

**TWO DAY NATIONAL SEMINAR  
ON  
INDIAN PHILOSOPHY: CONTEMPORARY PERSPECTIVES**

*Celebrating ICPR Indian Philosopher's Day, 2019*

**ORGANIZED BY  
CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN PHILOSOPHY, DIBRUGARH UNIVERSITY**

*Date: 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> November, 2019*



**Venue: Centre for Studies in Philosophy, Dibrugarh University**

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**Indian Council of Philosophical Research, New Delhi**  
&  
**Dibrugarh University, Dibrugarh, Assam**

## **About the Seminar**

The Contemporary deliberations in Indian Philosophy are marked by the changes of existential and societal issues. The recent Indian philosophers are deliberating on the issues and problems of life, society and world coming out from the boundary of traditional schools. Dayakrishna's counter perspective to Indian Philosophy provides a new look into the interpretation of the history of Indian Philosophy. J Krishnamurti without belonging to a particular trend, focuses on bringing a radical change in human consciousness. B. R. Ambedkar interprets Buddhism attempting to fulfill the needs of modern society as there is naturally a growing demand for a clear and consistent statement of life and teachings of the Buddha. J. N. Mohanty explicates theoretical rationality as the underlying impetus of Indian Philosophy. Amartya Sen's attempt to adhere philosophy and economics gives a new dimension to Indian Philosophy.

It is expected that further exploration and analysis of the contemporary perspectives to Indian Philosophy will help to have a plea for a new history of Philosophy in India and awareness of the need for a fresh look at the philosophical traditions of India so that they may become alive once again and may be pursued with renewed vigour. Keeping this in view, the Centre for Studies in Philosophy of Dibrugarh University proposes to organize a Two-day National Seminar on the topic entitled *Indian Philosophy: Contemporary Perspectives* by inviting research papers from Teachers and Research Scholars of different Colleges and Institutions of the region. This Seminar is primarily aimed at exploring the philosophy of those contemporary Indian Philosophers who are found to be comparatively less explored.

## **Sub-themes:**

Philosophy and re-interpretation of Philosophy by:

Dayakrishna

Amartya Sen

J.N. Mohanty

J. Krishnamurti

K.C. Bhattacharyya

M.N. Roy

B.R. Ambedkar

## **Target Groups:**

Original and Authentic Research Papers are invited from College/ University Teachers/Professionals/ Research Scholars/Students of various Academic Disciplines.

## **Important Dates:**

Submission of Abstracts: 25<sup>th</sup> October, 2019

Submission of Full Papers: 5<sup>th</sup> November, 2019

Confirmation of the Acceptance of Papers: 11<sup>th</sup> November, 2019

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## **Format for Submission of the Paper:**

- Research Papers must be written in MS Word format (Font: Times New Roman, Font Size: 12 with 1.5 spacing)
- The Papers must have an Abstract of not more than 200 words with maximum of 5 Keywords
- The Full Paper should be within 3000 words excluding the references
- The References must be given at the end of the paper by using MLA style
- The title of the Paper with Name of the Author or Joint Authors (not more than Two), Name and Address of the Affiliated Institution is to be clearly written in the Front Page of the Paper
- The filled up Registration form is to be sent with the Full Paper.
- Both the Abstract and Full Paper are to be submitted to the email id:  
**cspduresearch@gmail.com**
- One Soft Copy and Two Hard Copies of the Research Paper must be submitted at the time of Registration

## **Registration:**

### **With Paper:**

Registration Fee for Teachers and Professionals: Rs. 1500/-

Registration Fee for Research Scholars and Students: Rs. 1000/-

**Without Paper:** Rs. 600/-

**NB:** *Both the participants of a Joint-paper have to register separately and must be present at the time of presentation of the paper.*

### **Accommodation:**

- Accommodation may be provided to the participants on their request and only on their own charges

### **About the Organizer:**

The Centre for Studies in Philosophy, Dibrugarh University came into existence in 2009 with the vision of imparting higher education and research in Philosophy. The Centre is presently equipped with 80 numbers of students in M. A. Course and 20 Ph. D. Research Scholars who are doing research in Philosophy and multidisciplinary subjects. The thrust areas of P. G. Programme includes Epistemology and Metaphysics, Logic, Ethics, Analytic Philosophy, Phenomenology and Existentialism, Social and Political Philosophy, Philosophy of Religion, Philosophy of Science, Philosophy of Mind and Aesthetics etc. under Choice Based Credit System.

The Centre has good academic relation with institutes and organizations like Indian Council of Philosophical Research (ICPR), Indian Institute of Advance Studies, (IIAS) Shimla, IIT Bombay, IIT Guwahati and affiliated Colleges of Dibrugarh University. The students of the Centre regularly and actively participate in various Academic and non-Academic activities of the University. Under the aegis of 'Students Philosophical Forum' multidisciplinary talks are held biannually in the Centre for Studies in Philosophy.

### **How to Reach:**

Dibrugarh University is well connected by road, railway, air and waterway. The National Highway 37 passes through the campus of Dibrugarh University. The University is located around 4 Kilometres away from Dibrugarh town, about 5 Kilometres from Dibrugarh Railway Station, around 17 kilometres away from Dibrugarh Airport and about 35 Kilometres distance from Dhemaji Town. The University can be reached conveniently by Taxi/ Auto-rickshaw from these places.

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1. Name:
2. Designation:
3. Institutional Affiliation:
4. Are you presenting a paper? :Yes/No
5. Title of the Paper:
6. Address:
7. Cont. No.:
8. E-mail:
9. Accommodation Required (with participant's own charge) : Yes/ No

**Date:**

**Place:**

**(Signature of the Applicant)**

**(Specimen Copy)**