Naturalism is the binding thread to bridge the social gaps. Thereby, we will discuss:

"Embracing Environmental Sustainability: A Philosophical Outlook

Date: 26.11.2024 Time- 11AM onwards Venue: Seminar Hall, AnnexBuilding

Programme-

Inaugural Session- Time: 11.00 a.m. - 11.15p.m

- Guest Felicitation
- Welcome Address by the Principal, Co-Ordinator, IQAC.
- Introductory Speech by Head of the Department

Technical Session- (1) Time: 11.15 a.m. - 1.30 p.m.

Speaker -1. Prof. (Dr.) Preetam Ghoshal, Professor, Dept of Philosophy, JU
Topic- Perspectives on Naturalism in Indian Philosophy

Speaker- 2. Prof. (Dr.) Atreyee Mukherjee, Professor & Head, Dept of Philosophy, WBSU
Topic-Eco-feminism: A Primer

Technical Session- (2) Time: 2p.m.- 3.30p.m.

- Interdepartmental Poster-Competition for the All Students of the College on the theme as mentioned above (For details, see next page)

Valedictory Session Time: 3.30 p.m. – 4.00 p.m.

- Participation Acknowledgement and Award Ceremony
- Vote of Thanks

Please join and participate. Discover a philosopher in each of us.

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Interdepartmental Poster-Competition
on
Embracing Environmental Sustainability: A Philosophical Outlook

RULES

- Posters should represent the theme.
- SIZE- Half Of The Chart Paper (Landscape Mode)
- Name/ Department/Semester- should be mentioned on Posters
- Language- Vernacular/ English
- Poster theme/presentation should be original
- A demonstration of 2 minutes should be prepared to defend Posters.
- Time for display and demonstration of posters is 2 pm-3.30 pm on 26th November.
- Maximum no of Participant will be 2 for each poster. However, demonstration will be given by one of them.
- All submissions must reach the Department of PHILOSOPHY BY 25TH (Monday). No late submission will be entertained.
- For submission and for queries, if any, please contact Smt, Soma Sinha- 94323 05921 within 24th (Sunday).
- For space allocation and display of Posters, participants will have to be present at the Venue on 25th with all necessary stationeries. On 26th, after the programme, participants will have to take care of the room.
- All participants will receive certificates. However, Rank certificates and Mementos will be conferred to the first three position holders. The competition will be judged by the invited guests mentioned above. Their decision will be final and absolute.



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