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HIGHLIGHTS

The Jawaharlal Nehru University, established in 1966, is a fitting National Memorial to Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, a great statesman and visionary. Formally inaugurated on 14 November 1969 by Shri V. V. Giri, then President of India, the University laid down the following objectives for itself:

to disseminate and advance knowledge, wisdom and understanding by teaching and research; and by the example and influence of its corporate life to promote the study of the principles for which Jawaharlal Nehru worked during his life-time, namely national integration, social justice, secularism, a democratic way of life, international understanding and a scientific approach to the problems of society.

Towards this end, the University was entrusted with the task of:

- fostering the composite culture of India through the establishment of such departments or institutions as may be required for the study and development of the languages, arts and culture of India;
- taking special measures to encourage students and teachers from all over India to join the University and participate in its academic programmes;
- promoting an awareness and understanding of the social needs of the country in the students and teachers and prepare them for fulfilling such needs;
- making special provision for integrated courses in humanities, science and technology in the educational programmes of the University;
- taking appropriate measures for promoting interdisciplinary studies in the University;
- establishing such departments or institutions as may be necessary for the study of languages, literature and life of foreign countries with a view to inculcate an international understanding and holistic perspective amongst students; and
- providing facilities for students and teachers from various countries to participate in the academic programmes and activities of the University.

Given below are details of activities of Schools, Centres and other bodies of the University from 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010.

THE SCHOOLS

The University was envisioned as an institution essentially for post-graduate teaching and research. The Academic Advisory Committee of the University had originally planned that the University would be broadly structured into Schools, each with constituent Centres. Today the University has ten Schools:

- School of Arts & Aesthetics (SAA)
- School of Biotechnology (SBT)
- School of Computer & Systems Sciences (SCSS)
- School of Environmental Sciences (SES)
- School of International Studies (SIS)
- School of Information Technology (SIT)
- School of Language, Literature & Culture Studies (SLLCS)
- School of Life Sciences (SLS)
- School of Physical Sciences (SPS)
- School of Social Sciences (SSS)

As well as following Special Centres:

- Centre for the Study of Law and Governance (CSLG)
- Special Centre for Molecular Medicine (SCMM)
- Centre for Sanskrit Studies (CSS)

SAA: THE SCHOOL OF ARTS AND AESTHETICS, formed in **2001**, has a great growth potential. In a short span, it has become a Centre for promoting inter-disciplinary studies and research into wide-ranging theories of arts and practices, both traditional and contemporary in nature.

The faculty of the School organised eight workshops, curations and conferences during the year and contributed 13 scholarly articles. The faculty participated in 33 national/international seminars and conferences and undertakes three Research Projects during the period under review. Among the faculty members who received awards and honors were Kavita Singh, Naman P. Ahuja and Ira Bhaskar.

SBT: THE SCHOOL OF BIOTECHNOLOGY, declared as the Number 1 in the country by a National Survey regarding its teaching and training in Biotechnology in 2006 offers both M.Sc and Pre-Ph.D./Ph.D. degrees in Biotechnology. The school emphasises teaching of biochemical engineering, Molecular Biology of Infectious Diseases, Transcription and Human Biology, Molecular Cell Biology and Virus Mediated Signal Transduction.

Among the prominent speakers visited the School included Dr. Surojit Paul, University of New Mexico; Prof. Victor Van Hinsbergh, University Medical Centre Amsterdam; Prof. John Meijer, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences. The faculty of the School participated in 24 national/international conferences and undertaken 25 Research Projects during the period. Among the faculty members who received award was S. S. Maitra.

SCSS: THE SCHOOL OF COMPUTER AND SYSTEMS SCIENCES (1975), is one of the foremost institutions that has teaching and research programmes in the area of Computer Science. The School offers programmes of instruction and research leading to the degrees of MCA, M.Tech., M.Phil. and Ph.D.

The School organised its first two-day international conference on Methods and Models in Computer Science in December, 2009. The faculty contributed 27 scholarly articles and participated in more than 20 national/international seminars and workshops during the year under review. Among the faculty members who received award and honor was Sonajharia Minz.

SES: THE SCHOOL OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES (1974), has diversified interests in earth, atmospheric and biological processes. Linkages between ecological and social processes give an additional dimension and relevance to the School. The curriculum therefore, has components of inter-disciplinary areas such as physical sciences, earth and atmospheric sciences, environmental biology, environmental monitoring and management.

Around 55 scholarly articles were contributed by the faculty during the year and as many as 30 Research Projects were undertaken. The School organised the fifth Satpaul Mittal Memorial Lecture during the year and the lecture was delivered by Padmashri and Padma Bhushan, Prof. Madhav Gadgil. Among the faculty members who received award was Kasturi Datta.

SIS: THE SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL STUDIES (1969). Initially established as the Indian School of International Studies in 1955, SIS is the oldest School of the University. During the 55 years of its existence, the School has established itself as the premier institution in the country for the study of international relations and area studies.

In recent years, several chairs have been instituted in the School. These include the Appadorai Chair, the Nelson Mandela Chair, Chair in Environmental Law and Space Law, State Bank of India and Rajiv Gandhi Chair. The Pt. Hriday Nath Kunzru Memorial series of lectures on International Relations has become a regular annual feature.

There are eleven Centres in the school that conduct research and teaching in various disciplines.

- **Centre for Canadian, US and Latin American Studies (CCUSLAS)**: The faculty of the Centre contributed six scholarly articles during the year under review. Prominent among the publication were books "*US Approach to the Islamic World in Post 9/11 Era*" and "*Indigenous Identity and Activism*" by Chintamani Mahapatra and Priti Singh respectively. The faculty of the Centre participated in 21 national/international workshops/conference during the year.

- **Centre for East Asian Studies (CEAS):** Prominent among the publication was book "*China and its Neighbours*" by Srikanth Kondapalli. The faculty of the Centre contributed 16 scholarly articles during the period under review. The faculty of the Centre participated in 14 national/international workshops/conferences during the year.
- **Centre for International Politics, Organisation and Disarmament (CIPOD):** During the year under review, CIPOD organised seventeen seminars/workshops and the faculty of the Centre contributed nine scholarly articles. The faculty of the Centre participated in 14 national/international conferences/seminars during the year.
- **Centre for International Trade and Development (CITD):** The faculty of the Centre contributed 12 scholarly articles during the period under review and undertaken as many as three Research Projects. Among the faculty members who received awards and honors were S. Bansal, Meeta K. Mehra and Amit Shovon Ray. The faculty participated in 21 national/international workshops/conferences during the year.
- **Centre for Russian and Central Asian Studies (CRCAS):** The faculty contributed 18 scholarly articles during the period under review and undertake one Research Project. Prominent among the publication were books "*Security Council Resolution 1325 and South Asia, Peace Women*" and "*Globalization and Eurasia*" by Anuradha M. Chenoy and Ajay Kumar Patnaik respectively. The faculty of the Centre participated in 26 national/international conferences/workshops during the year.
- **Centre for South Central Southeast Asian and Southwest Pacific Studies (CSCSASWPS):** Prominent among the publication was book "*India and Southeast Asia: Introspection for Future Partnership*" by Ganganath Jha. As many as three Research Projects were undertaken by the faculty of the Centre. Among the faculty members who received award were Mondira Dutta and Sharad K. Soni.
- **Centre for West Asian Studies (CWAS):** Prominent among the publication was book "*Non-Resident Indian Entrepreneurs in the United Arab Emirates*" by Prakash C. Jain. The faculty of the Centre contributed ten scholarly articles during the year and the faculty of the Centre participated in 14 national/international Seminars/Conferences.
- **Centre for European Studies (CES):** The Centre organised four conferences during the year and the faculty of the Centre contributed 13 scholarly articles and participated in 20 national/international conferences and seminars during the year under review. Among the faculty member who received award and honor was Gulshan Sachdeva.
- **Centre for Comparative Politics and Political Theory (CCP&PT):** The faculty of the Centre participated in two national/international seminars and conferences and delivered three lectures outside JNU during the period under review. The faculty of the Centre contributed one scholarly article and one chapter in book during the period 2009 -2010.
- **Centre for African Studies (CAS)**
- **Centre for International Legal Studies (CILS)**

SCIS: THE SCHOOL OF COMPUTATION AND INTEGRATIVE SCIENCES earlier School of Information Technology was started in 2001 consists of three Centres. The focus of the School is on the use of Information Technology in education and research.

- **Centre for Computational Biology and Bio-informatics (CCBB)** has been functioning since 1988 to provide information services and computational support to researchers working in all areas of biology and life sciences.
- **High Performance Computing Centre (HPCC):** High Performance Cluster Computing Systems has been set up and maintained by C-DAC, and is funded through the JNU-UPOE Scheme.
- **Centre for Complex Systems Study (CCSS)** was approved by the UGC in the XI Plan during 2008 - 2009 has now been granted as part of the School.

Among the prominent visitors who visited the School during the year were Dr. Soumen Roy, University of Chicago; Prof. Stephan Thurner, Santa Fe Institute; Prof. K. B. Athreya, Iowa State University. As many as 08 Research Projects were run by the members of the faculty during the period 2009 - 2010. The faculty members who received awards and honors were R. Ramaswamy and A. Srinivasan.

SLLCs: THE SCHOOL OF LANGUAGE, LITERATURE & CULTURE STUDIES (1971) offers undergraduate, post-graduate and research courses in various classical and modern Indian and foreign languages. A special service that the School renders to all students of the University needing extra help, is through remedial courses in different languages, particularly in English which has a large number of takers each year.

There are Eleven Centres in the School and a Multimedia Language Laboratory. The Language Laboratory Complex is well equipped with facilities for audio and video recordings, and for educational software production.

- **Centre of Chinese and South East Asian Studies (CCSEAS):** Among the visitors who visited the Centre were Mr. Zhu Yujie; Mr. Huang Zhigang, Education Councillor, Chinese Embassy. The faculty member who received award was Geeta Kochhar. Prominent among the publication was books "*Chini Kavita: Shijing se Xixiangji tak*" and "*China: Agriculture, Countryside and Peasants*" by B. R. Deepak
- **Centre of English Studies (CES):** As many as four Research Projects were undertaken by the faculty of the Centre and contributed 13 scholarly articles during the period under review. Among the prominent visitors who visited the Centre included Dr. Peter McDonald, University of Oxford; Dr. Debashish Banerji, Pasadena City College, USA and Poet & Academician Dr. Meena Kandasamy, Anna University. The faculty members who received awards were Makarand Paranjape, G. J. V. Prasad and Saugata Bhaduri.
- **Centre of French and Francophone Studies (CFFS):** Among the faculty members who received awards were K. Madavane and Kiran Chaudhry. Faculty of the Centre participated in three National/International Workshops/Conferences and undertake one Research Project during the period under review. The Centre organised three seminars during the period.
- **Centre of German Studies (CGS):** Among the visitors who visited the Centre included Prof. Christine Maillard, University of Starsbourg; Prof. Jurgen E. Muller, University of Bayreuth, Germany; Prof. Dr. Heike Wiese, University of Potsdam, Germany. The faculty members of the Centre who received award and honor was Sadhana Naithani.
- **Centre of Indian Languages (CIL):** Among the visitors who visited the Centre during the year were Dr. Maria Negyesi; Dr. Liudmila Khokhlova and Justice Rajinder Sachar. The faculty of the Centre participated in 14 National/International Conferences/Workshops during the year. As many as eleven scholarly articles were contributed by the faculty. Among the faculty members who received award was Devendra Kr. Choubey.
- **Centre of Japanese, Korean and North East Asian Studies (CJNEAS):** Prominent among the visitors who visited the Centre during the year were Mr. Daigo Tamura, Japan Foundation; Prof. H. Hosokawa, Waseda University. The faculty members of the Centre who received awards and honours were Prem Motwani, M. V. Lakshmi and Rupa Singh. The Centre organised ten National/International Workshops during the year.
- **Centre of Linguistics (CL):** Among the visitors who visited the Centre during the year under review were Prof. Akeel Bilgrami, Colombia University; Dr. Patrice Maniglier, University of Essex. The Centre organised two seminars during the year.
- **Centre of Persian and Central Asian Studies (CPandCAS):** Prominent among the visitors who visited the Centre were Prof. Paul Sprachman, Rutgers State University; Dr. Mohammad Husain Yamin, University of Kabul. The faculty members of the Centre who received awards during the year was Akhlaque Ahmad Ansari.
- **Centre of Russian Studies (CRS):** Among the visitors who visited the Centre during the year were Prof. Stefan Borbely, Babes-Bolyai University, Romania; Dr. L. V. Khokhlova, Moscow State University; Dr. Evgenia Vanina, Moscow. The faculty of the Centre participated in more than 25 National/International Conferences/Workshops during the year. The faculty members of the Centre who received award and honor was A. Bandyopadhyay.
- **Centre of Spanish, Portuguese, Italian and Latin American Studies (CSPI&LAS):** Prominent among the visitors who visited the Centre included Prof. Enric Bou, University of Brown; Mr. Jesus Gustavo Lozano, Cervantes Institute; Mr. Marco Brandao, Ambassador of Brazil in India. The faculty member of the Centre who received award and honor was Meenakshi Sundriyal.
- **Centre of Arabic and African Studies (CAAS)**

SLS: THE SCHOOL OF LIFE SCIENCES (1970) has been a premier multi-disciplinary research and teaching department and has followed innovative teaching and research programmes in selected areas of modern biology. The School has highly advanced and acclaimed research programmes on Plant Genetics and Biotechnology, Regulation of Gene Expression, Human Genetics, Immunology, Radiation, Photo-Biology, Cancer, Biology and Microbiology. Future plans and projections of the School are to develop centralised facilities for studies on neurobiology, molecular biophysics and structural biology, and to strengthen facilities for intensive research or gene technology of plants, microbes and tropical and hereditary diseases.

Among the prominent speakers who visited the School during the year were Dr. Monika Sachdev, University of Virginia USA; Dr. Narendra Bairwa, Medical University of South Carolina, USA; Dr. William Petri; University of Virginia, USA. The faculty members who received awards and honors were R. Madhubala, N. B. Sarin, P. C. Rath, S. Gourinath, and R. Muthuswami. More than 62 scholarly articles were contributed by the faculty during the year.

SPS: THE SCHOOL OF PHYSICAL SCIENCES (1986) Over the years, the School has implemented a dynamic teaching programme at the M.Sc. and pre-Ph.D levels. Research activities in the School are primarily in the theoretical areas relating to Classical and Quantum Chaos, Computational Physics, Condensed Matter Physics, Disordered Systems, Nonlinear Dynamics, Quantum Chaos, Quantum Optics, and Statistical Nuclear Physics. In the experimental areas, they pertain to Complex Fluids, Supra-Molecular Chemistry, Magnetism and Polymers and Nanoparticles Physics.

Among the faculty members who received awards and honors were R. Ghosh, K. Krishan, B. Kumar, S. Patnaik and R. Ramaswamy. More than 52 scholarly articles were contributed the faculty during the year. Among the prominent speakers who visited the School were Prof. Gary A. Williams, University of California; Dr. Marco Zannetti, Drexel University; Dr. Christopher Jones, University of North Carolina.

SSS: THE SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCES (1969). The School of Social Sciences admits approximate 500 students every year to the M.A., M.Phil/Ph.D. and Direct Ph.D programmes offered to its various Centres. School has no undergraduate programme of its own, even though it offers a few under-graduate courses for students of the School. The School of Social Sciences has nine centres and six special UGC supported programmes. Besides, three new Centres have been set up in the School during XIth Plan.

- **Centre for Economic Studies and Planning (CESP):** The faculty of the Centre contributed 24 scholarly articles during the period under review. The Centre organised the Eighteenth Krishna Bhardwaj Memorial Lecture by Prof. Kumaraswamy Velupillai, University of Trento, Italy during the year. Prominent among the visitors who visited the centre during the year were Guilhem Cassan, Paris School of Economics; Prof. Giuseppe Cavaliere, University of Bologna, Italy and Dr. Dipjyoyoti Majumdar, Concordia University, Canada.
- **Centre for Political Studies (CPS):** The faculty of the centre contributed 29 scholarly articles and participated in 75 national/international seminars/ conferences during the year under review. The faculty undertakes two research projects during the above period. The faculty members who received awards and honors were Balveer Arora, V. Rodrigues and Gopal Guru.
- **Centre for Social Medicine and Community Health (CSMCH):** Prominent among the publication were books *Markets and Malthus: Population, Gender and Health in Neo-Liberal Times* and *Understanding Youth: The Discourse and Concern in India* by Mohan Rao and S. S. Acharya. The faculty of the Centre contributed 15 scholarly articles and participated in 29 national/international seminars/conferences during the year under review. The faculty members who received award was Sanghmitra S. Acharya
- **Centre for Historical Studies (CHS):** Among the prominent speakers who visited the Centre were Prof. Kim Siebenhuner, Basel University; Prof. Sally J. Sutherland Goldman; Dr. Archana Venkatesan, University of California. The faculty of the Centre contributed nine scholarly articles during the period under review, and participated in 26 national/international seminars/conferences.
- **Centre of Philosophy (CP):** The faculty of the Centre participated in 26 national/international seminars/conferences and contributed seven scholarly articles during the period under review. Prominent among the speakers who visited the Centre during the year were Prof. Ghezala Irfan, LUNS, Lahore; Prof. Sergei Serebriany, Meletinsky Institute for Advanced Study in Humanities, Moscow; and Dr. Daniel Berounsky, Charles University.

- **Centre for the Study of Regional Development (CSR D):** Among the faculty members who received awards and honors were S. K. Thorat, S. Raju, S. Sen, S. Bathla and P. Pani. The faculty of the Centre contributed 39 scholarly articles and participated in 119 national /international seminars/workshops during the year under review. The faculty delivered 70 lectures during the year outside, JNU.
- **Centre for Studies in Science Policy (CSSP):** The faculty of the Centre contributed 12 scholarly articles and undertake one Research Project during the period under review. The faculty participated in eight national/international seminars/workshops during the above period.
- **Centre for the Study of Social Systems (CSSS):** The Centre organised eleven seminars during the period and the faculty of the Centre contributed 40 scholarly articles and participated in 122 national/international seminars/conferences. The faculty members who received awards and honors were T. K. Oommen, V. Sujatha, Nilika Mehrotra, Vivek Kumar and Harish Naraindas.
- **Zakir Hussain Centre for Educational Studies (ZHCES):** The faculty of the Centre contributed eight scholarly articles and undertakes nine Research Projects during the period under review. The faculty participated in 18 national/international seminars/conferences during the year and faculty members who received awards and honors were Deepak Kumar; Dhruv Raina and M. Panda
- **Educational Research Record Unit (ERRU):** The Unit organised Fifth J. P. Naik Memorial Lecture titled "Reinventing the Research University in India" delivered by Prof. P. Balaram, Director, IISC, Bangalore on 31 August, 2009.
- **Women Studies Programme (WSP):** The WSP organised 14 seminars under the Regular Seminar, Film Seminar and Special Seminars & Workshops series, prominent among the speakers were Dr. Srila Roy University of Nottingham, UK; Dr. Henrike Donner, London School of Economics and Political Sciences, UK; and Prof. Patricia Hayes, University of Western Cape, South Africa.
- **Programme for the Study of Discrimination Exclusion (PSDE):** PSDE organised a national seminar on "Research Trends in Castes and Tribes of Southern India" and a book titled "Dividing Dalits - Writings on Sub-Categorization of Scheduled Castes" edited by Yagati Chinna Rao, was also released during the period.
- **Archives on Contemporary History (ACHI):** During the period under review 218 scholars from various Institutions within the country and abroad consulted the ACHI. The ACHI also organised the fourteenth P. C. Joshi Memorial Lecture by Ram Rahman, Distinguished Photographer and Cultural Activist. The ACHI has purchased 38 Books/Pamphlets during the year.
- **North East India Studies Programme (NEISP):** The NEISP has organised two national/international symposiums, one special lecture and one film show followed by the panel discussion during the period. The NEISP convened a special meeting to discuss the increasing violence against women, especially those hailing from North East India, in Delhi.
- **Group of Adult Education (GAE)**

CSLG: CENTRE FOR THE STUDY OF LAW AND GOVERNANCE (2000). The Centre's academic programme aims at developing a body of scholarly research that contributes to ongoing debates and issues in academic publications. It also seeks to cultivate a practical orientation by initiating debates on policy issues, so as to act as a catalyst for change.

Around eight scholarly articles were contributed by the faculty of the Centre during the year and as many as four Research Projects were undertaken. Visitors to the Centre during the year included Prof. Pal Ahluwalia, Vice-Chancellor, University of Southern Australia; Ms. Pompha Bushal, Hon'ble Minister of Administrative Restructuring, Nepal; Ann Stewart, School of Law, University of Warwick, UK. Among the faculty members who received awards and honors were Niraja Gopal Jayal and Amita Singh.

SCMM: SPECIAL CENTRE FOR MOLECULAR MEDICINE (1999) aims to foster research in the field of Molecular and Cell Biology with direct application to the study of human disease.

Visitors to the Centre during the year included Prof. Manzoor A. Bhat, University of North Carolina School of Medicine, USA; Dr. Partha Roy, John Wayne Cancer Institute USA; Dr. Sourav Banerjee, University of California, USA. Among the faculty members who received awards and honours was R. K. Tyagi and the members of the faculty were engaged in eight Research Projects during the year under review.

SCSS: SPECIAL CENTRE FOR SANSKRIT STUDIES (2001): A number of distinguished scholars visited the Centre during the year including Prof. Angelika Malinar, University of Zurich; Prof. Kishore Chakroborty; Devis and Elkins College, USA; Kaviraja Hari Shankara Sharma, Kyoto, Japan. The faculty of the Centre participated in 39 national/international conferences during the year. Among the faculty members who received awards and honours were Girish Nath Jha and Rajnesh Kumar Mishra.

DEFENCE/RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTIONS

JNU has granted recognition and accreditation to the following prestigious institutions across the country. This has added to the true national character of the University. Representatives of these institutions serve on various academic and statutory bodies of the JNU. Similarly, JNU faculty also participate in the academic bodies of these Institutions.

Defence Institutions

- Army Cadet College, Dehradun
- College of Military Engineering, Pune
- Military College of Electronics and Mechanical Engineering, Secunderabad
- Military College of Telecommunication Engineering, Mhow
- National Defence Academy, Pune
- Naval College of Engineering, Lonavla

Research and Development Institutions

- Centre for Cellular and Molecular Biology, Hyderabad
- Centre for Development Studies, Thiruvananthapuram
- Central Drug Research Institute, Lucknow
- Central Institute of Medicinal and Aromatic Plants, Lucknow
- Institute of Microbial Technology, Chandigarh
- International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology, New Delhi
- National Institute of Immunology, New Delhi
- Inter-University Accelerator Centre, New Delhi
- Raman Research Institute, Bangaluru
- National Institute for Plant Genome Research, New Delhi
- Bhabha Atomic Research Centre, Trombay, Mumbai

FACULTY

The JNU faculty numbers nearly 485 and like the student body, the faculty is also representative of the diversity of our country. Approximately one quarter of the faculty is female; the complete data is given in the table below.

Present Strength (as on 31.3.2010)	485	Male	344
		Female	141
Professor 223	Associate Professor 136	Assistant Professor 126	
Professor Emeritus 19		Honorary Professors 05	

Academic Achievements

Besides evolving innovative programmes of study and courses, a major strength of the University lies in its faculty. Teaching, guiding and conducting research beyond the conventional bounds of their narrow areas of specialization, members of the faculty are engaged in writing and editing books, contributing chapters to volumes, publishing papers and articles, organising and participating in seminars, conferences and workshops, delivering lectures and managing research projects. During 2009-2010 their combined output amounted to the following.

□ □ Books	121
□ □ Chapters in books	264
□ □ Papers/Articles in Journals	427
□ □ Participation in Seminars/Conferences/Workshops	1083
□ □ Lectures delivered (Outside JNU)	652
□ □ Research Projects	243

STUDENTS

The student community of the University is drawn from all parts of the country and is representative of the linguistic, religious, caste, and economic plurality of Indian society. The data in respect of 2009-2010 is given below. The student teacher ratio is 12:1.

Gender Profile		Social Profile		Programmes	
□ Male	3656	□ Scheduled Caste	837	□ Research (M.Phil, Ph.D/M.Tech, Ph.D./Direct Ph.D)	3668
		□ Scheduled Tribe	495	□ Graduate (MA/M.Sc./MCA)	1722
□ Female	2497	□ Physically Challenged	132	□ Undergraduate (B.A. Hons.)	763
		□ Foreign Nationals	285		
		□ OBC	1029		
		□ Others	3375		
Total	6153				

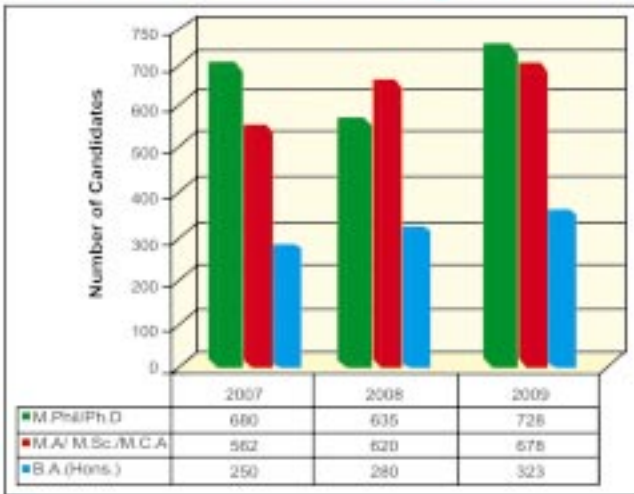
Admissions

The University admits students through an entrance examination which can be taken at 68 Centres in various parts of the country and at one Centre outside India, i.e. Kathmandu, Nepal. Admission announcements are made in all major national and regional newspapers in English and Indian languages. Admissions are made against a fixed number of seats in each programme of study, on the basis of merit in the admission test.

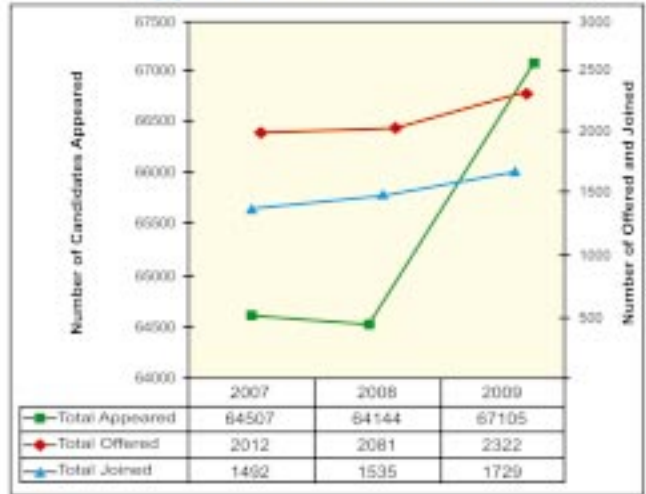
The University also conducts a Combined Entrance Test in M.Sc. Biotechnology; M.Sc (Agri.)/M.V.Sc; and M.Tech (Biotechnology) on behalf of 48 Institutes and Universities including JNU.

During 2009 – 2010, the following students were admitted to various programmes of study.

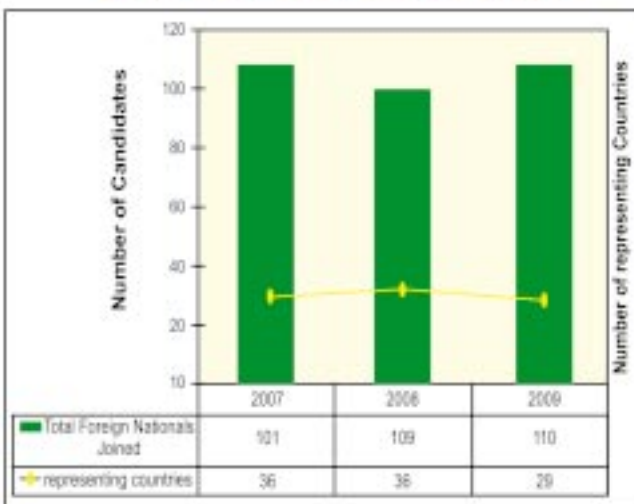
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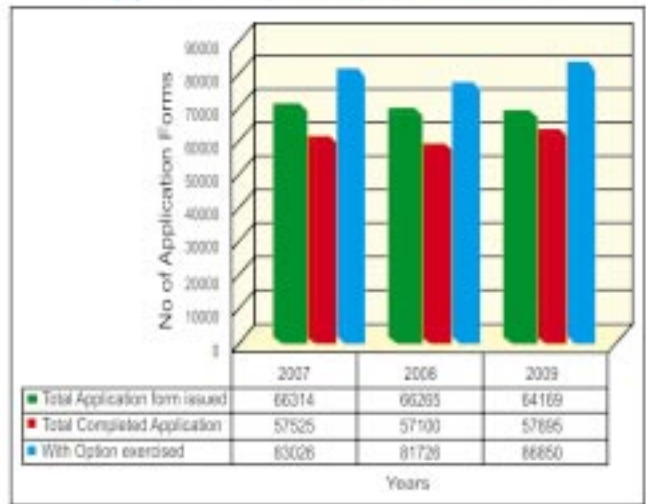
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Total Foreign Nationals Joined



Application Issued Vs Received



UNIVERSITY LIBRARY

Over 9462 students, faculty members and scholars from other Universities and Institutions both within and outside the country used the library facilities during the year.

The Library acquired 3443 volumes during the year. Of these, 3220 were gifts. The total library collection stood at 5,55,933 volumes at the end of the year. The expenditure on purchase of books was Rs. 5.46 lacs while Rs. 192 lakhs were spent on journal subscriptions. The Library subscribed to 933 journals and also received 105 journals by way of gift.

ACADEMIC STAFF COLLEGE

Established in 1989, the Staff College has been conducting specific Refresher Courses for college teachers in International Relations, Social Sciences, Computer Sciences, Life Sciences, Environmental Sciences, Physics and Biotechnology. It also conducts Orientation Courses in Social and Natural Sciences.

Senior faculty members act as Course Coordinators and scholars from JNU and other institutes act as resource persons. Nine Refresher and five Orientation courses were held during the current year.

ADVANCED INSTRUMENTATION RESEARCH FACILITY (AIRF)

The Advanced Instrumentation Research Facility (AIRF) has been set up by the university with the state of the art analytical equipments for research in Physical, biological and environmental sciences. The equipments for the facility have arrived and are in use. The Time Resolved Luminescence/ Fluorescence Spectrometer that is one of the analytical equipments of AIRF was installed in the facility and is in regular operation.

The instruments housed in the AIRF are Laser Scanning Confocal Microscope, X-ray Protein Crystallization Laboratory, FT-IR Spectrometer with Laser Raman attachment, Transmission Electron Microscope (TEM), Scanning Electron Microscope (SEM) High and Low vacuum, WDXRF Spectrometer, EDXRF Spectrometer, Circular Dichroism (CD) and Fluorescence spectrometer with stop flow attachments and accessories, Liquid Nitrogen Plant, Capillary Electrophoresis, Cell Sorter and Flow Cytometer, Surface Plasmon Resonance (SPR) Analyzer, Time Resolved Luminescence/ Fluorescence Spectrometer; Gas Chromatograph Mass Spectrometer etc.

UNIVERSITY BODIES

The regulating bodies responsible for the functioning of the University are the University Court, the Executive Council, the Academic Council and Statutory Committees such as the Finance Committee.

University Court

The Court is the supreme authority of the University and meets once a year on a date fixed by the Executive Council, to consider a report on the working of the University during the previous year together with a statement on the receipts and expenditure, the balance sheet as audited and the budget for the next financial year. The Court is vested with the powers to review the acts of the Executive Council and Academic Council (save when these authorities have not acted in accordance with the powers conferred upon them under the Act, the Statutes and the Ordinances) and to exercise the powers of the University not otherwise provided in the Act or the Statutes.

University Court Meeting - 10 February 2010

The University Court in its meeting on 10 February, 2010 received the Annual Report on the working of the University for the period April 1, 2008 to March 31, 2009 with a statement of receipt and expenditure and statement of assets and liabilities as audited for the financial year 2008-2009 and also the budget for the financial year 2009-2010.

Executive Council

Executive Council is the executive body and is inter alia vested with the powers to make appointments of the members of the faculty and other group 'A' officers on the recommendations of the Selection Committees, fix their emoluments and define their duties. The Executive Council is also vested with the powers to maintain discipline amongst the teaching and non-teaching employees in accordance with the provisions of Statutes and Ordinances and manage and regulate the finances, accounts and other administrative affairs of the University.

Executive Council Meetings - **10 July, 2009**
- **12 October, 2009**
- **12 January, 2010**

During the year under review the Executive Council deliberated upon various administrative and academic matters and took important decisions. It also considered and approved actions taken by the Vice-Chancellor on matters of an urgent nature in exercise of the powers conferred upon him in terms of the Statutes/Organinances. The Council also approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in approving the recommendations of various Selection Committees for faculty and non-teaching appointments.

Academic Council

The Academic Council is the academic body of the University and is inter alia vested with the powers to propose establishment of Departments, Special Centres and specialized laboratories to the Executive Council. The Academic Council is also vested with the powers to recommend to the Executive Council the creation and abolition of teaching posts, their classifications, draft ordinances on admissions and examinations, appointment of examiners and fixation of their fees, conferment of honorary degrees and proposals for instituting fellowships, scholarships etc. The Academic Council is further vested with the power to recognize diplomas and degrees of other Universities/Institutions, appoint Committees for admission to the University, make arrangements for the conduct of examinations, fixing dates for holding them and declaring results of various University exams etc.

Academic Council Meetings - **21 April, 2009**
- **25 November, 2009**
- **18/31 March, 2010**

During the year under review, the Academic Council in its meeting co-opted members from various institutions, nominated faculty members/experts on the Boards of Studies/ Special Committees of various Schools / Special Centres and received factual data for admissions in 2009-2010.

Finance Committee

The Finance Committee is a statutory body of the University. It considers the Budget and Expenditure proposals, all proposals for new/additional posts, accounts of the University, the Audit Report and all other financial and accounting matters. Its recommendations go for approval of the Executive Council.

Finance Committee Meeting - **27 June, 2009**
- **23 December, 2009**

In its meetings the Finance Committee approved the Revised Estimates of the University for 2009-2010 at the level of Rs. 21439.75 lakhs net on 'Maintenance Account'.

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(As on 31.3.2010)

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The Legend

A university stands for humanism, for tolerance, for reason, for the adventure of ideas and for the search of truth. It stands for the onward march of the human race towards ever higher objectives. If the universities discharge their duties adequately, then it is well with the Nation and the People.

This visionary statement by the first Prime Minister of Independent India on the occasion of the diamond jubilee of Allahabad University on 13 December, 1947, reflects the great importance that Jawaharlal Nehru attached to university education in India. He firmly believed that universities could play a crucial role in shaping and strengthening the life of a nation by inculcating cardinal in their students the values in which he believed.

As a fitting tribute to his vision, the Jawaharlal Nehru University was established in 1966 under the JNU Act, 1966 (53 of 1966) As a mark of further respect, the University was formally inaugurated by the late Sh. V. V. Giri, the then President of India, on the birthday of Panditji on 14 November 1969, which also coincided with the birth centenary year of Mahatma Gandhi.

The University's objectives are:

to disseminate and advance knowledge, by teaching and research; and by the example and influence of its corporate life to promote the study of the principles for which Jawaharlal Nehru worked during his life-time, namely national integration, social justice, secularism, a democratic way of life, international understanding and a scientific approach to the problems of society.

Towards this end, the University was entrusted with the task of:

- fostering the composite culture of India through the establishment of such departments or institutions as may be required for the study and development of the languages, arts and culture of India;
- taking special measures to encourage students and teachers from all over India to participate in its academic programmes;
- promoting an awareness and understanding of the social needs of the country in the students and teachers and preparing them to fulfil these needs;
- making special provision for integrated courses in humanities as well as science and technology in its educational programmes;
- taking appropriate measures for promoting interdisciplinary studies;
- establishing such departments or institutions as may be necessary for the study of the languages, literature and life of foreign countries with a view to inculcating in the students an international understanding and a holistic perspective; and
- providing facilities for students and teachers from various countries to participate in its academic programmes and activities.

The uniqueness of JNU is evident from its basic philosophy, policies and programmes which are spelt out and embodied in the University Act. Accordingly, the University has always strive to evolve such policies and programmes of study as would be a qualitative and distinct addition to the national resource base in higher education instead of reflecting mere quantitative expansions of the existing facilities. The University thus has been concentrating on programmes that are of relevance to national progress and development. In this regard, the University has taken the following initiatives:

- A conscious effort has been made to promote ideas of national integration, secularism, a scientific outlook, a cosmopolitan and a humanistic approach towards life.

- The national character of the University has been maintained by selecting students and faculty from all regions of the country.
- An interdisciplinary approach to teaching and research has been promoted in recognition of the fact that knowledge is indivisible and, accordingly, a structure of Schools and Centres of teaching has been established.
- The emphasis on teaching and research in non-conventional areas has ensured that duplication of facilities available in other universities is avoided as far as possible.
- Care has been taken to establish a model School of Language Teaching and Research in Indian as well as foreign languages with well-equipped language laboratories and Centres, where the study of the literature, culture and civilization of the countries concerned becomes feasible and effective.
- A system has been evolved whereby main academic decisions, such as the courses to be taught, their content and the methods of evaluation, are taken by the teachers themselves.
- Admissions are made entirely on merit through an open all-India Entrance Examination, held at 68 centres across the country and one centre abroad.
- In accordance with the policy of the Government of India, the University provides reservations in both students admissions and faculty recruitment.
- There is a liberal provision for merit-cum-means scholarships/fellowships. Students as well as faculty members are provided with financial support to undertake field trips in connection with their research both within the country and abroad.
- Participation in cultural exchange programmes with universities/institutes abroad is being encouraged to promote international understanding. The University has signed Memoranda of Understanding with a large number of foreign universities and institutions.
- A Grievance Redressal Committee has been set up to promote cordial relations between the students and the University administration.
- In order to create the right social ambience and to meet the security concerns of the JNU community, the University has established a Gender Sensitization Committee against Sexual Harassment (GSCASH).
- A number of Chairs, like the B.R. Ambedkar Chair, Nelson Mandela Chair, Appadorai Chair, Rajiv Gandhi Chair, RBI Chair, SBI Chair, Chair in Greek Studies and others have been established.
- A Committee of Advisors has been set up to look into the academic/financial concerns of the Dalit students of the University
- Giving weightage to OBC candidates seeking admission to various programmes of study in the entrance examination was a significant step which the University took in 1995.
- The University has been organising successfully the combined Biotechnology Entrance Examination for admission to M.Sc. in Biotechnology, M.Sc. in Agriculture Biotechnology, M.V.Sc.(Animal) Biotechnology and M.Tech. programme in Biotechnology of 48 participating universities for a number of years. This entrance examination is conducted all over the country.

The University was envisioned as essentially a post-graduate teaching and research institution. The Academic Advisory Committee had originally envisaged that the University would be broadly structured into ten Schools:

1. School of Language, Literature and Culture Studies
2. School of Social Sciences
3. School of International Studies
4. School of Life Sciences
5. School of Environmental Sciences
6. School of Computer and Systems Sciences
7. School of Physical Sciences

8. School of Arts and Aesthetics
9. School of Information Technology
10. School of Biotechnology

Of these, the first four Schools started functioning in New Delhi in 1971. The School of Environmental Sciences and the School of Computer and Systems Sciences were established in 1974 and 1975, respectively. In 1986, the School of Physical Sciences started functioning. In 2001, the School of Arts and Aesthetics and the School of Information Technology became operational. In 2006, the Centre for Biotechnology has been upgraded as School of Biotechnology. Further, in 1972, the Centre of Post-Graduate Studies was set up at Imphal (Manipur), forming the nucleus of the eventual Manipur University in 1981.

Over the past 42 years, the following Centres have been created and assigned to the respective Schools:

1. School of Social Sciences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Centre for the Study of Social Systems - Centre for Historical Studies - Centre for Political Studies - Centre for the Study of Regional Development - Centre for Social Medicine and Community Health - Zakir Hussain Centre for Educational Studies - Centre for Studies in Science Policy - Centre for Economic Studies and Planning - Centre for Philosophy - Educational Records Research Unit - Women Studies Programme - Programme for the Study of Discrimination Exclusion - Group of Adult Education
2. School of Language, Literature and Culture Studies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Centre of French and Francophone Studies - Centre of German Studies - Centre of Spanish, Portuguese Italian and Latin American Studies - Centre of Arabic and African Studies - Centre for Indian Languages - Centre for Linguistics - Centre for English Studies - Centre of Persian and Central Asian Studies - Centre of Japanese, Korean and North-East Asian Studies - Centre of Chinese and South-East Asian Studies - Centre of Russian Studies
3. School of International Studies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Centre for Canadian, US and Latin American Studies - Centre for International Trade and Development - Centre for East Asian Studies - Centre for Russian and Central Asian Studies - Centre for International Politics, Organisation and Disarmament - Centre for South, Central South-East Asian and South-West Pacific Studies - Centre for West Asian Studies

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Centre for African Studies - Centre for International Legal Studies - Centre for European Studies - Centre for Comparative Politics and Political Theory
4. School of Arts and Aesthetics	-
5. School of Life Sciences	-
6. School of Environmental Sciences	-
7. School of Computer and Systems Sciences	-
8. School of Physical Sciences	-
9. School of Computation and Integrative Sciences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Centre for Computational Biology and Bio-informatics - High Performance Computing Centre - Centre for Complex Systems Study
10. School of Biotechnology	-
11. Centre for Sanskrit Studies	-
12. Centre for Molecular Medicine	-
13. Centre for the Study of Law and Governance	-

Further, JNU has granted recognition/accreditation to the following prestigious institutions across the country for the award of specified degrees that has added to the true national character of the University.

1. Defence Institutions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Army Cadet College, Dehradun - College of Military Engineering, Pune - Military College of Electronics and Mechanical Engineering, Secunderabad - Military College of Telecommunication Engineering, Mhow - National Defence Academy, Pune - Naval College of Engineering, Lonavla
2. Research and Development Institutions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Centre for Cellular and Molecular Biology, Hyderabad. - Centre for Development Studies, Thiruvananthapuram. - Central Drug Research Institute, Lucknow - Central Institute of Medicinal and Aromatic Plants, Lucknow - Institute of Microbial Technology, Chandigarh - International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology, New Delhi - National Institute of Immunology, New Delhi - Inter-University Accelerator Centre, New Delhi - Raman Research Institute, Bangaluru - National Institute for Plant Genome Research, New Delhi - Bhabha Atomic Research Centre, Trombay, Mumbai

Academic Programmes and Admissions

PROGRAMMES OF STUDY

During the year under review, the University offered Ph.D., M.Phil./Ph.D, M.Tech./Ph.D and MPH/Ph.D in 67 disciplines.

M.Sc/MCA in 06 disciplines, Master's programme in 24 disciplines; and under-graduate courses (both 1st and 2nd year) in 09 foreign languages. In addition, it also offered Certificate, Diploma and Advanced Diploma courses in various languages.

The following programmes of study were offered by different Schools/ Centres during the year under review:

School of Arts and Aesthetics

- M.Phil/Ph.D in Arts and Aesthetics.
- MA: This four semester programme focuses on the theoretical and critical study of visual and performing arts.

School of Computer and Systems Sciences

- M.Phil./Ph.D.: This programme focuses on different aspects of Computer Science.
- M.Tech/Ph.D (Computer Science and Technology): This two-year programme has been designed to impart advanced knowledge in the field of Computer Science and Technology. With the successful completion of the M.Tech. programme, candidates become eligible to register for the Ph.D programme.
- Master of Computer Applications (MCA): This three-year programme has been designed to provide the necessary theoretical background as well as practical experience in Computer Application in Science and Engineering to meet the growing manpower requirements in data processing.

School of Environmental Sciences

- M.Phil./Ph.D: Research facilities are made available in four broad areas (details of which are provided in the chapter on this School).
- M.Sc. in Environmental Sciences: This four-semester programme is concerned with the major aspects of environment, with specialisation in the atmospheric, earth, pollution-related and biological sciences.

School of International Studies

- M.Phil./Ph.D: Course work and research facilities are available in the following areas: International Politics, International Organisation, Political Geography, Diplomacy and Disarmament, International Legal Studies, International Trade and Development, South Asian Studies, South-East Asian and South-West Pacific Studies, Central Asian Studies, Chinese Studies, Japanese Studies and Korean Studies, West Asian and North African Studies, Sub-Saharan African Studies, United States Studies, Latin American Studies, European Studies, Canadian Studies and Russian and Central Asian Studies.
- MA in Politics (with specialisation in International Relations): This is a four-semester programme which combines studies in International Affairs, Area Politics, Political Theory, Comparative Politics and Economic Development to enable the students to receive an all-round exposure in various fields of study.
- MA in Economics (with specialisation in World Economy:). This is also a four-semester programme, which offers a sound theoretical background in the principles of economics and equips the students with analytical tools for understanding the evolution of the global economy.

School of Computation and Integrative Sciences

- M.Tech. in Computational and Systems Biology.
- Pre - Ph.D/ Ph. D in Computational Biology and Bioinformatics

School of Language, Literature and Culture Studies

- M.Phil./Ph.D in Arabic, English, French, German, Japanese, Hindi, Hindi Translation, Tamil, Linguistics, Russian, Chinese, Persian, Spanish and Urdu
- M. Phil in Portuguese.
- MA in Arabic, Chinese, English, French, German, Hindi, Japanese, Korean, Linguistics, Persian, Russian, Spanish and Urdu
- B.A. (Honours) in Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Japanese, Korean, Persian, Russian and Spanish (with entry points in the first and second years). On successful completion of this programme, a candidate becomes eligible to seek registration for MA in the language concerned.

Part-time programmes

- Advanced Diploma in Mass Media (Urdu)
- Advanced Diploma of Proficiency in Portuguese and Pushtu
- Diploma of Proficiency in Bhasha Indonesia, and Pushtu
- Certificate of Proficiency in Bhasha Indonesia, Mongolian, Pushtu, Italian and Urdu

School of Life Sciences

- M.Phil./Ph.D. in the following areas of Life Sciences: Regulation of Gene Expression, Nucleic Acid Therapeutics, Plant Physiology and Biotechnology, Genetics, Functional Genomics, Molecular Parasitology, Molecular Biophysics and Structural Biology, Immunology, Radiation Biology and Neurophysiology etc.
- M.Sc. in Life Sciences offering courses in: Applied Molecular Biology, Virology, Bioinformatics, Biotechnology and Human Genetics, Cell Signalling and Gene Expression in Cell Differentiation and Diseases, Molecular Biophysics, Structural Biology, Advanced Microbial Physiology, Molecular Biology of Stress etc. after a foundation in Biochemistry, Genetics, Microbiology, Mathematics, Chemistry and Physics.

School of Physical Sciences

- Pre - Ph.D/Ph.D research activity of the School is primarily in the theoretical areas of Nonlinear Dynamics, Classical and Quantum Chaos, Chemical Physics, Condensed Matter Physics, Disordered Systems, Nonequilibrium, Statistical Mechanics, Quantum Field Theory and Particle Physics, Mathematical Physics, Quantum Optics, Statistical Nuclear Physics and in the experimental areas of Complex Fluids, Magnetism, and Nonlinear Optics.
- M.Sc. in Physics: This four semester programme is open to the candidates from Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics streams.

School of Social Sciences

- M.Phil./Ph.D research facilities are available in the following subjects/disciplines: Economic Studies and Planning; Educational Studies (Psychology, Sociology, Economics and History of Education); Historical Studies; Political Studies; Regional Development (Geography, Economics, and Population Studies); Social Systems; Social Medicine and Community Health; Science Policy and Philosophy.
- Master of Public Health (M.P.H.)/Ph.D.: The programme covers three major areas: Social Medicine, Community Health and Community Health Nursing.
- MA: A four semester programme offered in Economics, Geography, History, Political Science and Sociology.

School of Biotechnology

- Pre - Ph.D/Ph.D: The programmes of the School are inter-disciplinary in nature. Course work and facilities are offered in the following areas:
- Protein Engineering, Prokaryotic/Eukaryotic Gene Expression, Molecular Biology of Infectious Diseases, Molecular Immunology, Protein Stability, Conformation and Folding, Bioprocess Scale-Up and Optimization, Transcription of Eukaryotic Gene.
- M.Sc. in Biotechnology: This four semester programme is designed to expose candidates to recent developments in genetic engineering and biotechnology and their exploitation in industry, agriculture and medicine.

Centre for Study of Law and Governance

- M.Phil/Ph.D. Programme in Law and Governance.

Special Centre for Sanskrit Studies

- M.Phil/Ph.D. in Sanskrit.
- MA: This four-semester programme focuses on Indian Intellectual Traditions, Sanskrit Linguistic Tradition, Introduction to Computational Linguistics and Sanskrit Literature.

Special Centre for Molecular Medicine

- Pre - Ph.D/Ph.D research activity of the Centre focuses on Molecular Medicine. It is also pursuing teaching and research activities in Metabolic Disorders, Infectious Diseases and Diagnostics.

ACADEMIC SESSION 2009-2010 (ADMISSIONS AND STUDENT STRENGTH)

The JNU Entrance Examination for admission to various programmes of study was conducted from May 15 to 18, 2009 at 68 centres located in the following States/Union Territories: Andhra Pradesh, Arunachal Pradesh, Assam, Bihar, Chandigarh, Chattisgarh, Delhi, Gujarat, Goa, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu and Kashmir, Jharkhand, Karnataka, Kerala, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Manipur, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Orissa, Pondicherry, Punjab, Rajasthan, Sikkim, Tripura, Tamil Nadu, Uttaranchal, Uttar Pradesh and West Bengal. In addition, it was also conducted at one centre in SAARC country i.e. Kathmandu (Nepal).

- 1) As against 64,169 application forms sold, 57,895 completed applications were received. Based on the choice exercised by the applicants, the total number worked out to 86,850 choice exercised by candidates in the entrance examination for various disciplines/ subjects/programmes of study.
- 2) Based on the performance of the candidates in the entrance examination and the merit lists prepared in accordance with the provisions of the University's admission policy, 2322 candidates were offered admission to various programmes of study, out of which 1729 candidates joined.
- 3) As against the statutory requirement of 22.5% reservation for SC and ST candidates (15% SC and 7.5% ST) 26.38% candidates (16.47% in SC category and 9.91% in ST category) belonging to these categories joined the University.
- 4) As against the requirement of 3% reservations for Physically Challenged candidates, 2.46% candidates joined the University.
- 5) Of the 1729 candidates admitted to various programmes of studies,
 - 728 were admitted to M.Phil /Ph.D, M.Tech/Ph.D., MCH/Ph.D and 678 to MA/M.Sc./MCA. The remaining 323 were admitted to BA (Hons.) in foreign languages programmes;
 - The break up of men and women candidates was 912 and 817, respectively;
 - A total of 401 OBC candidates (i.e. around 23.5%) were selected for admission to various programmes of study.

- 6) The candidates admitted to various programmes passed their qualifying examinations from 152 Indian Universities/ Institutions /Boards.
- 7) Of the total 1729 candidates, 654 came from the lower and the middle income groups whose parents' income was less than Rs. 6000/- per month and 1075 from the higher income group with an income over Rs. 6000/- per month. As regards the rural-urban composition of the students, the ratio was 763: 966. Further, only 498 candidates had their schooling in public schools and 1231 came from municipal and non-public schools.
- 8) In addition to the 1729 candidates admitted to various programmes of study, 213 candidates were also admitted to various programmes of study under the following categories:

Foreign nationals representing 29 countries	:	87*+23**
Direct Ph.D.	:	83
Candidates who could not join last year	:	12
NET qualified (JRF holders)	:	31
		213

(*In Absentia Category)

(**23 through Entrance Examination included in 1,729)

COMBINED ENTRANCE EXAMINATION

As in the past, this year also the University conducted the combined Biotechnology Entrance test on 18 May, 2009 at 76 centres all over the country for admission to M. Sc. (Biotechnology), M. V. Sc. (Agri.)/M. Sc. (Animal Biotechnology) and M.Tech (Biotechnology) programmes on behalf of 48 participating universities (including JNU).

A total number of 20671 applications forms [M. Sc. (Biotechnology)- 18405; M. Sc. (Agri.) and M. V. Sc.- 729; and M.Tech (Biotechnology)- 1537 were received, out of which 18513 candidates [M.Sc. (Biotechnology)- 16657, M. Sc. (Agri.) and M. V .Sc.- 655 and M.Tech (Biotechnology)- 1201 appeared. Based on the performance of the candidates in the Entrance Examination, 661 candidates [M. Sc. (Biotech)- 489; M.Sc (Agri.)/M.V.Sc- 123 and M.Tech (Biotechnology)- 49; were offered admission in the programme of various participating Universities, for the academic year 2009-2010.

PART-TIME PROGRAMMES IN THE SCHOOL OF LANGUAGE, LITERATURE AND CULTURE STUDIES

A total of 814 completed application forms were received for admission to part-time Diploma/Certificate programmes of study in the School. As many as 161 candidates joined these programmes: 127 for COP, 13 for DOP and 21 for ADOP.

STUDENT'S STRENGTH

The total strength of full-time students on the rolls of the University as on 1.9.2009 was 6153. The break-up for various programmes indicated that 3668 students were doing research, 1722 were pursuing post-graduate studies (i.e. M.A./ M.Sc./MCA), and 763 were pursuing under-graduate studies.

DEGREES/DIPLOMAS/CERTIFICATES AWARDED

During the year under review, 3069 students were awarded degrees by the University after successfully completing the programmes for which they had registered themselves at the University or at its Recognized Institutions:

(1)	Ph.D.	:	355
(2)	M.Phil.	:	510
(3)	M.Tech (Computer Science/SIT}	:	37
(4)	M.A.	:	551
(5)	M.Sc./MCA/MPH	:	94
(6)	B.A. (Hons.)/(Pass)	:	195
(7)	Advance Diploma/Diploma/Certificates	:	88
(8)	B.A. (Hons.)/(Pass) (Recognised Institutions)	:	259
(9)	B.Sc. (Recognised Institutions)	:	495
(10)	B.Tech (Recognised Institutions)	:	456
(11)	M.Tech (Recognised Institutions)	:	29
	TOTAL	:	3069

ADMISSION PROCESS

Admission to various programmes of study is regulated by policy and procedure approved by the Academic Council of the University from time to time.

The approximate number of seats available in each programme of study (including M.Phil./Ph.D. programmes) is decided by the Academic Council on the recommendations of the Centres/Schools concerned. The intake of candidates considered for direct admission to the Ph. D. programme is over and above the intake prescribed by the Centres/Schools for M.Phil./Ph. D. programmes.

Reservation in admissions: The University provides 22.5% reservation for SC and ST students (15% for SC and 7.5% for ST, interchangeable if necessary) 18% for OBC category and 3% for the physically challenged. Over and above the intake fixed for each programme, 15% of seats are also reserved for foreign nationals. Of this quota of 15%, upto 7^{1/2}% of seats are reserved for those appearing in the entrance examination and the remaining 7^{1/2}% for candidates applying from abroad whose cases are considered *in absentia*. The ratio is interchangeable if necessary.

Admission notice: The admission notification is published all over India through advertisements in leading newspapers around the second week of February every year.

Written test: The written test for admission to various programmes of study is held at various centres all over the country in the third week of May every year. A question paper of three hours duration is set for each programme or each set of programmes of study. The tests are spread over two days, with two sessions of three hours on each day. Admission is made purely on merit, taking into account the candidate's performance in the written examination and the viva-voce, wherever prescribed. The written test (wherever viva-voce is prescribed) carries 70 marks.

Eligibility requirements for appearing in the entrance test: The eligibility criteria (for both general and reserved category candidates) for appearing in the entrance examination are formulated as per the guidelines laid down by the University in this regard. Candidates who are appearing in their respective qualifying examinations are also permitted to appear in the entrance examination. In the event of selection, however, their admission is subject to their passing and securing the prescribed percentage of marks in the qualifying examination and submission of all documents, including the final marksheet of the qualifying examination at the time of admission. The last date for admission to any programme of study is 14 August and no admission is permitted thereafter.

Viva-voce examination: Candidates seeking admission to M.Phil./Ph.D./Pre-Ph.D. programmes and MA programmes in foreign languages (other than English language) are required to appear for a viva-voce examination which is assigned 30% marks. Only those candidates are eligible to be called for viva-voce examination for admission to M. Phil/Ph. D./Pre-Ph. D. and M. A. (foreign languages) programmes of study who have secured a minimum of 35% and 25% marks,

respectively, in the written test. The percentage of marks is, however, 10% less in respect of candidates belonging to SC, ST and PC categories. The maximum number of candidates called for the viva-voce examination in each programme of study is normally not more than three times the number of seats approved by the Academic Council.

Selection of candidates: Separate merit lists are prepared for general category, SC, ST, PC and OBC candidates and foreign nationals for each course/programme of study. Final selection of candidates is made on the basis of their *inter se* merit in their respective categories based on their performance in the written test and viva-voce examination (wherever prescribed) and the score of deprivation points (wherever applicable).

Registration: The candidates who are selected for admission are required to complete all registration formalities within the time schedule drawn up by the university.

University Bodies

The University has certain regulatory bodies responsible for its functioning. These include the University Court, the Academic Council, the Executive Council and the Finance Committee.

University Court

The University Court is the supreme authority of the University and meets once in a year to consider Annual Report, Annual Accounts, Audited Reports and Budget of the University. It has powers to review the acts of the Executive Council and the Academic Council, save when these authorities have acted in accordance with the powers conferred upon them under the Act, the Statutes and the Ordinances of the University.

The last annual meeting of the University Court was held on 10 February, 2010. It received the Annual Report on the working of the University for the period 1 April, 2008 to 31 March, 2009 with a statement of receipts and expenditure and statement of assets and liabilities as audited for the financial year 2008-2009 and also the budget estimates for the financial year 2009-2010. In pursuance of the directive from the MHRD and UGC and the decision of the Finance Committee of the University, the annual accounts of the University have been prepared on the basis of accrual system of accounting.

The Vice-Chancellor, at the outset, on behalf of the University as well as on behalf of the members of the Court welcomed the Chancellor Prof. Yash Pal. The Vice-Chancellor also welcomed the members of Parliament and other distinguished members of the Court and officers.

The Chancellor extended his warm welcome to the members of the Court and requested the Vice-Chancellor to begin the proceedings of the meeting.

The Vice-Chancellor apprised the Court of the following developments in the University during the period under report from 1 April, 2008 to 31 March, 2009:

- A new hostel, Koyna-II, which has a 550 capacity, with state of art features like attached balcony, spacious rooms, furniture, solar heating, rainwater harvesting, separate gymnasium for girls and boys, common rooms and other facilities is expected to be completed very shortly.
- Construction of a residential complex with 112 dwelling units with 1500sq.ft carpet area each, for faculty and officers has been started.
- Introduction of direct Ph.D programme in Women Studies and Studies in Discrimination and Exclusion in the School of Social Sciences.
- Introduction of M.Phil/Ph.D programme in Tamil Language.
- Introduction of M.Phil/Ph.D in Film Studies, Performance Studies and Visual Art Studies in the School of Arts and Aesthetics.
- Introduction of new Ph.D programme in Computational Biology and Bioinformatics in the School of Information Technology (Now School of Computational and Integrative Sciences).
- New Chairs in the pipeline are Chairs on Punjabi, Assamese and Manipuri Languages in the School of Languages, Literature and Culture Studies.
- Creation of the following new Centres in the XIth Plan:
 - a). North East Studies Research Centre in the School of Social Sciences.
 - b). Media Research Centre in the School of Social Sciences.
 - c). Centre for the Studies of the Informal Economy in the School of Social Sciences.

- d). Special Centre for Nano Sciences.
 - e). Centre for Comparative Politics and Political Theory in the School of International Studies by upgrading the Group of Comparative Politics and Political Theory.
 - f) Centre for African Studies and Centre for West Asian Studies in the School of International Studies by bifurcating the existing Centre for West Asian and African Studies.
- Assent of the Court for the conferment of the title of Doctor of Philosophy (Honoris Causa) in terms of Statute 24 of the Statutes of the University on (i) Nobel Laureate Mr. Jean Marie Gustave Le Clezio; and (ii) Nobel Laureate Prof. C.N. Yang, who was awarded Nobel prize in physics.

Academic Council

The Academic Council is the academic authority of the University. The Academic Council controls and regulates and is responsible for maintenance of standards of instruction, education and examination in the University.

During the period of report, Academic Council met thrice i.e. on 21.4.2009, 25.11.2009 and 18/31.3.2010. The Council, besides deliberating upon various academic matters, nominated faculty members/experts on the Boards of Studies of the various Schools and Special Committees of the Science Schools/Special Centres. The Council also noted the factual data of admissions for various programmes of Studies in the University for the academic year 2009-2010. Some of the important matters approved by the Council in its aforesaid meetings are as under:

- a) Detailed syllabus alongwith list of reference books, list of Journals and List of e-books/ Journals of B.Tech. Programme, in (i) Electronics and Communication Engineering; and (ii) Mechanical Engineering to be introduced from June 2009 at Indian Naval Academy, Ezhimala.
- b) Enhanced the percentage of reservation of OBCs in admissions from 12% to 18% for the academic session 2009-10 and 18% to 27% from the academic session 2010-2011(excluding creamy layer)in terms of MHRD/ Supreme Court directives and consequential increase in the total number of seats.
- c) Fixation of fee of US\$15.00 to be charged from foreign employers seeking verification of educational documents of students.
- d) Revised syllabus of the Ph.D programme at National Institute of Plant Genome Research, New Delhi.
- e) Revised course structure and syllabus of the Pre-Ph.D Programme in computational Biology and Bio-informatics in the School of Information Technology (new name School of Computational and Integrative Sciences).

Executive Council

The Executive Council is the executive body of the University and is in-charge of the general management and administration of the University. During the period under report the Executive Council met thrice on 10.07.2009, 12.10.2009 and 12.01.2010. The Council deliberated upon various administrative and academic matters and took important decisions. The Council also considered and approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor on matters of urgent nature in exercise of the powers conferred upon him in terms of Statutes/Ordinances. The Council approved the recommendations of various Selection Committees for appointment of faculty members and Officers of the University. Some of the important decisions as approved by the Council during the period under report are as follows :

- Decided to appoint the following persons as adjunct Professors in the University, without any financial liability on the part of the University as per details given below :
 - a. Dr. P.S. Rao as adjunct Professor in the Centre for International Legal Studies, School of International Studies.
 - b. Dr. Harsha Vardhana Singh as adjunct Professor in the Centre for International Legal Studies, School of International Studies.

- Decided to entrust additional duties of Registrar on Professor V.K. Jain of the School of Environmental Sciences w.e.f. 31.1.2009(AN).
- Decided to approve the revision of pay scales for the posts of Vice Chancellor, Pro-Vice Chancellor, Registrar, Deputy Registrar, Assistant Registrar, Controller of Examination, Deputy Controller of Examination, Assistant Controller of Examination, Finance Officer, Deputy Finance Officer, Assistant Finance Officer, Librarian, Deputy Librarian, Assistant Librarian, Director of Physical Education, Deputy Director of Physical Education and Assistant Director of Physical Education as received from MHRD/UGC in this regard.
- Decided to approve the opening of cadre-wise reservation rosters for teaching posts (i.e. for Assistant Professor, Associate Professor and Professor in lieu of earlier reservation rosters for the same maintained by the University at School level/Centre level.
- Decided to approve the adoption of UGC Guidelines for Honorarium and TA/DA payable to official/non-official members/experts as received from UGC.
- Decided to approve the revision of pay scales of University teachers and equivalent cadres in the University on the recommendations of the Sixth Central Pay Commission as received from MHRD/UGC in this regard.

S. No.	Name of the post	Existing amount of honorarium/special pay	Revised amount of honorarium/special pay
1.	Dean of Students	Rs.1000/- p.m.	Rs.3500/- p.m.
2.	Associate Dean of Students	Rs.850/- p.m.	Rs.3000/-p.m.
3.	Provosts	Rs.750/-p.m.	Rs.2500/- p.m.
4.	Wardens	Rs.500/- p.m.	Rs.2000/- p.m.

- Decided to approve the UGC Guidelines for providing honorarium of Rs.15,000/- per month to the teachers who are Fellows of atleast two of the four specified Science Academies as received from UGC.
- Decided to approve the enhancement of rates of DA payable to students and teachers proceeding on field trip.
- Decided to approve the relaxation of 5% (i.e. from 55% to 50%) of marks at Master's level at par with SC/ST candidates to the physically and visually handicapped candidates for appointment as Professor, Reader, Lecturer as relieved from UGC.
- Decided to approve the revision of the amount of special pay/honorarium payable to Dean of Students, Associate Dean of Students/Provosts and Warden as per details given below.
- Decided to approve the recommendations of the Committee for empanelment of advocates of the University and also to dispense with the retainer fee being paid to the University Advocate.
- Decided that the Chair Professors be not considered for any administrative positions during the tenure of holding such positions as each chair was established with specific academic/research objectives.
- Decided to approve the instructions as received from Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance, OM F.No. 19024/1/2009-E.IV dated 13.7.2009 that in all cases of air travel, both domestic and international, where Gol bears the cost of air passage are required to travel only by Air India. However, the Vice-Chancellor is authorized to decide the cases of deviation from the orders issued by Gol on the merit of each case keeping in view the operational or other reasons or on account of non-availability of Air India flights to specific sectors abroad.

- Decided to approve the opening of a New Bank Account-DST PURSE PROGRAMME under the control of Finance Officer.
- Decided to approve creation of following Centres of Studies:
 - a). Centre for Comparative Politics and Political Theory in the School of International Studies by upgrading the existing Group of Comparative Politics and Political Theory.
 - b). North East Studies Research Centre in the School of Social Sciences.
 - c). Media Research Centre in the School of Social Sciences.
 - d). Special Centre for Nano Sciences.
 - e). Centre for the Studies of the Informal Economy in School of Social Sciences.
 - f). Centre for African Studies and Centre for West Asian Studies in the School of International Studies after bifurcating the existing Centre for West Asian and African Studies, School of International Studies.

Finance Committee

The Finance Committee is a statutory body of the University. It considers the Budget and Expenditure proposals, all proposals for new/additional posts, accounts of the University, the Audit Report and all other financial and accounting matters. It's recommendations go for approval to the Executive Council.

The Finance Committee approved the Revised Estimates of the University for 2009-2010 at the level of Rs.21439.75 lakhs net on 'Maintenance Account'.

School of Arts and Aesthetics

The School of Arts and Aesthetics (SAA) has emerged as a major national and international centre for the study of the arts in the fields of Visual Arts, Theatre and Performing Arts and Cinema Studies. The School attracts research students from all over the world.

The events and activities organised by the School during the year under review:

Cinema Studies

- Horrorscope – a festival of films on international horror organised as a Cinema Studies Workshop by the M.A Students, 26 – 28 February, 2010
- Talk by Ashish Rajadhyaksha, Senior Fellow, Centre for the Study of Culture and Society, Bangalore, “Territorial Realism: Film Spectatorship, Rights and a Very Bombay History”, 25 February, 2010
- Talk by Bhaskar Sarkar Professor of Film and Media Studies, University of California at Santa Barbara “Partition, Cinema, Mourning”, 7 February, 2010
- Talk by Kishwar Desai, Writter and Journalist, “Devika Rani and Himanshu Rai: The Rise and Fall of Bombay Talkies”, 28 January, 2010
- Talk by Greg Booth, Professor of Ethnomusicology, University of Auckland “Music and Film Production: India’s Culture Industries, 1970-1990”, 18 January, 2010
- Talk by Howard Besser, Director of New York University’s Moving Image Archiving and Preservation Program (MIAP) “Archival Material in Commercial Cinema”, 20 November, 2009
- Talk by Madhava Prasad, Professor EFLU, “The Languages We See: Considerations on Language Use in Indian Cinema”, 13 November, 2009
- Talk by Fullbright Visiting Scholar, Priya Jha “Remembering Nargis, Retelling Mother India: Criticism, Melodrama and National Mythmaking”, 30 October, 2009
- M.Phil students participated in Cinefan Osian’s International Film Festival, Siri Fort, 24-30 October, 2009
- Screening of Firaq based on the pogrom of Muslims in Gujarat, directed by Nandita Das. The Screening was followed by a discussion with the director. 11 September, 2009
- Field Trip to Sarai with M.Phil students for a panel discussion on “Celluloid and its Future”, September, 2009.
- Screening of The Other Song, a documentary by Saba Dewan. The film was followed by a discussion with the director. 21 August, 2009
- Workshop with Cinema Studies M.Phil Students on “Research Methods and the Archive” at the NFAI, June, 2009
- Field Trip with the M.Phil Students to the National Film Archive, Pune, June, 2009
- Professor Madhava Prasad (Monsoon 2009) and Veena Hariharan (Winter 2009) were invited as visiting faculty to teach Cinema Studies M.Phil Courses.
- Field Trip with 50 M.A and M.Phil Students to India Habitat Centre for a Discussion with Anurag Kashyap and Shyam Benegal, 10 April, 2009

Theatre and Performance Studies:

- Seminar on ‘The Courtesan’s Tale: female performers, reality and rhetoric in Mughal historical chronicles’ by Dr. Katherine Butler Brown at SAA auditorium. 21 August, 2009.
- Public talk by Prof Sue Ellen Case, Chair, Department of Theatre and Performance studies, UCLA on Digital Divas.
- Invited Prof Samik Bandopadhyay for M.Phil seminar on historiography for M.Phil students, October – November, 2010.

- World Dance Alliance International Conference on 'Re-searching dance' (November, 2009) at I.I.C. with over 50 delegates from all over the world.
- Public talk by Prof Partha Chatterjee on Sirajuddaulah and Bengali Theatre on 8 March, 2010.
- Colloquium with Warwick University on Research and Documentation in Theatre and Performance Studies: Strategic locations, disciplinary challenges, and critical dialogue, 31 March – 2 April 2010
- Practical theatre workshops by Maya Krishna Rao, Urmimala Sarkar and Saumyabrata Choudhury, 13 – 15 March, 2010
- Music workshop with Shanno Khuranna, on 1 March, 2010.
- Students productions : The Case of the 'Spider Women' (Dir. Kiran Pawar), 'White, Nights' (Dir: Suamyabrata Choudhury) and Strindberg's 'Dream Play' (Dir. Dare Klubb)
- 8 day Choreo-lab in collaboration with MMB and World dance Alliance, with six choreographers from Germany, Pakistan, Taiwan, Cambodia, and India. Dr. Rustom Bharucha and M.Phil students worked on the project 'performance as research' as facilitators and documenters, (21 – 28 November, 2009).
- M.Phil Students participated in a 5 day Documentation field trip (26 February - 2 March, 2010) in Jaisalmer and a ten day workshop (16 – 25 March, 2010) as a part of a project 'Documentation as Research' as a part of their M.Phil Course.

Visual Studies

- Susan Hapgood Public Lecture Curatorial Practices: Then and Now 15 January, 2010
- Questions and Dialogue – A Radical Manifesto – seminar around the practice of K P Krishnakumar and The Kerala Radical Group organised by the Office of Contemporary Art Norway, Oslo, CoLab Art and Architecture, Bangalore and School of Art and Aesthetics, JNU, New Delhi, SAA Library, 16 January, 2010
- Workshop on Radha: Her transformation from a Gopi to a Goddess, SAA Auditorium, 29 – 30 January, 2010
- The Waterhouse Exhibition, SAA Art Gallery, Old Building, 31 January, 2010
- Workshop conducted by Getty Distinguished Visiting Prof. Natalie Kampen of Columbia University on Current Work on Sexuality in Visual Culture, Class Room 102, Old Building, 1 – 2 February, 2010
- Public Lecture by Getty Distinguished Visiting Prof. Prof. Natalie Kampen – Once There was a Little Boy: Hero Portraits in Ancient Greece and Rome, SAA Auditorium, 4 February, 2010
- Talk by Carolyn Christov-Bakargiev, artistic director, Documenta 13 in collaboration with the Biennale Society/ TBS Dialogues at SAA Auditorium, 18 February, 2010
- Lecture by Ashish Rajadhyaksha, Senior Fellow, Centre for the Study of Culture and Society. Bangalore, on Art History's Elusive Subject, 5 pm. Class room, 101, Old Building, 24 February, 2010
- Lecture by Prof Edward S Cooke, Jr, Professor, Department of Art History, Yale University, on Rural Industry, Village Craft: The Politics of Modern Globalized Craft, SAA Auditorium, 26 March, 2010
- Between Kismet and Karma a lecture by Lin Holland, Head of Sculpture at Liverpool Hope University, UK, SAA Classroom, Old Building, 1 March, 2010

Visiting Faculty

- Invited Dr Dare Club, Associate Professor, School of Drama, University of Iowa, Iowa City, USA to teach an optional course and workshop on 'Text and Performance' culminating in the student production of Strindberg's *Dream Play*
- Invited Mazumdar Ranjani to teach a two week summer course on Film and the Historical Imagination at the Media Resource Centre, Jamia Milia Islamia, July, 2009

Workshops, Curations and Conferences Organised by the School

- **Mukherji, P D.**, organised a workshop on Archive of “Indian” Gestures in collaboration with N Pushpamala and Rahaab Allana from 10-14 August, 2009 at the School of Arts and Aesthetics under the aegis of SPEAR project.
- **Bhaskar Ira** Director of the Conference on Popular Cinemas of the Nehru Era, “Nehru Memorial Museum and Library, New Delhi on the occasion of the 120th birth anniversary of Jawaharlal Nehru, 23 – 24 November, 2009
- **Bhaskar Ira** Curator of the Film Festival “Popular Bombay Cinema of the Nehru Era,” on the occasion of the 120th Birth Anniversary of Jawaharlal Nehru at the Nehru Memorial Museum and Library, New Delhi, November, 2009.
- **Bhaskar Ira** Conceptualized and Organised the Cinema Panel, “Identity, Conflict and Pluralism: The alternate histories and imaginaries of cinema in South Asia,” for the National Conference on “Conflict, Belonging and Multi-Culturism in Literature and the Allied Arts,” Organised by Shri Venkateshwara College, Delhi University, 5 – 7 November, 2009.
- **Bhaskar Ira** *Conducted a Workshop on “The Wounds of History: Gender, Cinema and Social Healing / Reconciliation” at the “Open Frame” Workshop Sessions of the Public Service Broadcasting Trust (PSBT) Annual Film Festival for their sessions on “Peace and Conflict,” September, 2009*
- **Bhaskar Ira** Director of the “Understanding Cinema” Film Appreciation course at the Habitat Centre, August – September, 2009.
- **Bhaskar Ira** Organised a Panel Discussion with Film-maker Nishikant Kamath with his film Mumbai Meri Jaan for the “Understanding Cinema” Film Appreciation course at the Habitat Centre, August – September, 2009.
- **Bhaskar Ira** Co-organised a workshop for the Cinema Studies M.Phil Students on “Research Methods and the Archive”, held at the National Film Archive, Pune, June, 2009
- **Ahuja Naman P.**, and **Sawant Shukla**, “The Conquest of the World as Picture”, curated by Jyotindra Jain under the SPEAR Grant, 25 September – 24 October, 2009
- **Ahuja Naman P.**, and **Sawant Shukla**, The Waterhouse Albums’ An exhibition of Photographs of the Central Provinces, from the collection of the Alkazi Foundation, curated by Rahaab Allana under the SPEAR Grant, 12 – 31 January, 2010
- **Sawant Shukla**, Someone draws a flower on a wall beside a bed, curated by Alana Hunt, School of Arts and Aesthetics Galleries, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, 4 – 20 August, 2009
- **Sawant Shukla**, brand(e)scape - the changing sur(face) of the city a solo exhibition of photographs by Sreedeeep, 3 – 17 November, 2009
- **Sawant Shukla**, Mask-making Workshop for Students of School of Arts and Aesthetics (SPEAR Grant), SAA, JNU, 25-27 October 2009
- **Mazumdar Ranjani** Co-organised a workshop for the Cinema Studies M.Phil Students on “Research Methods and the Archive”, held at the National Film Archive, Pune, June, 2009
- **Mazumdar Ranjani** Organised with the M.A students, *Horrorscope* – a festival showcasing the genre of International Horror, JNU, February, 2010

Accomplishments of Students

- M.Phil students, Cinema Studies, Ipsita Sahu, Vebhuti Duggal and Kartik Nair were awarded the Junior Research Fellowship of the Media Resource Centre, Jamia Milia Islamia. The award was made to support their M.phil dissertation projects.
- Shirley Khoiram, MPhil Visual Studies student, received UGC-JRF fellowship.
- Ph.D student, Cinema Studies, Lawrence Liang was awarded a Fullbright Fellowship to pursue his dissertation writing.

Participation in National/International Conferences/Seminars/Workshops

- **Mukherji, P. D.**, presented a paper Rethinking Gender Issues in Indian Art at a workshop led by Prof Natalie Kampen, Getty Visiting Scholar around 'Current Work on Sexuality in Visual Culture' at the School of Arts and Aesthetics, JNU, on 1 February, 2010
- **Mukherji, P. D.**, presented a paper titled The Concept of Anuk[ti in Rasavâda in Abhinavabhâratî at a special session on A Return to Rasa: New Investigations into the Relationship of Indian Aesthetic (Rasa) Theory to the Visual Arts at an international conference organised by the College Art Association, CAA, Conference, Chicago, 11 February, 2010.
- **Mukherji, P. D.**, was a discussant at two panels- Part I and II on Ananda Coomaraswamy's Legacy and Influence on Twentieth-Century Art, at an international conference organised by the College Art Association, CAA, Conference at Chicago on 13 February, 2010.
- **Shivaprakash, H. S.**, Participated in Two-Day Workshop on South Indian Theatre organised by Indianostrum Theatre and Kalakshetra, Chennai at Alliace Francaise, Chennai
- **Shivaprakash, H. S.**, Read a paper on 'Karnataka Transformations of Tamil Shaivism' at International Tamil Conference in South Asian Dept, Trinity College, Toronto University, Toronto, Canada, May, 2009
- **Shivaprakash, H. S.**, Participated in Workshop on 'Representing India in Europe, at India House, Arnheim, the Netherlands, 11 – 15 June, 2009
- **Shivaprakash, H. S.**, Read a paper on 'Censorship or Responsibility?' at IFTR conference at Lisbon University, Lisbon, Portugal, July 2009
- **Shivaprakash, H. S.**, Participated in the celebrations and deliberations of twentieth anniversary of Osaka-in-the-World, Osaka, 25 – 30 November, 2009
- **Shivaprakash, H. S.**, Presented the paper, 'Mapping Devotion and Dissent in Dasa Tradition with Special Reference to Works of Kanakadas', at International Seminar on 'Devotion and Dissent in Indian Tradition', CHS, JNU on 12 March, 2010
- **Shivaprakash, H. S.**, Made a presentation on 'Silencing the Margins: Biases in Literary History and Translation, in Seminar on 'Indian and Cross-cultural Approaches to Marginality' at CES, JNU, 23 March, 2010
- **Shivaprakash, H. S.**, Made a presentation on 'Tribulations of Kannada Modernism' at International Theatre Workshop as part of on-going research collaboration between JNU and Warwick University, JNU, 31 March, 2010.
- **Singh Kavita**, Co-organizer, "Icons: Spectacle and Affect" as part of the Transcultural Visualty Reading Group, Cluster of Excellence, Heidelberg University. In Max Mueller Bhavan, New Delhi, 17 – 21 February, 2010
- **Singh Kavita**, Presented a paper at 'Truth and History in Indian Painting,' at Islamicate Cultures of Bombay Cinema, workshop, organised by Film Studies Department, New York University, Abu Dhabi, 19 - 20 March, 2010.
- **Singh Kavita**, Presented a paper, 'Myth on the Wall,' in My Favorite Levi Strauss, organised by SSS JNU, French Embassy, New Delhi; 13 January, 2010
- **Singh, Kavita** Presented a paper "Congress of Kings: Notes on Paintings of Kings Having Sex" at a workshop led by Prof. Natalie Kampen, Getty Visiting Scholar on 1 February, 2010 around 'Current Work on Sexuality in Visual Culture' at the School of Arts and Aesthetics, JNU
- **Dutt Bishnupriya**, International conference on ' Silent Voices, Forbidden Lives' at Lisbon University, Portugal, the annual conference of the International Federation for Theatre Research'. (Participated in Feminist Working group with paper on 'Histories in dialogue with actresses' and general panel 'smaller events, smaller resistances'. July, 2009.
- **Dutt Bishnupriya**, National Conference on 'Theatre Writing and Writing on Theatre' organised by ISTR (Indian Society for Theatre Research), at Anant Gujarat December, 2009

- **Ahuja Naman P.** presented a paper 'Exploring Paradigms for Interpreting Post-Mauryan Erotic Imagery' at a workshop led by Prof Natalie Kampen, Getty Visiting Scholar around 'Current Work on Sexuality in Visual Culture' at the School of Arts and Aesthetics, JNU, on 1 February, 2010
- **Ahuja Naman P.** participant in a panel discussion at National Gallery of Modern Art under the heading 'Art+Collecting' for the Young Presidents Organisation (YPO) with Melissa Chiu (Asia Society, New York) and James Sevier (Sotheby's, London)
- **Sawant Shukla**, Chair for session on New Problems for Seminar: Role (s) of Critical Text in Contemporary Art Practice. Kastubh Auditorium, Lalit Kala Academy New Delhi, 20 November, 2009
- **Sawant Shukla**, Moderator for panel discussion on ART21- Transformations, at SAA, JNU, in collaboration with Foundation for Indian Contemporary Art (FICA) Participants Maya Rao, Anita Dube, 24 October, 2009
- **Sawant Shukla**, Moderator for Panel Discussion on preservation, archiving, collecting and space for photography in India. Panelists: Ute Eskildsen, Curator, Vice-Director, Museum Folkwang, Essen; Gayatri Sinha, Art Critic and Curator; Devika Daulat Singh, Director, PHOTOINK Gallery, Sunil Gupta, Photographer; Radhika Singh, Director, Fotomedia, Max Mueller Bhavan / Goethe Institute, New Delhi, 25 August, 2009
- **Sawant Shukla**, India Art Summit 2009, International Speakers' Forum Moderator for the session The Role of the Gallery - The View from the Street with Arun Vadehra Director, Vadehra Art Gallery, Shireen Gandhi, Director, Chemould Prescott Road, Michelle D' Souza, Director, Lisson Gallery, Renu Modi, Director, Gallery Espace, Sharan Apparao Director, Apparao Galleries, Thomas Erben, Director, Thomas Erben Gallery, 20 August, 2009
- **Sawant Shukla**, "Interruptive and Assimilative Public Arts Practices", paper delivered for seminar on Public Art organised by Lalit Kala Akademi, New Delhi and Desire Machine Collective, Periferry, Guwahati, Assam, 30 March, 2010.
- **Sawant Shukla**, "Artists collectives in the age of anxiety", for the colloquium on Artists' Collectives organised by Devi Art Foundation as a part of the exhibition 'One Year Drawing Project', 31 October, 2009
- **Sawant Shukla**, Panelist for session Expectations from a Critique with Amit Mukhopadhaya, and Sunil Gupta, in the Seminar: Role (s) of Critical Text in Contemporary Art Practice. Kastubh Auditorium, Lalit Kala Academy New Delhi, organised by Art Konsult and Lalit Kala Akademi, 20 November, 2009
- **Sawant Shukla**, Panelist for panel discussion on "Landscape in Indian Art", with Prof. B. N. Goswamy, Gulammohammed Sheikh, Nikhileshwar Sen, Paramjit Singh, Raghu Rai, Shridharani Gallery, New Delhi, 20 February, 2010
- **Alone Y. S.**, Chaired one session in the Seminar on 'East-West: Mapping the encounter-Past and Present', organised by Department of Art History and Aesthetics, Faculty of Fine Arts, M.S. University, Baroda. 2010
- **Alone, Y. S.**, UGC national seminar on "See-Saw: Context of Spectatorship", organised by S. N. School of Fine Arts, Hyderabad Central University, Hyderabad, title of the paper "Beholder & Public Domain: The Other Side of Spectatorship", 25 – 27 February, 2010
- **Alone, Y. S.**, UGC national seminar on "East-West: Mapping the encounter-Past and Present", title of the paper 'Seeing Past and Present: The Early Encounters', 4 – 6 March, 2010.
- **Alone, Y. S.**, UGC-ICHR national seminar on "Dalit Movements in India", organised by Programme for Social Exclusion and Discrimination Studies, School of Social Sciences, JNU, New Delhi, title of paper 'Contextualising Neo-Buddhist Imagery', 24 – 26 March, 2010.
- **Alone, Y. S.**, National workshop on "Issues of Marginalities", organised by Ashley Tellis and Department of Sociology, Delhi University, Delhi, title of paper 'Historical reconstruction of out caste', 25 March, 2010
- **Mazumdar, Ranjani** "Film Travel and Research" delivered at a workshop on "Film Circulation", Society for Cinema and Media Studies, Los Angeles, March 2010

- **Mazumdar, Ranjani** “Travel Economies of 1960’s Bombay Cinema”, at the Indian Cinema symposium organised jointly by Kings College, SOAS and University of Westminster, London, March 2010
- **Mazumdar, Ranjani** “Friction on the Edge of Contemporary Bombay Cinema”, delivered at the Centre for South Asian Studies, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, December, 2009
- **Mazumdar, Ranjani** “Global Travel Eroticism and Love in 1960’s Bombay Cinema”, Public talk delivered at New York University, November, 2009
- **Mazumdar, Ranjani** “Travel, Tourism and Cinema” at the University of IOWA, December, 2009
- **Mazumdar, Ranjani** “Event Management, Liveness and the New Circuits of Film Stardom”, at the conference Indian Cinema Circuits: Diasporas, Peripheries and Beyond, London, June 2009
- **Mazumdar, Ranjani** Key note address at the two day national conference on Mumbai in Literature, Art and Film organised by the Department of English and Mass Media, Sophia College, along with the Sophia Centre for Women’s Studies and Development, Bombay, January, 2010
- **Bhaskar, Ira** “Sufism, the Qawwali and the Bombay film song: The Imaginal and Affective landscape of Divine/ Human Love”, at a symposium on “Indian Cinema Studies: Bollywood and Beyond”, organised by The Screen Studies Group, King’s College, London University, University of Westminster and the School of Oriental and African Studies, London, 12 March, 2010
- **Bhaskar, Ira** “Radha: Mythopoeic and affective implications and resonances for Hindustani cinema” at the workshop on “Radha: Transformation from Gopi to Goddess”, at the School of Arts and Aesthetics, JNU, 29 – 30 January, 2010
- **Bhaskar, Ira** “Trauma, Melodrama and the Production of Historical Affect”, at a conference on “Film Melodrama Revisited”, at the University of Brussels, 24 – 27 November, 2009
- **Bhaskar, Ira** “New imaginaries of Self-hood: Genre Shifts in the Muslim Social of the Nehru era”, at the conference on “Popular Cinemas of the Nehru Era”, Nehru Memorial Museum and Library, New Delhi, 23 November, 2009
- **Bhaskar, Ira** “Trauma and Contemporary Bombay Cinema”, at the panel discussion for the workshop on “Making Sense of History: A Mental Health Perspective”, at the Nehru Memorial Museum and Library, New Delhi, 9 November, 2009
- **Bhaskar, Ira** “Trauma, Memory and the alternate imaginaries of Belonging”, at the national conference on “Conflict, Belonging and Multi-Culturism in Literature and the Allied Arts”, organised by Shri Venkateshwara College, Delhi University, 5 – 7 November, 2009
- **Bhaskar, Ira** “Prejudice and Conciliation: Focus on Bombay Cinema”, at the 7th Annual Conflict Transformation workshop “Seeking Peace in Changing Worlds: Conflict Transformation and the Geopolitics of Power”, organised by Wiscomp (Women in Security, Conflict Management and Peace), New Delhi, 22 – 26 May, 2009

Lectures Delivered (Outside JNU)

- **Mukherji, P. D.**, A panelist on Dialogue Picasso in association with the Picasso Suite Vollard exhibition, Cervantes Institute, Delhi, 18 December, 2009.
- **Mukherji, P. D.**, “Introduction to Indian Aesthetics” at Jnanapravaha, Mumbai, 10 January, 2010.
- **Shivaprakash, H. S.**, Delivered valedictory address at National Conference on Sufi and Sharana Traditions at Deccan Central University of Karnataka, Gulbarga, March, 2010
- **Shivaprakash, H. S.**, Delivered the Key Note Address at the national seminar on “Dynamics of South Indian Theatre”, Department of Performing Arts, Central University, Pondichery, 27 March, 2010
- **Shivaprakash, H. S.**, Delivered the valedictory address at the national seminar on “Contemporary Kannada Theatre” at the Department of Theatre Bangalore University, Bangalore, 28 March, 2010.
- **Singh Kavita**, ‘Indian Painting: The Courtly Traditions’, Three day lecture series, conducted at Mohile Parikh Centre for the Visual Arts, Mumbai, 14 – 16 April, 2009.

- **Singh Kavita**, 'At Home with my Maharaja: Palace Museums and Maharaja Tourism in India.' Public lecture at the Clark Art Institute, Massachusetts, USA, on 26 July, 2009.
- **Singh Kavita**, "National Identity and National Museums", invited lecture at Jnanapravaha, Mumbai, 24 November, 2009
- **Singh Kavita**, "Holocaust Museums and memories of trauma", invited lecture at Jnanapravaha, Mumbai, 24 November, 2009.
- **Alone Y. S.**, Lectures on 1. 'Buddhism in India' 2. 'Buddhism Outside India' 3. Ajanta: a site lecture for guide training programme of INTACH–UNESCO, New Delhi at Department of History and Museum, BAMU, Aurangabad, 16-18 August, 2009
- **Alone Y. S.**, Lecture on 'Understanding Contemporary Expressions' organised by Department of Photo Journalism and Visual Communication, Institute of Professional Studies, University of Allahabad, 21 October, 2009.
- **Alone Y. S.**, Lecture on 'Contemporary Expressions: Issues and Perspectives' organised by Department of Visual Studies, University of Allahabad, 22 October, 2009
- **Alone Y. S.**, Lecture on 'Ajanta's early Mahayana Chronology' organised by Department of Ancient Indian History, Culture and Archaeology', University of Allahabad, October, 2009
- **Alone Y. S.**, Lecture on 'Constructing Visuality as Conflicting Paradigm' organised by Department of History, BAMU, Aurangabad, 17 February, 2010
- **Dutt Bishnupriya**, Conducted a month long course at School for Theatre, performance and Cultural Policy studies at University of Warwick, UK on Performing the Post Colonial: Construction of Identities in Transition for MAIPR international Masters Programme co taught with Yvette Hutchinson. November, 2009
- **Dutt Bishnupriya**, A public talk at School for Theatre, performance and Cultural Policy studies at University of Warwick, UK on Women in the Jatra, 4 November, 2009
- **Dutt Bishnupriya**, Public talk at Lancaster University, Department of Theatre on Contemporary Dialogues with Histories: State of Political Theatre in India. 8 November, 2009
- **Ahuja Naman P.** Panelist and lecture on the Links between the architectural traditions of Gothic Mediterranean and India in association with The Gothic Med exhibition, Cervantes Institute, Delhi, 14 September, 2009.
- **Ahuja Naman P.** 'Introduction to Buddhist Art', SOAS, London University, 1 October, 2009.
- **Ahuja Naman P.** 'Early History of India' and 'Mauryan Art'. SOAS, London University, 5 October, 2009
- **Ahuja Naman P.** 'Early Indian Shrines, Yakshas and the rise of Image Worship' SOAS, London University, 6 October, 2009
- **Ahuja Naman P.** 'Kushan Mathura and Kushan Gandhara', SOAS, London University, 7 October, 2009
- **Ahuja Naman P.** 'Gupta Sculpture', SOAS, London University, 13 October, 2009.
- **Ahuja Naman P.** 'Indian Terracottas: New Discoveries, New Questions' Public Lecture delivered under the auspices of the Indian Art Circle SOAS, London University, 14 October, 2009
- **Ahuja Naman P.** 'Aesthetic Theories and Indian Literature' SOAS, London University, 26 October, 2009.
- **Ahuja Naman P.** Public Lecture: 'Portraiture and the Performance of the Self' Asia House, London, 27 October, 2009
- **Ahuja Naman P.** Public Lecture: 'The History of the Art of the Book in India', CMYK Bookstore, Delhi, 16 December, 2009.
- **Ahuja Naman P.** 'Defending Art', 50th National Defence College Course, Delhi, 7 January 2010
- **Ahuja Naman P.** 'A Pantheon Rediscovered: New Research on Ancient Indian Terracottas, Ivories and Wooden sculptures' The R. C. Sharma Memorial lecture, Jnanapravaha, Varanasi, 6 February, 2010

- **Ahuja Naman P.** “Ancient Indian Terracottas: a course in six lectures” at Jnanapravaha, Mumbai, 17 – 19 February, 2010.
- **Mazumdar Ranjani** Discussant and interlocutor for six days of conversations with six filmmakers and their crew. This was part of the New Stream Section of the *Cinefan*, International Festival, Osians, Siri Fort, October, 2009
- **Mazumdar Ranjani** Panelist for a discussion on Celluloid and its Future, Sarai, September, 2009
- **Mazumdar Ranjani** Language and Cinema, lecture delivered at the Understanding Cinema Course of the India Habitat Centre, August, 2009
- **Mazumdar Ranjani** Two Double Lectures on Genre and the Cinematic City at the Annual Film Appreciation Course of the Film and Television Institute, Pune, June 2009
- **Mazumdar Ranjani** Chair and discussant for a conversation with filmmakers, Anurag Kashyap and Shyam Benegal, at the *Turning Point* series, India Habitat Centre, April, 2009
- **Bhaskar Ira**, Invited Lecture on “Women and Visual Culture: India” on 2 March, 2010 for the Certificate Course on “Narrating Women’s Lives – Canada and India” organised by Kamala Nehru College and Concordia University Montreal, February –March, 2010.
- **Bhaskar Ira**, 2 Hour conversation about his body of work with Film-maker Supriyo Sen at the “Persistence Resistance Film Festival of Contemporary Political Films”, India International Centre, 27 February, 2010
- **Bhaskar Ira**, *Introduction and Discussion of Mehboob Khan’s Mother India for the Festival accompanying the conference on “Film Melodrama Revisited,” at the University of Brussels, 24 – 27 November, 2009.*
- **Bhaskar Ira**, “Yash Chopra’s Critique of Hindu Communalism: Dharmputra” at the Inaugural Session of the Film Festival “Popular Bombay Cinema of the Nehru Era,” on the occasion of the 120th Birth Anniversary of Jawaharlal Nehru at the Nehru Memorial Museum and Library, New Delhi, November, 2009.
- **Bhaskar Ira**, *Introduction and Discussion of Yash Chopra’s Dharmputra and Raj Kapoor’s Shree 420 for the Film Festival “Popular Bombay Cinema of the Nehru Era,” on the occasion of the 120th Birth Anniversary of Jawaharlal Nehru at the Nehru Memorial Museum and Library, New Delhi, November, 2009.*
- **Bhaskar Ira**, *Book discussion on Islamicate Cultures of Bombay Cinema, at the Cinema Studies Department, New York University, New York, 16 October, 2009*
- **Bhaskar Ira**, *Invited Presentation with Richard Allen on our book Islamicate Cultures of Bombay Cinema, at the Kevorkian Center for Middle-Eastern and Islamic Studies, New York University, New York, 12 October, 2009*
- **Bhaskar Ira**, Lectures and Film discussions on “Authorship”, “Ritwik Ghatak and Art Cinema Melodrama” and Discussions of High Noon, Meghe Dhaka Tara, Edge of Heaven and Mumbai Meri Jaan at the Understanding Cinema Course of the India Habitat Centre, August-September, 2009.
- **Bhaskar Ira**, Conversation with Film-Maker Kamal Haasan at the Inauguration of his Retrospective at the India Habitat Centre, August, 2009
- **Bhaskar Ira**, *Co-Presentation with Richard Allen at the Book Launch of our book, Islamicate Cultures of Bombay Cinema (Tulika Books 2009), India Habitat Center, July, 2009.*
- **Bhaskar Ira**, Two Double Lectures on “Melodrama: Forms, Histories, Genre” and “The Cinema of Ritwik Ghatak” at the Annual Film Appreciation Course of the Film and Television Institute, Pune, June 2009

Awards/Honors/Fellowships

- **Singh Kavita**, Summer Fellowship, Sterling and Francine Clark Art Institute, Williamstown, Massachusetts, USA (August and September 2009)
- **Ahuja Naman P.** Awarded a Fellowship at the Nehru Memorial Museum and Library (NMML) from March 2010-March 2011.

- **Bhaskar Ira** Awarded a 2 year Fellowship at the Nehru Memorial Museum and Library (NMML) from January 2010- January 2012.

Members of Boards/ Committees (Outside JNU)

- **Mukherji, P. D.**, Member of the editorial board of the Journal of World Art; Member of the editorial board of the Journal of Contemporary Thought; Member of the BOS, Faculty of Fine Arts, M S University, Baroda; Member of the College Art Association, USA.; and Nominated as Delegate at Large (India) on the Executive Board of the International Association of Aesthetics
- **Singh Kavita**, South Asia Correspondent, Journal of Material Religion; Convenor, Getty Grant for Distinguished Visiting Professor Project, as part of the Getty Foundation's 'Connecting Art Histories' project; Member, High Level Vision Committee for the Bicentenary Celebration of Indian Museum, Kolkata, appointed by the Board of Trustees of the Indian Museum; Member, Curatorial Advisory Committee Salar Jang Museum, Hyderabad; Chairperson, Art History Teaching and Resources Trust, Bangalore; Member, Advisory Board, de Arte, Visual Arts Journal of the University of South Africa Press; and Member, Transcultural Visuality Learning Group at the Cluster of Excellence "Asia and Europe in a Global Context", University of Heidelberg
- **Alone Y. S.**, Advisor for NCERT text book of class-XI- History of Indian Arts; Invited as a part of Consultation Committee, India House, Amsterdam, Netherland; Member of editorial board, 'The Journal of South Asian Archaeology'; Member, Indian Society for Pre –Historic and Quaternary Studies; Member, Society of South Asian Archaeology, Pune; Member, Logo election Committee, Gujrat Central University, Ahmadabad, December, 2009; and SC nominee for selection committee of Bhakta Phulsingh Mahila Vishvavidyalay, Khanpur Kala, Sonapat, Haryana.
- **Ahuja Naman P.** Fellow, The Royal Asiatic Society, UK; Member of South Asian Studies, British Academy, UK; and Member of Board of Governors, Religare Arts Initiative, Delhi.
- **Shukla Sawant** Member of the Board of Studies of North Eastern Hill University, Shillong, Meghalaya; Member of the Board of Studies Mahatma Gandhi Institute, Moka , Mauritius till June, 2010; Member Library Committee, IGNSA, New Delhi; Member of expert group for open and distance learning, School of Performing and Visual Arts (SOPVA). Indira Gandhi National Open University, Maidan Garhi, New Delhi, 21 and 22 January, 2010; Jury Member of Selection Committee for Artist in residence programme Pro Helvetia (Swiss Arts Council), New Delhi, 2009, 2010; Jury Member for the Research Grant of the Lalit Kala Akademi, New Delhi 2010; and Jury Member for the Sanskriti Foundation UNESCO Aschberg Grant 2010
- **Mazumdar Ranjani** Member of the International Advisory Board of the India Media Centre, University of Westminster, London, U.K; Member of the Society for Cinema and Media Studies, U.S.A; Contributing Editor for BIOSCOPE Journal of South Asian Screen Studies, Sage Publications; Member of the Delhi School of Sociology International Ethnographic Film Festival Advisory Committee (DIEFF); **Member of Film Short Listing Committee of Doordarshan**; English and Foreign languages University (EFLU), Hyderabad, 2010; and Mass Communication Research Centre, Jamia Milia Islamia, 2010
- **Bhaskar Ira** Jury Member at the Osians Cinefan, International Film Festival, Osians, Siri Fort, October, 2009; Member of the Advisory Board and the Preview Committee, Film Festival on Art and Artists, Jatin Das Centre for the Arts, New Delhi and Bhubaneshwar; **Member of Film Short Listing Committee of Doordarshan; Member of the Preview Committee for the International Film Festival of India held annually at Goa; Member of the Society for Cinema and Media Studies (U.S.A);** and M.Phil Thesis on "Censorship and Cinema" for the Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, July 2009.

Any Other Information

- **Singh Kavita**, Brought in Distinguished Visiting Professorship grant for the department, from the Getty Foundation USA. Worth \$290,000 over three years.
- **Alone Y. S.**, Site Study Workshop for PhD/MPhil/ MA Visual Studies for Ajanta, Ellora, Aurangabad, Pitalkhora and Ghatotkach caves in Maharashtra from 8 – 17 February, 2010.

- **Ahuja Naman P.**, field trip with M Phil and PhD students to study Satavahana minor antiquities and cave architecture in Maharashtra, including the sites of Sholapur, Ter, Latur, Kharosa, Kolhapur, Khidrapur, Tuljapur, Pune, Junnar, Aurangabad, 20 February – 7 March, 2010
- **Mazumdar Ranjani**, Manuscript Reviewer for; Palgrave Macmillan; Sage Publications; Routledge; Oxford University Press; and **Duke University Press**
- **Bhaskar Ira** Manuscript Reviewer for The Journal *South Asian Popular Culture*

School of Biotechnology

Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU), New Delhi was one of the first six Universities in India to initiate a Postgraduate teaching and research programme in the field of Biotechnology in 1985. Since 1985, it was running as the Special Centre for Biotechnology (CBT) under the joint sponsorship of the University Grants Commission (UGC) and the Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Ministry of Science and Technology, Government of India. To begin with, it was started to initiate Biotechnology education programme with an impetus to generate a workforce that could turn into a substantially trained pool to meet the country's demands. Considering the growth of Biotechnology at an international level, its applications in general spheres of life and the significant contributions made by the faculty of the Centre for Biotechnology, the Executive Council of JNU resolved to elevate the status of the Special Centre for Biotechnology to that of a School of Biotechnology (SBT) in 2006. Over the years, Biotechnology programme at JNU has established itself as a leading academic programme both from the teaching and research points of view. The faculty of the School is internationally recognized for their contribution to basic and applied aspects of Biotechnology research.

Research Specializations Offered

- Molecular Biology of Infectious Diseases
- Immunology of Infectious diseases
- Transcription and Human Biology
- Transcription control and Gene regulation
- Protein Stability, conformation and folding
- Bioprocess monitoring and modeling of recombinant cultures; Metabolic engineering and scale up of recombinant proteins
- Molecular Biophysics, Structural and Computational Biology
- Biochemical Engineering
- Virus mediated signal transduction
- Molecular Cell Biology
- Recombinant DNA Technology and Cell Biology of genetic disorders

Research Facilities

The School has “state-of-the-art” instrumentation facilities which are excellent for training in the modern areas of biological sciences. These include:

- Central Instrumentation Facility
- Recombinant Product Development Facility of GLP standard
- Spectroscopic Facility
- Microcalorimetric Facility
- Microscopic Facility
- Protein production and purification Facility
- Biosafety Level 3 Facility

Seminars Organised by the School

- Dr. Uttam Kumar Samanta, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, University of Delaware, USA, “Role of LpPLA2 in Human Health – Structural Insight” 16 April, 2009.

- Dr. Surojit Paul, Assistant Professor Department of Neurology University of New Mexico Albuquerque, NM, “Neuronal Signaling through tyrosine phosphatases: one step at a time”, delivered on 27 July, 2009.
- Prof. A. Surolia, Director, National Institute of Immunology, New Delhi, “A novel molecule to treat Demyelinating disorders”, delivered lecture under SBT Seminar Series on 28 August, 2009.
- Dr. Vinay Bansal, Professor and Head Department of Pharmacy JIITU, Noida, U.P., “New Drug Discovery: A Science or Luck”, 4 September, 2009.
- Dr. Saibal Chatterjee, Department of Epigenetics Friederich Miescher Institute for Biomedical Research Switzerland, “Life and Death of micro RNA”, 18 September, 2009.
- Dr. Rajesh Mishra, Centre for Biotechnology, University of Allahabad, Allahabad, “Amyloid proteins and diseases”, 22 September, 2009.
- Prof. R. Gadagkar, JC Bose National Fellow, Centre for Ecological Sciences, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, “Understanding an Insect Society”, delivered lecture under SBT Seminar Series on 14 October, 2009.
- Dr. Dipak Datta, Department of Medicine, Children’s Hospital Boston and Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA, USA, “Pro – tumorigenic Signals of Calcineurin Inhibitors: Beyond Immunosuppression”, 29 October, 2009.
- Dr. Aruna Vashishta, Kentucky Spinal Cord Injury Research Centre, Department of Neurological Surgery University of Louisville, Louisville, USA, “NEAT mediated survival of cortical neurons”, 7 December, 2009.
- Prof. Victor van Hinsbergh, Director, VU University Medical Centre Amsterdam, The Netherlands, “Role of Hypoxia and circulating cells in Angiogenesis in the Heart”, delivered lecture under SBT Seminar Series on 15 December, 2009.
- Dr. Tejram Sahu, Institute Pasteur Biologie et genetique du paludisme 28 rue du Docteur Roux 75724 Paris, France, “Role of ZIP proteins in liver stage development of *Plasmodium verghei*”, 16 December, 2009.
- Prof. Vitor A.P. Martins dos Santos, Chair for Systems and Synthetic Biology Wageningen University, The Netherlands, “**From Systems to Synthetic Biology: Streamlining and Reprogramming Cellular Behaviour**”, delivered on 6 January, 2010.
- Dr. Shivram Chintalapati, Sigma Aldrich Business Unit Manager Sigma Life Sciences, Bangaluru, India, “ZFN Technology for Targeted Genomic Editing”, delivered on 15 February, 2010.
- Mr. Udit Mangal, Product Specialist Imperial Life Sciences (p) Ltd. Gurgaon, Haryana, “Transfection by Amaxa Nucleofection Technology”, delivered on 25 February, 2010.
- Dr. Sarat K. Dalai, Walter Reed Army Institute of Research, Department of Immunology, Division of Malaria Vaccine Development Silver Spring Maryland, U.S.A., “Regulation of Memory T Cells and Protracted Immunity to Malaria”, delivered lecture on 15 March, 2010.
- Dr. Sanjib Bhakta, Senior Lecturer in Microbiology and Fellow of the Higher Education Academy Birbeck University of London, U.K., “Identification and validation of novel therapeutic targets in Mycobacterium tuberculosis-molecular genetics to chemical biology”, delivered on 19 March, 2010.
- Dr. S. Ramakrishnan, Assistant Professor TERI, New Delhi, “*Helicobacter pylori*: Riddles wrapped in mystery inside an enigma”, delivered on 26 March, 2010.

Conferences Organised by the School

- A two days Conference “BioEpoch 2009”, during 3–4 April, 2009.
- The Second Annual Conference “BioEpoch 2010”, during 18–19 February, 2010.

Visitors to the School

- Prof. Johan Meijer, Department of Molecular Cell Biology, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences, Uppsala, Sweden visited on 8 December, 2009 for collaboration and student exchange at M.Sc. and Ph.D. levels.

- Prof. Airi Palva, Head of the Department of Basic Veterinary Medicine, and Prof. Johanna Björkroth (Vice-Rector) accompanied by Dr. Ravi Kant, Helsinki University Finland, visited the School on 15 January, 2010 for general discussions.
- Prof. Farhad Rahbar, President, University of Teheran, Iran, Prof. Ali Akbar Saboury, along with other delegates on 9 February, 2010.
- Prof. Ghauth Jasmon, Vice Chancellor, Prof. Mohd. Sofian Azirun, Dean, Faculty of Science, Prof. Dr. Mohd. Hamdi Bin Abd. Shukor, Dean Faculty of Engineering, Prof. Dr. Ikram Shah Bin Ismail, Dean Faculty of Medicine, University of Malaya, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia on 2 March, 2010.
- Inga Bostad, Pro-Rector University of Oslo, Norway, Prof. Mortnn Daehlan and Prof. Karen Crawshaw Johansen visited the School on 3 March, 2010.

Participation in National/International Conferences/Seminars/Workshops

- **Bhatnagar R.**, Participated in the 50th AMI Conference, Pune, and delivered the lectures, from 15-18 December, 2009
- **Bhatnagar R.**, Participated in the 3rd Global Vaccine Congress in Singapore, and delivered the lectures, from 4-6 October, 2009.
- **Bhat R.**, “How does solvent environment affect the stability, refolding and aggregation of proteins?” National Centre for Biological Sciences, Bangaluru, 17 December, 2009.
- **Bhat R.**, “Unraveling solvent effects on protein structure and stability using spectroscopic and calorimetric tools”, Interdisciplinary Science Conference- 2009: Interface between Chemistry and Biology, Centre for Interdisciplinary Research in Basic Sciences, Jamia Millia Islamia, 8 October, 2009.
- **Bhat R.**, “Protein structure and folding: New insights”, Workshop on Proteomics, Genomics and Bioinformatics, Supercomputing facility for Bioinformatics (SCFBio), IIT Delhi, 3 October, 2009.
- **Bhat R.**, Solvent effect on protein stability and aggregation, School of Chemistry, University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad, 10 September, 2009.
- **Bhat R.**, Interdisciplinary Science Conference -2009: Interface between Chemistry and Biology, Centre for Interdisciplinary Research in Basic Sciences, Jamia Millia Islamia, 8 October, 2009 (Session Chairman)
- **Bhat R.**, “Correlation between solvent-mediated thermodynamic stability of proteins and refolding efficacy”, Gordon Research Conference on Proteins, Holderness School, New Hampshire, USA, 21-26 June, 2009
- **Aparna Dixit**, Keshav Gopal, Nutan Srivastava, Deepika Dayal Mathur, and Lalit C. Garg “Regulatory role of c-terminal region of epsilon toxin of Clostridium perfringens”. Presented in the international conference on “Understanding and Managing Pathogenic Microbes”, IMTECH, Chandigarh, India held on 22-24 January, 2010.
- **Dixit A.**, Attended and participated in the symposium entitled “Type 2 diabetes: From molecular insights to therapeutic intervention” held at Hyderabad, India; jointly organised by the Institute of Life Sciences and Merck, 18-20 September, 2009
- **Dixit A.** and Shivani Agarwal “Transcriptional upregulation of potent oncogene, c-jun: Role of the translocated promoter region protein (Tpr) and its potential as structure/mechanism based inhibitor for development of novel cancer therapeutics”. Presented at the National Biotechnology Conference organised by the American Association of Pharmaceutical Scientists (AAPS) meeting held at Seattle, WA, USA, 21- 24 June, 2009
- **Rajala M.S.**, Participated and delivered the lecture entitled “Mutated Kinases- drug targets for cancer” Department of Biotechnology, Jamia Milia Islamia University on 24 October, 2009
- **Rajala M.S.**, Refresher Course at Academic Staff College, JNU- 27 July – 21 August, 2009.
- **Rajala M.S.**, Science Festival – School of Life Sciences, JNU, 22-23 February, 2010

- **Tiwari S.**, “Cell communication in animals”. Lecture delivered at Consortium for Educational Communication, UGC, New Delhi.
- **Arya R.**, Grover, S., Sharma, V., Kumari, R., and Tembhurne P, “Cloning and expression of human GNE in Dictyostelium discoideum”. 2nd Annual conference Bioepoch 2010, School of Biotechnology, JNU 18-19 February, 2010.
- **Arya R.**, 11th Referresher Course in Biotechnology organised by the Academic Staff College, University Grants Commission, JNU, from 27 July, 2009 – 21 August, 2009
- **Arya R.**, Vigyan Jyoti Shivir (Vijyoshi) Camp in JNU, 13-15 October, 2009
- **Arya R.**, Advanced Instrument Research Facility workshop on confocal microscopy 7th Biospectrum Award Nite, Bangaluru, 22 December, 2009
- **Arya R.**, Fifth Sat Paul Memorial Lecture in SAA, JNU, on 27 January, 2010
- **Arya R.**, International symposium on “Endocrinology and Reproduction: Molecular Mechanisms to Molecular Medicine” and the 28th meeting of the Society for Reproductive Biology and Comparative Endocrinology, 4 – 6 February, 2010.
- **Arya R.**, JNU Science Festival, SLS, JNU, 22-23 February, 2010
- **Arya R.**, 13th Transcription assembly scientific meeting, SLS, 26-27 February, 2010
- **Arya R.**, RGCON 2nd International conference, India Habitat Centre, 26 March, 2010

Awards/ Honors/Fellowships

- **Maitra S.S.**, Life member of the Indian Institute of Chemical Engineers (LM35976).

Members of Boards/ Committees (Outside JNU)

- **Rakesh Bhatnagar**, Editor, Indian Journal of Biotechnology; Editor, Indian Journal of Microbiology; Reviewer, Infection and Immunity; Reviewer, Applied Microbiology and Biotechnology; Reviewer, Achiever of Microbiology; Reviewer Molecular Pharmacology; Reviewer, Archives of Biochemistry and Biophysics; Reviewer, FASEB Journal; Life Member, Indian Immunology Society; Life Member, Biotechnology Society of India; Executive Member, All India Biotech Association, New Delhi; Member, Teaching Advisory Committee, AIIMS New Delhi; Member, American Society for Cell Biology; Member, American Society of Microbiology; Member, Inter Disciplinary Research Committee; Member, Search-cum-selection Committee for the award of Association ship for specialized Training of Young Scientists in Niche Areas of Biotechnology; Member Infectious Disease Task Force, Department of Biotechnology, New Delhi; Member, DBT-UGC taskforce on Human Resource Development, Department of Biotechnology, New Delhi; Member, Screening Committee, Centre for Cellular and Molecular Biology; Member, Advisory Committee, Sri Venkateswara College, University of Delhi; Member, Editorial Board of Journal, Recent patents on Biotechnology; Reviewer, Vaccine; Member, Committee for M.Tech Syllabus in Bioinformatics, Delhi Technological University; Chairman, TePP Out Reach Centre(TUC) Monitoring Committee; and Member, Governing Body, Ram Lal Anand College, University of Delhi
- **Rajiv Bhat**, Member of the Board of Studies of Centre for Interdisciplinary Research in Basic Sciences, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi; Member, Academic Committee, ICGEB, New Delhi; Member, Finance Committee, NII, New Delhi; Member, Staff Selection Committee, NII, New Delhi; Member Staff Selection Committee, UNESCO-DBT Regional Centre for Biotechnology, New Delhi; Member Doctoral Committees at NII, New Delhi, IIT Delhi and AIIMS, New Delhi; Member Indo-German task force for collaborative research projects, DBT, New Delhi; Member, Jury for BioSpectrum awards 2009; and Member Indo-US Science and Technology Forum (IUSSTF-DBT) Khorana Fellowship Award Committee.
- **Aparna Dixit**, Member, Committee for the preparation of a detailed project report for establishing a “National Institute of Marine Biotechnology”, Department of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science and Technology, New Delhi; Member

Expert, Project Monitoring Committee to assess the project under Small Business Industry Research Initiative, conducted by Biotechnology Consortium India Limited on behalf of the Department of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science and Technology, New Delhi; Member, Task force on Aquaculture and Marine Biotechnology, Department of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science and Technology, New Delhi; Member, **Scientific Advisory Committee on Resource-specific network programme**, Department of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science and Technology, New Delhi; Member Expert, Quinquennial Review Team of the Central Institute of Freshwater Aquaculture, Bhubaneswar, under the auspices of the Indian Council of Agricultural Research, New Delhi; Member Expert, Area Review Panel (ARP) for Biotechnology Industrial Partnership Programme (BIPP), Department of Biotechnology, New Delhi; Member Expert, Research Advisory Committee (RAC), National Bureau of Fish Genetic Resources (NBFGR), Lucknow; Member Expert, Research Advisory Committee (RAC), Central Institute of Freshwater Aquaculture (ICAR) Kausalyaganga, Bhubaneswar; Member Expert, Advisory Committee, M.Sc. Biotechnology programme, University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad; Member Expert, Advisory Board for the M.Sc. programme in Molecular and Human Genetics, Department of Molecular and Human Genetics, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi; Member Expert, Scientific and Research Advisory Committee (SRAC), Department of Biotechnology and Molecular Medicine, Pt. B. D. Sharma Post Graduate Institute of Medical Sciences, University of Health Sciences, Rohtak; Member Expert, Screening Committee to screen proposals for post graduate teaching courses in biotechnology and short term training courses, Department of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science and Technology, New Delhi; Member, Board of Studies for the School of Biotechnology, Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University, Delhi; Member, Expert Committee of the M.Sc. programme in Bioinformatics and Biotechnology, Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi; Member, Expert Committee to evaluate research/symposia/seminar/conferences proposals University Grants Commission, New Delhi; Member, Himachal Pradesh University, General Administration Section, Shimla; External Expert Member, Project Selection Committees, National Institute of Immunology, Aruna Asaf Ali Marg, New Delhi; Member, Society of Biological Chemists, India; Member, Indian Women Scientists Association; and Member, Society of Cell Biology, India; Reviewer, *In silico Biology*; *Biochimica Biophysica Acta – Proteins and Proteomics*; *Molecular Biology Reports*; *Journal of Medicinal Plants Research*; *Journal of Cellular Biochemistry*; and *Journal of Cellular Physiology*.

School of Computer and Systems Sciences

Established in 1975, the School of Computer and Systems Sciences is among the first few institutions in the country to offer the MCA degree. The School also offers Masters' and Research programmes leading to degrees in M.Tech. (M.Phil.) and Ph.D. in the areas of computer science. Some of the very best and most talented students from all over the country come to our portal. The steady increase in the number of applicants for admissions clearly indicates the prestige, reputation and popularity of the courses of the school. This trend is also reflected in the case of admission seekers from neighbouring and other foreign countries as well. Besides the teaching and research programmes of the School, the School has been engaging methods and ways to stimulate research further and enhance the learning skills of the students by organizing International Conference and National Seminar-cum-Technical Festival respectively.

International Conference

The School of Computer and Systems Sciences organized its First two-day International Conference on Methods and Models in Computer Science (ICM2CS) December 14-15, 2009 at Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi. This was the fourth conference organized by the school after the success of three national conferences organized in last three years. The aim of conference has been to provide a forum for interaction among Academicians, Researchers and Industry Professional in the area of computer science and enable discussion and sharing of ideas on advancements in methods and models in computer science and related disciplines. The research papers were invited from the following themes: Artificial Intelligence and Pattern Recognition, Computational Models and Applications, Data and Knowledge Management, Networks and Communication, Parallel and Distributed Computing, and Software Engineering. ICM2CS, 2009 received 432 research papers from India and abroad. These papers went through a blind review process after which 62 papers were accepted for regular presentation and publication in the conference proceedings. The conference proceeding was also accepted for publication by IEEE conference publications program. The technical sessions were preceded by invited talks of eminent academicians (Prof. Mohan S. Kankanhalli, Prof. Subhasis Banerjee, Prof. Manish Gupta, Prof Pankaj Jalote, Prof. Sandeep Juneja and Prog. Anurag Kumar). The conference was attended by a large number of students, researchers, industry professional and academicians with full enthusiasm.

National Seminar-cum-Technical Festival: Technophilia

The School also organized Technophilia, for the benefit of the students preparing themselves for the Industry, from 30-31 January 2010. It was the third in the series of technical festivals organized by the School. Professor T. Viswanathan, Distinguished Professor gave key-note address on 3G Technology and Wireless Communication in the trends and development in wireless communication. Participants from 20 reputed Institutes such as IIT Rourkee, IIT Delhi, IIC, Delhi University, Jamia Milia Islamia, Jamia Hamdard benefited from the Seminar. Some competitive events were also the attraction of the festival where in all 39 teams were able to test their threshold of knowledge and caliber from industry perspective. The festival focused on Programming in C++ Language on Linux Platform, Technical Quiz, Debugging Challenge, Website Designing, Algorithm Designing, Puzzle Contest and some exciting non technical events including LAN Gaming.

Participation in National/International Conferences/Seminars/Workshops

- **Karmeshu** National workshop on “Dynamical System: Analysis and Applications (NWCTP-DSAA-2009)”, organised by Department of Mathematics and DST-Centre for Interdisciplinary Mathematical Sciences (CIMS) Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, 26 – 27 October, 2009.
- **Karmeshu** National seminar on Recent Trends in Operational Research and its Computational Challenges, held at University of Kolkata, 17 – 18 November, 2009.
- **Karmeshu** National seminar on Recent Trends in Operational Research and its Computational Challenges, held at University of Kolkata, 17 – 18 November, 2009.

- **Karmeshu** Joint international conference on Applied Systems Research and XXXIII National Systems Conference (ASR-NSC 2009), Plenary Talk held at Dayalbagh Educational Institute, Dayalbagh, Agra, 27 – 29 November, 2009.
- **Karmeshu** National workshop on Mathematical Modeling, held at Centre for Mathematical Sciences, Banasthali University, 15 – 19 December, 2009.
- **Bharadwaj K. K.**, National conference on Mathematical Techniques : Emerging Paradigms for Electronics and IT Industries (MATEIT-2010), Forum for Interdisciplinary Applications in Sciences (FiDAS), Deen Dayal Upadhyaya College, University of Delhi, New Delhi, 30 – 31 January, 2010
- **Balasundaram S.**, Third national conference on Mathematical Techniques: Emerging Paradigms for Electronics and IT Industries (MATEIT-2010), Deen Dayal Upadhyaya College , University of Delhi , New Delhi , 30 – 31 January, 2010.
- **Balasundaram S.**, Second international conference on “Machine Learning and Computing”, Bangalore, India, 9 – 10 February, 2010
- **Minz Sonajharia** First International workshop on “Rough Set Theory” (RST09), Milano, Italy, 25 – 27 May, 2009
- **Minz Sonajharia** International workshop on “Rough Sets, Fuzzy Sets and Soft Computing: Theory and Applications”, Pune, India, 7 – 8 July, 2009
- **Minz Sonajharia** National conference on “Computational Mathematics and Soft Computing,” Chennai, India, 24 – 25 July, 2009
- **Minz Sonajharia** National seminar on “Christian Faith in a World of Science and Technology: Challenges and Opportunities,” Pune, India, 18 – 20 August, 2009
- **Minz Sonajharia** National conference on “Data Mining and its Applications,” Madurai, India, 9–10 December, 2009
- **Minz Sonajharia** 8th international symposium is on “Science-Religion Dialogue in the World of Nanoscience: The Encounter between the Mastery of Science and the Mystery of Religion,” Lonavla, India, 1 – 5, January, 2010
- **Minz Sonajharia** One day deminar on “Lives of Dalit and Tribal Women in Contemporary India,” Sarojini Naidu Centre for Women’s Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, India, 4 March, 2010
- **Vidarthi D. P.**, National Conference on Advanced Computing and Communication Technology, ABES Engineering College, Ghaziabad. 6 – 7 February, 2009
- **Vijay Kumar, T. V.**, International conference on Quality, Reliability and Infocom Technology (ICQRIT-2009), Delhi, 18 – 20 December, 2009
- **Vijay Kumar, T. V.**, International Joint Conference on Information and Communication Technology (IJCICT-2010), Bhubaneswar, Orissa, 9 – 10 January, 2010
- **Vijay Kumar, T. V.**, International conference on Data Storage and Data Engineering (DSDE-2010), Bangalore, 9 – 10 February, 2010
- **Vijay Kumar, T. V.**, International conference on Business and IT (ICBIRD-2010), Ghaziabad, 25 – 26 February, 2010
- **Vijay Kumar, T. V.**, International conference on Data Management (ICDM-2010), Ghaziabad, 11 – 12 March, 2010
- **Sharan, Aditi**, International conference on Information Management and Engineering (ICIME 2009), Kuala Lumpur, 3 – 5 April, 2009
- **Sharan, Aditi**, International conference on Applied System and Research, Dayalbagh, Agra, 27 – 29 November, 2009
- **Sharan, Aditi**, International joint conference on Information Communication and Technology (IJICT, 2010), Bhubaneswar, 9 – 10 January, 2010

Lectures Delivered (Outside JNU)

- **Karmeshu** “Mathematical Modelling (Four Lectures)” in the national workshop on “Dynamical System: Analysis and Applications (NWCTP-DSAA-2009)”, organised by Department of Mathematics and DST-Centre for Interdisciplinary Mathematical Sciences (CIMS) Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, 26 – 27 October, 2009.
- **Karmeshu** “Communication Network: Performance Issues”, in the national seminar on Recent Trends in Operational Research and its Computational Challenges, held at University of Kolkata, 17 – 18 November, 2009.
- **Karmeshu** Chair: talk on “Trends in Operations Research”, National Seminar on Recent Trends in Operational Research and its Computational Challenges, held at University of Kolkata, 17 – 18 November, 2009.
- **Karmeshu** “Stochasticity and Nonlinearity in Modelling of Social Systems” ASR-NSC 2009, Joint international conference on Applied Systems Research and XXXIII National Systems Conference, Plenary Talk, at Dayalbagh Educational Institute, Dayalbagh, Agra, 27 – 29 November, 2009.
- **Karmeshu** “System Modeling: Deterministic and Stochastic Frameworks”, in the national workshop on Mathematical Modeling, held at Centre for Mathematical Sciences, Banasthali University, 15 – 19 December, 2009.
- **Bharadwaj, K. K.**, “Web Recommender Systems”, Invited Talk, in the National Conference on Mathematical Techniques: Emerging Paradigms for Electronics and IT Industries (MATEIT-2010), Forum for Interdisciplinary Applications in Sciences (FiDAS), Deen Dayal Upadhyaya College, University of Delhi, New Delhi, 30 – 31 January, 2010
- **Bharadwaj, K. K.**, “Web Recommender Systems”, Extension Lecture, at Department of Computer Science, Faculty of Natural Sciences, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 2 March, 2010
- **Balasundaram S.**, “On the Study of Lagrangian Support Vector Regression”, Invited Talk, in Third National Conference on Mathematical Techniques: Emerging Paradigms for Electronics and IT Industries (MATEIT-2010), Deen Dayal Upadhyaya College, University of Delhi, New Delhi, January, 2010.
- **Minz Sonajharia**, ‘Classification and Prediction: A Data Mining Task’, Summer School on Machine Learning and Soft Computing Techniques, DRDO, New Delhi, April, 2009
- **Minz Sonajharia**, “Data Preprocessing and Discretization Techniques”, Winter School NCAP, New Delhi, October, 2009
- **Minz Sonajharia**, “Knowledge Processing”, Winter School NCAP, New Delhi, October, 2009
- **Minz Sonajharia**, “Rough sets and Granular Computing approach for Mining (Real) Data”, International Workshop on “Rough Sets, Fuzzy Sets and Soft Computing: Theory and Applications”, Pune, India, July, 2009
- **Minz Sonajharia**, “Rough Sets and Granular Computing”, National Conference on Computational Mathematics and Soft Computing, Chennai, India, July, 2009
- **Minz Sonajharia**, “Christian Ethics in the Cyber World”, at the National Seminar on “Christian Faith in a World of Science and Technology: Challenges and Opportunities”, Pune, India, August, 2009
- **Minz Sonajharia**, “Soft Computing Trends and Data Mining”, at SGGSC College, DU, New Delhi, September, 2009
- **Minz Sonajharia**, “Data Mining Tasks”, Key Note Address, at National Conference on Data Mining and its Applications 9 – 10 December, 2009
- **Minz Sonajharia**, “A Science-Religion Engagement in Nano-Informatics Framework”, in the 8th International Symposium is on “Science-Religion Dialogue in the World of Nanoscience: The Encounter between the Mastery of Science and the Mystery of Religion”, Lonavla, India, January, 2010
- **Minz Sonajharia**, “Adivasi Woman at the Cross roads: Demands and Challenges”, One Day Seminar on “Lives of Dalit and Tribal Women in Contemporary India”, Sarojini Naidu Centre for Women’s Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, India, March, 2010

- **Lobiyal D.K.**, “Energy Conservation in Ad Hoc Networks”, Lecture, at the MCA Department, Krishna Institute of Engineering and Technology, Gaziabad, UP on 16 November, 2009
- **Lobiyal D.K.**, “Mobile Ad Hoc Networks”, Lecture, in Refresher Course in Computer Science at Academic Staff College, University of Delhi on 20 November, 2009.
- **Lobiyal D.K.**, “Power Control in Ad Hoc Networks”, Lecture, in the Refresher Course in Computer Science at Academic Staff College, University of Delhi on 20 November, 2009.
- **Lobiyal D.K.**, “2-D Structure Prediction using NLP Techniques”, Lecture, in the conference Bioinformatics at Agriculture Research Institute, ICAR Delhi on 22 December, 2009.
- **Lobiyal D.K.**, “Performance of Data link Layer Protocol”, Lecture to the participants of Faculty Development Programme on Innovative and Effective Teaching Methodology for Computer Network” conduct by Ajay Kumar Garg Engineering College, UP Technical University, Noida Gaziabad, 19 January, 2010.
- **Lobiyal D.K.**, “Mobile Ad Hoc Networks” at Computer Science department, Lecture, in ASD College, University of Delhi on 15 February, 2010.
- **Vidyarthi D. P.**, “Computer Design: Past, Present and Future”, Orientation Program in Role of ICT Technologies in Education, Academic Staff College, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi (UP), 8 June, 2009.
- **Vidyarthi D. P.**, “Multicore Systems: An Overview”, Refresher Course in Computer Science, Delhi University, Delhi, 5 January, 2010
- **Vidyarthi D. P.**, “Genetic Algorithms and its Applications”, Faculty Development Program on Soft Computing techniques and its Engineering Applications, Madhav Institute of Technology and Sciences, Gwalior, 3 January, 2010.
- **Vidyarthi D. P.**, “Modified Genetic Algorithm”, National Conference on Advanced Computing and Communication Technology, ABES Engineering College, Ghaziabad. 6 – 7 February, 2009
- **Vidyarthi D. P.**, “Multi-Core Machines: An Overview”, Lecture, at Delhi Institute of Engineering and Technology, Merut on 20 February, 2010
- **Agrawal R. K.**, “Data Mining Techniques”, lecture at CDAC Mohali, December, 2009
- **Agrawal R. K.**, “Support Vector Machine and its application to pattern recognition problems”, NCAP, Winter School, Pusa Road, New Delhi, October, 2009
- **Agrawal R. K.**, “Feature Selection and Extraction”, lecture at CPDHE, Delhi University, Delhi, January, 2010
- **Agrawal R. K.**, “Numerical Techniques”, lecture at CPDHE, Delhi University, Delhi, March, 2010
- **Agrawal R. K.**, “Feature Selection and Extraction”, workshop at DRDO, Delhi, May, 2009
- **Agrawal R. K.**, “Steganography Techniques”, seminar at Keshav Mahavidyalaya, Delhi University, Delhi, February, 2010
- **Vijay Kumar T. V.**, “Databases”, “RDBMS”, “Distributed Databases”, “Data Warehousing”, “On-Line Analytical Processing” and “Data Mining”, Session Lectures, in the Specialized Training Programme on Forestry and Information Technology for IT/Computer Scientists at ICFRE/FRI, Dehradun, Uttarakhand, December, 2009
- **Vijay Kumar T. V.**, “Distributed Databases” and “Data Warehousing and Integration”, Lectures, in the Refresher Course in Computer Science conducted by Centre for Professional Development in Higher Education (CPDHE), University of Delhi, January, 2010
- **Vijay Kumar T. V.**, “Role of Computer Science in Management”, Invited talk, Interscience Institute of Management and Technology, Bhubaneswar, Orissa, January, 2010
- **Vijay Kumar T. V.**, “Data Warehousing and Data Mining”, Lecture, at Delhi Institute of Engineering and Technology, Merut, February, 2010
- **Vijay Kumar T. V.**, “Advances in Database System”, Lecture, at Institute of Technology and Science, Ghaziabad, March, 2010

Awards/Honors/Fellowships

- **Minz Sonajharia**, (with Rajni Jain, and Subramanian V.) Best paper award for the paper, “Machine Learning for Forewarning Crop Disease”, in Journal of Indian Society of Agricultural Statistics, Vol. 63, No. 1, April, 2009, pp 97 -107

Membership of Boards/Committees (Outside JNU)

- **Karmeshu** Chairman, Governing Body, Bhaskaracharya College of Applied Sciences, University of Delhi; Chairman, Committee for Research in Mathematical Sciences, (CSIR), Delhi; Member, Standing Committee, National Mission on Education through ICT, MHRD; and Member, Senate Committee, IIT(R), Roorkee.
- **Bharadwaj K. K.**, Board of Studies Member, Department of Computer Science, Faculty of Natural Sciences, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi.
- **Vidyarthi D. P.**, Member, Editorial Board, International Journal of Computer Science and Technology (ISSN 0973-3019) from Researchways Intellectual Forum; Member, Editorial Board, Research Journal Telecommunication and Information Technology (ISSN 1816-2738) from INSInet Publications; Member, International Society of Research in Science and Technology (ISRST), USA; Member, International Association of Computer Science and Information Technology (IACSIT), Singapore (Senior); Member, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE); Member, International Program Committee, International Conference on High Performance Computing, Network and Communication Systems, July, 10-14, 2009, Orlando, USA.; Member, International Program Committee, 24th International Symposium on Computer and Information Sciences, 14-16 September, 2009, Northern Cyprus Campus; Member, International Program Committee, Workshop on Information System in Distributed Environment Held in conjunction with OTM'09, 1–6 November, 2009, Vilamoura, Algarve-Portugal; and External Expert Member, Shri Lal Bahadur Shastri Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeth, New Delhi.
- **Agrawal R. K.**, Member, Project Review and Steering Group for the project at CDAC Mohali; Member, Project Review and Steering Group for the project at Tezpur University; Member, Project Review and Steering Group for the project at Mizoram University; Member, Organizing Committee, Third International Conference on Pattern Recognition and Machine Intelligence, New Delhi; Member, Program Committee, I-CARE: IBM-IRL Collaborative Academia Research Exchange, IBM India Research Lab, New Delhi; Member, Academic Standing Committee, Central University of Rajasthan; and External Expert Member, Shri Lal Bahadur Shastri Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeth, New Delhi.
- **Sharan, Aditi**, Member Board of Studies, Studies, Science Faculty, Dayalbagh Educational Institute, Agra; and Member Academic Standing Committee, Central University, Rajasthan

School of Environmental Sciences

The School of Environmental Sciences, established in 1974, offers M.Sc., and M. Phil./Ph.D Programmes in Environmental Sciences. The School is truly multi-disciplinary in character focusing on physical, chemical, geological and biological components of the environment. The faculty (10 Professors, 6 Associate Professors and 7 Assistant Professors) have diversified interests and specializations required for understanding various earth, atmospheric, and biological processes and their interactions affecting development of mankind. During the year, Professor P.S. Ramakrishnan and Professor Kasturi Datta continued to be associated with the School as Indian National Science Academy Senior Scientists and Professor V. Subramanian as UGC Scientist.

The research activities of the School are broadly divided into four areas:

Area – I: With focus on Theoretical Physics, Non-linear dynamics, Mathematical Physics, Astrophysics, Interaction of Electro magnetic radiations and ultrasound with biological systems, Plasma Physics, Noise Pollution and Energy, in relation to environment

Area – II: With focus on geological, geophysical and geochemical processes, Glaciology, Biogeochemical cycling, Application of remote sensing/GIS techniques in environmental studies, Hydrology, Earth Resources management.

Area – III: With focus on environmental pollution, chemical dimensions of climate change and human health, biofuels and biorefineries, soil chemistry and environmental management.

Area – IV: With focus on organism-environment interactions at all levels, ranging from molecular and cellular level through individuals and populations, extending to communities and the whole ecosystems, biological and human dimensions of global environmental changes.

The School is distinguished for implementing national programmes like UGC sponsored special assistance programme (SAP)/ DSA/ DRS programmes, FIST programme sponsored by the DST and the ENVIS centre sponsored by the Ministry of Environment and Forests, Government of India. Academic activities of the faculties have been recognised both nationally and internationally and several of them are recipients of prestigious awards and fellowships of national and international Science Academies and organisations. Several faculty members are part of various committees constituted by the central and state governments.

Various research projects of faculty members have been funded by governmental and intergovernmental agencies such as DST, DBT, DOD, UGC, ICMR, CSIR, MOEF, Global Environment Facility, UNESCO, NIC, DTRL, MOWR and others. The School has set up a Central Instrumental Facility (CIF) housing many state of the art of analytical instruments. The details of the activities and achievements of the School during 2009 – 2010 are given below;

Technology Developed

- **Thakur I.S.** Technology developed for production of bioethanol from the sugar cane bagasse waste of medium scale pulp and paper mill.
- **Thakur I.S.** Biosurfactants containing bioinsecticides from carbon concentrating bacteria *Staphylococcus hominis*.

Patents: Claim Submitted

- **Thakur I.S.** Biological processes for production of bioethanol from bagasse of pulp and paper mill effluent (yet to submit).
- **Thakur I.S.** Process and production of biosurfactants having bioinsecticidal properties by carbon concentrating bacteria *Staphylococcus hominis*.

Papers in Proceedings

- **Umesh Kulshrestha**, Dentener Frank, Bob Vet, Robbin Dennis, Corinne Galy-Lacaux, Du Enzai. Progress in monitoring and modeling estimates of N deposition at local, regional and global scales. Background paper presented in a workshop on N deposition and Critical Loads, 16-18 November, 2009. Edingburgh, U K.

- **Kulshrestha U. C.** and Kulshrestha Monika Characterization of carbonaceous aerosols: Indian perspective. Proceedings of International Conference RAEP 2009 at Agra organised by St. John's College Agra, 17-19 December, 2009.
- **Kulshrestha U C,** Monika J Kulshrestha, J Satyanarayana and L AK Reddy: Atmospheric deposition of reactive nitrogen in India. Proceedings of workshop on N deposition and Critical Loads, 16-18 November, 2009, Edingburgh, UK.
- **Kulshrestha U. C.** and Kulshrestha Monika. Atmospheric dust in India – A natural geo-engineering tool to combat climate change. Proceedings of International Conference RAEP 2009 at Agra organised by St John's College Agra, 17-19 December, 2009.
- **Mukherjee S.** 'Geological Information System in Rainwater Harvesting' in Proceedings of the International Conference of Rainwater Harvesting held at Kanpur IIT, India, 23-25 November, 2009
- **Ramanathan A. L.,** Arsenic Contamination of Ground Water in Nepal – An Overview "Managing water in a changing world". Proceedings of the International Conference IGUTORINO 2009 hosted by the Commission for Water Sustainability International Geographical Union (IGU) Torino, Italy, 27-31 July, 2009.
- **Ramanathan A. L.,** Impact of climate change on the melt water of the Chotta Shigri Glacier and Nature of dissolved metal load in Mangroves of India. Proceedings of the International Congress on Water Resources, 2009 held at Lankawi, Malaysia, 26-27 May, 2009.
- **Saxena, K.G.,** Building on traditional farming systems for biodiversity conservation and climate change adaptation and mitigation. National Academy of Agricultural Sciences (NAAS) News, Volume 9 (October-December), 4-8, 2009.
- **Saxena, K.G.** and Rao, K. S., Climate change, biodiversity and livelihood in Indian Himalaya: the elements of uncertainty and diverse perceptions. In: Proceedings of National Seminar on Climate Change: Data Requirements and Availability. Edited by S. Nautiyal and B.P. Nayak, Institute of Social and Economic Change, Bangaluru. 2009

Invited Talks

- **Bhattacharya S.,** Delivered invited talk on 'Retrotransposable elements in the E. histolytica genome: Tracking the transposition of a single active copy' during the 4th US-India Joint Research Training on Intracellular Pathogens Workshop held at The International Centre, Goa. 2-7 February, 2010
- **Bhattacharya S.,** Delivered an invited talk on 'The ribosomal DNA locus of Entamoeba histolytica encodes a novel non-coding RNA that accumulates during growth stress' as part of a 'Conference on Infectious Diseases: Novel Strategies for Design and Development of Drugs and Vaccines' held at the Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, Mumbai. 5-8 January, 2010
- **Bhattacharya S.,** Delivered an invited talk on 'Transcription of ribosomal RNA genes in Entamoeba histolytica under stress' during Guha Research Conference held at Ullal, Mangalore, 19-23 December, 2009
- **Bhattacharya S.,** Delivered an invited talk on 'Accumulation of stress-induced non coding spacer transcript from the rDNA locus of Enatmoeba histolytica' during a UGC Network Programme workshop on Non coding RNA (7 November, 2009) held at JNU, New Delhi.
- **Kulshrestha U. C.,** Delivered an invited talk on 'Air pollution in Indian region' as an expert during Air Pollution Management India Programme organised by the Swedish Meteorology and Hydrology Institute (SMHI), Sweden at Pune, 1-6 February, 2010.
- **Kulshrestha U. C.,** Delivered an invited talk on 'Air Pollution in India: Recent Challenges and Targets Ahead' during the World Environment Day Seminar at Doon University, Dehradun, 5-6 June, 2009.
- **Kulshrestha U. C.,** Delivered an invited talk on 'Atmospheric deposition of reactive nitrogen in India' during an international workshop on N deposition and Critical Loads, Edinburgh, UK., 16-18 November, 2009

- **Kulshrestha U. C.**, Delivered an invited talk on 'Atmospheric soil dust in India- A natural geo-engineering tool to combat climate change' during International Conference RAEP 2009 at Agra organised by St John's College Agra, 17-19 December, 2009.
- **Kulshrestha U. C.**, Delivered an invited talk on 'Atmospheric soil dust deposition in India – A natural geo-engineering tool' at Academic Staff College, JNU, New Delhi, 20 April, 2009.
- **Kulshrestha U. C.**, Delivered an invited talk on 'Climate change and business opportunities' during an international seminar on Climate and business held at the Technia Institute New Delhi, 29-30 January, 2010.
- **Kulshrestha U. C.**, Delivered an invited talk on 'Environmental Disasters and Importance of Ambient Air Monitoring – Pre, During and Post Disasters' at the Academic Staff College, JNU, New Delhi, 22 April, 2009.
- **Kulshrestha U. C.**, Delivered an invited talk on 'Scientific importance of Yagna and Agnihotra in the atmosphere' during Vishwa 2009 conference at Mumbai. 18-20 December, 2009
- **Kulshrestha U. C.**, Delivered talk on "Sampling and Analysis of Air Pollutants" and "Scavenging of Aerosols and Gaseous Species from the Atmosphere" during SERC, School on Atmospheric Chemistry at NPL, New Delhi, 8 – 9 March, 2010.
- **Mohan D.**, Delivered the inaugural/invited lecture on "Bio-oil Production from Biomass and Biorefineries" at Kirorimal College, Delhi University on 16 September, 2009.
- **Mohan D.**, Delivered invited lecture on 'Wastewater Treatment Generated in Sugar, Distillery and Paper Industries: Current Status and Future Trends' in a seminar on 'Environmental Pollution and Climate Change' held on World Environment Day at the Doon University, Dehradun, Uttarakhand, India during 5-6 June, 2009
- **Mohan D.**, Delivered an invited lecture on 'Novel Magnetic Extractants for Removal of Contaminants from Water' at JNU Science Festival at JNU, New Delhi, 22-23 February, 2010.
- **Mohan D.**, Delivered the plenary/invited lecture on 'Biomass fast pyrolysis and bio-oil based refineries' and chaired a session on "Fossil Economy to Biomass Economy-Opportunities and Challenges" in the IIP Golden Jubilee Symposium held at the Indian Institute of Petroleum Dehradun, Uttarakhand, India during 19 June -21 August, 2009
- **Mukherjee S.**, Delivered the key note address on 'Geological Information System in Rainwater Harvesting' during the International Conference of Rainwater Harvesting held at Kanpur IIT, India, 23-25 November, 2009.
- **Raju N J.**, Delivered a series of lectures on Hydrogeology in the Department of Geology, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, during 19-23 October 2009.
- **Raju N J.**, Delivered talks in UGC Orientation course on 15 April 2009.
- **Ramanathan A.L.**, Delivered an invited talk on 'Nutrient dynamics in mangrove ecosystems' during JNU Science Festival, JNU, New Delhi, 22-23 February, 2010
- **Ramanathan A.L.**, Delivered an invited talk on 'Climate change impact on mangrove ecosystems' in the National Symposium on Impact of Climate change on Aquatic Ecosystems sponsored by the Cochin University of Science and Technology, Cochin, MoEs and Kerala state science and technology, from 18 -19 February, 2010
- **Ramanathan A.L.**, Delivered a talk during a brain storming meeting on 'The Himalayan Climate and Galciers' at IIT Delhi, 15-16 February, 2010.
- **Ramanathan A.L.**, Delivered an invited special lecture on 'Long term hydro chemical variations trends and its implication on water utility in Cauvery basin' during a national seminar on 'Frontier Areas of Research and Teaching in Geosciences with Special Reference to Cauvery Basin', Department of Geography, Bharathidasan University and UGC., 26-28 February, 2010
- **Ramanathan A.L.**, Delivered an invited talk in the workshop on 'Proxies for Climate Change Studies', organised by Ministry of Earth Sciences (MoES) and Department of Marine Sciences, Goa University, 8-13 March, 2010

- **Ramanathan A.L.**, Delivered an invited talk on 'Glacial hazards in the Himalayan region' during a national workshop on Geostatistics Based Natural Resources Disaster Mitigation and Management (GEO DIMMS 2010), at the Department of Industries and Earth Sciences, Tamil University, Thanjavur, sponsored by MoEs Government of India, 22-26 February, 2010
- **Ramanathan A.L.**, Delivered invited talk on 'How did the ground water acquire its chemistry/quality by natural geochemical process' in the training programme on "Application of Hydrogeochemical Modeling in Water Research", Annamalai University and BARC., 1-5 March, 2010

Seminars/Conferences Organised

- **Behari J.** Organised a workshop cum symposium on 'Nanoscience: Theory and Applications', and 'Microwaves: Principles and Applications' at JNU, New Delhi, on 5-7 November, 2009.
- **Raju N J.** Organised a short-term training programme on GIS application on Hydrogeology and Environmental Geology in the School of Environmental Sciences, JNU 16-18 February, 2010.
- **Ramanathan A. L.** Organised DST 6th Meeting of the Working Group for Establishment of National Centre for Himalayan Glaciology, 29 - 30 March, 2010.
- **Ramanathan A. L.** Organised DST sponsored national conference on 'Scientific strategies for protection and preservation of wetlands in India' held at JNU, 11–12 January, 2010.
- **Ramanathan A. L.** Organised DST-INSPIRE discussion meeting with central/state board (secondary and higher secondary boards) and state council secretaries of India in JNU on 17 June, 2009.
- **Ramanathan A. L.** Organised an international workshop in 2010 for "Development of Database for climate impact studies in India with special reference of Lakshadweep" at Lakshadweep Islands, 10-12 March, 2010.
- **Saxena K. G.** Organised an international workshop on "Sustainable Land Management in the Mountainous Region of Mainland South East Asia: Adaptation to Global Change" (jointly with the United Nations University, Tokyo and North-Eastern Hill University, Shillong) in North-Eastern Hill University, Shillong, 9-11 November, 2009
- **Saxena K. G.** Organised Programme Steering Committee and Monitoring and Evaluation Workshop on Conservation and Sustainable Management of Belowground Diversity in School of Environmental Sciences, JNU, sponsored by the Tropical Soil Biology and Fertility Institute (TSBF) – CIAT, Nairobi 3-5 April, 2009.
- **Saxena K. G.** Organised a special session on Conservation and management of belowground Biodiversity (as part of International Conference on Biodiversity) in collaboration with Doon University, Dehradun, on 13 March, 2010

Fifth Satpaul Mittal Memorial Lecture

JNU and Indian Association of Parliamentarians on Population and Development (IAPPD) organised the Fifth Sat Paul Mittal Memorial Lecture on 27 January, 2010. The lecture was delivered by Padma Shri and Padma Bhushan Prof. Madhav Gadgil on "Of Men, Monkeys and Machines" in a function chaired by Professor B. B. Bhattacharya, Vice-Chancellor, JNU. The function began with a welcome address by Professor R. Kumar, Rector, JNU. Professor Kumar thanked the IAPPD for generously supporting many academic activities and fellowships in the University. Mr. Sat Mahajan, Chairman, IAPPD addressed the house, recalling his discussions on population, environment and development with the late Mr. Sat Paul Mittal. Mr. Mahajan called upon the academicians to work out sustainable solutions to the environmental problems faced by the country.

Participation in National/International Conferences/Seminars/Workshops

- **Jain V.K.**, Participated in the 4th Annual Global Colloquium of University Presidents on Role of Science in Meeting Global Challenges, held at the Yale University, New Haven, USA, 14-15 January, 2010.
- **Jain V.K.**, Pandey P., Kumar D., Prakash A., and Kumar K., A study of summer time urban heat island over Delhi. Proceedings of the International Conference on Sustainability, Human Geography and Environmental Studies, Diano Marina (IM) Italy, pp 86-93, 6-8 November, 2009

- **Jain V.K.**, et al. Participated and presented a paper on “Respiratory symptoms in relation to household energy and environmental tobacco smoke among children in India” during an international symposium on Environmental Pollution, Ecology and Human Health, S V University, Tirupati, 25-27 July, 2009.
- **Kulshrestha U. C.**, Participated in the 2nd ABC observatory meeting held at Bangkok, 7-8 July 2009.
- **Kulshrestha U. C.**, Participated in a workshop on N Deposition and Critical Loads, Edinburgh, UK. 16-18 November, 2009
- **Kulshrestha U.C.**, Participated in an international environmental conference RAEP 2009 at Agra organised by St John’s College Agra, 17-19 December, 2009.
- **Mukherjee S.**, Bindu Kumari, Chander Kumar Singh, Vikas Kamal. ‘Impact of LULC on spatio-temporal variation of groundwater quality in a hard rock area of Ranchi District, Jharkhand using LANDSAT satellite data’ national workshop on “Exploration, Development and Management of Ground Water in Hard Rocks with Special Reference to Jharkhand State” at the auditorium of ‘Sri Krishna Institute of Public Administration’ (SKIPPA), Ranchi. Organised by CGWB, Ministry of Water Resources, Government of India 25-26 March, 2010.
- **Mukherjee S.**, Satyanarayan Shashtri, Chander Kumar Singh and Amit Singh. Hydro-morphogeological microzonation to infer groundwater potential and quality. Special session on ground water during the 60th IEC and 5th Asian Regional Conference of ICID held at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi from 6-11 December, 2009
- **Ramanathan A. L.**, Participated in an international conference “IGUTORINO” hosted by the Commission for Water Sustainability International Geographical Union (IGU) Torino, Italy, 27-31 July, 2009.
- **Ramanathan A. L.**, Participated in an international congress on “Water Resources”, held at Lankawi, Malaysia, 26-27 May 2009.
- **Ramanathan A. L.**, Participated and presented a paper on “Estimation of recharge in aquifers using geochemical parameters”, during a workshop on “Ground Water Resources Estimation” held at IIT, Delhi, 23-24 February, 2010
- **Ramanathan A.L.**, Participated in “Distribution of PAHs in the lake sediments in Lesser Himalaya, India” oral Invited presentation ‘International Symposium on Trace Organic Pollutants in the Environment’, held at UNU symposium , Bharathidasan University, Trichy, on 23 January, 2010.
- **Ramanathan A.L.**, Participated in IGBP-IHDP LOICZ international workshop on ‘Deltas: Coastal Vulnerability and Management’, Institute of Ocean Management, Anna University, Chennai oral invited presentation: REE and heavy metal behaviour in the mangroves of India, 7-13 December, 2009
- **Ramanathan A.L.**, Participated in a UNESCO workshop in collaboration with DCE, Columbia University and CIP Trust organised on “Climate Change and Water Resources in South Asia” at the Delhi College of Engineering (DCE), New Delhi and presented a paper on “Climate change impact on the Himalayan Glacier health”, 8-10 August, 2009
- **Ramanathan A.L.**, Participated in the XXVI Convention–IAS 2009 of Indian Association of Sedimentologists Deltas and Other Sedimentary Basins: Their Resource Potential, at Andhra University, Vishakapattanam, and made an oral presentation On Texture and Mineralogy of Sunderban Mangrove and its Environmental Implications 16-18 December, 2009
- **Raju N J.** Participated and presented a paper in the Joint International Convention of the 8th IAHS Scientific Assembly and 37th IAH Congress at Hyderabad, India. 6-12 September, 2009.
- **Saxena K.G.**, Participated in the GEF/UNEP/TSBF programme “Conservation and Sustainable Management of Belowground Diversity” Steering Committee Meeting on held on December 12-13, 2009 in World Agroforestry Centre, Nairobi December 12-13, 2009.
- **Saxena K.G.**, Participated in an international workshop on “Agrobiodiversity and Climate Change” organised by the Biodiversity International and Chiang Mai University in Chiang Mai; presented a paper on ‘Agrobiodiversity and adaptation and mitigation of climate change’, 17-19 June, 2009

- **Saxena K.G.**, Participated in an international workshop on “Sustainable Land Management in Mountain Mainland of South East Asia” organised by the National Agriculture and Forestry Research Institute and United Nations University in Luang Prabang, 24-26 May, 2009.
- **Saxena K.G.**, Participated in Master Programme Evaluation and Programme Development (Biodiversity and Sustainable Development) meeting in Tribhuvan University, Kathmandu sponsored by Norwegian Agency (NORAD), on 4-6 February, 2010
- **Saxena K.G.**, National Seminar on “Climate change and environmental economics and National Project Monitoring Meeting” organised jointly by ISEC (Institute of Social and Economic Change) and National Institute of Ecology (presented a paper on Climate Change: Data Availability and Unpredictability), on September 30-October 1, 2009
- **Saxena K.G.**, Participated in Monitoring and Evaluation workshop of MacArthur Foundation funded programme on biodiversity management in Arunachal Pradesh organised by UNESCO, New Delhi in North Eastern Regional Institute of Science and Technology, Nirjuli, Itanagar on 3-5 March, 2010.
- **Saxena K.G.**, Participated in a national workshop on Biological Invasion sponsored by the Ministry of Environment and Forests and organised by Punjab University, Chandigarh; made a presentation on Ecology of Invasive species, 21-22 May, 2009
- **Saxena K.G.**, Participated in international workshop on Sustainable Management of Marginal Dryland (Phase-2) (SUMMAMAD-2) organised by the UNESCO in Central Arid Zone Research Institute, Jodhpur; gave a lecture on Ecosystem Services, on 22-23 November, 2009
- **Thakur, I.S.**, and Srivastava, S. Participated and presented paper on “Molecular characterization of *Serratia* sp. for bioremediation and detoxification of chromium in leather mill effluent and sludge”. 25th International Conference on Solid Waste Technology and Management, Widener University, Philadelphia, USA, from 14-17 March, 2010.
- **Thakur, I.S.** Participated and presented paper on “Enhanced production of lignocellulosic ethanol from sugar cane bagasse waste of pulp and paper mill effluent” by *Cryptococcus albidus* and *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* by Taguchi approach’ during the 14th European Congress on Biotechnology, Barcelona, Spain, 13-16 September, 2009

Awards/Honors/Fellowships

- **Datta K.** J.C. Bose award in Life Sciences, Hari Om Trust for the year 2005, UGC.
- **Datta K.** Distinguished Biotechnology Research Professorship for 2009-10.

Membership of Boards/Committees (Outside JNU)

- **Behari J.** Editor, News Letter Microwave Applications Society of India (MASI) since 2001.
- **Bhattacharya S.** Academic committee, CDRI, Lucknow; Member, Institutional Biosafety committee, AIIMS, New Delhi; Member, Research Advisory committee, Institute of Pathology, New Delhi; and Member, Sectional committee of Indian Academy of Sciences, Bangaluru.
- **Jain V K.** Member major committees of UGC; Member, Selection Committees of CSIR-RAB and CSIR-HRDG; and Member various prestigious committees of Government of India.
- **Kulshrestha U.C.** Expert Member and Indian Mentor for the International programme on Air Pollution India organised by Swedish Meteorological and Hydrological Institute, Sweden 2009-10; and Member, Academic Advisory Board, TERI.
- **Mohan D.** Nominated as an expert/resource person by the Uttarakhand State Science and Technology for the 4th Uttarakhand State Sciences and Technology Congress held at G. B. Pant University of Agriculture and Technology, Pant Nagar, Uttarakhand (November 10-11, 2009).
- **Saxena K. G.** Member, Board of Studies of Ecology and Environmental Sciences, Assam University, Silchar (2007-2009); Member, Board of Studies, Department of Botany, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi (2007-2009); Member, Board of Studies, School of Environmental Management, Gurugobind Singh Indraprastha University,

New Delhi (2009 onwards); Member, Environmental Information System Programme (ENVIS)-Environment and Society, Ministry of Environment and Forests, Government of India, New Delhi (2008-2010); Member, Programme Advisory Committee, Science and Society Programme, Department of Science and Technology, Government of India, New Delhi (2008-2010); Member, School Board of Human and Environmental Sciences, North-eastern Hill University (2008-2010); Member, Special Area Programme Committee, Ecology and Environmental Sciences, Assam University, Silchar; and Member, Steering Committee, Global Environmental Facility/United Nations Environment Programme multi-county programme on Conservation and Sustainable Management of Belowground Biodiversity, Tropical Soil Biology and Fertility Institute, Nairobi (2003-2010).

- **Thakur I.S.**, Member of Board of Governor- Biotechnology Research Society of India.

School of International Studies

Established in 1955, the School of International Studies (SIS) is the oldest school of the University. During the fifty five years of its existence, the School has established itself as one of the premier institutions in the country for the study of international relations and area studies.

The School has made pioneering contributions in promoting the study of international relations as an academic discipline in India and in advancing knowledge and understanding of international affairs in an inter-disciplinary perspective. The School is also the first institution in the country to promote "Area Studies" and to develop expertise on various countries and regions of the world. It has also acquired an international reputation as a centre of advanced learning.

For a long time, the academic programme of the School focused exclusively on research and the only degree it awarded was Ph.D. Soon after the School became a part of the Jawaharlal Nehru University, the M. Phil curriculum was introduced in 1971-72. In the following academic year 1973-74, the School started offering a 2 year M.A. (Politics: International Studies) programme. Much later in 1995-96, a new and unique M.A. programme in Economics (with specialisation on World Economy) was introduced by the Economics Division of the Centre for Studies in Diplomacy, International Law and Economics (CSDILE). A massive reorganization study was conducted by the School during the year. The Board's recommendations were conveyed to the University. The main recommendations which were accepted were splitting CSDILE into a Centre for International Trade and Development (CITD) and a Centre for International Legal Studies with the Diplomacy Component being merged with the Centre for International Politics (CIPOD). A new European Centre was also established with the current divisions of Western Europe and Eastern Europe being amalgamated. Additional reorganization within the School include upgradation of the Group of Comparative Politics and Political Thought into a full-fledged Centre for Comparative Politics and Political Thought, while the Centre for West Asian and African Studies was bifurcated into Centre for West Asian and the Centre for African Studies.

A large number of our M. Phil/Ph. D students qualify in the written test for UGC fellowships. Moreover, almost every state government has instituted a fellowship (in some cases more than one) to be awarded to students meeting the criteria of domicile status in the state concerned. Besides, all registered M.Phil. / Ph.D. students from 2007 were provided with stipends. In addition, SIS students also receive several prestigious scholarships/fellowships offered by several foreign universities and governments. As for the output of the School, it may be noted that, as on 31st March, 2010, 1173 scholars have been awarded Ph.D. and 3066 M. Phil degrees.

In recent years, several Chairs have been instituted in the School. These are Appadorai Chair, Nelson Mandela Chair, State Bank of India Chair and Rajiv Gandhi Chair, Chair in Environmental Law and Space Law. Members of the faculty of the School have contributed to the advancement and dissemination of knowledge on international studies, not only through their teaching and research supervision but also by publishing books and journal articles of international repute and disseminating their research through lectures nationally and internationally.

The School also holds a series of extension lectures every year on a theme relating to contemporary international relations. Pursuant to a decision of the Academic Council in February 1989, these lectures are now known as "**Pt. Hridaynath Kunzru Memorial (Extension) Lectures on International Relations**". Under an endowment funded by Asia Publishing House, Bombay, it holds lectures in memory of the great poet and patriot, Sarojini Naidu and invites a distinguished scholar or statesman to deliver the memorial lecture.

In order to enhance research activities, the School had concluded several Agreements of Cooperation with a number of Universities and institution abroad.

The School publishes a quarterly journal, *International Studies*. Founded in July 1959, this journal has acquired an international standing as the leading Indian academic journal in the field. It publishes original research articles on issues and problems, including problems of theory of contemporary relevance in the broad field of international relations and area studies. Being a refereed journal, it attracts contributions not only from members of the School faculty and other Indian universities/research institutions but also from scholars all over the world.

The School offers the following M. Phil. / Ph.D. programmes of study:

- i) American Studies
- ii) Latin American Studies
- iii) Canadian Studies
- iv) European Studies
- v) International Legal Studies
- vi) International Trade and Development
- vii) Chinese Studies
- viii) Japanese and Korean Studies
- ix) International Politics
- x) International Organization
- xi) Diplomatic and Disarmament Studies
- xii) Political Geography
- xiii) Russian and Central Asian Studies
- xiv) South Asian Studies
- xv) South East Asian and Southwest Pacific Studies
- xvi) Central Asian Studies
- xvii) West Asian Studies
- xviii) African Studies

Centre of Comparative Politics and Political Theory

The profiles of the individual Centres which follow contain a detailed description of these M.Phil/Ph.D. programmes.

M.A. Politics (International Studies)

The M.A. programme in Politics (International Studies) was introduced in the School in the academic year 1973-74 to fill the great demand for an M.A. Political Science programme with specialisation in International Studies. This programme, apart from core courses which are both discipline and area based, offers many optional courses. This is one of the most popular and largest post graduate programmes of the University with a present intake capacity of 69.

M.A. Economics (with specialisation on World Economy)

This programme is run by the CITD. A detailed description of this programme of study is given under the profile of CITD.

Centre for East Asian Studies

Established in the 1960s, as a Centre for Chinese and Japanese Studies, the Centre for East Asian Studies grew to include Korean Studies as well. The Centre imparts courses on historical, political, socio-cultural, economic and foreign policy dimensions of China, Japan and the Koreas at the M.Phil. Level, while Ph.D. researchers specialize in an area of their interest related to the East Asian region. The faculty of the Centre also offer courses at the M.A. level of the School. The successive generations of the faculty members of the Centre supervised and awarded more than **286** Ph.D. thesis, (Chinese 133, Japanese 113, Korean 40) M.Phil. Dissertations **245** (Chinese 117, Japanese 94 and Korean 34) until date. Total number of **123** students registered (about 49 in Chinese Studies, 49 in Japanese studies and 25 in Korean Studies) at the M.Phil. /Ph.D. levels. The Centre organises regular seminars, workshops and meetings, conducts presentations by researchers and invites scholars from abroad to enhance professional

understanding of the region. The faculty members of the Centre have published extensively and several of them also serve as consultants, advisors, or honorary fellows at prestigious institutions in India and abroad. Several students of the Centre have been recipients of prestigious research fellowships awarded by the Japan Foundation, Mombusho (Ministry of Education, Government of Japan), Saburo Okita Memorial Fellowships, Nippon Foundation, Korea Foundation, Nehru Memorial Fellowship and Fellowships from the Chinese and Taiwanese Governments. Besides, students from Japan receive fellowships from the Indian Council of Cultural Relations. As the profile of the East Asian states and economies are rising, the Centre is in the process of reinventing itself to gear for the new trends in teaching, research and academic collaboration.

Courses offered at the Centre: Monsoon Semester: 2009-2010 (3 credits each)

- EA-618 : Research Methodology by Srikanth Kondapalli
- EA-611 : Education and Society in Japan by Lalima Varma
- EA-622 : Issues and Themes in Chinese History by D. Varaprasad Sekhar
- EA-607 : Chinese Political System by Ritu Agarwal
- EA-602 : Industrialization and Foreign Trade of Japan by Srabani Roy Choudhary
- EA-608 : Political and Economic Development in Korea by Jitendra Uttam
- EA-609 : Modern History of Korea: 1945-1975 by Jitendra Uttam
- EA-623 : Political Economy of Japan (for M.A.) by H.S. Prabhakar

Winter Semester: 2009-2010 (3 Credits each)

- EA-603 : China's Foreign Policy and International Relations by Srikanth Kondapalli
- EA-613 : Contemporary Foreign Policy of Japan by Lalima Varma
- EA-606 : Government and Politic in Japan by H.S. Prabhakar
- EA-619 : Organization and Management in Japan by Srabani Roy Choudhary
- EA-620 : Society and Culture in Post Mao-China by Ritu Agarwal
- EA-624 : Science and Technology in China's Development by D. Varaprasad Sekhar
- EA-612 : Korean Peninsula in International Affairs since 1945 by Jitendra Uttam
- IS-567 : Foreign Policy of China (for M.A.) by Srikanth Kondapalli

Seminars/ Conferences/ Exhibitions organised by the Centre

- a) The Centre keeps on organizing M.Phil. and Ph.D. synopsis presentations as part of Centres major activity and as part of M.Phil. and Ph.D. programme;
 - In accordance of the decision of the CASR of the School, the Chairperson of the Centre upgraded the Brochure of the SIS;
 - The Faculty Members and Students of the Centre of East Asian Studies participated in the World Book Fair held in Pragati Maidan held from 30 January to 7 February, 2010;
- b) Mr. K. Takewake, Minister of Economic Affairs, Embassy of Japan was invited for a talk on "Japan and the Current Economic Crisis", on 17 April, 2009;
 - *The Centre organised an "India – Korea Round Table-II" with Shri Shashank, Former Foreign Secretary who Chaired Ist Session, IInd session was chaired by Dr. Gurbachan Singh, JNU IIIrd Session was chaired by Shri K. Santhanam, Former Director IDSA;
 - *Korean Delegation visited the Centre on 28 October, 2009;

- The Centre organised a Japanese **Photo Exhibition** from 28 – 30 October, 2009, in collaboration with Cultural Section of the Japanese Embassy.
- The Centre invited Mr. Tenzin Tsundue Poet, Activist of Tibet for a talk on 28 January, 2010;

Visitors visited the Centre during the year

- Mr. K. Takewake Keizo, Minister of Economic Affairs, Embassy of Japan on 17 April, 2009;
- Shri Shashank, Former Foreign Secretary; and Sh. A. P. Gandhi Founder CEO, Hyundai Motors visited centre on 27 January, 2010;
- Shri K. Santhanam, Former Director IDSA visited the CEAS on 24 April, 2009;
- Mr. Senge. H. Sering, Visiting Fellow, Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses, No.1, Development Enclave, Rao Tula Ram Marg, New Delhi-10, January, 2010.
- Mr. John Subritzky, Deputy High Commissioner, New Zealand High Commission, New Delhi, Sir, Edmund Hillary Marg, Chanakyapuri, New Delhi-110 021 January, 2010.
- Mr. Nobuyuki Sato, MOF PRI, Japan visited February, 2010.
- Mr. Daiki Suemitsu, Embassy of Japan, visited February, 2010.
- Mr. Rui Arase, New Zealand High Commission, 1 March, 2010.
- Mr. Seng H. Sering, Institute of Defence Studies and Analyses, 15 March, 2010.

Accomplishment of students

- Mr. Anil Kumar Kanungo (Chinese Studies Division) proceeded to Beijing: China, Shanghai, Hong Kong for field trip;
- Vineeta Bhatt (Japanese Studies Division) was awarded Monbukagakusho (Monbusho Fellowship);
- Nabeel Ajmal Mancheri (Japanese Division) was awarded Japan Foundation Fellowship;
- R. Subramanian (Korean Division) was awarded fellowship for “Programme Policies and Guidelines for the year 2009;
- Joe Thomas K.(Chinese Division) proceeded for field work to Jiangsu, Beijing, Shanghai, Xiamen, Shenging;
- P. Prakash and V. Aruna Ruth were awarded ICCUR Fellowship named Saubro Okita;
- Mohd. Faisal(Japanese Division) was awarded Japan Foundation fellowship;
- L. Suanlamthang Ngaihte , Huidrom Renuka and Khaimang Lunkim were awarded Korean Government Scholarship;

Any other information

- Draft synopses of M.Phil and PhD students of the Centre and draft Manuscripts of their dissertation discussed among all faculty and students of the Centre. Dr. Srabani Roy Choudhury coordinated these activities. The Centre also introduced the system of draft presentations by scholars before they submit Ph.D. thesis.

Future plans

- Up gradation of the Centre’s Webpage and uploaded at <http://www.jnu.ac.in/Academics/Schools/SchoolOfInternationalStudies/CEAS/default.htm>. The Centre plans to further enrich the content.
- As the East Asian region is rising in comprehensive terms (despite the ongoing financial crises), the Centre intends to expand its human and intellectual resources to comprehensively study and assess the region towards attaining this goal. The Centre organised Photo Exhibitions related to this region so that the information could be disseminated amongst faculty and students. The Centre also organised in-house discussions, seminars,

reorganised academic calendar, improve formal synopsis/dissertation/thesis presentations workshops regularly. The Centre also created a new website with information related to the faculty, students, courses, relevant research institutions and research materials. The Centre intends to expand collaboration with different universities/institutions of East Asia.

Centre for International Trade and Development

In the initial years of its inception, The Centre for International Trade and Development (CITD) was popularly known as International Trade and Development division and was geared towards research with a very successful M Phil/PhD program in International Trade and Development. In 1995, a full fledged MA program in Economics (with a specialization in the world economy) was introduced in the Centre. Subsequently, in 2005 CITD bifurcated from erstwhile Centre for Studies in Diplomacy, International Law and Economics to become an independent Centre. The Centre has created a niche for itself in teaching and research in international economics and economic development. Over the years, the centre has also broadened its scope to include many more fields of economics.

Presently the centre offers three academic programs in Economics: a Masters Program, an M Phil Program and a PhD program. The M. A. and the M Phil programs have a well structured course work.

The MA program has *nine core courses* and *seven optional courses*. The core courses offered in the MA program include Microeconomics I, Microeconomics II, Macroeconomics I, Macroeconomics II, Mathematical Methods in Economics, Statistics and Econometrics, Economic Development, Balance of Payments, and International Trade. The Centre has been offering a wide range of optional courses such as Recent Developments in Trade Theory, Advanced Econometrics, Law and Economics, Applied Econometrics, Environmental Economics, Natural Resource Economics, Economic Regulation, Corporate Finance, Banking Regulation and Financial Stability, TNC Technology Transfer and RandD, etc. Two new optional courses, Information Economics and its Applications, and Trade, Environment and Multilateral Institutions, were introduced last year.

The M Phil program consists of five core courses in the first year followed by a dissertation in the second year. The courses offered in the first year are Advanced Economic Theory, Advanced Trade Theory, Quantitative Methods of International Economics, Monetary Theory of International Trade, and a Seminar Course.

Presently the Centre has 44 MA, 10 M Phil and 13 PhD students. The MA program has proved to be a highly successful and a popular program. The Centre received over thousand applications for about 25 seats. MA students from the Centre for International Trade and Development have established themselves as successful economists in the academic and corporate worlds. The research students are also well established in the academic world, in India and abroad. During April 2009 – April 2010, eight students were awarded M. Phil degrees and two students were awarded Ph.D degrees.

The Centre has eight faculty members who are engaged in teaching various courses at the Centre and are also actively engaged in research. The areas of research interest span almost every field of economics including International Trade, Foreign Investment, Competition Policy, Applied Econometrics, Finance, International Finance, Monetary Economics, Open Economy Macroeconomics, Economics of Development, Technology and RandD, Intellectual Property Rights, TRIPS, Pharmaceutical and Health Care, Education, Environmental Economics, Environment, Regulation, Resource Economics, Political Economy, Sustainable Development, WTO Environmental Negotiations, Industrial Organization, Game Theory, etc.

The Centre is privileged to have Professor BB Bhattacharya, Professor Shubhashis Gangopadhyay as adjunct professors, and Professor K L Krishna and Professor Pulapre Balakrishnan as visiting professors to the Centre. As a reflection of a vibrant visiting faculty program at the centre, we also had Professor Sandwip Das, Dr.V. Ojha, Dr. Monika Das, and Dr. Minhaj Mahmud as visiting faculty. Saptarshi Mukherjee is with the Centre as a Ford Fellow.

Just like previous years, the past year has been a year of further strengthening of the Centre and we have been successful in consolidating our academic activities in all spheres.

Conference/Workshop/Seminars organised by the Centre

The Centre has a Seminar Series that gives platform to distinguished as well as budding economists to share their research with the faculty and students. Last year 9 seminars were organised at the Centre.

For wider dissemination of its research, the Centre has a Discussion Paper Series. Six Discussion papers were published in the last academic year.

- Characterization of the non-manipulable Profiles Under approval rules, by Souvik Roy, Maastricht University, on 16 September, 2009
- 'India, Brazil, South Africa and China: Is the South Big Enough?', (with D Willenbockel), by Prof. Scott McDonald, Oxford Brookes University, on 29 October, 2009
- A Cap-and-Trade Model of International Trade: Theory and Empirical Evidence, by Professor Sandwip Das and Monica Das, Skidmore College, New York, on 13 January, 2010
- Nash Implementation with partially honest players (with Arunava Sen), by Bhaskar Dutta, University of Warwick and Indian Statistical Institute (Delhi), on 3 March, 2010
- Firm Dollar Debt and Central Bank Dollar Reserves: A Case of Moral Hazard?, by Rajeshwari Sengupta, University of California, Santa Cruz, on 15 March, 2010
- Kaushik's Conundrum or the Possibility of Honesty (with Brishti Guha), by Professor Ashok Guha, on 19 March, 2010
- Happiness in rural Bangladesh: A two Layer Analysis, by Dr. Minhaj Uddin Mahmud, BRAC University, Bangladesh, on 26 March, 2010

Centre for International Politics, Organization and Disarmament

The Centre for International Politics, Organization and Disarmament (CIPOD) comprises four distinct yet interlinked divisions:

- International Politics
- International Organization
- Diplomacy and Disarmament
- Political Geography

The Origins of the Centre can be traced to the Indian School of International Studies (ISIS), founded in 1955. The core of the Centre came into existence as a part of two separate departments of ISIS, devoted to the study of International Relations and the Commonwealth. When ISIS merged with the newly established Jawaharlal Nehru University in 1970, the Centre for International Politics and Organization was created out of the existing International Relations and Commonwealth departments. The Centre encompassed at that time three distinct, but intimately interlinked, facets of International Relations: international politics, international organization and disarmament. Each of these facets was conceived as a Division with a distinct academic programme, focusing on related research and teaching areas and comprising specialist faculty. However, underlying the Division-wise structuring was recognition of the inter-disciplinary approach to knowledge in the broader field of International Relations. It is noteworthy that of the three original Divisions of the Centre, the two on International Organization and Disarmament were extremely innovative and remain rare in the university system of today. Soon afterwards, a separate division on Political Geography was also created in the Centre. In the latest restructuring of the School of International Studies in 2005, a new division – Diplomatic Studies division (which was earlier part of another Centre) – was merged with CIPOD. The Diplomatic Studies division, since its inception in 1970, has been involved in teaching and research in historical and contemporary issues in diplomacy. Lately, in the year 2007, the Diplomatic Studies and Disarmament Studies have been merged into one Division, to be known as Diplomacy and Disarmament Studies Division (DAD).

In the reporting year, the Centre had 139 M.Phil. and Ph.D. students: 37 in International Politics (INP), 34 in International Organization (ORG), 41 in Diplomacy and Disarmament Studies (DAD), and 26 in Political Geography (POG). During the year, the Centre admitted two students directly into the Ph.D. programme and 33 into the Centre's M.Phil./Ph.D. programme : 9 in INP, 10 in ORG, 10 in DAD, and 4 in POG.

Seminars organised by the Centre

- Regimes in International Relations: A Study of the Refugee Problem in South Asia, by Mr Saumitra Mohan, Research Scholar, CIPOD, SIS, JNU held on 25 May, 2009.
- Nuclear Deterrence and Nuclear Disarmament: the New Vistas in the Twenty-first Century, by Dr W. Lawrence S. Prabhakar, Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, Madras Christian College, held on 4 August, 2009.
- The Case for No First Use, by Professor Scott D. Sagan, Department of Political Science, Stanford University, held on 5 August, 2009.
- India and the New Arms Control Agenda, by Mr Amandeep Singh Gill, Director, Disarmament and International Security Affairs, Ministry of External Affairs, held on 19 August, 2009.
- Arms Control: Indian and American Perspectives, by Dr S. Paul Kapur, Associate Professor, Department of National Security Affairs, U.S. Naval Postgraduate School and a Faculty Affiliate at Centre for International Security and Cooperation (CISAC), Stanford University, held on 17 September, 2009.
- The Effects of Governmental Structure on Coercive Signalling, by Dr Patrick Bratton, Assistant Professor of Political Science, Hawaii Pacific University, held on 30 September, 2009.
- Next steps in Nuclear Disarmament, by Mr George Perkovich, held on 1 October, 2009.
- Pakistan's Chronic Instability: Is Democracy the Answer?, by Dr Ashutosh Misra, Griffith Asia Institute, Griffith University, Australia held on 7 October, 2009.
- Current situation in Sri Lanka, by Mr N. Sathiya Moorthy, Observer Research Foundation, Chennai, held on 22 October, 2009.
- Countdown to Copenhagen: State of Play of Climate Change Negotiations, by Dr Archana Negi, CIPOD, SIS, JNU held on 28 October, 2009.
- Geopolitics of Development in the Mekong Basin: A Case Study of Cambodia, by Mr Atom Sunil Singh, Doctoral candidate, CIPOD, SIS, JNU held on 13 January, 2010.
- The Twenty-First Century Embassy: Evolution and Renaissance, by Ambassador Kishan Rana, held on 1 February, 2010.
- Strange Companions: Affinities between Colonial and Postcolonial Narratives on Development, by Dr Moushumi Basu, Associate Professor, CIPOD, SIS, JNU held on 3 February, 2010.
- Upgrading International Studies in India, by Dr Muthiah Alagappa, Distinguished Senior Fellow, East-West Center, USA, held on 11 February, 2010.
- Armed Conflict and Small Arms Proliferation in Jammu and Kashmir, by Mr Pradeep Dutta, Bureau Chief, Times Now, Jammu, held on 18 February, 2010.
- Regional Order and Stability in South Asia: India's role in its neighbourhood, by Mr Melanie Hanif, Reserch Fellow, German Institute for Global and Area Studies (GIGA) held on 10 March, 2010.
- Cosmopolitan Wars and the Transformation of Global Politics, by Professor Vivienne Jabri, Department of War Studies, King's College, London, held on 31 March, 2010.

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New Courses introduced by the Centre

- **Dr. Ambrish Dhaka**, Monsoon Semester – Economic and Political Geography of South Asia (Course Number IS 529N).
- **Dr. Mahesh Ranjan Debata**, New Course Introduced during 2009-10: “Society, Culture and Politics in Xinjiang”

Any Other Information

- **Mohini Man**, “Talk “Developments in Thailand” Lok Sabha Television, New Delhi, 14 April, 2009:
- **Mohini Man**, “Nehru Had Oz worries” Interview given to Vikas Pathak, Hindustan Times, New Delhi, 15 March, 2010
- **Soni Sharad K.**, “Buddhist Factor in Promoting Traditional Culture in Mongolia,” *10 October, 2009*, at URL: http://www.budcon.com/index.php?option=com_contentandview=articleandid=255%3Abuddhist-factor-in-promoting-traditional-culture-in-mongolia-andcatid=47%3AarticlesandItemid=117andlang=en
- **Kharat Rajesh S.**, Bhutan (May 2009) in Maneesha Tikekar (e.d), *India and Its Neighbours*. (Sadhana Prakashan, Pune) pp. 146-169.
- **Namgyal Tsetan**, “A Brief Survey of Buddhism in Central Asia” May 2009, *The Bodhi Life*, Orissa Buddhist Front-Bhubaneswar Orisas pp 12-19.
- **Namgyal Tsetan**, “Tibetan Culture and its Literary Studies in India: Persepective and Prospective” July, 2009. *Himalayan and Central Asian Studies*, SIS/JNU Delhi pp 88-101.

Centre for Russian and Central Asian Studies

Seminars/Meetings organised by the Centre

- **K. B. Usha**, Seminar Director of the National Seminar Organised on the theme, Sexual Harassment in Academic Places: Socio-Cultural, Legal and Ethical Issues by Gender Sensitization Committee Against Sexual Harassment (GSCASH), JNU, New Delhi, on 10 November, 2009
- **K. B. Usha**, Organised Interaction Meeting with Judges of Supreme Court of Bangladesh to discuss on “Bangladesh Supreme Court’s Judgment on Preventing Sexual Harassment in workplaces” and to share with Bangladeshi activists the Indian Experience in Combating Sexual Harassment in Academic Institutions on Behalf of GSCASH on 29 September, 2009
- **K. B. Usha**, Organised Round Table Meeting with Professors of Princeton and Columbia Universities associated with Take Back the Night Foundation on “Addressing the Issue of Sexual Harassment in American and Indian University Campuses” on Behalf of GSCASH on 9 December, 2009
- **K. B. Usha**, Organised Stage Play, *Silence the Court Is in Session* by Vijay Tendulkar, Performed by Mirrors, Dramatics Society of Deshbandhu College, New Delhi, on behalf of GSCASH on the occasion of International Women’s Day on 8 March, 2010

Centre for West Asian Studies

Seminar organised by the Centre

- Bansidhar Pradhan organised a three-day international seminar on *The Fertile Crescent, Great Powers and India*, 9-11 February, 2010

Centre for European Studies

The Centre for European Studies is a multi-disciplinary department which aims to promote teaching, research, and outreach activities to improve the understanding of Europe and Indo-European affairs.

Created in 2005, this is one of the new Centres in the School of International Studies as a result of the merger of the old West European and East European Studies programmes. It draws on the expertise of six very experienced faculties.

The Centre is teaching courses both on Europe and on the European Union. At M. Phil level courses on European security, European economic integration, EU in world politics, identity issues in Europe and politics and society in Central and Eastern Europe, and European society are being offered to the students. Recognizing the need for language proficiency in area studies, the Centre is offering a compulsory course in German language. It is proposed to introduce French language as a option in the near future. Research methodology is a compulsory course done by all students.

The faculty of the Centre also participates in the M.A. programme of the School of International Studies where they offer courses on German foreign policy, European Union, and political system in East European countries. The Centre plans to offer new M.A. courses in coming years.

India- EU Study Centres Programe (IESCP)

The Centre has been identified as an existing centre of European Studies under the IESCP and made eligible to get technical assistance in the form of experts till October 2011. The IESCP is supported by the European Commission.

Rembrandt Room and Erasmus Collection

On 20 January 2006, the Prime Minister of The Netherlands, H.E. Dr. Mr. Jan Peter Balkenende visited JNU as part of his state visit to India and delivered a lecture on *The European Union and India: Unity in Diversity*. On this occasion he also announced a gift of • 50,000 to the Centre for European Studies to set up a library called the *Erasmus Collection* and state of the art lecture cum seminar room called the *Rembrandt Room*. Both were inaugurated on 2 December 2008 by the Vice Chancellor Prof. B. B. Bhattacharya and the Ambassador of the Netherlands Mr. Bob Hiensch. With over 500 books on the shelves, the students and faculty of the Centre have access to the Erasmus collection which focuses on Contemporary Europe and issues of international politics, thereby enhancing both the teaching and research quality. The Netherlands Prime Minister's Grant was coordinated by Professor. Ummu Salma Bava.

Area Studies

In March 2009, the UGC approved the Europe Area Studies Programme at the Centre. This recognition to the Centre will further enhance its profile and contribute in a major way to build its capacity. It is proposed to undertake further research and seminar activities, acquire the latest books and support research publication from the Centre.

In the next few years the Centre plans to develop projects in partnership with universities and research institutions working on Europe from around the world. Academic conferences and workshops on matters related to Europe and Indo-European affairs are a regular feature. The Centre has been organizing public lectures on Europe featuring distinguished speakers from both India and Europe that included Prime Ministers and Ministers from the Netherlands, Italy and Hungary, etc. The Europe Forum within the Centre provides a regular platform for debate and discussion on Europe.

Thrust Areas

The Centre has identified the following thrust areas for its academic activities in coming years in two ways:

Identification of the following new regions of Europe for the development of teaching and research:

- Country specific courses on politics, society and economy of major European countries like France, Britain and Germany
- Courses on Nordic and Mediterranean regions

Cross-Regional Problems and Issues

- Issues of immigration and asylum
- European legal system
- Problems of energy and environment in Europe
- European outsourcing
- India and the European Union

Conferences organised by the Centre

- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, “Breaking Barriers – 20 Years After the Fall of the Berlin Wall”, Conferences and events organised in collaboration with the Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany, New Delhi, 3-12 November 2009.
- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, Special Lecture on the occasion of the visit of the President of the Republic of Iceland Dr. Ólafur Ragnar Grimsson. Lecture delivered by Prof. Ólafur Hardarson on “Icelandic Politics: A Deviation From Scandinavian Norm”, New Delhi, 15 January 2010.
- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, “Constitutions for Freedom: The German and Indian Democracies Turn 60,” organised in collaboration with the Freidrich-Naumann Stiftung, New Delhi, 29 January 2010.
- **Jain, Rajendra K.**, International conference on “Connections and Dialogues: The European Union and the Asia-Pacific, Perceptions, Policies, Perspectives,” organised in collaboration with Indian Association for European Union Studies, European Union Studies Association – Asia-Pacific, Centre for European Studies, JNU and the India-EU Study Centre Study Programme, New Delhi, 8-9 January 2010.

Participation in National /International Conferences/Seminars/Workshops

Centre for Canadian, US and Latin American Studies

- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Participated in the 2009 Annual Convention of American Studies Association on “Practices of Citizenship, Sustainability and Belonging”, Washington, D.C., 4-8 November, 2009
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Presented a paper on “US-India-Iran: emerging Dimensions” at the International Seminar on “US-India-Iran Relations in Contemporary Times, organised by Centre for West Asian Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, 3 December, 2009.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Chaired a session on “Indo-Iran Relations: Strategic Dimension,” at the International Seminar on “US-India-Iran Relations in Contemporary Times, organised by Centre for West Asian Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, 4 December, 2009.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Presented a paper on “Surrounded by Nuclear Weapons: Can Gandhi Help India?,” in International Conference on ‘Conflict Management, Peace, Economics and Peace Science, organised by IGNOU and Gandhi Smriti and Darshan, New Delhi, 11-13 January, 2010
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Chaired a Session during the National Seminar on “Regional Security in South Asia,” organised by ICWA and the Department of Geopolitics of Manipal University, Manipal, Karnataka, on 10 April, 2009.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Participated in the National Workshop organised by IGNOU to devise the Course on Gandhi and Peace Studies,” 11-13 June, 2009.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Discussant at IDSA at the Fellow Seminar on “Piracy, Maritime Terror and Policy Response, 10 July, 2009.

- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Presented a paper on “Illusive Peace in Kashmir: Possible Solutions”, at a National Seminar on “Social Science Research in Kashmir”, organised by Kashmir University, Srinagar, 5-6 October, 2009.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Delivered the Valedictory Speech at a National Seminar on “Social Science Research in Kashmir”, organised by Kashmir University, Srinagar, 6 October, 2009.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Discussant on the Paper on “Military Modernization in Southeast Asia: China Factor or Interstate Conflicts” at the IDSA Fellow Seminar on 30 October, 2009.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Chaired a Roundtable on “Oman and India’s Foreign Policy” at Centre for Joint Warfare Studies, New Delhi, 26 November, 2009.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Participated in the Regional American Studies Conference at American Centre, New Delhi, 14-15 December, 2009.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Discussant at IDSA Fellow Seminar on “To Develop or Not to Develop: The Political Dimension of BMD Procurement in India and Japan”, 18 December, 2009.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Chaired a session on “Globalization” at the Kunzru memorial lecture on 8 February, 2010.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Presented a Paper on “Role of the State in Leveraging Soft Power” at the Conference on “Leveraging Soft Power as Strategic Resource” organised at teen Murthy by Centre for Joint Warfare Studies, New Delhi, 16 March, 2010.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Presented a paper on “The US and the Nonproliferation Regime: Prospects and Challenges,” in a Conference on “The Future of Nuclear Nonproliferation Treaty: Implications for India”, organised by the Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses, 22-23 March, 2010.
- **Singh Priti**, “Multiculturalism in Canada and India: Public Policy and Problem Areas”, paper presented at Metropolis National Conference, University of Montreal, 18-21 March, 2010.
- **Singh Priti**, “Indigenous Peoples in Canada and India: Revisiting Identity and Nationhood”, Paper presented at the National Seminar on Democracy, Nation and Ideology: The Indo-Canadian Perspectives hosted by Centre for Canadian Studies, Berhampur University, Orissa, 9-10 March, 2010.
- **Singh Priti**, “Negotiating Change in the Idioms of Indigenism in Australia and India”, Paper presented at the Fifth International Conference of the Indian Association for the Study of Australia (IASA) hosted by Goa University on Negotiating Change in Australia and India, Goa, 18-21 January, 2010.
- **Singh Priti**, “Humanitarian Interventionism in Latin America: Principled Peace or Constructed Conflict?” Paper presented at the International Conference on Conflict Management, Peace Economics and Peace Science, at Gandhi Smriti and Darshan Samiti (GSDS) hosted by IGNOU, GSDS and UNESCO, 11-13 January, 2010.
- **Singh Priti**, “Revisiting the IMF: Need for a New Global Financial Architecture”, Paper presented at BRIC Conference, organised by Macau Association for the Promotion of Exchange between Asia Pacific and Latin America (MAPEAL) and Macau Inter-University Institute (IIUM) Macau, 26-28 November, 2009.

Centre for East Asian Studies

- **Acharya Alka**, Delivered a lecture on An Overview of China’s Current Situation to the International Delegates at the Asia Regional Meeting of the International Tibet Support Network (ITSN) at Dharamsala, 29 March, 2010.

- **Acharya Alka**, Delivered a lecture in the 49th Professional Course for Foreign Diplomats organised by the Foreign Service Institute, Ministry of External Affairs, New Delhi, titled China's Rise and Implications for the World Order, on 11 March, 2010.
- **Acharya Alka**, Delivered a public lecture at the Kunzru Memorial Lecture Series 2010 (Theme: Contemporary Debates in World Politics and India, 18 January-10 February 2010) titled 'New Regionalisms and Asia' in New Delhi, organised by the School of International Studies, JNU, on 4 February, 2010
- **Acharya Alka**, Delivered a lecture in the first Special Training Programme for Afghan Diplomats by the Foreign Service Institute, Ministry of External Affairs, New Delhi, titled India-China and Asia, on 19 January, 2010.
- **Acharya Alka**, Delivered a lecture to the trainee Indian Foreign Service Probationers of 2009 Batch under the auspices of the Foreign Service Institute, Ministry of External Affairs, New Delhi, titled China: History and Foreign Policy on 27 January, 2010.
- **Acharya Alka**, Presented a paper titled, 'India-China: Limitations and Possibilities of a Global Strategic Partnership' at an International Conference on Conflict Management, Peace Economics and Peace Science Jointly organised by the Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU), New Delhi, Gandhi Smriti and Darshan Samiti(GSDS), New Delhi, and United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization (UNESCO, India) from 11-13 January, 2010.
- **Acharya Alka**, Delivered a lecture titled Modern China: Challenges and Drawbacks at the Tibetan Youth Leadership Training Programme organised by the Tibetan Youth Congress in New Delhi, 29 December, 2009
- **Acharya Alka**, Participated in the Indo-Japanese Workshop on 'The Transformation of the International Order of Asia in the 1950s and 1960s', and was discussant to a paper presented by a Japanese scholar, organised by the Jawaharlal Nehru Institute of Advanced Study, JNU, New Delhi, on 28 December, 2009.
- **Acharya Alka**, Made a presentation titled International Dynamics and National Interest: Strengthening the Trilateral Discourse Through Regional Partnerships, at the Ninth Academic Trilateral China-India-Russia Conference organised by the Institute of Chinese Studies, New Delhi, held in New Delhi, from 7-9 December, 2009
- **Acharya Alka**, Was invited to deliver a talk in the University Lecture Series on Comprehending China, by the Rajiv Gandhi University, Itanagar, and Arunachal Pradesh on 4 November, 2009.
- **Acharya Alka**, Was invited to deliver a lecture titled China's Global Strategy in the mid – term training – refresher course programme for the Senior Level Commandant officers of the Border Security Force (BSF) organised by the Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses, 29 October, 2009
- **Acharya Alka**, Was invited to speak on 'The Internal Challenges in China' in a round-table discussion on 'China's Rise to World Power Status: Faultlines and Vulnerabilities' organised by the Centre for Land Warfare Studies (CLAWS) New Delhi, for senior serving officers of Headquarters Northern Command, on 24 September, 2009.
- **Acharya Alka**, Made a presentation titled China-SAARC Relations: Challenges and Opportunities at the International Conference on China-SAARC Relations: Towards a Partnership of Common Prosperity organised by the China Institute of International Studies, Bandaranaike Centre for International Studies and the Institute of South Asian Studies, Sichuan University, Chengdu, held in Chengdu, PRC, 24-26 August, 2009.
- **Sekhar D. Varaprasad**, "SandT Cooperation in India-China Relations: Trends, Problems and Prospects", Centre on Public Diplomacy, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, 4 February, 2010".

Centre for International Trade and Development

- **Bansal, Sangeeta**, chair of a session, workshop on The Transformation of the International Order of Asia in the 1950s and the 1960s , 28 December 2009,
- **Bansal, Sangeeta**, chair of a session 'Workshop on Rights in Economics and Law', March 4-5, 2010.
- **Bansal, Sangeeta**, International Symposium on a Sustainable Future (ISSF 2010), IGIDR, Mumbai, invited speaker, 11-13 January, 2010
- **Bansal, Sangeeta**, Board of Studies Meeting, Department of Policy Studies, TERI University, 26 November, 2009.
- **Bansal, Sangeeta**, presented a seminar at the Seminar Series, Department of Economics, Tilburg University, Netherlands, 16 September, 2009.
- **Bansal, Sangeeta**, presented the paper, 'Weak Aversion towards GM foods: Experimental evidence from India', Seminar presented at Environmental Economics Unit, Gothenberg University, Sweden, 11 September, 2009.
- **Bansal, Sangeeta**, Participated in the 17th Annual Conference of EAERE, Amsterdam, June, 2009.
- **Bansal, Sangeeta**, Attended the meeting of the Editorial Board, Journal of Environmental and Development Economics, Amstersam, 27 June, 2009.
- **Bansal, Sangeeta**, invited speaker at 'Bio-tech labeling: Considerations and Impact', Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam, organised by the US Department of Agriculture, 28-29 May, 2009
- **Mehra Meeta K.** Participated as an institutional partner at the "Building a Global Partnership - Studies on Money, Finance, Trade and Development" at HTW (Applied Sciences University), Berlin during 17-18 April, 2009
- **Ray, Amit Shovon** Panel Discussion on IPR Issues in Collaborative RandD between Industry, Academia and RandD Institute, Chair and Moderator, at the 7th IP India Summit organised by George Washington University Law School and Confederation of Indian Industry (CII), at New Delhi 15 February, 2010.
- **Ray, Amit Shovon** and Saha, Sabyasachi; Drivers of Academic Research in India and the Role of IPR: Some econometric evidence, paper at the national conference on "Publicly Funded Patents and Technology Transfer: A Review of the Indian 'Bayh-Dole' Bill" at the West Bengal National University of Juridical Sciences, Kolkata, 12 September, 2009.
- **Aparna Sawhney** "Significance of Trade Facilitation: International Experience and Estimation", invited paper presentation for South Asia Trade Facilitation Experts Partnership Inception Workshop, organised by ICRIER, India Habitat Centre, New Delhi, 26-27 June, 2009
- **Aparna Sawhney**, invited discussant and panelist on "Financing Mechanism for Low Carbon Economy", ORF-ICRIER Roundtable on Post-Crisis Global Economy: Vectors and Challenges, Observer Research Foundation, New Delhi, 8 September, 2009.
- **Aparna Sawhney**, invited speaker and panelist on "Need and role of domestic policies in accelerating technology transfer" in the Emerging Asia Contribution on Issues of Technology for Copenhagen, consultative workshop organised by The Energy Research Institute, Asian Energy Institute, and Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, IHC, New Delhi, 21 October, 2009.
- **Aparna Sawhney**, "Environmental Sustainability and the Account of Genuine Wealth in India", paper presented at the CIGI-JNU-NIPFP Conference on Economic Theory, Markets and Institutions for Governance, New Delhi, 22-24 March, 2010
- **Aparna Sawhney**, invited dialogue participant in Trade and Climate Change in Emerging Economies: The Competitiveness, Technology, and Intellectual Property Rights Dimension, organised by RIS (New Delhi) and ICTSD (Geneva), in IHC, New Delhi 30-31 March, 2010.

- **Sen Gupta A.**, Asia's Tryst with Global Financial Crisis", at the 8th India-Korea Dialogue organised by ICRIER and SFIA, New Delhi, India (May 2009).
- **Sen Gupta A.**, Managing Growth in the Midst of Global Slowdown, 1st DAAD Network Workshop on Money, Finance, Trade and Development, HTW-University of Applied Sciences, Germany (November 2009).
- **Sen Gupta A.**, Challenges to Integration: Financial and Monetary Institutions. Conference on Inter Regionalism between East Asia and SAARC, University of Delhi, Delhi, India (November 2009).
- **Sen Gupta A.**, Asian Financial Integration: Opportunities and Constraints, Workshop on Policy Response to Financial Crisis, ICRIER, New Delhi, India (February 2010)

Centre for International Politics, Organization and Disarmament

- **Murthy, CSR**, Participated in the Summer Seminar on "Turning your Research Focus to the European Context" Utrecht University", Utrecht, Netherlands, 29 June-3 July 2009.
- **Meena, Krishnendra**, Attended "Advanced Training Programme-Managing Global Governance" at the German Development Institute, Bonn, Germany from 2nd January, 2009 to July 4, 2009.
- **Choedon, Yeshi**, Attended International Conference on "Emerging China: Prospects for Partnership in Asia: At Indian Council of World Affairs on November 22, 2009 at New Delhi.
- **Choedon, Yeshi**, Attended Fifteenth Justice Sunanda Bhandare Memorial Lecture on "Women and Peace" by His Holiness the Dalai Lama at Siri Fort Auditorium, New Delhi on November, 2009.
- **Choedon, Yeshi**, Attended National Seminar on "Pakistan as a Factor in Sino-Indian Relations" at Jawaharlal Nehru University, 4 October 2009.
- **Choedon, Yeshi**, Attended a discussion on the book My China Years: 1956-88 Natwar Singh at Nehru Memorial Museum and Library, 13 October 2009.
- **Choedon, Yeshi**, Attended Kusum's Seminar on Global Economy and India at the India Habitat Centre.
- **Choedon, Yeshi**, Attended the seminar on "July 5th Riots in Urumqi, China's Reaction and Uyghur Diaspora" at the Institute of Chinese Studies, New Delhi 9 September 2009.
- **Choedon, Yeshi**, Attended a panel discussion and release of the book entitled Democracy, National Building and Peace in South Asia: Challenges and Prospects (Edited by Prof. N.K. Jha, on 19 June 2009 at the Indian Council of World Affairs, New Delhi
- **Choedon, Yeshi**, Attended a round table discussion on the concept of 'Greater Tibet' at the India International Centre, New Delhi, 27 August, 2009
- **Choedon, Yeshi**, Attended the workshop on "Review of China and East – Asia Studies in India" organised by the Institute of Chinese Studies, at India International Centre, New Delhi, 11-12 December, 2009
- **Choedon, Yeshi**, Attended the annual lecture by Prof. Lord Bhikhu Parekh on "India's Place in the world", organised by the Association of Indian Diplomats and Indian Council of World Affairs at Sapru House, New Delhi, 8 January, 2010
- **Choedon, Yeshi**, Attended the "Fourth India-NATO Dialogue" at the United Service Institute (USI), New Delhi, 1 February, 2010
- **Choedon, Yeshi**, Attended the Eminent Person's Lecture Series by Professor V.P. Dutt on "India, China and the United States: The Triangle that Isn't", organised by the Indian Institute of Defence Studies and Analysis, 8 March 2010

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- **Dhaka Ambrish**, Participated in a refresher course in Information Technology (inter-disciplinary), organised by the Academic Staff College, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur, 18 May – 6 June, 2009

- **Dhaka Ambrish**, Participated as discussant in a panel discussion organised by the Academy of Third World Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 3 March, 2010.
- **Soni Sharad K.**, Participated as the Moderator at the General Assembly of ASIA Fellows, organised by the Asian Scholarship Foundation (ASF) at Bangkok, Thailand during the Ninth ASIA Fellows Annual Conference on “Forging our Asian Commitment: Regional Perspectives on and Responses to the Global Crisis”, 17-18 July, 2009

Centre for Comparative Politics and Political Theory

- **Menon Nivedita**, Invited plenary speaker at a conference on “Gender Futures: Law, Critique and the Struggle for Something More” organised by the Research Centre for Law, Gender and Sexuality at Westminster Law School, London. 3-4 April, 2009
- **Menon Nivedita**, Invited speaker to a conference on “Arab Feminisms, A Critical Perspective” American University of Beirut, presentation “Conversations on feminism: Contestations over gender in India”, 4 - 7 October, 2009

Centre for Russian and Central Asian Studies

- **Patnaik Ajay Kumar**, Chaired a session on “Issues of Identity” at the national seminar on Perspectives on Multiculturalism: Soviet and Post-Soviet Central Asia organised by the Academy of Third World Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 17-18 March, 2010.
- **Patnaik Ajay Kumar**, Chaired a session on “Communities and Ethnicities in Transition” at the international seminar on Communities, Institutions and ‘Transition’ in post 1991 Eurasia organised by the Maulana Abul Kalam Azad Institute of Asian Studies, Kolkata, 22-24 February, 2010
- **Patnaik Ajay Kumar**, “The Great Game and the New Context”, paper presented at the national seminar on Central Eurasia: Geopolitical and Economic Perspectives, organised by the Centre for Central Eurasian Studies, University of Mumbai, 10-11 February, 2010.
- **Patnaik Ajay Kumar**, “Convergences and divergences in Indian and Chinese interests in Central Asia”, paper presented at the international seminar on Central Asia, The New “Great Game” between the emerging powers of China and India, India International Centre, New Delhi, 14-15 October, 2009
- **Patnaik Ajay Kumar**, “Eurasian Geopolitics: Comparing Caucasus and Central Asia”, paper presented at the international seminar on Geopolitics of Eurasia, organised by the Association of Asia Scholars (AAS) at India Habitat Center in New Delhi during 30-31 October, 2009
- **Patnaik Ajay Kumar**, Chaired a session on “Traditional security issues in Central Asia”, at the international seminar on Traditional and Non-traditional Threats to Central Asian Security, organised by the Centre for Russian and Central Asian Studies, JNU, 22-23 October, 2009
- **Patnaik Ajay Kumar**, “Political Participation and Parties: Uzbek and Indian Experiences”, paper presented at the international seminar on Political Parties and Elections: The World Experience and Legislature of Uzbekistan, Academy of State and Social Construction Under the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan, Tashkent, 29-30 September, 2009
- **Patnaik Ajay Kumar**, “Russia in the Caucasus”, paper presented at the international seminar on Eurasian Peace and Cooperation: Challenges and Opportunities, organised by the Centre of Central Asian Studies, University of Kashmir, Srinagar, 17-19 August, 2009
- **Patnaik Ajay Kumar**, “Chinese and Iranian Vectors in India’s Central Asia Policy”, The 2nd GCSP-OSCE Academy-NUPI Seminar, Central Asia, 2009, Bishkek, 3 – 4 September, 2009
- **Patnaik Ajay Kumar**, “Parties and legislative elections in Uzbekistan”, paper presented at ISCS international conference on Elections and Modern Parliamentarism Development Issues: Experience of Uzbekistan, Tashkent, 1 – 2 July, 2009

- **Mohanty Arun**, “The Threats of Hydro-war in Central Asia”, in the International Conference on Security ,Energy and Water in Central Asia and Caucasus, organised by Institute of Political Studies at Teheran, Iran, March, 2010
- **Mohanty Arun**, “Two Decades of Economic Transition in Russia”, in the International Conference on Eurasia in Transition held at Kolkota, February, 2010
- **Mohanty Arun**, “President Medvedev’s Economic Modernisation Agenda”, in the International Conference on Central Eurasia: Geopolitical and Economic Perspectives, organised by the University of Mumbai, held at Mumbai, February, 2010
- **Mohanty Arun**, “Global Economic Crisis – an Indian view point”, in the International Conference on Global Economic Crisis: the Way Ahead held at Vienna, Austria, January, 2010
- **Mohanty Arun**, “Latest discourse on Eurasianism,” in an international conference organised by Kazakh Institute of Culture on Role of Historical and Cultural Heritage in the Dialogue of Civilizations, held at Almaty, Kazakhstan, June, 2009.
- **Mohanty Arun**, “Global Financial Crisis and India,” in the international workshop on Global Financial Crisis and its Consequences, held in Vienna Austria, September, 2009.
- **Mohanty Arun**, “China Factor in Russia’s Central Asia Policy,” in the international conference, organised by Kashmir University, held at Srinagar, August, 2009.
- **Pandey Sanjay**, “Foreign Policy of Russia: The Eurasian Dimension” at the national seminar on Central Eurasia: Geopolitical and Economic Perspectives organised by the Centre for Central Eurasian Studies, University of Mumbai on 10 – 11 February, 2010.
- **Pandey Sanjay**, “Significance of India-Russia Relations in the Asia Pacific Context” at the symposium on North East Asian Security organised by the Vladivostok State University for Economics and Service and the United States Department of State between 14 – 17 September, 2009.
- **Upadhyay Archana**, National seminar on ‘Current Scenes of Conflict: Gandhian Perspectives for Resolution’ organised by the Centre for Gandhian Studies, Gitam University, Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh, 19 – 21 March, 2010
- **Upadhyay Archana**, National seminar on Sexual Harassment in Academic Places: Socio, Cultural, Legal and Ethic Issues, organised by GSCASH on 10 November, 2009.
- **Upadhyay Archana**, International seminar on Traditional and Non-traditional Threats to Central Asian Security organised by the Centre for Russian and Central Asian Studies, JNU, 22 – 23 October, 2009
- **Das Preeti D.**, “Minority Culture in the Nation Building Process in Central Asia – Challenges and Opportunity” – presented at the conference held in the Academy of Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 17 – 18 March, 2010
- **Das Preeti D.**, “Cultural dimension of non-traditional threats to Central Asian Security” paper presented in the international seminar on “Traditional and Non-traditional Threats to Central Asian Security” 22 – 23 October, 2009
- **Badan Phool**, Paper presented at international seminar on “Judicial Reform in Uzbekistan”, organised by the Institute for Studies of the Civil Society, Tashkent, Uzbekistan, 15 – 16 June, 2009
- **Badan Phool**, Paper presented at international seminar on “The Aral Sea and Environmental Problems in Central Asia”, organised by the Centre for Russian & Central Asian Studies, SIS, 22 – 23 October, 2009
- **Badan Phool**, Paper presented at national seminar on “Environmental Degradation and Health Problems in Central Asia”, organized by the Centre for Central Eurasian Studies, Mumbai University, 10 – 11 February, 2010

Centre for West Asian Studies

- **Pasha A. K.**, Made a presentation on “Indian Perception of Democracy in the GCC States” at the Ninth “Doha Forum” conference organised by the Qatar University/Foundation in Doha, Qatar on Issues of Democracy, Development and Free Trade, 3-6 May, 2009

- **Pasha A. K.**, Presented a paper on “Some Aspects of Indo-GCC Ties” in a meeting of the Joint Research Project between MEA, GOI and Gulf Research Centre, Dubai, UAE on “GCC-India Relations” at Dubai, UAE., 14-17 June 2009
- **Pasha A. K.**, Presented a paper in a panel discussion on “GCC-Iran Relations” organised by the Indian Council of World Affairs, Sapru House, New Delhi, 25 August, 2009
- **Pasha A. K.**, Presented a paper on “Changing Threat Perception from West Asia: India’s Options”, in a national seminar on India’s Foreign Policy: Continuity and Changes” organised by the Department of Politics and International Studies, Pondicherry University, Pondicherry. Presided over the IV session on 27 August, 2009 on “India, Pakistan and West Asia, 27-28 August, 2009
- **Pasha A. K.**, Presented a paper on “Tipu Sultan’s Diplomacy in the Persian Gulf Region” in the second Biennial international conference of the Persian Gulf: History, Civilization and Culture, 15-16 November, 2009 organised by the Department of History, Tehran University, Tehran, Iran. Presided over the III session on 16 November, 2009.
- **Pasha A. K.**, Presented a paper in an international seminar on Understanding the Israel/Palestine Question: Resonances in the Politics of West Asia, organised by the Maulana Abdul Kalam Azad Institute of Asian Studies, Kolkata on “The Israeli New Historians and Arab-Israeli Conflict: An Arab Perspective”, 18 December, 2009.
- **Pasha A. K.**, Presented two papers “India’s Political Ties with the GCC: Challenges and Emerging Responses” and “India’s Bilateral Linkages with GCC States” in a GCC-India Joint Study Group, second project workshop organised by ICWA-MEA, Sapru House, New Delhi, 5-7 January, 2010
- **Pasha A. K.**, Presented a paper in an international conference on Life and Achievements of Tipu Sultan on “Tipu Sultan’s Diplomacy in the Gulf Region” organised by the Directorate of Archaeology and Museums, Mysore 16-18 January, 2010. Presided over the III session on 17 January, 2010.
- **Pasha A. K.**, Presented a paper in a national seminar on International Treaties, Federalism and Indian Constitution” on “Federalism, India’s Foreign Policy and Emerging Issues”, organised by the Institute of Parliamentary Affairs, Government of Kerala, Thiruvanthapuram at Malabar Christian College, Calicut on 4-5 February, 2010. Presided over session III Multilateralism and the New Dimensions in Indian Foreign Policy 5 February, 2010.
- **Pasha A. K.**, Presented a paper on “Historical and Cultural Relations in Fertile Crescent and India” in an International Conference on Fertile Crescent, Great Powers and India organised by the Centre for West Asian Studies, SIS, JNU, New Delhi 9-11 February, 2010. Presided over the inaugural and valedictory session on 9-11 February, 2010
- **Pasha A. K.**, Presented a paper on “Israel and the Decline of Pan-Arabism in Egypt”, at a national seminar on “Ideological Trends in West Asia” organised by the Centre of West Asian Studies, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, 16-18 February, 2010
- **Pasha A. K.**, Presented a paper on “The Portuguese and Decline of Indo-Arab Maritime Trade and Commerce” in an international conference on “People Culture and Goods in Motion: India Arab Maritime Historical Relations”, organised by the Gulf Studies Programme, Centre for West Asian Studies, SIS, JNU, New Delhi 3-4 March, 2010. Presided over the II session.
- **Pasha A. K.**, Presented a paper on “Vijayanagara Empire, Krishnadevaraya, Portuguese and the Gulf Region” in an international conference on “Life and Achievements of Krishnadevaraya” organised by the Directorate of Archaeology and Museums, Government of Karnataka, Mysore, held at Hospet, Karnataka, 6-8 March 2010.
- **Pasha A. K.**, Presented a paper on, “Egypt, India and Euro-Asian Maritime Contacts” in a national seminar – Beyond the Waters: Indian Ocean in Historical Perspectives, organised by the Chair, Indian Ocean Studies, Department of History, University of Calicut, Calicut, Kerala, 29-30 March 2010

Centre for European Studies

- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, ‘India in the World and India-EU Relations’ at a symposium on Elections in India-Challenges for the up and coming super power organised by the Heinrich Böll Stiftung, Berlin, Germany, 21 April, 2009.

- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, India-EU Strategic Partnership, at Jean Monnet Centre for European Studies, Department of Political Science, University of Bremen, Bremen, Germany, 23 April, 2009.
- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, 'India's Foreign Policy in The Regional Context' at the international conference on Emerging Powers: India, Brazil, and South Africa (IBSA) and the Future of South-South Cooperation, organised by the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Washington, D.C, USA, 22 May, 2009.
- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, 'Multilateralism in Crisis: Causes and Consequences' at the 8th FES- SWP North South Dialogue on Global Governance for Global Markets: Moving Beyond G8? Berlin, Germany, 16 – 17 June, 2009.
- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, "Reform of the International System – The Quest for Democratization" in the India-EU Forum on Effective Multilateralism organised by the Indian Council of World Affairs and the EU Institute of Security Studies, New Delhi, 8 – 9 October, 2009.
- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, 20 Years After the Fall of the Berlin Wall, organised by the Centre for European Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University and the Embassy of Germany, New Delhi, India, 2-12 November, 2009.
- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, Celebrating Freedom: 20 Years After the Fall of the Berlin Wall organised by the Friedrich Naumann Stiftung, New Delhi, India, 10 November, 2009.
- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, 'Europe's Role in International Governance' in The University Research Priority Program (URPP) Asia and Europe of the University of Zurich, Switzerland, 8 – 9 December, 2009.
- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, Islam, Politics and Security in South Asia, organised by the International Institute of Strategic Studies, London at Muscat, Oman, 14-16 December, 2009.
- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, "The EU as a Normative Foreign Policy Actor: Bridging Norms and Realism" in Connections and Dialogue: The European Union and the Asia Pacific Perceptions, Policies, Perspectives organised by the European Union Studies Association – Asia Pacific Centre for European Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University Indian Association for European Union Studies in association with India-EU Study Centre Programme, School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India, 8 – 9 January, 2010.
- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, Technical Assistance for the Existing EU Study Centres in India, organised by India - EU Study Centres Programme and IIT Madras, India, 20 – 21 January, 2010.
- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, "Emerging Global Players: EU and The BRICS" on the theme Contemporary Debates in World Politics and India under the Pandit Hriday Nath Kunzru Memorial Lectures, organised by SIS, JNU, New Delhi, India, 22 January, 2010.
- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, Constitutions for Freedom: The German and Indian Constitutions turn 60, Symposium Organised by Friedrich-Naumann-Stiftung and Centre for European Studies, SIS, JNU, New Delhi, 29 January, 2010.
- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, EU-India Relations in the Twenty-first Century in Theory Vs. Policy? Connecting Scholars and Practitioners organised by the International Studies Association, New Orleans, USA, 17 – 20 February, 2010.
- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, 'Perceptions on Global Governance' in The EU and the Emerging Powers, organised by the Institute for European Studies, Vrije University Brussels, Belgium, 22 – 23 March, 2010.
- **Jha, Shashikant**, Breaking Barriers: 20 Years After the Fall of the Berlin Wall, Centre for European Studies, SIS, JNU and the Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany, New Delhi, presentation on "Historical Significance of the Fall of Berlin Wall", 3 – 9 November 2009
- **Jha, Shashikant**, Constitutions for Freedom: The German and Indian Democracies turn 60; Symposium organised by Frederich-Neumann Centre fur dic freiheit and Centre for European Studies, SIS, JNU, Presentation "Political Parties and Democracy in India", 29 January, 2010
- **Jain, Rajendra K.**, Speaker, European Studies in Asia (ESIA) Network Public Panel, "EU-Asian Relations: Policies and Perceptions of the EU in Malaysia," India and the European Union: Perceptions and Policies, Asia-Europe Institute, University of Malaysia, Kuala Lumpur, 19 June, 2009.

- **Jain, Rajendra K.**, Panelist, at a seminar on “Breaking Barriers: 20 Years after the Fall of the Berlin Wall”, JNU in association with the German Embassy, 14 November, 2009.
- **Jain, Rajendra K.**, Participant, Networked Regionalism versus Institutional Regionalism – Managing Complexities in Regional Cooperation and Global Governance, organised by the EU Centre in Singapore, Singapore, 8 – 9 December, 2009.

Lectures Delivered (Outside JNU)

Centre for Canadian, US and Latin American Studies

- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Delivered the Inaugural Address for the 14th Refresher Course on American Literature and Teaching of Literature in Recent Global Context” at Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University-based UGC-Academic Staff College, Aurangabad, Maharashtra, 3 September, 2009
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Delivered a lecture “US Factor in South Asian Peace and Stability,” at an international gathering on South Asian Youth Meet at Symbiosis International University to discuss “Environment, Sustainability and Energy Efficiency”, 23 September, 2009.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Delivered a lecture on “Obama Administration: Challenges for India” at Gargi College 25 September, 2009.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Lectured on “National Election in Japan: Possible Effects on US-Japan Alliance,” at ICRIER,
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Delivered a lecture on “China’s Strategic Objectives: Impact and Challenges for India,” at the College of Air Warfare, Secunderabad, 17 August, 2009.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Delivered a lecture on “Strategic Dimension of US-Indian Relations” at “XIII Joint Civil-Military Training Programme on National Security: at the Lal Bahadur Shastri National Academy of Administration, Mussoorie, 17 November, 2009
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Delivered two lectures on “America’s Global Role in 21st Century” and “Indo-US Relations” at the Academic Staff College, Himachal University, Shimla, 23 November 2009
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Delivered a lecture on ‘Indo-US Relations under Obama Administration,” at Venkateswara College, University of Delhi, 25 November, 2009.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Delivered two lectures on “US Foreign Policy in the Post-Cold War Era” and “Obama’s India policy” at the Academic Staff College, Pondicherry University, Pondicherry, December, 2009.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Delivered a lecture on “US Approaches towards China and India,” at the BSF Training Programme, IDSA, 18 December, 2009.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Delivered a lecture on “US Foreign Policy: An Overview” to 2009 batch of Indian Foreign Service Probationers at Foreign Service Institute 28 January, 2010.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Delivered a lecture on “Evolution of American Role in Global Peace and Conflict” at a Refresher Course in Political Science and Public Administration” at Kurukshetra University, 6 February, 2010.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Delivered a lecture on “US in Indian Foreign Policy Strategy” at a Refresher Course in Political Science and Public Administration” at Kurukshetra University, 6 February, 2010.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Delivered a lecture on “Is the US a Declining Power?” at Shahid Bhagat Singh College, University of Delhi, 8 February, 2010.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Delivered a lecture on “Liberal Internationalism and Realism in US Foreign Policy” at Bharati College, University of Delhi, 9 February, 2010.
- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Delivered a lecture on “US Role in the World” at the UGC Orientation Programme (OR 62) for the university and college teachers at Academic Staff College, University of Delhi, 15 March, 2010.

- **Mahapatra Chintamani**, Delivered a lecture on “Indo-US Ties: Problems and Challenges” at the UGC Orientation Programme (OR 62) for the university and college teachers at Academic Staff College, University of Delhi, 15 March, 2010.
- **Singh Priti**, Co-organised with the Centre for Latin American Studies, Goa University, Conference on Contemporary Latin America: Recent Developments in collaboration with the Centre for Latin American Studies, Goa University, Goa, 18 January, 2010.

Centre for East Asian Studies

- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture on “China’s Strategic Challenge” Centre for Air Power Studies (CAPS), 28 April, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture on Chinese Military at Military Intelligence Training School and Depot, Pune, 22 May, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Discussant at the Institute for Defence Studies and Analysis (IDSA) on “Evaluating the ‘Hybrid’ Character of China’s Communist regime”, 12 June, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, “China Rise and Its Implications” lecture delivered at Southern Command, Centre for Advanced Strategic Studies and CAPS organised seminar, 10 July, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture on “China’s Rise and Military Strategy” for Squadron Leaders at CAPS, 15 July, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture on “China’s Nuclear Doctrine” at CAPS, 17 July, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture on “China’s Air Force Modernisation” at CAPS, 17 July, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture on PLA at School of Artillery, 25 July, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture to defence attaches at United Services Institution (USI) on Current Unrest in Xinjiang, 29 July, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Discussant at IDSA on Chinese Perceptions of India, 31 July, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture on “China’s Nuclear Doctrine” at CAPS, 5 August, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture on China at the National Defence College, New Delhi, 11 August, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture on “Chinese Air Force” at College of Air War, 17 August, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture on China’s Asymmetric Warfare at Integrated Defence Staff Hq, New Delhi, 25 September, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Discussant at CAPS on “China’s Comprehensive National Strength”, 14 September, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture on India-China Border Dispute at the India International Centre (IIC), 24 September, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture on “China’s Asymmetric Warfare and India” at the Defence Intelligence Agency, 25 September, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture on “30 Years of Reform and Chinese Military” Institute of Chinese Studies, 30 September, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Presentation on “Maritime Cooperation and CBMs” at Singapore organised by Institute of Peace and Conflict Studies (IPCS), on 8 October, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, “Introducing China” lecture to LEAD India delegates, New Delhi, 11 October, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Discussant of Natwar Singh’s “My China Diary” Nehru Memorial Museum and Library, 13 October, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture on China’s Strategic Challenge CAPS, 13 October, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture on “China’s Military Strategy and India” Defence Services Staff College, Wellington, 14 October, 2009

- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture on India's Policy towards China at Security Risks.com organised event at The Oberoi Hotel for Swedish delegation 21 October, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, "Recent trends in India-China relations" USI for defence attaches 29 October, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, "The Current Momentum in India-China Relations" ML Sondhi Institute of International Affairs, India International Centre, 30 October, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Presentation on "Emergence of India and China" Second Strategic Dialogue between the Government of India Ministry of External Affairs and Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Tokyo, 4-5 November, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, "China's Military Strategy and Global Implications" National Technical Research Organisation, New Delhi, 24 November, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture on "Rise of China and its Military Strategy" CAPS, 24 November, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture on "China's Nuclear Strategy" CAPS, 26 November, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture on China's Role in the Indian Ocean, College of Naval Warfare, 5 December, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture on "China's Nuclear Strategy" Army War College Mhow, 12 December, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture on "China in Global Order and Implications to India" to BSF Higher Command Course at IDSA, 17 December, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Talk on "India-China Relations Today" at Rajdhani College, Delhi, 21 December, 2009
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, "China's Nuclear Strategy and Capability" CAPS, 13 January, 2010
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, "China and South-South Cooperation" ICSSR, 23 February, 2010
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, "India-China Relations: Emerging Trends" brief presentation at India Forum Meeting organised by the German Marshall Fund of the United States, Legatum Institute and Swedish Foreign Ministry at London, 20-21 February, 2010
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Discussant at IDSA on Chinese Communist Party and the Military, 3 March, 2010
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture to Singapore Foreign Ministry probationary officers delegation on India China relations 10 March, 2010
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Lecture on China's Rise and Its Implications at CAPS-IAF Eastern Headquarters joint seminar, 13 March, 2010
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Brief presentation on India-China relations for the US Air War College delegation at IPCS, 19 March, 2010
- **Choudhury Srabani Roy**, Cross- cultural Communication, Global Leadership programme, IMI,
- **Choudhury Srabani Roy**, International Human Resource Management IIFT

Centre for International Trade and Development

- **Ray, Amit Shovon**, Technological Capability of Developing Countries: Concept, Evolution and the Role of IPR, Lecture at the Master's in International and Development Economics Programme at Department of Economics, HTW-Berlin University of Applied Sciences, Berlin, Germany, 11 November, 2009.
- **Sawhney, Aparna**, Invited lecture "Sustainability and Trade in Environmental Goods and Services" on 7 December, 2009, TERI Training Programme in Trade and Sustainable Development: Issues for Developing Countries (Indian Technical and Economic Cooperation and Special Commonwealth Assistance for Africa Programme, under GOI), 23 November – 12 December, 2009
- **Sawhney, Aparna**, Invited lecture on "Emissions Trading", Ph.D. Fellow Programme, MDI, Gurgaon, 10 December, 2009.

- **Sawhney, Aparna**, Invited lecture on “Environmental Economics: Case of Emissions Trading”, Refresher Course for College and University Teachers programme of the UGC at Jamia Millia Islamia University, 19 October, 2009.

Centre for International Politics, Organization and Disarmament

- **Choedon, Yeshi**, Gave a lecture on “UN as an Instrument of Multilateral Diplomacy” to IFS (Probationers) at Foreign Service Institute, 31 March, 2010.
- **Mallavarapu, Siddharth**, “Theories of IR: Marxists, Reflectivists and Constructivists’, lecture to IFS Probationers at the Foreign Service Institute, New Delhi, 17 March, 2010
- **Mallavarapu, Siddharth**, ‘Critical Perspectives on National Interest, National Security: Role of Domestic Factors and Policies in IR’, lecture to IFS Probationers at the Foreign Service Institute, New Delhi, 18 March, 2010.
- **Mallavarapu, Siddharth**, ‘Dynamics of IR: Understanding Globalization’, lecture to IFS Probationers at the Foreign Service Institute, New Delhi, 19 March 2010.
- **Murthy, CSR**, “A Political Introduction to the UN”, Foreign Service Institute, New Delhi, 26 February, 2010.
- **Murthy, CSR**, “Challenges to the UN role in the 21st century”, Foreign Service Institute, New Delhi, 29 January, 2010.
- **Negi, Archana**, Indira Gandhi National Forest Academy and TERI University, Mid Career Training Programme, lecture on “Forests in International Law”, 18 February, 2010.
- **Negi, Archana**, Asian-African Legal Consultative Organization, Centre for Research and Training, Basic Course on the World Trade Organization, lectures on “Trade and Environment Interface” and “An Introduction to Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures (SPS) and Technical Barriers to Trade (TBT) Agreements”, 3 February, 2010.
- **Negi Archana**, Indian Law Institute, Diploma in Environmental Law, Lectures on: “Overview of the Evolution of International Environmental Law” and “International Environmental Law: From Stockholm to Rio”, 7 and 11 December 2009.
- **Negi, Archana**, Indian Society of International Law, P G Diploma in International Trade and Business Law, lectures on: “The WTO Article XX Exceptions” and “The WTO Sanitary and Phytosanitary Standards Agreement and the Agreement on Technical Barriers to Trade”, 27 and 30 November 2009.
- **Negi, Archana**, Indian Society of International Law, Training on Trade and Intellectual Property Rights for Indian Forest Service Officers, lectures on “Trade and Environment” and “The WTO TBT and SPS Agreements”, 9 October, 2009.
- **Negi, Archana**, Indian Society of International Law, Training Programme on ‘International and National Economic Law for the Officer Trainees of Indian Economic Service’, lectures on: “Political Economy of IMF and World Bank” and “Trade and Environment” 22 May, 2009.
- **Rajagopalan, Rajesh** “Role of Nuclear Weapons and Deterrence in South Asia”, lecture at the 2nd Squadron Officers’ Capsule, Centre for Air Power Studies, New Delhi, on 24 November, 2009.
- **Rajagopalan, Rajesh** “India’s Experience in Low Intensity Conflicts: Political, Administrative and Military Lessons Learnt,” presentation at a symposium on “Low intensity Conflicts,” conducted by the Army War College, Mhow, 11 September, 2009.
- **Rajagopalan, Rajesh** “The Feasibility of Global Nuclear Disarmament,” presentation at the Centre for Security Analysis, Chennai, 4 September, 2009.
- **Rajagopalan, Rajesh** “US Interests and the Emerging Realpolitik,” lecture at the Army War College, Mhow, 21 August, 2009.
- **Rajagopalan, Rajesh** “Dynamics of International Relations: Historical and Theoretical Background,” lecture at the Special Course for Maldivian Diplomats, Foreign Service Institute, New Delhi, 20 July, 2009.
- **Rajagopalan, Rajesh** “Survey of International Security Structures,” lecture at the National Defence College, New Delhi, 30 April, 2009.

Centre for South, Central, Southeast Asia and South-West Pacific Studies

- **Jha Ganganath**, India and East Asia: Prospects of Cooperation and Problems of Integration, Centre for Southeast Asia and Pacific, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati paper titled “Politics of military in Myanmar, 7-9 October 2009
- **Jha Ganganath**, Seminar on Domestic Conflict in South Asia-Dimensions and Directions, South Asia Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur, paper titled “Struggle for Democracy in Myanmar”, 26-27 October, 2009
- **Jha Ganganath**, Public lecture at Jammu University’s Department of Strategic and Regional Studies (DSRS) on the topic “India-Myanmar Relations”, 15 January, 2010
- **Jha Ganganath**, Lecture on “Politics of Myanmar”, SIS faculty meetings of the University, New Delhi, 1 September, 2009
- **Jha Ganganath**, India’s Southeast Asia, Department of Political Science, Patna University, 4 February, 2010
- **Warikoo K.**, Delivered lectures on Khakasia – History, Culture and Society at Katanov State University, Abakan, Russia, 8 -18 August, 2009.
- **Warikoo K.**, Participated in the 12th Session of Human Rights Council, Geneva 14 September – 2 October, 2009.
- **Warikoo K.**, Presented a paper “China – Central Asia Relations: View from India at the international seminar on Central Asia: The New Great Game at India International Centre, New Delhi, 14-15 October, 2009.
- **Warikoo K.**, Resented a paper “Indus Waters Treaty: View from Kashmir”, at IDSA- IIC Seminar on Water Security in the Neighbourhood: Cooperation or Conflict at the India International Centre, New Delhi, 9 December, 2009.
- **Warikoo K.**, Participated in and Chaired an Academic session on Tajikistan in Transition at the international seminar on Communities, Institutions and Transition in Post- 1991 Eurasia organised by the Maulana Azad Institute of Asian Studies, Kolkata, 22-24 February, 2010.
- **Warikoo K.**, Participated in the 13th Session of Human Rights Council Geneva, 8-19 March, 2010
- **Dutta Mondira**, ‘Empowering the Trafficked Children: Case Studies from India,’ paper presented at the International Multidisciplinary Women’s Congress 2009: Change and Empowerment, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Dokuz Eylul University, Izmir, Turkey, 13-16 October, 2009
- **Dutta Mondira**, Chaired the workshop on ‘Skill Development of Counselors’ for Rescued Trafficked Victims, Association for Community Development (ACD), Rajshahi, Bangladesh, 6-7 October, 2009
- **Dutta Mondira**, ‘International North South Transport Corridor: Promoting Economic Integration and Regional Cooperation,’ paper presented in an international conference on Eurasian Peace and Cooperation: Challenges and Opportunities, Srinagar, 17 – 19, August 2009
- **Dutta Mondira**, “Women Enterprises in Afghanistan and India-Some Experiences”, paper presented at the international conference on ‘Women between Modernity and Tradition in Afghanistan and India’ Organised by India–Afghanistan Foundation, Kabul, Afghanistan, 30 June – 1 July, 2009
- **Dutta Mondira**, Chaired the session on “Round Table Conference on Kashmir” Faculty of International Relations, Al Farabi Kazakh National University, Almaty, Kazakhstan, 27 April, 2009
- **Dutta Mondira**, “Reconstruction Process in Afghanistan- The Indian Initiatives” paper presented at the Centre for International Relations and Regional Studies, L. N. Gumilev Eurasian National University, Astana, Kazakhstan, 25 April, 2009
- **Dutta Mondira**, “Drug Trafficking and Vulnerabilities of Central Asia” paper presented at the Centre for International Relations and Regional Studies, L. N. Gumilev Eurasian National University, Astana, Kazakhstan, 24 April, 2009
- **Dutta Mondira**, “Research Methodology and Hypothesis Building” paper presented at the Centre for International Relations and Regional Studies, L. N. Gumilev Eurasian National University, Astana, Kazakhstan, 23 April, 2009
- **Dutta Mondira**, “India – Central Asia Relations”, Paper presented at the Centre for International Relations and Regional Studies, L. N. Gumilev Eurasian National University, Astana, Kazakhstan, 21 April 2009

- **Dutta Mondira**, Judge at the Debate Competition on “Force can be justified on humanitarian grounds” [Extract from Obama’s Nobel Acceptance Speech], Gandhi Study Circle, Gargi College, Delhi University, New Delhi, 9 February, 2010
- **Dutta Mondira**, Participated in an informal round table with Head of the Delegation from Kabul, ICRC, Nizamuddin East, New Delhi, 6 October 2009
- **Dutta Mondira**, Member of the Expert Review and Editing Workshop to review and suggest adaptations/adoptions of course material on the methodologies in Gender and Development Studies in the Distance Mode, IGNOU, New Delhi, , 18-19 September, 2009
- **Dutta Mondira**, Empowerment of Women, Centre for Professional Development in Higher Education, (CPDHE), University of Delhi - an Orientation Programme (OR-62) for the University and College teachers, New Delhi, 8 March, 2010
- **Dutta Mondira**, ‘Human Trafficking in the Context of Population Movements in South Asia’ paper presented at the Academic Staff College, Jamia Millia Islamia for a UGC Refresher Course on Geography and Environmental Studies, New Delhi, 2 February, 2010
- **Dutta Mondira**, ‘Women’s Work and Socio-Economic Development,’ paper presented at the Academic Staff College, Jamia Millia Islamia for a UGC Refresher Course on Geography and Environmental Studies, New Delhi, 2 February, 2010
- **Dutta Mondira**, ‘Women’s Work in the Domestic/Production Sector’, Paper presented in the workshop on Household and Domestic Labor, IGNOU, New Delhi, 26 February, 2010
- **Batra Amita**, “Economic Dimensions of India’s Look East Policy”, at the international seminar on “India’s Effective Look East Policy” jointly organised by SIOS, Calcutta Chapter, and Centre for Southand Southeast Asia Studies, Calcutta University, on 19 December 2009 at the Calcutta University Campus, Alipore, Kolkata.
- **Batra Amita**, “Prospects of Inter Sub Regional Financial Integration in Asia”, at the International conference on “Inter regionalism between East Asia and SAARC- Perspectives, Challenges and Implications for the Future”, organised by the Department of East Asian Studies, Delhi University, No.26-27, 2009.
- **Batra Amita**, Future of Regional Cooperation: Case Study of BIMSTEC, at the international conference on South Asia titled South Asia 2020: Moving Towards Cooperation or Conflict” held on November 4-5, 2009 organised by The Institute for Defence Studies and analyses (IDSA), New Delhi.
- **Batra Amita**, Discussant in the Session on “Perspectives on India Economy’ the a Conference on ‘Emerging India and the Global Economy’, jointly organised by US-based Association of Indian Economic and Financial Studies (AIEFS) and RIS at the India Habitat Centre, New Delhi, India on 19-20, June, 2009.
- **Batra Amita**, Panelist at a discussion on Southeast Asia in 2010s at the Institute of Peace and Conflict Studies (IPCS), 5 March, 2010.
- **Batra Amita**, Panelist at the Seminar on ‘India ASEAN FTA’, organised by Institute of Peace and Conflict Studies (IPCS), New Delhi, 27 August, 2009
- **Batra Amita**, Presented a paper on “India’s Northeast and Southeast Asia: Strengthening an Integrated Economic Space” at a seminar on Northeast India and Southeast Asia, organised by Institute of Peace and Conflict Studies (IPCS), New Delhi, 29 May, 2009.
- **Batra Amita**, Delivered a lecture on “Methodologies for Evaluating the Relevance and Potentials of RTAs” to the participants from developing countries of a capacity building programme on ‘International Economic Issues and Development Policy’ at Research and Information Systems for Developing countries (RIS), New Delhi, India- 24 – 25 February, 2010
- **Batra Amita**, Delivered the Inaugural Lecture of the Annual Economics Department Festival L’ Economiste, at Hindu College, Delhi University, 7 December, 2009.

- **Batra Amita**, Delivered a lecture on “Economic Issues and National Security” to the senior Indian Police Service (IPS) officers and Indian Foreign Service (IFS) probationers, batch of 2008, at the Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses (IDSA), New Delhi, India- 2 September, 2009 and 17 April, 2009.
- **Dhaka Ambrish**, “The Geopolitics of Energy Security and the Response to its Challenges by India and Germany’, *Geopolitics*, 14(2) 278-299, 2009, DOI: 10, 1080/14650040802693580
- **Dhaka Ambrish**, ‘Conflict in Afghanistan and the Peace in South Asia’, Paper presented in National Seminar on “India’s Neighbourhood Policy”, SA Jain College, Ambala, Haryana, 22-23 February, 2010
- **Dhaka Ambrish**, “India’s Afghanistan Policy: New Dimensions and Challenges’ Paper presented in National Seminar on ‘India in South Asia: Opportunities and Challenges in a Globalizing World’ organised by South Asia Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur, 5-6 March, 2010
- **Namgyal Tsetan**, “Transformations of Buddhism in Tibetan Civilization Through the Ages” International Buddhist Conference, Bodhgaya, 8-9 December, 2009
- **Namgyal Tsetan**, “Religio-Political System of Tibetan Governance in Global Perspective” (chos-srid gnyis-Idan or chos- srid zung- bsdrel) International Conference at Buddhist Studies Delhi University Delhi 17-19 February, 2010.
- **Namgyal Tsetan**, “Early Buddhist Ethnical Values in Pali Buddhist Literatures: Perspective and Prospective in Contemporary World” International Conference organised by Rastriya Sanskrit Sansthan (Deemed University) at Delhi Vigyan Bhawan. Delhi, 22-24 September, 2009.
- **Kaul Man Mohini**, “Socio-Cultural Profiles of Malaysia and Singapore” organised by ARSP Study Team, New Delhi, 16 January, 2010
- **Kaul Man Mohini**, “State of Bilateral Relationship”, at 2nd India Australia Roundtable Organised by ICWA with Lowy Institute, Sapru House, New Delhi, 12 November, 2009
- **Kaul Man Mohini**, “Experience of Indian Minority Community in Malaysia” at the Roundtable on “Indian Diaspora Across the Globe: Experience of a Minority Community”, organised by Dr. K R Narayanan Centre for Dalit and Minorities Studies and Organisation for Diaspora Initiatives at Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 17 August 2009
- **Kaul Man Mohini**, “Balancing Tradition and Modernity: Indonesia as a Role Model I the Muslim World? At the seminar on “Indonesia Today: Post Elections Reassessment of Democracy, Military and Islam,” organised by ICWA, Sapru House, New Delhi, 31 July, 2009
- **Soni Sharad K.**, *Presented paper on* “Post-1991 Mongolia: A Paradigm of Peaceful Democratic Transition”, at *international seminar on “Communities, Institutions and ‘Transition’ in Post 1991 Eurasia”, organised by Maulana Abul Kalam Azad Institute of Asian Studies, Kolkata at Kolkata on 22-24 February, 2010.*
- **Soni Sharad K.**, *Presented paper on* “Tibet as a Factor Impacting China Studies in India,” (In Collaboration) at International Conference on “Emerging China: Prospects for Partnership in Asia”, organised by Indian Council of World Affairs and Association of Asia Scholars at New Delhi on 21-23 November, 2009.
- **Soni Sharad K.**, *Presented paper on* “Buddhist Factor in Promoting Traditional Culture in Mongolia,” at International Conference on “Buddhism and Nordland 2009”, organised by Estonian Nyingma at Tallinn University, Tallinn, Estonia on 8-10 October, 2009.
- **Soni Sharad K.**, *Presented paper on* “India-Mongolia Relations: Regional Perspectives”, at IXth Conference of Indian Congress of Asian and Pacific Studies”, *organised by University of Allahabad at Allahabad on 4-5 September, 2009.*
- **Soni Sharad K.**, Delivere lecture on “Post-Soviet Interaction between Mongolia and Kazakhstan: Issues and Perspectives” at Kazakh Ablai Khan University of International Relations and World Languages, Almaty, Kazakhstan on 1 July, 2009.
- **Soni Sharad K.**, Delivere lecture on “Kazakhstan as a Factor in Mongolia-Central Asia Relations” at L. N. Gumilyov Eurasian National University, Astana, Kazakhstan on 23 June, 2009.

- **Soni Sharad K.**, Conducted lectures to Academic Staff and Students of Kazakh Ablai Khan University of International Relations and World Languages, Almaty, Kazakhstan from 25 June – 1 July, 2009.
- **Soni Sharad K.**, Delivered lecture on “Sino-Mongolian Relations”, on Department of East Asian Studies, University of Delhi, Delhi on 22 March, 2010.
- **Kharat Rajesh S.**, Invited as Panelist for a Presentation on BHUTAN at an Interactive Panel Discussion on The Big Challenge: Managing Relations with Neighbours, to the Mid – Career Training Programme for Joint Secretary Level IFS officers organised by the Foreign Service Institute, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, New Delhi on 28 April, 2009.
- **Kharat Rajesh S.**, Invited to address on India’s Strategic Neighbourhood to the Members of the 49th Course on National Security and Strategic Studies conducted by the National Defence College, Ministry of Defence, New Delhi on 25 August, 2009.

Centre for Comparative Politics and Political Theory

- **Menon Nivedita**, Public lecture, “Caste on the International Stage: Lessons from Critical Race Theory”, English and Foreign Languages University, Hyderabad, 28-29 April, 2009
- **Menon Nivedita**, Delivered the Frida Laski Memorial Lecture, “Rules and the Outsider. Reflections on Pedagogy and Knowledge”, at Lucknow, November 27, 2009
- **Menon Nivedita**, Public lecture “Outside the grid of Secularism. Alternative readings of the present in India”, Scholar-in-Residence, Omio Kumar Das Institute of Social Change and Development, Guwahati, 13-21 December, 2009.

Centre for Russian and Central Asian Studies

- **Chenoy Anuradha M.**, Special lecture on United Nations Peace Keepers 12 Feb 2010; FSI, 12 March, 2010
- **Chenoy Anuradha M.**, Special lecture on Foreign Service Institute: India and Russia: 3 March, 2010
- **Chenoy Anuradha M.**, Special lecture on Politics of Central Asia, 17 March, 2010
- **Chenoy Anuradha M.**, Talks on The Role of UN Peace keepers in Peace Building, at UN Peace keeping Centre, New Delhi, 20 May and 6 July, 2009
- **Mohanty Arun**, Lecture delivered at Foreign Service Institute on Russian Foreign Policy.
- **Mohanty Arun**, Lecture delivered at Jawaharlal Nehru Centre , Bombay
- **Mohanty Arun**, Lecture delivered at Utkal University, Bhubaneswar
- **Kumar Rajan**, Multipolarity and the Emerging World Order, Winter School on Foreign Policy, University of Dehradun, January, 2010
- **Kumar Rajan**, National Interests and India’s Foreign Policy, Winter School on Foreign Policy, University of Dehradun, January 2010
- **Kumar Rajan**, Quantitative Research Methods, Central Univ of Gujarat, Gandhi Nagar, November, 2009

Centre for West Asian Studies

- **Pasha A. K.**, delivered a lecture on “Dynamics of Regionalism and Regional Cooperation in West Asia” at the Dep’t of International Relations/Politics, School of Global Studies, Sikkim University, Gangtok, Sikkim on 2 September, 2009.
- **Pasha A. K.**, delivered a lecture on “Global and Regional Security Concerns in West Asian and Afghanistan” at Army War College, Mhow, Indore, MP on 16 July, 2009.
- **Pasha A. K.**, delivered two lectures on “Indo-West Asian Maritime Relations” and “Turmoil in West Asia; Implications for India’s Foreign Policy” at Academic Staff College, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 2 March, 2010.
- **Pasha A. K.**, delivered lecture on “Indo-Arab Relations” at Academic Staff College, Jamia Millia Islamia, and New Delhi on 12 March, 2010.

- **Pasha A. K.**, delivered the SM Ali Shihab Thangal Memorial lecture at EMEA College of Arts and Science, Kondotti, Malappuram, Calicut, Kerala on “Dynamics of Indo-GCC Relations” on 19 March, 2010.
- **Kumaraswamy P. R.**, delivered a talk on “India-Israel relationship: Challenges and imperatives” Naval War College, 28 October, 2009
- **Kumaraswamy P. R.**, delivered a talk on “Geo-political situation in Iran and its neighbourhood:, Iran-India relations and prospects for future” National Defence College, 17 August, 2009
- **Kumaraswamy P. R.**, delivered a lecture on “Detached engagement: India and the Middle East”, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, 1 April, 2009

Centre for European Studies

- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, India-EU Relations, to Afghan Diplomats, Foreign Service Institute, Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India, New Delhi, India, 22 January, 2010
- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, European Union: Evolution, Structure, Present Role and Future to Foreign Diplomats, Foreign Service Institute, Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India, New Delhi, India , 11 March, 2010.
- **Jha, Shashikant**, presentation on “Politics in the Central Eurasian Space” at Pt. Harinath Misra Foundation, Patna, Bihar, 20 August, 2009.
- **Jain, Rajendra K.**, Lecture, The EU and the Asian Emerging Powers, Asia Europe Institute, University of Malaya, Kuala Lumpur, 27 January, 2010.
- **Jain, Rajendra K.**, Lecture, The EU and the Rise of China and India, organised by the Monash Europe and EU Centre and the Monash Asia Institute, Monash University, Melbourne, 22 September, 2009.
- **Sharma, Sheetal**, Lecture, ‘Logic of Scientific Inquiry in Social Sciences’, Central University of Gujarat, Gandhinagar, 6 November, 2009

Awards/Honors/Fellowship

Centre for International Trade and Development

- **Bansal, S.**, NWO (Dutch Scientific Research) research grant under ICSSR-NWO India Netherlands Social Science Scholar Exchanges, 2009-2010.
- **Bansal, S.**, Visiting Fellow, Tilburg University, Netherlands, June and September, 2009.
- **Mehra Meeta K.**, Awarded the DAAD funded Senior Fellowship for Research at Department of Economics, University of Applied Sciences (HTW) Berlin to be undertaken in 2010-2011.
- **Ray, Amit Shovon**, Fellow, The Royal Society of Health, UK (FRSH).
- **Ray, Amit Shovon**, Member, Independent Commission on Development and Health in India, Delhi.
- **Ray, Amit Shovon**, Visiting Senior Fellow, HTW-Berlin University of Applied Sciences, Berlin, Germany, November, 2009

Centre for South, Central, Southeast Asia and South-West Pacific Studies

- **Soni Sharad K.**, Appointed by the Asian Scholarship Foundation (ASF), Bangkok, Thailand as the Official Representative and contact person for the ASF Alumni Fellows in India since May, 2009.

Centre for European Studies

- **Sachdeva, Gulshan**, as a Regional Cooperation Adviser, worked in the Asia Foundation project at the Afghanistan Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Kabul (January-March 2010).

Memberships of Boards/Committees (Outside JNU)

Centre for Canadian, US and Latin American Studies

- **Singh Priti**, Member, Editorial Advisory Board for the journal *Thesis Eleven: Critical Theory and Historical Sociology* (Sage: London, Delhi, Thousand Oaks, Ca.); Member, Editorial Board of *Australian Perspectives*, an electronic journal produced by Australian Studies' scholars at La Trobe University, Melbourne, Australia and Member, Executive Committee of Indian Association for the Study of Australia (IASA), New Delhi

Centre for International Trade and Development

- **Bansal, Sangeeta**, Member, Editorial Board of *Resource and Energy Economics* (2006 onwards); Member, Editorial Board of *Environment and Development Economics* (January 2009- December 2011) and Program Committee Member, 27th Triennial Conference of International Association of Agricultural Economists, Beijing, 16- 22 August, 2009.
- **Sawhney, Aparna**, External Expert in the Consultative Committee on Trade and Environment, Ministry of Environment and Forest, Government of India.

Centre for International Politics, Organization and Disarmament

- **Meena, Krishnendra**, appointed as an Advisor to the Oikos International, Delhi Chapter on 15 January, 2010.

Centre for South, Central, Southeast Asia and South-West Pacific Studies

- **Jha Ganganath**, Committee of Advanced Studies and Research, Meerut University, Meerut.
- **Warikoo K.**, Member, Board of Research Studies, Academy of Third World Studies, Jamia Milla Islmia, New Delhi; Member, Board of Studies, University of Kashmir, Srinagar, and Member, IDSA Task Force on Water Security.
- **Kaul Man Mohini**, Invitation to join the CII- ASEAN Committee on 3 February, 2010; UGC nominee on the Advisory Committee on Centre for Australian and New Zealand Studies at Himachal Pradesh University Shimla, and Member of Core Team of Organization for Diaspora Initiatives (ODI), New Delhi.
- **Dutta Mondira**, Member as an External Expert in the Doctoral Committee in Gender and Development Studies, 2009, IGNOU, New Delhi,
- **Soni Sharad K.**, Joint Secretary, Association of ASIA Scholars (New Delhi), the official Alumni Organization of the Asian Scholarship Foundation (ASF), Bangkok (Thailand), since 18 July, 2009 and Member, South Asia Regional Committee of Association of ASIA Scholars, New Delhi, since 18 July, 2009; and Continuing as Assistant Editor (Hon'y), *Himalayan and Central Asian Studies*, a quarterly Journal published from New Delhi since 1997
- **Paswan Nawal K.**, Convenor: XXXIII Indian Social Science Congress (2009-11); Associate Editor: *African Journal of Political Science and International Relations* (2009) and Editor (Hony), *Himalayan and Central Asian Studies* (Quarterly Journal Published since 1997).

Centre for Comparative Politics and Political Theory

- **Menon Nivedita**, Invited Jury member to "Daughters of Fire", the India Court of Women on Dowry and Related Forms of Violence, "Resistance, courage and feminist solidarity", organised by Vimochana Bangalore and Asian Women's Human Rights Council, 26 -29 July, 2009; and Interlocutor to Slavoj Zizek, 5 January 2010, Delhi, Stein Auditorium, Delhi.
- **Upadhyay Archana**, Acted as a Referee for the international journal *Global Change, Peace and Security* (published by Routledge, UK) in October, 2009

Centre for Russian and Central Asian Studies

- **Mohanty Arun**, Member, India-Russia Committee, Confederation of Indian Industry
- **Kumar Rajan**, Member of Board and Course Developing Committee
- **Pandey Sanjay**, Member, Board of Undergraduate Studies, Department of Political Science, Nagaland University since 2009.

Centre for West Asian Studies

- **Pasha A. K.**, attended the Board of Studies meeting conducted by PG Board of Studies Programme of Madanjeet Institute for South Asian Regional Cooperation, Pondicherry Central University, and Pondicherry 1-2 December, 2009; and A K Pasha attended the meeting of the Governing Body of Chair for Maritime Studies and Research University of Calicut, Kerala on 7 August, 2009.

Centre for East Asian Studies

- **Varma Lalima**, Co-Convener of Japan- India Round Table; and Executive member of Japan –India friendship Forum, Federation of India Chamber of Commerce and Industry, [FICCI]; and Member, Editorial Board, of International Studies, Sage Publications, [Los Angeles, London, New Delhi, Singapore], from 2009 onwards.

Centre for European Studies

- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, Member, Advisory Board, RASEM network (Regionalism in the ASEM), National University of Singapore, Singapore; and International Advisory Member Routledge Book Series, Europe in the World
- **Jain, Rajendra K.**, Asian-Pacific Journal of EU Studies (Seoul), 2003-; and President, European Union Studies Association – Asia-Pacific, 2009-2010

School of Computation and Integrative Sciences

The School of Information Technology (SIT) was established in the University in 2001 and presently consists of three centres, namely,

- Centre for Computational Biology and Bioinformatics (CCBB)
- High Performance Computing Centre (HPCC) and
- Centre for Complex Systems Study (CCSS)

The Centre for Complex Systems Study which was approved by the UGC in the XIth plan during 2008-09 has finally been granted as a part of the school. Communication and Information Services (CIS) being a facility for JNU community, which was initially a part of SIT, ceased to be a part of the school since beginning of 2010. For the past nine years, the school has been contributing by applying computational, mathematical and statistical approaches towards quantitative biological sciences keeping the focus of the School on the use of information technology on education and research in the relevant fields. Presently, the emphasis of the school is on the study of how the increased availability of information in all spheres of enquiry, be it biological, physical, geological, economics, etc. can be most effectively utilised in an academic context. Three programmes such as CCBB, CCSS and HPCC clearly state the vision of the school, and so **the school has been renamed as School of Computational and Integrative Sciences** in March 2010.

Keeping with the research trends and advancements, the School has started a two year M.Tech. programme from 2006. The Ph.D. programme of the School of Information Technology started in 2001 with the admission of students to direct Ph.D. programme in Computational Biology and Bioinformatics. From monsoon 2009, SIT has started a new Pre-Ph.D. programme as part of expansion and in the direction of raising the human resource in this critical field. The major research focus of this Centre is on Computational Approaches to Genome Sequence Analysis, Evolutionary Biology, Systems biology, large scale data mining, Network analysis, Biophysical chemistry, Chemoinformatics and Molecular Modeling in drug designing. In addition to this, last year research in two more areas: Modeling next-generation sequencing data and Machine learning has been added due to the joining of two additional faculties under DBT-COE and Ramanujan Fellowship Program respectively. Students of SIT are also encouraged to take the optional course "Intellectual Property Rights: A Foundation Course" offered by the Centre for Science Policy (SSS) as part of the initiative of the School to expose students to relevant courses in humanities. Across the science faculties inter-disciplinary courses like "Introduction to neuro-computing" (offered by SPSS) are credited by the students.

A major characteristic of SIT is its emphasis on inter-disciplinary research. During 2008-09, five students completed their Ph.D in "Computational Biology and Bioinformatics" and 12 students have received M.Tech degree in "Computational and Systems Biology".

The University has also approved and initiated a new building proposal for SIT during 2009-10.

Future Plans/Proposals

- Hiring of faculty to facilitate new areas of research and interaction within the School.
- Building up of the research activities surrounding CCSS.
- Planning and execution of the new building and relocations.
- New Courses/ Remedial Courses

A remedial course: "Introduction to Basic Biology" was given by Prof. Alok Bhattacharya from August-September, 2009. In addition, students were also trained in the workshop mode the courses related to molecular modeling and data mining.

Conference/Symposium organised by School

- 5th Indo-Australian Conference on IT Security, Electronic Transaction, Trust and Technology, 1-2, April, 2009.
- Workshop on “Datamining in Biology: Applications of Clustering, SVM, Genetic Algorithms, Ant Colony Optimizations”, 20-25, October, 2009.
- Workshop on “Shape and Electrostatics Best Practices for Virtual Screening and Lead-Hopping”, jointly with Seascape and OpenEye, USA, 28 - 29 January, 2010.
- Open day celebrations. 15 February, 2010.

Visitors to the School

- Dr. Somdatta Sinha from CCMB, Hyderabad visited and delivered a lecture on “In silico analysis of HIV-1 genes” on 26 March, 2010.
- Dr. Soumen Roy from University of Chicago visited and delivered a lecture on “Networks: An Emergent Cross-talk System and Biology” on 18 March, 2010.
- Prof. Kumaraswamy Velupillai from Department of Economics, University of Trento, Italy visited and delivered a lecture on “The Emergence of the Nonlinear Theory of the Business Cycle” on 10 March, 2010.
- Prof. V. Balakrishnan from Department of Physics, IIT, Madras visited and delivered a lecture on “Recurrence time statistics in classical and quantum dynamics” on 9 March, 2010.
- Dr. Manu from University of Chicago, USA visited and delivered a lecture on “Robustness of pattern formation in Drosophila” on 8 February, 2010.
- Prof. Stephan Thurner from Santa Fe institute visited and delivered a lecture on “Stability of model-RNA networks” on 18 January, 2010.
- Dr. Sridhar Hannenhalli from University of Pennsylvania, USA visited and delivered a lecture on “Comparative analysis of regulatory region” on 14 January, 2010.
- Dr. Amitabha Nandi from Max Planck Institute for Complex Systems, Dresden visited and delivered a lecture on “Intrinsic common noise in coupled chemical systems” on 24 November, 2009.
- Prof. K. B. Athreya from Iowa State University, USA visited and delivered a lecture on “Last Universal Common Ancestor” on 19 November, 2009.
- Dr. Nivedita Deo from Delhi University, Physics Department visited and delivered a lecture on “Scaling, phase transition and genus distributions in matrix models of RNA with external interactions” on 18 November, 2009.
- Dr. Himadri Pakrasi from WUSTL visited and delivered a lecture on “Carbon Capture and Bioenergy Production by Photosynthetic Organisms” on 5 October, 2009.
- Prof. Prasad V. Bharatam from FRSC Department of Medicinal Chemistry Natl. Inst. Pharm. Edu. and Res. (NIPER) visited and delivered a lecture on “Modeling, Informatics and Synthesis of Anti-diabetic Leads” on 29 September, 2009.
- Mr. Sumeet Agarwal from Department of Physics, University of Oxford visited and delivered a lecture on “Revisiting Date and Party Hubs: Novel Approaches to Role Assignment in Protein” on 17 August, 2009.
- Dr. Chandra Verma from BII, Singapore visited and delivered a lecture on “Novel ideas for p53 enthusiasts from the computer simulations” on 9 July, 2009.
- Dr. V. Subramanian from Department of Biology and Biochemistry, University of Bath, Bath, UK visited and delivered a lecture on “Angiogenin and Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS)- Making the connection from genetics to mechanisms using stem cell and vertebrate models” on 20 April, 2009.
- Dr. Parbati Biswas from Department of chemistry, Delhi University visited and delivered a lecture on “Statistical Theory of Combinatorial Protein Design” on 8 April, 2009.

Accomplishment of students

- Mr. Ashutosh Vishwa Bandhu was awarded the UGC-CSIR Junior Research Fellowship.
- Vaz C, Received the CSIR-SRF (Senior Research Fellowship) from April 2009 onwards.
- Das S, Received the CSIR-SRF (Senior Research Fellowship).
- Alok Srivastav, Received the CSIR-SRF (Senior Research Fellowship) from April 2009 onwards.

Participation in Conferences/Meetings/Workshops by students

- Ms. Payal Singh, attended a conference (APCB 2010) in Bangaluru in January 2010 and presented a poster on “Phylogenetic analysis of riboswitches”. She also published a paper in BMC Bioinformatics which appeared in October 2009.
- Ms. Payal Singh, attended Otto Warburg Summer School, Berlin, Germany, 26-27 August 2009.
- Ms. Payal Singh, presented “Phylogenetic Analysis of Riboswitches”, in Asia Pacific Bioinformatics Conference Bangaluru, India 18-21 January 2010.
- Mr. Vikram Singh, attended “DST SERC School on NONLINEAR DYNAMICS”, DU Delhi, India, 7-25 December, 2009.
- Mr. Vikram Singh, attended ICTS conference on “Evolution of Complex Systems”, IISc Bangaluru, India, 13-15 January, 2010
- Sajeew Chacko, participated in an International Conference on Physics Biology Interface, Kolkata, India, 13-16 December, 2009
- Ms. Candida Vaz, presented poster and his paper is selected for Asia Pacific Bioinformatics Conference (APBC), 2010 at Bangaluru.
- Mr. Sarbasis Das, made poster presentation in Asia Pacific Bioinformatics Conference (APBC) 2010
- Ms. Smriti Sharma, participated in “Emerging techniques in Biophysics”. BHU, Varanasi, India 13-16 February, 2010.
- Mr. Alok Srivastav, Presented a poster “Gene Ontology based Prediction and Analysis of Microarray” at the Asia Pacific Bioinformatics Conference (APBC) 2010 at Bangaluru.

Publications of students

- Singh P, Bandyopadhyay P, Bhattacharya S, Krishnamachari A and Sengupta S, “Riboswitch Detection Using Profile Hidden Markov Models”. BMC Bioinformatics 10, 325-338, 2009.
- Singh RKB, Singh V and Ramaswamy R, Stochastic synchronization of circadian rhythms, Jrl Syst Sci and Complexity 22: 1–11, 2009.
- Vaz C, Ahmad H M, Sharma P, Gupta R, Kumar L, Kulshreshtha R, Bhattacharya A., “Analysis of microRNA transcriptome by deep sequencing of small RNA libraries of peripheral blood”. BMC Genomics 2010, 11:288.
- Agarwal S, Vaz C, Bhattacharya A, Srinivasan A., “Prediction of novel precursor miRNAs using a Context-Sensitive Hidden Markov Model (CSHMM)”. BMC Bioinformatics. 2010 January 18; 11 Suppl 1:S29.
- Nandi A, Vaz C, Bhattacharya A and Ramaswamy R., “miRNA regulated dynamics in circadian oscillator models”. BMC Systems Biology 2009, 3:45
- Das S, Vishnoi A, and Bhattacharya A., “ABWGAT: Anchor Based Whole Genome Analysis Tool”. Bioinformatics Advance Access published on October 14, 2009. doi:10.1093/bioinformatics/btp587.
- Das S, Yennamalli RM, Vishnoi A, Gupta P and Bhattacharya A., “Single nucleotide variations associated with Mycobacterium tuberculosis KZN strains”, Journal of Biosciences, 2009 September; 34 (3): 397-404.

Participation in National/International Conferences/Seminars/Workshops

- **Ghosh I.** Refresher course “Mathematical, Computational, Theoretical and Bioinformatics: A New Era” organised by the School of Life Sciences, JNU, April, 2009.
- **Ghosh I.** ‘Frontiers in Computational Biology’, CDAC, Pune, 23-24 July, 2009.
- **Ghosh I.** “Science, Ethics and Technological Responsibility in Developing and Emerging Countries” Participated in developing the manifesto at the Central University, Hyderabad, 3-4 September, 2009.
- **Ghosh I.** Presented poster at the international conference “EUROTOX 2009 - 46th Congress of the European Societies of Toxicology”, Dresden, Germany, 13-16 September, 2009.
- **Ghosh I.** Presented a lecture on “Developing Predictive Tools in Toxicity” at the annual meeting and workshop of the European commission project FP7- OpenTox held at Rome, 8-12 September, 2009.
- **Ghosh I.** Lectured at the 78th annual meeting of the Society of Biological Chemists at Pune, 29 October -1 November, 2009.
- **Ghosh I.** Attended a discussion on Technology Big 3 – IT in Education 2009 organised by The Indian Express at Goa, 16-18 November, 2009.
- **Ghosh I.** Delivered a lecture in an international conference on Physics Biology Interface (ICPBI 2009) to celebrate the 75th anniversary of the Indian Physical Society, SINP, Kolkata, 13-16 December, 2009. <http://sites.google.com/site/icpbi2009>
- **Ghosh I.** Delivered an invited talk in Frontiers of Interface between Statistics and Sciences., Hyderabad, Central University, 30 December, 2009 - 2 January, 2010.
- **Ghosh I.** Attended an international conference on “Evolution of Complex Systems” at IISc, Bangaluru, 13-15 January, 2010.
- **Ghosh I.** Chaired a session at The Eighth Asia Pacific Bioinformatics Conference at Bangaluru during 18-21 January, 2010. <http://www.ncbs.res.in/events/APBC2010>
- **Ghosh I.** Presented the progress of CCBB at the XXI Annual BTISNET Coordinators Meeting, Port Blair during 3-5 February, 2010.
- **Ramaswamy R.** “The effect of miRNA on the dynamics of regulatory networks”. Frontiers in Applied and Computational Mathematics 2009, Newark, NJ, 2 June 2009.
- **Ramaswamy R.** “Chaotically driven monotone maps”. Aspects of Dynamical Systems, IIT Delhi, 23 December 2009.
- **Ramaswamy R.** “The effects of stochasticity in the dynamics of regulatory networks”. Molecular Theory for Real Systems, Kyoto, 9 January, 2010.
- **Bandyopadhyay P,** Discussion Meeting on Spectroscopy and Dynamics of Molecules and Clusters held from February 18-21, 2010 at the International Centre, Goa.
- **Bandyopadhyay P,** National Workshop on Catalysis-2009, during December 21 – 23, 2009 at Tezpur University, Assam.
- **Bandyopadhyay P,** Theoretical Chemistry Symposium, 31st December, 2009 IIT Kharagpur.
- **Subbarao N,** Shape and Electrostatics Symposium organised by SIT, JNU 28 - 29 January, 2010
- **Sengupta S.,** “Molecula Evolution”. Coorg, Karnataka, India, 29 November - 2 December, 2009.
- **Sengupta S.,** “Evolutionary perspectives on mechanisms of cellular evolution”, Kavli Institute of Theoretical Physics (KITP), University of California, Santa Barbara, USA from 5 January –12 February, 2010.
- **Lovekesh Vig,** “The Role of Balance in Multiple Robot Teams”, 3rd Indian International Conference on Artificial Intelligence, December, 2009.

- **Krishnamachari A.**, Participated in the Asia Pacific Bioinformatics Conference Bangaluru, India 18-21 January, 2010.

Lectures Delivered (Outside JNU)

- **Ghosh I.** Resource person at IIT Delhi workshop on “Chemoinformatics: chemistry based drug discovery”, 5-12 October, 2009.
- **Ghosh I.** Delivered lectures in the international workshop organised by ICGEB, New Delhi on “Biologics: from Discovery to Development”, 3 November, 2009.
- **Ghosh I.** Resource person at the Refresher course on “Application of Bioinformatics in Modern Biology” at Vidyasagar University, Midnapur, West Bengal for the college and university teachers during 11-12 March, 2010.
- **Ramaswamy R.**, Academic Access in a Globalized World: Scholars without Borders, 12 June, NCSI, Indian Institute of Science, Bangaluru.
- **Ramaswamy R.**, Some Flavours of Synchrony, 19 June, 2009, S N Bose National Centre for Basic Sciences, Kolkata; 12 January 2010, Tokyo University; and 25 January, 2010, Hokkaido University, Sapporo
- **Ramaswamy R.**, Chaos, 23 June, 2009, IISER Mohali; 30 November, 2009, Hindu College; and 15 March, 2010, Delhi University
- **Ramaswamy R.**, Coupled phase oscillators on a bipartite network, 12 November, 2009, IISER Pune
- **Ramaswamy R.**, One-dimensional maps (3 lectures), SERC School on Nonlinear Dynamics, Delhi University, 8 December, 2009
- **Ramaswamy R.**, The Lilavati’s Daughters Project, 16 December 2009, NIAS Bangaluru; and 23 March 2010, NIAS Bangaluru
- **Ramaswamy R.**, Segmentation analysis of DNA sequences, 19 January, 2010, Tokyo University
- **Ramaswamy R.**, Stochastic modeling of chemical reactions (5 lectures), 13-15, 18, and 21 January, 2010, Tokyo University
- **Ramaswamy R.**, Stochastic simulation techniques: Applications to biochemical networks, 20 January, 2010, Institute for Molecular Sciences, Okazaki; and 25 January, 2010, Hokkaido University, Sapporo
- **Ramaswamy R.**, Two themes on the phase-flip transition: Delay coupled oscillators in synchrony and in amplitude death, 2 April, Bharatidasan University, Tiruchirappalli
- **Bhattacharya A.** Biotechnology: Fusion of advanced research and teaching, 2–4 January, 2010, Madurai Kamraj University, Madurai.
- **Bhattacharya A.** Young Investigators Meet: 8-12 February, 2010, Raichak, West Bengal.
- **Bhattacharya A.** Chairperson of a scientific session, Asia-Pacific Bioinformatics Conference, 2010, Bangaluru.
- **Bandyopadhyay P**, CMERI, Durgapur, October, 2009
- **Bandyopadhyay P**, IIT Delhi, 2 October, 2009
- **Subbarao N**, “Molecular Docking for Drug Designing” in a workshop on “Molecular Modeling and Drug Designing” at the Institute of Life Sciences, Bhubaneshwar.
- **Subbarao N**, “Drug Target Information System for Mycobacterium Tuberculosis” in a workshop on “Biomedical Informatics and Communication”, JBTRC, MGIMS, Wardha, 20-21 November, 2009
- **Sengupta S.**, “Evolution of the Genetic Code” – Invited seminar given at the Coorg meeting on “Molecular Evolution” organised by INSA from 29 November - 2 December, 2009.
- **Sengupta S.**, “Evolution of the Genetic Code” – Invited seminar given at the National Institute of Health (NIH), Bethesda, Maryland, USA on 1 February, 2010.

- **Sengupta S.**, “Evolution of the Genetic Code” – Invited seminar given at the international workshop on “Evolutionary perspectives on mechanisms of cellular evolution” organised by KITP, University of California, Santa Barbara, USA. on 8 February, 2010

Awards/Honors/Fellowships

- **Ramaswamy R.** DAE- Raja Ramanna Lecture in Physics at the Jawaharlal Nehru Centre for Advanced Scientific Research (2010).
- **Ramaswamy R.** TIFR Alumni Association Excellence Award, 2009.
- **Srinivasan A.**, Ramanujan Fellowship, Department of Science and Technology, Government of India.
- **Srinivasan A.**, Visiting Professor, Computing Laboratory, University of Oxford.

Memberships of Boards/Committees (Outside JNU)

- **Ghosh I.** Task force member of the Bioinformatics, Computational and Systems Biology group in Department of Biotechnology since 2010; and Member Scientific Advisory Board member of Parthys Reverse Informatics, Chennai. <http://www.reverseinformatics.com/>
- **Bhattacharya A.** Sectional committee, Indian National Science Academy, New Delhi; Member, National committee on CODATA, Indian National Science Academy, N. Delhi; Member, Scientific Advisory Committee on “Bioresource inventorization and prospecting, DBT; Member, Project monitoring committees of DBT and DST; Member, Screening committee, INDO-US Research fellowship; and Member, PAC, INDO-German Science and Technology Centre.
- **Srinivasan A.**, Editorial Board, Machine Learning Journal; Program Committee Member, International Conference on Machine Learning; and Program Committee Member, International Conference on Inductive Logic Programming.

School of Language, Literature and Culture Studies

Established in 1969, and thus one of the founding blocks of the University, the School of Language, Literature and Culture Studies (SLLCS) is one of the premier institutions in the country in the field of learning foreign languages and pursuing higher studies and research in linguistics, literatures in various languages, and culture studies.

SLLCS has twelve constituent units. There are eleven centres:

- Centre of Arabic and African Studies (CAAS)
- Centre for Chinese and South-East Asian Studies (CCSEAS)
- Centre for English Studies (CES)
- Centre for French and Francophone Studies (CFFS)
- Centre of German Studies (CGS)
- Centre of Indian Languages (CIL)
- Centre for Japanese, Korean and North East Asian Studies (CJKNEAS)
- Centre for Linguistics (CL)
- Centre of Persian and Central Asian Studies (CPCAS)
- Centre of Russian Studies (CRS)
- Centre of Spanish, Portuguese, Italian and Latin American Studies (CSPILAS)

Besides, there is a Language Labs and Multimedia Complex (LLC).

The different units of the School offer a variety of programmes in diverse subjects. There are Certificate, Diploma, and Advanced Diploma of Proficiency programmes in foreign languages like Bhasa Indonesia, Italian, Mongolian, Portuguese and Pushtu, and also in Urdu language and Mass Media in Urdu. The School offers BA (Hons.) MA and MPhil/PhD programmes in foreign languages like Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Japanese, Korean, Persian, Russian and Spanish. The School also offers MA and MPhil/PhD programmes in English, Hindi and Urdu literature, and in Linguistics. Apart from these, SLLCS also offers MPhil in Portuguese, and MPhil/PhD in Hindi Translation, and in Tamil.

Over and above these existing programmes, the School also offers optional courses in Greek, Hebrew and Turkish languages, and has a currently vacant Professorial post in Bengali and sanctioned positions in Assamese and Marathi. The School also intends to soon induct faculty members in other major Indian languages. Besides these formal programmes, a variety of Tool/Optional courses are offered within the School which promote interdisciplinarity. The School also offers the highly successful Remedial Course in English to all students of the University who need to increase their competence in the language for academic purposes.

Besides teaching and research activities, the School also publishes its own journal, *Journal of the School of Languages (JSL)*, which started publication in the seventies and has over the years published significant research on literatures, languages, culture studies, comparative studies, and translation that cut across language boundaries. Besides, some constituent units of the School have their own publications, like the CRS has its journal *Critic*, and the CSPILAS has its journal *Hispanic Horizons*.

SLLandCS produces the very best scholars in the fields of language teaching, linguistics, literature and culture studies, as well as internationally acclaimed translators and interpreters. As the following pages demonstrate, like previous years, this year too, members of the School, while providing directions and visions to their respective Centres and the School in general, have also distinguished themselves by the quality and range of their individual research, publications and other achievements.

Thrust Areas and Future Plans

Centre of Arabic and African Studies

The CAAS offers BA (Hons.), MA and M.Phil/Ph.D. programmes in Arabic. It also offers four tool courses on History and Culture of the Arab World in English, two optional courses on Modern Hebrew, and starting from 2008-2009, two new courses on elementary Arabic language for students of other centres of the University.

The Centre plans to develop three thrust areas: Classical Arabic Language and Literature, Indo-Arab Relations in the Field of Contemporary Literary Exchange, and Indo-African Studies: Cultural and Literary Aspects. The Centre also plans to introduce a 45 working day long 'Capsule Course in Speaking Arabic' under the self financing scheme, and certificate and diploma programmes in proficiency in Arabic. Furthermore, it is also in the process of introducing a new programme in Hebrew language teaching at the degree level. The Centre also has future plans to introduce Certificate and Diploma programmes in Swahili language.

Centre for Chinese and South-East Asian Studies

The CCSEAS offers BA (Hons.), MA and MPhil/PhD programmes in Chinese, and Certificate of Proficiency and Diploma of Proficiency in Bahasa Indonesia.

In future, the Centre plans to offer an Optional Course in Bahasa Indonesia, and a Tool Course on the socio-political, cultural and historical realities of China through the medium of English for the benefit of all the undergraduate students of the School.

Centre for English Studies

The CES, formed through the recent bifurcation of the erstwhile Centre of Linguistics and English, offers MA and MPhil/PhD programmes in English. The programmes are interdisciplinary and transdisciplinary in nature, in which theoretical and comparative research is undertaken in a wide range of areas emanating from linguistic, literary and cultural studies. The Centre also offers Optional and Tool courses in English language and literature for undergraduate students of the School and Remedial English courses for all students of the University. The thrust areas of the Centre include British Literature, Literatures in Other Englishes (Indian, African, Australian, Canadian, and American), contemporary literary and cultural theory, folklore and popular culture studies, classical Indian poetics and grammatical tradition, and the theory and practice of translation.

The Centre is also a Department with Research Support (Phase-II) on "Indian and Cross-Cultural Approaches to Marginal Literatures" under UGC-SAP.

Centre for French and Francophone Studies

The CFFS offers BA (Hons.), MA and MPhil/PhD programmes in French. It also pursues multidisciplinary research on the cultural, socio-economic and political reality of some 46 Francophone (French speaking) countries.

The Centre wishes to build, as its future thrust area, interdisciplinary and co-operative research in Francophone Studies between itself and other Centres and Schools of JNU as well as with other universities and institutions both in India and abroad. The Centre will continue to work towards strengthening its on-going academic programmes in Francophone Studies and the Translation and Interpretation programme.

Centre of German Studies

The CGS offers BA (Hons.), MA and MPhil/PhD programmes in German. The focus of the Centre is on German Studies as an integrative part of Culture Studies. This includes comparative and contrastive studies between German

speaking countries and India, in the areas of Culture, Translation, Methodology of teaching German as a foreign language, Applied Linguistics, as also in new fields of inquiry emerging out of changes in socio-cultural activities such as media studies, film studies, oral culture studies and aspects of Indo-European studies, etc. The Centre has been in contact with and received generous assistance from governments and institutions of Germany, Austria and Switzerland. The main feature of this year's academic activities in the Centre has been the partnership programmes with the Free University, Berlin, the University of Konstanz, the University of Cologne, and the University of Beilefeld, Germany, under whose aegis the Centre organised several academic activities.

The Centre has plans to revise the contents of its various courses, and different sub-Groups have been formed to deal with (1) Language Courses, (2) Literature Courses, (3) Information on German speaking countries Courses, and (4) Translation Courses. In the next Academic Year, the Centre proposes to offer two Optional Courses, "*German-I*" and "*German-II*", for all students of the School.

Centre of Indian Languages

The CIL offers MA and MPhil/PhD programmes in Hindi literature, MPhil/PhD in Hindi Translation, Certificate of Proficiency, MA and MPhil/PhD in Urdu, MPhil/PhD in Tamil, and Advanced Diploma in Mass Media in Urdu. The Centre also offers Optional and Tool courses in Hindi and Urdu for students of other centres of the University, and short-term courses for foreign students desirous of knowing these languages.

The Centre of Indian Languages was established in 1974 with a view to undertake socially relevant and intellectually provoking research and higher studies in various Indian Languages. An implicit benefit of having such a Centre was to promote the interdisciplinary approach and comparative perspective in the study of Indian languages and literature in accordance with general orientation of JNU and SLLandCS. The acute limitation however had been the fact that the CIL had been forced to confine itself only to Hindi and Urdu for a long time, thus virtually reducing itself to a centre of North Indian languages. However, the situation has now taken a better form with the institution of the Tamil programme and sanction of Bangla, Assamese and Marathi positions in the Centre. The AGC signed by the Centre with the Institute of Indology and Tamil Studies, University of Cologne, Germany will also be a firm step in this direction.

Centre for Japanese, Korean and North East Asian Studies

The CJKNEAS offers BA (Hons.), MA and MPhil/PhD programmes in Japanese, BA (Hons.) and MA in Korean, and Certificate of Proficiency in Mongolian.

The Centre has academic and cultural exchange programmes with various educational institutions in Japan including Otani University, Reitsumekan University with which JNU has signed MoUs. The Centre has been regularly receiving fellowships for faculty and students. The Centre collaborates with Japan Foundation, Japanese Language Teachers Association of India (JALTAI), Mombusho Scholars Association of India (MOSAI), etc. in organizing seminars, conferences and workshops related to Japanese studies. Similar activities are gradually being initiated in respect with the Korean, and in the future, the Centre hopes to develop its Korean programme further, and student and faculty exchange programmes are already under way with various universities in Korea.

Centre for Linguistics

The CL, which came into being as an independent Centre as a consequence of the bifurcation of the Centre for Linguistics and English, offers MA and MPhil/PhD programmes in Linguistics. The Centre also offers Optional courses in Linguistics for undergraduate students of the School.

The Centre for Linguistics is one of the leading centres for linguistics and language studies in India. The Centre focuses on core areas such as phonetics, phonology, morphology and syntax, as well as on areas in interdisciplinary language studies such as psycholinguistics and sociolinguistics. The Centre is also known for having had expertise in Semiotics and in Indian grammatical tradition for the past several years. Some of the other areas of research by the

faculty include language typology and sign language, with bio-linguistics being an emerging area of common interest among the faculty. The Centre, in tune with its expansion plans, has also proposed the establishment of a separate School of Language Sciences, which is under discussion at different levels of the University.

Centre of Persian and Central Asian Studies

The CPCAS offers BA (Hons.), MA and MPhil/PhD programmes in Persian, Certificate of Proficiency, Diploma of Proficiency and Advanced Diploma of Proficiency in Pushtu, and optional courses in Turkish. The thrust areas of the Centre include modern and medieval Persian literature, translation from and into Persian and English, Indo-Iran relations, and Area Studies involving Iran, Afghanistan, Tajikistan and Uzbekistan

The future plans of the Centre include upgradation of its Pushtu programmes to the degree level, and introduction of programmes in Turkish and Uzbek languages.

Centre of Russian Studies

The CRS offers BA (Hons.), MA and MPhil/PhD programmes in Russian. It was founded in 1965 as an independent Institute of Russian Studies, and became a founding constituent of JNU in 1969. The thrust areas of the Centre include Russian philology, Russian literature, and Comparative Studies. The Centre also publishes its own journal, *Critic*. As throughout its long history, this year too the Centre has been actively engaged in strengthening its existing programmes of studies.

During the last year, an Agreement of Cooperation was signed between the Centre and the Kyrgyz-Russian Slavic University, Bishkek, the Kyrgyz Republic, in the presence of a high powered delegation from Bishkek, and the Centre intends to operationalize this agreement fully in the future.

Centre of Spanish, Portuguese, Italian and Latin American Studies

The CSPILAS offers BA (Hons.), MA and MPhil/PhD programmes in Spanish, Certificate of Proficiency, Diploma of Proficiency, Advanced Diploma of Proficiency, and MPhil in Portuguese, and Certificate of Proficiency and Diploma of Proficiency in Italian. The Centre has state-of-the-art equipment and resources for studying Spanish, Portuguese, Italian and Latin American languages and cultures.

As part of its future plans, the Centre is keen to pursue its earlier proposal to establish a special programme in Latin American Studies under the SAP scheme of the UGC. The Centre has been earmarked as a collaborating institution in a special programme in Multiculturalism at the MPhil level under the Erasmus Mundus Programme along with four important academic institutions from USA and Europe, and has become an Associate Member in the prestigious European Union Erasmus Mundus MULTIELE Programme.

Language Labs and Multimedia Complex

The Language Labs and Multimedia Complex (LLC), housed at three venues – in an acoustically treated and centrally air-conditioned building in the Old CRS Complex, in a new building that has come up adjacent to the SLLCS, and in the SLLCS Building itself – is one of the best developed complexes of its kind in Asia. It houses three Multimedia Language Labs, three Audio Active Language Labs, a Phonetic Lab, six Audio Visual Rooms, an Internet Room for students, an Auditorium with film projection facilities, and a state-of-the-art Conference Room with multi-channel simultaneous interpretation and video conferencing facilities. The LLC also has a Studio with recording, editing and duplication facilities for audio and video. All the units of the LLC are extensively used for teaching and research work from 9 am to 4 pm on all working days. The LLC has plans of upgrading its studio and its software resources from analog to digital format.

New Courses Introduced

The following new courses were introduced by various centres during the year:

Centre of Indian Languages

All courses for the MPhil/PhD programme in Tamil were approved and introduced

Centre of Russian Studies

One new 4 credit MA optional course was introduced:

- RU 505A for IX Semester, on 'Theory of Translation'

Conferences/Academic events organised by the Centres

The following conferences were organised by the different Centres during the year:

Centre of Arabic and African Studies

- International Seminar on The Reception of Arabian Nights in World Literature, organised by **Rizwanur Rahman**, 21-23 February, 2010.

Centre for English Studies

- An interactive session of readings from their literary works by writer and academic Temsula Ao (NEHU, Shillong), writer Mamang Dai, and writer and academic Sunetra Gupta (Oxford), organised by **GJV Prasad**, at SLLCS, JNU, 14 October, 2009.
- Day-long Colloquium on Intertextuality: A Colloquium on Transcultural and Intermedial Influence, organised by **GJV Prasad** and Marta Dvorak, University of Paris III, in collaboration with the French Embassy, New Delhi, at JNIAS, JNU, New Delhi, 10 December, 2009.
- International Workshop cum Seminar on Translation and Nation Building in South Asia: 1947-1977, organised by **GJV Prasad** and **Saugata Bhaduri**, in collaboration with University of Newcastle with support from the Leverhulme Foundation, at SLLCS, JNU, New Delhi, 8-11 January, 2010.
- International Conference on Indian and Cross-cultural Approaches to Marginality, organised by **GJV Prasad** and **Saugata Bhaduri**, under UGC-SAP-DRS-II, at SLLCS, JNU, New Delhi, 22-24 March, 2010.
- Kathakali lecture-demonstration and performance by International Kathakali Centre, New Delhi, organised by **GJV Prasad** and **Saugata Bhaduri**, at SAA, JNU, New Delhi, 23 and 29 March, 2010.
- Poetry workshop by poet and academic Meena Kandaswamy, organised by **GJV Prasad** and **Saugata Bhaduri**, at SLLCS, JNU, New Delhi, 26-27 March, 2010.

Centre for French and Francophone Studies

- Seminar, Lire le roman québécois en Inde, organised by **Vijayalakshmi Rao**, SLLCS, JNU, New Delhi, 5 February, 2010.
- Round table, Development of Quebec Studies in India, organised by **Vijayalakshmi Rao**, SLLCS, JNU, New Delhi, 6 February, 2010.
- Conference Intercultural Dialogue, organised by **K. Madavane**, in collaboration with University of Paris-IV, at SLLCS, JNU, New Delhi, 23-25 February, 2010.

Centre of German Studies

- International Seminar cum Workshop on Theory and Practice of Literary Translation, organised by **Madhu Sahni**, SLLCS, JNU, New Delhi, October 8-9, 2009.

- International Workshop on Connected Histories, organised by **Rekha V. Rajan**, SLLCS, JNU, New Delhi, March 1-3, 2010.

Centre of Indian Languages

- CIL Foundation Day National Seminar on Urdu Hindi and Hindustani, SLLCS, JNU, New Delhi, 28-29 October, 2009.
- Indo-Pak peace meet, organised by **Chaman Lal**, SLLCS, JNU, 1 February, 2010.
- Discussion session with Shri Ponneelon, Sahitya Akademi Award Winner, and Mr. S. Padmanabham, organised by **K. Nachimuthu**, 2 March, 2010.

Centre for Japanese, Korean and North East Asian Studies

- 13th Indo-Japanese Students Conference, organised by **Manjushree Chauhan**, at SLLCS, JNU, New Delhi, 1-6 September, 2009.
- Hangeul week celebrations, co-organised by **Vyjayanti Raghavan**, at SLLCS, JNU, New Delhi, 8-12 October, 2009.
- 16th Overseas Symposium on Changing Perceptions of Japan in South Asia in the New Asian Era: The State of Japanese Studies in India and Other Saarc Countries, organised by **P.A. George**, with support from the International Research Centre for Japanese Studies, at JNU, New Delhi, 3-4 November, 2009.
- Ikebana Workshop and Exhibition of IKENOBO School, as a part of Japan Cultural Month of Embassy of Japan, organised by **Anita Khanna**, with support from Indian Cultural Association, Japan, at Japan Foundation, New Delhi, 11-12 November, 2009.
- International Conference on Issues of Japanese Language Education and Role of Teachers' Associations in Japanese Language Education, organised by **Sushama Jain** and **Neera Kongari**, in association with Japanese Language Teachers' Association of India, at Japan Foundation, New Delhi, 19-20 December, 2009.
- International Seminar India and Korea: The Evolving Relationship, organised **Vyjayanti Raghavan**, with support from The Academy of Korean Studies, at SAA, JNU, New Delhi, 22 January, 2010.
- Indo-Japanese International Seminar on Literature and Paintings (Bungaku to Kaiga), organised by **Anita Khanna**, supported by National Institute of Japanese Literature, Tokyo, at Japan Foundation New Delhi, 12-13 February, 2010.
- International Seminar on Language Education as a Bridge between Language and Culture, organised by **P.A. George** and **M.V. Lakshmi**, with support from Japan Foundation, New Delhi and Waseda University, 12-13 March, 2010.
- Japanese Cultural Festival, KIZUNA-2010, organised by **Manjushree Chauhan**, at SLLCS, JNU, 20-21 March, 2010

Centre for Linguistics

- Seminar on Jacques Derrida on the 5th Anniversary of his death, organised by **Franson Manjali**, at SLLCS, JNU, New Delhi, 9 October, 2009.
- Seminar on Language Archiving in the 21st Century, organised by **Anvita Abbi**, at SLLCS, JNU, New Delhi, 27 October, 2009.

Centre of Persian and Central Asian Studies

- Seminar on Ahmad Faraz and contemporary Urdu poetry, organised by **Akhtar Mahdi** and **Akhlaque Ahmad Ansari**, at the Teen Murti Auditorium, New Delhi, 25 August, 2009.

Centre of Russian Studies

- "Speakathon" was organised by the Centre, in which 26 students participated on 6 November, 2009.

Visitors to the Centres

The following scholars and dignitaries visited different centres of the School during the year:

Centre for Chinese and South East Asian Studies

- Mr. Zhu Yujie, Visiting Scholar, delivered a Lecture on “Encounter with Tradition and Modernity: An Introduction to Chinese Culture”, 2 April, 2009.
- Mr. Huang Zhigang, Education Counsellor, Chinese Embassy, delivered a Lecture on “A Brief Introduction to the Education System in Present-Day China” 23 March, 2010.

Centre for English Studies

- Dr. Peter McDonald, University of Oxford, delivered a lecture on “Policing Literature in Apartheid South Africa”, 14 September, 2009.
- Prof. Vijay Mishra, Murdoch University, delivered a talk titled “In the Arcade of Hanuman House: Ghostly Spectres in the Diaspora”, 24 September, 2009.
- Writer and academic, Professor Amitava Kumar, Vassar College, delivered a talk on “The Literature of 9/11”, 19 January, 2010
- Dr. Debashish Banerji, Pasadena City College and University of Philosophical Research, Los Angeles, delivered a lecture on “The Alternate Nation of Abanindranath Tagore”, 20 January, 2010.
- Writer and academic China Mieville read from his work and delivered a talk on “Fantasy Fiction”, 4 March, 2010
- Prof. Kapil Kapoor, UGC Emeritus Fellow, delivered lectures on Bharata’s Nāṭyaśāstra, March 15, 17 and 29, 2010.
- Poet and academic Dr. Meena Kandasamy, Anna University, delivered a talk on “Dalit Writings”, 20 March, 2010.

Centre for German Studies

- Prof. Christine Maillard, University of Starsbourg
- Prof. Dr. A. Bogner, Germany
- Dr. Tushar Chaudhri, Hong Kong University, Hong Kong.
- Prof. Jürgen E. Müller, University of Bayreuth, Germany
- Prof. Dr. Heike Wiese, University of Potsdam, Germany
- Mr. Kumar Sanjay Singh, Swami Shradhanand College, Delhi University, Delhi.

Centre of Indian Languages

- Dr. Maria Negyesi delivered a lecture on “Hindi Studies in Hungary”, 8 April, 2009.
- Prof. Namwar Singh delivered a lecture on “Sahitya Aur Vichardhara”, 13 April, 2009.
- Prof. Manager Pandey delivered the Prem Chand Memorial Lecture, 31 July, 2009.
- Mr. Giriraj Kishor delivered a lecture on “Mera Lekhan Aur Main”, 28 October, 2009.
- Mr. Abimanyu Anat delivered a lecture on “Mein Aur Mera Lekhan”, 4 November, 2009.
- Dr. Liudmila Khokhlova delivered a lecture on “21st Century Russia”, 15 January, 2010.
- Dr. Francesca Orsini, SOAS, University of London, delivered a lecture on “Before the Divide: Hindi and Urdu Literary Traditions”, 20 January, 2010.
- Justice Rajinder Sachar delivered the Kabir Memorial Lecture on “Composite Culture of India: Reference Kabir”, 25 February, 2010.
- Mr. Balak Nishran, IAS, delivered a lecture on Tamil literature, 8 March, 2010.

- Prof. Y. Subbbarayalu, Retd Professor of Archaeology, Tamil University, Tejpur, delivered lectures on 9-10 March, 2010.
- Renowned author Anamika participated in an interactive session “Shodharthiyon ke Bich Anamika”, 26 March, 2010.

Centre for Japanese, Korean and North East Asian Studies

- Mrs. Uchiyama delivered a lecture on Life in Japan, 17 April, 2009.
- Mr. Daigo Tamura, Japanese Language Advisor from Japan Foundation (Head Office) visited the Centre, 8 September, 2009.
- Dr. Karem Ma, Chinese Scholar, delivered lecture on “Myth and Reality of Today’s Japanese Women”, 13 October, 2009.
- Prof. H. Hosokawa, Waseda University, was invited by the Centre as Visiting Professor from 23 February – March, 2010.
- Ms. Aya Matsumoto, was Japanese Language Instructor at the Centre for a period of 10 months from 26 October, 2009.
- A delegation of students from Japanese School visited the Centre, for interaction with our faculty and students, on 14 October, 2009
- A delegation of 50 students from Kanagawa University, Japan visited the Centre, for interaction with our faculty and students, on 25 February, 2010

Centre for Linguistics

- Prof. Akeel Bilgrami, Professor of Philosophy, Columbia University, New York, delivered a talk on “Linguistic Meaning” on 14 January, 2010.
- Dr. Patrice Maniglier, Lecturer in Philosophy, University of Essex, UK. delivered a talk on “Cultures as Milieus: an Alternative Philosophical view on Mind and Language” on 23 March, 2010.

Centre of Persian and Central Asian Studies

- Prof. Paul Sprachman, Head, Department of Middle Eastern Studies, Rutgers State University, NJ, USA, delivered an extension lecture on “Contemporary Persian Literature”, 12 January, 2010.
- Dr. Mohammad Husain Yamin, Professor Department of Dari, University of Kabul, Afghanistan, delivered a lecture on “Dari Grammar: A Study”, 26 February, 2010.
- Prof. S.J. Havewalla, former Professor of the Centre, delivered a series of three lectures on different topics from 17 – 19 March, 2010.
- President (Vice-Chancellor) of the University of Tehran, Iran visited the Centre and signed an MoU with JNU.

Centre of Russian Studies

- Prof. Stefan Borbely, Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca, Romania delivered a lecture on “Traditionalism and Modernism in 20th Century Romanian Literature”, on 19 – 25 August, 2009.
- Dr. L.V. Khokhlova, Moscow State University, delivered a lecture “Russian Today”, 14 January, 2010.
- Dr. Evgenia Vanina, a noted Indologist and Scholar from the Institute of Oriental Studies, Moscow, delivered a lecture on “Perception of India by the Russian people in the past and the present – A social, political, economic and cultural perspective”.
- A delegation from the Russkiy Mir Foundation, Moscow, visited the Centre, to explore possibilities of signing an Agreement of Co-operation, on 22 March, 2010

Centre of Spanish, Portuguese, Italian and Latin American Studies

- Prof. Enric Bou, University of Brown, U.S.A, made a presentation on “Almodovar and his Endless Film”, 13 August, 2009.
- Prof. John Montesinos, Rovira i Virgili University, Spain, spoke on “Inca Garcilaso de la Vega and his Comentarios Reales”, 21 August, 2009.
- Mr. Jesus Gustavo Lozano, Cervantes Institute, made a presentation on the “Review of the Spanish Civil war after 70 years”, 9 November, 2009.
- Mr. Cristiano Mancheno, charge’d Affaires of the Embassy of Ecuador, delivered a lecture on “Ecuadorean Culture and Perspectives in Relation to Indian Culture”, on 16 November, 2009.
- Prof. Carlos Gohn, Universidade Federal de Minas Gerais, Brazil, delivered the XXIII Antonio Binimelis Memorial Lecture titled “As They Saw India: The Case of a Soap-Opera in Brazil”, 20 February, 2010.
- Mr. Marco Brandao, Ambassador of Brazil in India, visited the Centre and delivered a talk on the occasion of the Antonio Binimelis Memorial Lecture, 20 February, 2010.
- Dr. Oscar Pujol, Director, Instituto Cervantes, visited the Centre and delivered a talk on the occasion of the Antonio Binimelis Memorial Lecture, 20 February, 2010.

Accomplishments of Students

The following students of the following centres registered outstanding achievements:

Centre for Chinese and South-East Asian Studies

- The Vimla Saran Gold Medal was conferred upon Sanjeev Kumar for 2005; Taniya Singh for 2006; Sarika Gupta for 2007; Madhurendra Kumar Jha for 2008 and Rakesh Ranjan for 2009 – for obtaining the highest CGPA in MA Chinese, on November 4, 2009.

Centre for German Studies

- Fellowship awarded to Ms Maithilee Gatne, M.Phil student of programme, by the Hans Seidel Foundation, Free University, Berlin, Germany, from February 2010 - January 2011.
- Scholarship awarded to Mr Harsh Tajena and Ms Mercy Vungthianmuang, M.Phil students of the Centre, by the University of Konstanz, Germany, from September 2009 - July 2010.
- Scholarship awarded to two students under the GIP programme: Malavika (from May - July 2009); Jaspreet Kaur (from June - August 2009).

Centre for Japanese, Korean and North East Asian Studies

- Mr. Kumar Gauri Shankar, M.A. I Year Japanese was awarded the MEXT scholarship by the Government of Japan for one year from October 2009 - September 2010.
- Ms. Sakshee Shree, B.A. II Year, Japanese, Ms. Kaushika, B.A. II Year, Japanese, Ms. Deepika Bhatia, M.A. I Year, Japanese, Mr. Rahul Unni, M.A. II Year, Japanese, Ms. Shubhra Rajput, M.A. II Year Japanese, Mr. Yukti Bhaskar, M. Phil, Japanese, Ms. Bul Bul Jha, M.A. I Year, Japanese, and Mr. Deepak Singh, M.A. I Year, Japanese were awarded Shinnyo-en scholarship by the Government of Japan for one year from July 2008.
- Ms. Sophia C. Prabhakar, B.A.(Hons.) III Year Japanese, has been awarded a one year scholarship from Waseda University from Japan.
- Mr. Sanchit Anand, M.A. II Year Japanese has been awarded Okita Memorial Scholarship for the year 2009.
- Mr. Satish Chandra Satyarthi, B.A.(Hons) III Year Korean, Mr. Kishore Kumar Kanhaiya, B.A.(Hons) III Year Korean, Ms. Jinaliu Golmei, B.A.(Hons) III Year Korean, Mr. Vishal Vikram, B.A.(Hons) III Year Korean, Mr.

Bhupender Yadav, B.A. (Hons) III Year Korean, Ms. Nivedita Naveen, B.A.(Hons) II Year Korean, Mr. Shaukat Shamim, B.A.(Hons) II Year Korean, Mr. Rahul Kumar-I B.A.(Hons) II Year Korean, Mr. Santosh Kumar, B.A.(Hons) II Year Korean, and Mr. Anjani Kumar Sinha, B.A.(Hons) III Year Korean were awarded POSCO Asian Scholarship for the academic year 2009-10.

Centre of Spanish, Portuguese, Italian and Latin American Studies

- The Annual Rafael Iruzebieta Award 2009 (Citation and Rs. 35000) was given to Ms. Shweta Sahay for securing the highest CGPA in M.A. in Spanish.
- The Annual Irene Pelaez Award, 2009 (Citation and Rs.25000) was given to Ms. Swagata Basu for securing the 2nd highest CGPA in M.A. in Spanish.
- The Juhi Prasad Award, 2009, for the best girl student at the B.A. level, was given to Ms. Sapna Priya.

Participation in National/International Conferences/Seminars/Workshops

Centre for Chinese and South-East Asian Studies

- **Kochhar Geeta**, chaired a session on “Teaching Chinese and Trans-cultural Interactions” at the Second International Young Scholars Symposium on Teaching Chinese, organised by Beijing University, 13-14 December, 2009.

Centre for English Studies

- **Paranjape Makarand**, “Introduction to the Conference,” the conference coordinator’s address, The Culture and Philosophy of Science in India, Ramakrishna Mission Institute of Culture, Kolkata, 4-6 April, 2009.
- **Paranjape Makarand**, Chaired a panel discussion with Dhritiman Chatterjee and others as the opening event of Bollywood’s Soft Power, IIT-Kharagpur, 14 December, 2009.
- **Prasad G.J.V.**, Chaired a session at the International Workshop on Colonialism and Translation in South Asia, organised by the Leverhulme Research Network in ‘Postcolonial Translation: The Case of South Asia’, at Newcastle University, UK, 1-5 June, 2009.
- **Prasad G.J.V.**, Chaired a session at the International Workshop on Translation and Nation Building in South Asia: 1947-1977, organised by the Leverhulme Research Network in ‘Postcolonial Translation: The Case of South Asia’, Newcastle University, UK, at Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU), and University of Delhi, New Delhi, 8-11 January, 2010.
- **Prasad G.J.V.**, Chaired a session at a seminar at the International College for Girls, Jaipur, 30 January, 2010
- **Prasad G.J.V.**, Keynote address at the National Seminar on Writing Subaltern: Across Histories, Cultures, Geographies, organised by Department of English, Punjabi University, Patiala, at Patiala, 25-26 February, 2010.
- **Bhaduri Saugata**, Chaired Panel 1, 29 June, 2009, at the Annual Conference on India in Canada, Canada in India: Managing Diversity, organised by the Spanish Association for Interdisciplinary India Studies, at the Universidad de Córdoba, Córdoba, Spain, 29 June - 2 July, 2009.
- **Bhaduri Saugata**, Chaired Session 4 on “Feminist Thought in Indian Women’s Fictions”, 4 October, 2009, and Panelist, Concluding Session, 5 October, 2009, at the Seminar on Women in Modern Social and Political Thought, organised by Centre for Women’s Studies (CWS), Aligarh Muslim University (AMU), 3-5 October, 2009.
- **Bhaduri Saugata**, Chaired Session 5, November 17, at the 33rd Indian Folklore Congress, organised by Manipur University, Imphal, 16-18 November, 2009.
- **Bhaduri Saugata**, Chaired Session on “Partition and Translation: Nation, Gender, Politics”, 9 January, 2010 at the International Workshop on Translation and Nation Building in South Asia: 1947-1977, organised by the Leverhulme Research Network in ‘Postcolonial Translation: The Case of South Asia’, Newcastle University, UK, at SLLCS, JNU, and University of Delhi, New Delhi, 8-11 January, 2010.

- **Bhaduri Saugata**, Invited delegate, Meeting of the Academic Council, Erasmus Mundus Joint Doctorate Programme in Cultural Studies in Literary Interzones, at the University of Bergamo, Bergamo, Italy, 14-15 January, 2010.
- **Bhaduri Saugata**, Panelist at panel discussion on “Postcolonial Trends in Theological and Secular Education”, at the International Conference on Envisioning Postcolonial Theologies to Decolonizing the Body of Christ, organised by United Theological College, Bangaluru, the Society of Biblical Studies in India, and the Lincoln Theological Institute, University of Manchester, at Bangaluru, 21-23 January, 2010.
- **Mongia Padmini**, Round Table speaker on the panel ‘Writing’ Conflict: The Impact of Conflict on Literature and the Allied Arts: “Conflict, Belonging, Multiculturalism” at Sri Venkateswara College, University of Delhi, 5-7 September, 2009.

Centre for French and Francophone Studies

- **Chaudhry Kiran**, Resource Person, Workshop on La compréhension écrite/orale en salle de classe: un processus interactif, organised by the Department of Germanic and Romance Studies, University of Delhi, October, 2009.
- **Chaudhry Kiran**, Resource person, Workshop on Lectures diagonales en salle de classe: stratégies et tâches, at the Third Orientation Programme for Foreign Language School Teachers, JNU Outreach Programme, November, 2009.
- **Rao Vijayalakshmi**, Panelist, Round Table “Autour de Michel Tremblay”, at the Congrès international d’études francophones, New Orleans, USA, 21-28 June, 2009.

Centre of German Studies

- **Sahni Madhu**, Resource person, Workshop on Creative Writing Using the Schema of the Fairy-Tale, at the Third Orientation Programme for Foreign Language School Teachers, JNU Outreach Programme, November, 2009.
- **Sahni Madhu**, gave a talk and conducted a workshop on the “Fall of the German Wall”, for InDaf (Indo German Teachers Association) at Punjab University, Chandigarh, November, 2009.
- **Schwarz Thomas**, Chair for the Session on South America, at Ost-West: DFG, Meeting of the Postkolonialismus-Netzwerks, Universität Basel, Germany, May, 2009.
- **Schwarz Thomas**, conducted a Unit on “Der Sensex als Indikator des Krisenbewusstseins in Indien”, at the Tutor meeting of the DAAD/Bonn training course on Krise und Krisenbewusstsein, University of Osnabrück, Wiedergehalten, Germany, June, 2009.
- **Schwarz Thomas**, Moderation of Panel 50 and 60 and Chair for Session on “Exil”, at the Fifth Humboldt Conference on Travels between Europe and the Americas, Freie Universität Berlin.
- **Schwarz Thomas**, Co-ordinator and Moderator (with Prof. Jürgen Link), Krise und Normalität, Symposium for Young Researchers in German Language. University of Delhi, October, 2009.
- **Schwarz Thomas**, Panelist in a Panel Discussion, and conducted a Workshop on “Erinnerungsorte im DaF-Unterricht” (Places of Memory in Foreign Language Teaching), at the Seminar on Erinnerungskultur (Cultural Memory), organised by der Lektorenvereinigung Korea, at Chungang University, Korea, November, 2009.

Centre of Indian Languages

- **Lal Chaman**, Delivered presidential remarks on Hindi Poet Gorakh Pandey memorial meeting, at Delhi, 29 January, 2010.
- **Lal Chaman**, Presided over a session and delivered a major address at a national seminar on Future of Modern Civilisation, at Vidyant College, Lucknow, 18 February, 2010.
- **Nachimuthu K.**, “Uriccol Kotpatu”, at a Workshop on Tolkappiyam, Department of Tamil Language, University of Madras, 16 November, 2009.

- **Nachimuthu K.**, Presidential Address “Bharathi Ayyukal Cila Kurippukal” and “Bharathiyin Panchali Sabadam: Natai Parriya Cila Vilakkankal”, at the Seminar on Bharathi, organised by the Fathima College, Madurai, 4 December, 2009.
- **Nachimuthu K.**, Presided over and delivered a Lecture on Attuppatai Ilakkiyam at the Seminar on Sangam Ilakkiya Attuppatai Ilakkiyam, at the Kandasamy Kandar College, Velur, Tamilnadu, 18-19 December, 2009.
- **Nachimuthu K.**, Valedictory Address at the Workshop on The Study of Tamil Sanskrit and Greek Literatures, at the Palani Andavar College, Palani, 20 December, 2009.
- **Nachimuthu K.**, Presided over a Seminar in honor of Prof. S.V.Subramanian on his 80th birth day at Tamilur, 25-27 December, 2009
- **Nachimuthu K.**, Three Lectures on “Cilappatikaram Language and its Genesis”, at the Workshop on Cilappatikaram conducted by the M.G.R. Arts and Science College, Hosur on 29 January, 2010.
- **Nachimuthu K.**, A Lecture at the Commemoration Seminar of Prof. S. Agasthalingam, Tamil University, Thanjavur, 25 March, 2010.
- **Saha Ranjit Kr.**, Presided over second session and released the book entitled Mahadevi Ki Visva-Drishti by Dr Kikuchi, at Japan Foundation.
- **Saha Ranjit Kr.**, delivered lecture at Inaugural Session of the National Seminar on Bhasha Bandhan, organised by Hindu Unit, JNU, 22 September, 2009.
- **Choubey Devendra Kr.**, delivered theme note “Rethinking perspective of History of Hindi Lecture and New perspective of History of Hindi Literature”, at an International workshop on Rethinking the History of Hindi Lecture, organised and under the 4th TEC(Mauritius)-UGC (India) consortium agreement at Mahatma Gandhi Institute (Department of Hindi), Moka, Mauritius, 8 March, 2010.
- **Choubey Devendra Kr.**, conducted an interactive session of translation of Rahi Masoom Raza’s Aadha Gaon (Hindi Novel) from Hindi to German, at an international workshop organised by University of Delhi and JNU at IIC, New Delhi, 8-9 October, 2009.
- **Choubey Devendra Kr.**, chaired one session at a national seminar on History of Dalit Literature, organised by Department of Hindi, Cochin University of Science and Technology, Kochi, 16-17 December, 2009.

Centre for Japanese, Korean and North East Asian Studies

- **Jain Sushama**, Invited Participant at the seminar on Japan and South Asia: Capacity Building for Knowledge Based Society, organised by South Asian Federation of Japanese Universities Alumni Association, Kathmandu, Nepal, 14 -15 March, 2010.
- **Ravikesh**, Chaired a session on “Teaching Methodology”, at the 4th All India Korean Language Educators’ Workshop on Teaching Methodology of Korean Language Education for Indian Learners, at SLLCS, JNU, 26-27 February, 2010.

Centre of Russian Studies

- **Kumar R.**, Chief Guest’s address, at the Two Day National Seminar on Disability, Poverty and Sustainable Development in India, organised by Society for Social Improvement, New Delhi, in collaboration with Community Advancement, Natural Development and Learning Education, New Delhi Sponsored by Indian Council of Social Science Research (NRC) and Rehabilitation Council of India, Government of India, New Delhi, 13-14 April, 2009.
- **Kumar R.**, Presidential address “Role of Youth in Knowledge Creation and Dissemination”, at the Orientation Programme, organised by Career Counseling and Placement Guidance Committee, JNU, New Delhi 4-6 May, 2009.
- **Kumar R.**, Chief Guest’s address at Seminar-cum-Exhibition to Celebrate the Cyrillic Alphabet at Russian Centre of Science and Culture, New Delhi, 2 June, 2009.
- **Kumar R.**, Address as special Guest of Hunan, at an International seminar on Karakoram Himalayas, organised by Himalayan Research Foundation, New Delhi, 23 – 24 July, 2009.

- **Kumar R.**, inaugural address at the Russian Films Week, 24 August, 2009.
- **Kumar R.**, Delegate, International University Presidents Forum, Lanzhou University, China, 19-20 September, 2009.
- **Kumar R.**, Delegate, international seminar on Russian Language Teaching, and Rectors' Forum at KRS University, Bishket, Kyrgyzstan, 23-27 September, 2009.
- **Kumar R.**, Presidential address, Prof. Moonis Raza Memorial Lecture, 6 November, 2009.
- **Kumar R.**, Address to Teachers on "The Relevance of Foreign Languages in Knowledge based Economy", at the Third National Orientation Programme for Foreign Language School Teachers, SLLCS, JNU, 13 November, 2009.
- **Kumar R.**, Addressed the Opening and Concluding Plenary Sessions, and chaired the Session on "Peoples' Diplomacy", at the Forum Russian-Indian Social Dialogue, organised by Rossotrudnichestvo Moscow, Russia, 18-19 November, 2009.
- **Kumar R.**, Inaugural address "Central Asia in Pre and Post Soviet Periods", at a Seminar on Regional Cooperation and Security in Central Asia, organised by CSCSA, SIS, JNU, New Delhi, 5-6 December, 2009.
- **Kumar R.**, Inaugural plenary address "Relevance of Green Buildings in the context of global warning", at the First National Workshop on Fostering Green Building for Sustainable Development Clearance, organised by Search Foundation at IIC, New Delhi, 10 December, 2009.
- **Kumar R.**, Inaugural address at the national workshop on Model Curricula Development in Disabilities. SIS, JNU, New Delhi, 12 February, 2010.
- **Kumar R.**, Spoke on "Significance of Diplomacy at Peoples' level and its contribution to the development and strengthening of relations between the two countries" at a symposium on Russian-Indian Diplomacy, RCSC, New Delhi, 17 February, 2010.
- **Kumar R.**, Inaugural address "Philosophy – the Science of all Sciences", at the First Asian Philosophy Congress, New Delhi, 6 – 9 March, 2010.
- **Kumar R.**, Inaugural address "Centuries' Old Indo-Japanese relations and their relevance in today's world" at the Japan-India International Conference, SLLandCS, JNU, New Delhi, 12 March, 2010.
- **Kumar R.**, Inaugural address at an International Seminar on Asia-Pacific Region, SIS, JNU, New Delhi, 25 March, 2010.
- **Basu Sankar**, Inaugural address at the seminar on Language and Translation Industry of India: Opportunities and Challenges, at Indian Institute of Foreign Trade, New Delhi, 17 – 18 April, 2009.
- **Basu Sankar**, Inaugural address on Hangeul Day Zoon organised by CJKNEAS on the topic Significance of Hangeul for Korean Studies, at SSS auditorium, JNU, 9 October, 2009.
- **Basu Sankar**, Inaugural address at the seminar on Language Archiving in the 21st Century, organised by CL, SLLandCS, JNU, 27 October, 2009.
- **Basu Sankar**, Inaugural address at the international symposium on Changing Reception of Japan in South Asia, organised by CJKNEAS, SLLandCS, JNU, 3 – 4 November, 2009.
- **Basu Sankar**, Inaugural address at the seminar on India and Korea: The Evolving Relationship, organised jointly by CJKNEAS, SLLandCS, JNU and the Academy of Korean Studies, Korea, at JNU, 22 January, 2010.
- **Basu Sankar**, Inaugural address at the Indo-Japanese Literature Seminar on Literature and Painting, organised jointly by CJKNEAS, SLLandCS, JNU and The Japan Foundation, New Delhi, at Tagore Hall, Japan Foundation, 12 February, 2010.
- **Basu Sankar**, Chaired a session in the symposium on Reception of Arabian Nights in Worlds Literature, organised by CAAS, SLLandCS, JNU, at India International Centre, New Delhi, 22 February, 2010.

- **Menon R.N.**, Delegate at the Fifth International Scientific Conference on Language, Culture and Society, organised by the Presidium of the Russian Academy of Sciences and the Moscow Institute of Foreign Languages, Moscow, Russia, 24 – 27 September, 2009.
- **Sawant Richa**, Delegate at the Fifth International Scientific Conference on Language, Culture and Society, organised by the Presidium of the Russian Academy of Sciences and the Moscow Institute of Foreign Languages, Moscow, Russia, 24-27 September, 2009.

Centre of Spanish, Portuguese, Italian and Latin American Studies

- **Ganguly Shyama Prasad**, Panel speaker in Inter-textuality: A Colloquium on Transcultural and Intermedial Influence, organised by JNIAS, JNU, in collaboration with the French Embassy, New Delhi, 10 December, 2009.
- **Sundriyal Meenakshi**, Participant at the Seminar on Editing Golden Age Texts: Theory and Practice, University of Navarra, Pamplona, Spain, 8-12 June, 2009

Lectures Delivered (Outside JNU)

Centre for Chinese and South-East Asian Studies

- **Mitra Sabaree**, Two lectures: “Yindu de hanyu jiaoxue: Lishi beijing yu weilai tiaozhan” (Chinese Teaching in India: Historical Background and Future Challenges) and “Yindu ershi shiji funu xiezuo yu funu yundong de guanxi” (Relation between 20th Century Indian Women’s Writing and Women’s Movement), at School of Foreign Languages, Lanzhou University, Lanzhou, PRC, 8-9 June, 2009.
- **Mitra Sabaree**, “Zhongguo he Yindu funu wenti yanjiu” (Research on Women’s Issues in China and India), at Peking University Staff Association, Peking University, Beijing, PRC, 11 June, 2009.
- **Deepak B.R.**, “Higher education in India and China”, at Harbin Normal University, 13 October, 2009.

Centre for English Studies

- **Paranjape Makarand**, Shivdasani Lecture: “The Death of Gandhi”, Oxford Centre for Hindu Studies, University of Oxford, 19 October, 2009.
- **Paranjape Makarand**, “Mahatma Gandhi on Health and Healing.” University of Keele Medical School, 3 November, 2009.
- **Paranjape Makarand**, “The Idea of World Literature.” Department of English and Comparative Literature. University of Warwick, 4 November, 2009.
- **Paranjape Makarand**, Shivdasani Lecture: “The Sanatani Mahatma”, Oxford Centre for Hindu Studies, University of Oxford, 16 November, 2009.
- **Paranjape Makarand**, “Post-Colonial Gandhi in Bollywood”: Screening and Talk on Lage Raho Munna Bhai. Department of English, University of Leeds, 2 December, 2009.
- **Paranjape Makarand**, “Sanatana Dharma in Our Times and Its Contribution to Human Understanding.” Invited lecture at the UNESCO programme at the Ramakrishna Mission Institute of Culture, Kolkata, 17 December, 2009.
- **Paranjape Makarand**, “The Idea of World Literature.” Two lectures at the Academic Staff College, University of Trivandrum, 10 January, 2010.
- **Paranjape Makarand**, “The India of Indian Literature.” Two lectures at the Academic Staff College, University of Trivandrum, 11 January, 2010.
- **Paranjape Makarand**, “The Rasa of Bollywood.” P. K. Rajan Memorial Lecture, University Women’s College, Thiruvananthapuram, 12 January, 2010.
- **Paranjape Makarand**, “The Death and Afterlife of Mahatma Gandhi,” Vikramaditya Rai Memorial Lecture 2010, Department of English, Benaras Hindu University, 16 January, 2010.

- **Paranjape Makarand**, “Gandhi: Vichar aur Vicharak,” Vidyalkar Memorial Lecture, Nishreyas, Sanskrit Bhavan, 28 January, 2010.
- **Prasad G.J.V.**, “Writing India Writing English”, talk at the University of Iowa, USA, 23 April, 2009
- **Prasad G.J.V.**, Valedictory Talk delivered at the Refresher Course on “Teaching of Literature in the Recent Global Context” at Babasaheb Ambedkar University, Aurangabad, 24 September, 2009
- **Prasad G.J.V.**, “Politics of Marginality”, two lectures delivered at the Refresher Course held by the Department of English and Cultural Studies, Punjab University Chandigarh, 12-13 March, 2010
- **Bhaduri Saugata**, Series of four lectures on “Aesthetics”, for postgraduate students, National Institute of Design, Ahmedabad, 7-11 July, 2009
- **Bhaduri Saugata**, Talk on Contemporary Literary and Cultural Theory, Department of English, PGDAV College, DU, 18 September, 2009
- **Bhaduri Saugata**, “Hayden White and Hidden Non-Whites: A Critique of Metahistorical Reason”, for college and university lecturers, English Refresher Course, Academic Staff College, Jamia Millia Islamia, 11 November, 2009
- **Bhaduri Saugata**, “Feminism and Marxism”, for college and university lecturers, Women’s Studies Refresher Course, Academic Staff College, Aligarh Muslim University (AMU), 5 February, 2010
- **Bhaduri Saugata**, Series of four lectures “Of Power and Knowledge: Nietzsche, Marx and beyond”, “Engaging with the Enlightenment: The Frankfurt School and Critical Theory”, “‘The Ticklish Subject’: Agency, Differences, and the Limits of Ideology Critique”, and “Of Alterity and Cosmopolitics: The Future of Critical Thinking”, for college lecturers, at the MHRD/AICTE sponsored Winter School on Critical Thinking, Reading and Writing Skills: Learning to Think, Read and Write the Modernist Way, Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur, 18-19 February, 2010
- **Bhaduri Saugata**, Talk on Literary Theory, Department of English, Zakir Hussain College, University of Delhi (DU), 24 February, 2010
- **Mongia Padmini**, Spoke on Meenakshi Mukherjee’s book, Jane Austen, at Memorial for Meenakshi Mukherjee, Delhi University, 17 November, 2009.
- **Mongia Padmini**, Reading from Pchak, Pchak: a Story of Crocodiles at Apeejay Literary Festival, Calcutta. 15-17 January, 2010.
- **Mongia Padmini**, two lectures “The New Indian Novel” and “Bill Hutson’s Insistent Abstraction”, at Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster, PA, February, 2010.
- **Mongia Padmini**, Reading from Pchak, Pchak at Vasant Valley School, New Delhi, 29 March, 2010.

Centre for French and Francophone Studies

- **Madavane K.**, “Système Universitaire indien”, at the Department de Littératures Françaises et Comparées, University of Paris IV, Sorbonne, Paris, 2009.
- **Chaudhry Kiran**, two lectures “Representation of Culture in French Text Books” and “Task based approaches in foreign language teaching”, to MA students, Department of European Languages, Literature and Culture Studies, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur, 29-30 October, 2009.
- **Kamala N.**, “Délites de la traduction”, University of Rajasthan, 29-30 December, 2009.
- **Karkun Abhijit**, three lectures on “Making of India” Parts I and II, and “Emergence of India as a Global Power – A Myth or a Reality?”, at Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, 7-9 July, 2009.
- **Karkun Abhijit**, “Education, Cultural Diversity and Social Development in India”, at Federal University of Minas Gerais, Pampulha Campus, Belo Horizonte, Brazil, 10 July, 2009.

- **Karkun Abhijit**, “Education, Cultural Diversity and Social Development in India”, at the Post Graduate Program on Education, Federal University of Amazonas, Manaus, 13 July, 2009.
- **Karkun Abhijit**, “Impressions of Brazil”, at the Centre for European and Latin American Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 18 November, 2009.
- **Agnihotri Ashish**, “L’Amour, la fantasia d’Assia Djebar: Questions de méthode, et méthodes en question. Analyse de l’incipit dans une perspective kristévienne”, at the Department of Germanic and Romance Studies, University of Delhi, Delhi, 12 March, 2010.

Centre of German Studies

- **Dengle Rajendra**, “The Role of Literature in Foreign Language Teaching under the Influence of the New Media,” at the Summer School on Media and Cultural Encounters, organised by the University of Bayreuth, Germany, 5-10 October, 2009.
- **Naithani Sadhana**, “Local Cultures – Global Theories”, at Zentrum Moderner Orient, Berlin, 7 July, 2009.
- **Chirmuley Parnal**, “Situating Women’s Magazines Within Related Creative Industries”, to students of the Women’s Studies Department, San Diego State University, January, 2010.
- **Chirmuley Parnal**, Lecture on ‘English Language Niche Publishing for Women in India since the 1990s’, at the Department of History, Purdue University, USA, November, 2009.
- **Schwarz Thomas**, “Hybridität. Eine kritische Begriffsgeschichte (Hybridity: A Critical Conceptual History)”, at the invitation of the Korea Research Team at the Ewha Institute for the Humanities, the Ewha University, Seoul, November, 2009.

Centre of Indian Languages

- **Lal Chaman**, Two lectures on Bhagat Singh, in Orientation Course at Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar, 14 October, 2009.
- **Lal Chaman**, lecture on Bhagat Singh at a book release programme at Gandhi Peace Foundation, New Delhi, 12 December, 2009.
- **Nachimuthu K.**, “Mahabharata and Ramayana Tradition in Tamil and Malayalam”, at the Institute of Indologie and Tamilistics, University of Cologne, Cologne, Germany, 27 – 29 May, 2009.
- **Nachimuthu K.**, Lecture on Tirukkural at the Tenkasi Thiruvalluvar Kazhakam, 8 June, 2009.
- **Nachimuthu K.**, Obituary speech on the Late Prof. V.I. Subramaniam, at Bharathiyar University, at Coimbatore on June 6, 2009, and at Thanjavur on 14 June, 2009.
- **Nachimuthu K.**, Live class presentation on the Gyanabharati Channel, IGNOU, 7 July, 2009.
- **Nachimuthu K.**, Three lectures on Research Methodology and Literary Studies, at Bharathiyar University, Coimbatore, 2 – 4 September, 2009.
- **Nachimuthu K.**, A lecture on the Study of Sangam Literature, Madurai American College, Madurai, 16 December, 2009.
- **Nachimuthu K.**, Presidential speech at the valedictory function of the Department of Tamil, Bharathidasan Arts and Science College, Orathanadu, 25 March, 2010.
- **Nachimuthu K.**, An endowment lecture under the auspices of the Tolkappiyam Endowment in the Department of Tamil Literature, University of Madras, on Tolkappiyam Cila Mathippeedukal, 26 March, 2010.
- **Jat Ram Bux**, “Alochana Ka Swatva”, Hindi Akademi, New Dehli, 8 October, 2009.
- **Jat Ram Bux**, “Kathetar Gadya Ke Adhayan Ki Samasyaen”, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 18 January, 2010.
- **Jat Ram Bux**, “Study of Hindi Novel”, UGC, DRS Programme at Delhi University, Delhi.

- **Choubey Devendra Kr.**, “Aadhunik Hindi Sahitya”, Department of Hindi, Vinoba Bhawe University, Hazaribagh, Jharkhand, 30 April, 2009.
- **Choubey Devendra Kr.**, “Stri, Dalit and Aadiwasi Sahitya ki Vichardhara”, Academic Staff College, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 25 July, 2009.
- **Choubey Devendra Kr.**, “Post Modernism and Contemporary Literature (Women, Dalit and Tribal Literature)”, Academic Staff College, H. P. University, Shimla, 6-7 November, 2009.
- **Choubey Devendra Kr.**, Lecture on ‘Literature and Society’, Sree Sankarasharya University of Sanskrit, Kalady, Kerala, 18 December, 2009.
- **Choubey Devendra Kr.**, Lecture on ‘Historical and Mythological References in Bhojpuri’, Department of Bhojpuri, Folklore and Oral Tradition, Mahatma Gandhi Institute, Moka, Mauritius, 4 March, 2010.
- **Choubey Devendra Kr.**, “Itihas Aur Sahitya Ki Nayi Pravrittian”, DAV Degree College, Port Louis, Mauritius, 13 March, 2010.
- **Choubey Devendra Kr.**, Lecture on ‘Contemporary Hindi Short Stories’, India Gandhi Centre for Indian Culture, Indian High Commission, Mauritius, 27 March, 2010.

Centre for Japanese, Korean and North East Asian Studies

- **Motwani Prem**, “Indo-Japanese Relations – An Indian Perspective”, Institute for International Studies and Training, Tokyo, Japan, 15 May, 2009.
- **Motwani Prem**, “Issues for Japanese Companies in India”, at the Nakamura Gakuen University, Fukuoka, Japan, 19 May, 2009.
- **Motwani Prem**, “Indo-Japanese Relations”, at Kankeiren (Osaka Economic Federation), Osaka, Japan, 20 May, 2009.
- **Motwani Prem**, “Youth Culture in India”, Miyagi Gakuin University, Akita, Japan, 25 May, 2009.
- **Motwani Prem**, “Indian Economy Today”, at the Hiroshima University, Hiroshima, Japan, 27 May, 2009.
- **Motwani Prem**, “Differences in American and Japanese Approach in Doing Business in India”, at the Hiroshima University, Hiroshima, Japan, 8 January, 2010.
- **Motwani Prem**, “Japan’s Soft Power”, at Hiroshima Prefectural Government Office, 19 March, 2010.
- **Raghavan Vyjayanti**, Lecture on Korean Culture, delivered for Indian and Korean Employees of LG Electronics, at LG plant site, Delhi, 25 May, 2009.
- **Raghavan Vyjayanti**, “Northeast Asia and South Asia: Comparative Security Dynamics”, at the Sejong Institute, Korea, 25 June, 2009.
- **Raghavan Vyjayanti**, “Military Dictatorship in Asia: The Case of North Korea and Myanmar”, at the Institute for Chinese Studies, New Delhi, 23 September, 2009.

Centre for Linguistics

- **Manjali Franson**, “Mind and Meaning,” Conversation with doctoral students in the Department of Philosophy, University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad, October, 2009.
- **Manjali Franson**, “Varieties of Meaning”, at the Centre for the Study of Culture and Society, Bangaluru, October, 2009.
- **Manjali Franson**, “Mind-Body-Sense Complex and Some Philosophical Responses to Neuroplasticity,” public lecture at the Centre for Contemporary Studies, Indian Institute of Science, Bangaluru, October, 2009.
- **Manjali Franson**, “The body of sense, the sense of body,” at the Indian Council of Social Science Research, North-Eastern Regional Centre, Shillong, 16 March, 2010.

Centre of Russian Studies

- **Mittal Manu**, Lecture on 'Indian Central Asian Links', at the University of Osh, Kyrgyz Republic, September-October, 2009.
- **Mittal Manu**, Lecture on 'Indian Central Asian Cultural Links', at the University of Talas, Kyrgyz Republic, September – October, 2009.
- **Mittal Manu**, Lecture on 'Indo-Kazakh links through the Ages', at the Republic of Kazakhstan in October, 2009.

Centre of Spanish, Portuguese, Italian and Latin American Studies

- **Ganguly Shyama Prasad**, In collaboration with Jose Maria Balcells, "Jimenez and Tagore: An Interactive Dialogue", inaugural lecture at the official opening of the Cervantes Institute in New Delhi, 13 November, 2009.
- **Dhingra Anil K.**, "Religion y secularizacion en la India", at the course entitled La India entre la Tradicion y la Modernidad, Complutense University of Madrid, Spain, 29 July, 2009
- **Dhingra Anil K.**, "La India en marcha: Una vision de futuro", Foro La Region, Galicia, Spain, 14 October, 2009.
- **Sundriyal Meenakshi**, "India: Diversity and Democracy", at the University of Alcala, Alcala de Henares, Spain, 19 May, 2009.

Awards/Honors/Fellowships

Centre for Chinese and South-East Asian Studies

- **Kochhar Geeta**, participated in Overseas Chinese Teacher Training Programme, East China Normal University, Shanghai, China, 17 July – 14 August, 2009.

Centre for English Studies

- **Paranjape Makarand**, Shivdasani Visiting Fellow, Oxford Centre for Hindu Studies, Oxford University.
- **Paranjape Makarand**, Visiting Fellow, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona.
- **Prasad G.J.V.**, Visiting Professor at Grinnell College, Iowa, USA, April, 2009.
- **Bhaduri Saugata**, Listed in Marquis Who's Who in the World 2010, New Providence, NJ, 2009, ISBN: 978-0-8379-1143-4

Centre for French and Francophone Studies

- **Madavane K.**, Visiting Professor, University of Paris IV, Paris, 2010.
- **Chaudhry Kiran**, appointed "Officier dans l'ordre des Palmes Academiques", 2008- 2009 (one of the oldest and highest civil distinctions in France, initiated by Napoleon in 1808), by the French Government for outstanding contribution made in research and teaching French language, literature and culture.

Centre of German Studies

- **Naithani Sadhana**, Research Fellowship at Freie Universität, Berlin (under the partnership program between CGS/JNU and FU, Berlin), to research on "Fachgeschichte der Germanistik und Volkskunde" (Disciplinary History of Germanistics and European Ethnology), June – July, 2009.

Centre of Indian Languages

- **Choubey Devendra Kr.**, Visited Mahatma Gandhi Institute, Moka, Mauritius as a Visiting Scholar under item No.4 of UGC- TEC 4th Consortium Agreement with Mauritius for a period of 6 weeks (14 February – 27 March, 2010).

Centre for Japanese, Korean and North East Asian Studies

- **Motwani Prem**, Visiting Professor, Hiroshima University, from December, 2009 – March, 2010.
- **Lakshmi M.V.**, Hojo Research Fellowship to visit Japan for field work and material collection, from 20 October – 18 November, 2009.
- **Singh Rupa**, Participated in the Short term Teachers Training Program for Foreign Teachers of Japanese Language, at the Japan Foundation, Urawa, Japan, from 28 January – 23 March, 2010.

Centre of Persian and Central Asian Studies

- **Ansari Akhlaque Ahmad**, Associateship of Indian Institute of Advanced Study, Shimla, from 2005.

Centre of Russian Studies

- **Bandyopadhyay Arunim**, Visited Russia under the MOU signed between JNU and Moscow State University, from 15 September – 7 October, 2009
- **Bandyopadhyay Arunim**, awarded a scholarship to visit Hungary for one month in the academic year 2009 – 2010.

Centre of Spanish, Portuguese, Italian and Latin American Studies

- **Sundriyal Meenakshi**, awarded the Hispanista Fellowship by the AECID of the Spanish Government for doing research in Spain during May – July, 2009.

Membership of Boards/Committees (Outside JNU)

Centre for Chinese and South-East Asian Studies

- **Mukherji Priyadarsi**, Member, China Scholarship Expert Committee, Ministry of HRD, Government of India; Member, UGC Review Committee visiting the Deemed to be University, Central Institute of Higher Tibetan Studies (renamed as Central University of Tibetan Studies), Sarnath, Varanasi; Chairman, Curriculum Designing Committee, Five-Year Integrated M.A. Programme in Chinese Language and Studies, Sikkim University, Gangtok, Sikkim; Chairman, Curriculum Designing Committee, Five-Year Integrated M.A. Programme in Chinese Language and Studies, Doon University, Dehradun, Uttarakhand; and Subject Expert in Selection Committee at Visva-Bharati, Shantiniketan.

Centre for English Studies

- **Sareen, Santosh K.**, Founder President of the Indian Association for the Study of Australia (IASA).
- **Prasad G.J.V.**, Secretary of the Indian Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies, 2005 till date; Member of the Executive Committee of the Indian Association for the Study of Australia, 2005 till date; Member of the Editorial Board of IJOWLAC, a journal devoted to postcolonial literatures; Member, Board of Editors, Muse India, a web journal; Member, Expert Committee, Central University Jharkhand; Member, Expert Committee, Central University Tamil Nadu; Member, Board of Studies, GTB Indraprastha University, Delhi; and Member, Board of Studies, Department of English and Modern European Languages, Jamia Millia Islamia University, Delhi.
- **Bhaduri Saugata**, Member, Academic Council, Erasmus Mundus Joint Doctorate Programme in Cultural Studies in Literary Interzones, co-ordinated by the University of Bergamo, Italy; Member, Advisory Editorial Board, Journal of Indian Folkloristics, journal of the Indian Folklore Congress; Subject Expert, Library Advisory Committee, Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts, New Delhi; Member, Course Planning Committee, M.Phil./Ph.D. in Women's Studies, Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi; Member, Moderation Committee, Annual Examinations, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi; Subject Expert, Selection Committee, Lecturer of English, Mahatma

Jyotiba Phule Rohilkhand University, Bareilly, May 2009; and Subject Expert, Screening Committee, Lecturer of English, Lal Bahadur Shastri Sanskrit Vidyapith, New Delhi, October 2009.

- **Singh Dhananjay**, Member, International Federation for Theatre Research; Member, International Association for the Study of Irish Literature; and Member, Indian Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies.

Centre for French and Francophone Studies

- **Chaudhry Kiran**, Member, Board of Studies, Centre for Spanish, European and Latin American Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi; Member, Board of Studies, Department of French, Punjab University, Chandigarh; Member, Board of Studies, B.P.S. Mahila Vishwavidyalaya, Khanpur Kalan, Sonapat; Member, Research Degree Committee in Foreign Languages, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar; and Convenor, (French) Syllabus Restructuring Committee, CBSE.
- **Rao Vijayalakshmi**, Member, Board of Studies, Maharaja Sayajirao University, Baroda; Member, Board of Studies, Goa University; and Member, Advisory Committee, UGC-SAP, Pondicherry University.
- **Karkun Abhijit**, Elected Vice President (2009-2011) of Intercultural Research Association (Association pour la recherche interculturelle -ARIC); Member, Board of Studies, Department of French, University of Assam, Silchar; Elected Member, Executive Committee of the Comparative Literature Association of India, 2007-2010; Member, International Association for Quebec Studies, Canada; Member, International Association for Intercultural Research, Fribourg, Switzerland; and Member, International Comparative Literature Association.
- **Agnihotri Ashish**, Advisor, Doctoral Committee, Department of Germanic and Romance Studies, University of Delhi, for 3 theses (in collaboration with Universities of Paris 3 and Montpellier 3), 2010.

Centre of German Studies

- **Rajan Rekha V.**, Member, International Advisory Board of the International Association of Germanists (IVG).
- **Dengle Rajendra**, Member, Selection Committee, German Language Department, EFLU, Hyderabad; and Member, Board of Studies in German, M.S. University of Baroda.
- **Sahni Madhu**, Member, Board of Studies, Department of Foreign Languages, CCS University, Meerut.
- **Naithani Sadhana**, Invited by Doon University, Dehradun, in March 2010 to propose courses and syllabus for its undergraduate and graduate program of German Studies; unanimously elected as Member of the Executive Board of the International Society for Folk Narrative Research in the ISFNR Congress 2009 in Athens (Greece); and Member, Board of Editors of Journal *Marvels and Tales*, published by Wayne State University, Detroit.

Centre of Indian Languages

- **Nachimuthu K.**, Member, Consultative Committee for the Central University of Tamilnadu; and Member, Senate, Tamil University, Thanjavur, Tamilnadu.
- **Jat Ram Bux**, Member, Governing Body of Shri Aurobindo College, New Delhi; and Member Board of Studies at Chaudhary Charan Singh University, Meerut, M.D. University, Rohtak, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra, Jai Narain Vyas University, Jodhpur and Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi.
- **Choubey Devendra Kr.**, Member, Official Language Department, Cabinet Secretariat, Government of Bihar, since 2008.

Centre for Japanese, Korean and North East Asian Studies

- **Jain Sushama**, Member, Board of Studies, Japanese Department, Visvabharati University, West Bengal; Member, Board of Studies, Pondicherry University; Member, Selection Committee English and Foreign Language University, Hyderabad; Member, Selection Committee, Mahatma Gandhi International Hindi University, Wardha; Member, Task force for the development of syllabi and courses for CBSE for Japanese language at schools;

and Member, Expert Committee, and resource person for framing the syllabus and production of teaching material for the Japanese Course through Distance Learning, Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU).

- **Chauhan Manjushree**, Member, Selection Committee, Visvabharati University, West Bengal; Member, Selection Committee, English and Foreign Language University, Hyderabad; Member, Committee of Courses in Japanese Language, Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE), New Delhi from October 2008; Member, Folklore Society of Japan; Secretary and Founder Member, Indo-Japan Exchange Development Foundation, India chapter; Founder Member and Member, Executive Committee, Japanese Language Teachers Association of India (JALTAI), New Delhi; Life member, The Indian Congress of Asian and Pacific Studies (ICAPS); Life member, Indian Scientific Translators Association (ISTA); Member, Executive Committee, Mombusho Scholars Association of India (MOSAI); and Founder Member, Bharat Japan Maitri Parishad.
- **George P.A.**, Member, Board of Studies in Japanese, Department of Foreign Languages, Faculty of Arts, BHU; Advisory Board Member, Translation Assistance Project, International Research Centre for Japanese Studies, Kyoto, Japan; Member, Miyazawa Kenji Gakkai, Hanamaki, Iwate, Japan; Member, Akogare no kai (Indian Chapter of Kokusai Takuboku Gakkai, Morioka, Iwate, Japan; Founder member and Executive Committee Member, JALTAI; Life member, ICAPS; Life member, ISTA; Life member, MOSAI; and Founder member, Bharat Japan Maitri Parishad.
- **Kongari Neera**, Executive Committee Member and Secretary, JALTAI; Member Expert Committee for Japanese Language, Indira Gandhi National Open University.; Executive Committee Member, MOSAI; and Member of the Task Force for preparing Teaching Material , for the course Certificate in Japanese Language I and II, for Indira Gandhi National Open University.
- **Lakshmi M.V.**, Member task force for the development of syllabi and courses for CBSE for Japanese language at schools; and Life member, MOSAI.
- **Chandra Janashruti**, Member, Task force for the development of syllabi and courses for CBSE for Japanese language at schools; Member, Executive Committee, JALTAI 2009-2010; and Life member, MOSAI.
- **Singh Rupa**, Member, Executive Committee, JALTAI 2009-2010; Member, Bharat Japan Maitri Parishad; and Life member, MOSAI.

Centre of Persian and Central Asian Studies

- **Mahdi Akhtar**, Member, Editorial Board, "Qand-e Parsi", Quarterly, New Delhi; Joint Secretary, All India Persian Teachers' Association, New Delhi; and General Secretary, Indo-Persian Society, New Delhi.
- **Niazmand M.S.**, nominated as member of the Executive Committee of the Centre of Kashmir Studies by the Hon'ble Governor of JandK state.
- **Ansari Akhlaque Ahmad**, Member, Syllabus Review Committee, Department of Persian, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi; Member, Editorial Board, Saar Sansaar, Quarterly, EFLU, Hyderabad; Founding Member and President, Foundation of Culture and Literature (FOCAL); Member, All India Persian Teachers' Association, New Delhi; and Member, Indo-Iran Society, New Delhi.

Centre of Russian Studies

- **Menon R.N.**, Member, Board of Studies in Modern Ancient European Languages, The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda, Vadodara; and Member, panel of experts for selections to various faculty positions, University of Roorkee, Roorkee.
- **Singh Charanjit**, Member, panel of experts for selection and evaluation of faculty positions, EFLU, Hyderabad.
- **Narain Meeta**, Member, CBSE Committee for re-structuring of syllabus for classes 9th to 12th for the academic years 2010-2011 and 2011-2012.
- **Verma Kiran Singh**, Member, Board of Studies (Russian), Department of Modern European and Foreign Languages, Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla.

Centre of Spanish, Portuguese, Italian and Latin American Studies

- **Ganguly Shyama Prasad**, Head of Committee to design syllabus in Spanish for CBSE, 2009-10; and Member, Board of Studies, Department of European Languages, Rajasthan University.
- **Sundriyal Meenakshi**, Member, Committee to design curriculum for the five year integrated Spanish M.A. programme at Doon University, Dehradun, 2010.

Any Other Information

Centre for English Studies

- **Prasad G.J.V.**, Editor, Journal of the School of Language, Literature and Culture Studies (JSL), Chief Editor and Member of the Editorial Board of JNU News.
- **Singh Dhananjay**, Assistant Editor, Encyclopaedia of Indian Poetics, Sahitya Akademi, New Delhi

Centre for French and Francophone Studies

- **Shoba Sivasankaran**, co-editor of Rencontre avec l'Inde, French journal of the ICCR.

Centre for Japanese, Korean and North East Asian Studies

- **Chauhan Manjushree**, Coordinator, 24th North Zone Japanese Language Speech Contest, November 7, 2009, WWF Auditorium, New Delhi; Coordinator, 24th All India Japanese Language Speech Contest, March 5, 2010, WWF Auditorium, New Delhi; Coordinator, 1st SAFJUAA Japanese Language Speech Contest, March 17, 2010 at IIC, New Delhi
- **Chandra Janashruti** and **Singh Rupa**, Judges, Calligraphy contest at 'KAKEHASHI', Japanese festival, DPS Mathura Road, 21 November, 2009.

Centre of Persian and Central Asian Studies

- **Mahdi Akhtar**, Editor, Rahe Islam, Quarterly, New Delhi; and Asstt. Editor, Bayaz, Quarterly, New Delhi.
- **Ansari Akhlaque Ahmad**, organised a talk and release of a book titled Safarnam-e-E'temadud-daula of Hyderabad, at the Official Residence of Shri Hamid Ansari, the Hon'ble Vice-President of India, 18 December, 2009; also organised a talk and Sufi music recital programme on Mirza Bedil at Bedil's Mausoleum, New Delhi, 25 February, 2010.

Centre of Russian Studies

- **Karnati Ajay K.**, Editor, Critic (the Journal of CRS, JNU), issue No.8, 2009.

Centre of Spanish, Portuguese, Italian and Latin American Studies

- **Sundriyal Meenakshi**, Editor, Hispanic Horizon (the Journal of CSPILAS, JNU), issue No. 27, with special focus on the Cuban Revolution, the Spanish Civil War and Octavio Paz.

School of Life Sciences

The School of Life Sciences (SLS) came into existence during 1970-71. Since its inception, it has been a premier department in the country undertaking inter-disciplinary research and teaching in Life Sciences. The School has been reaching out to all parts of the country to pick students and interacts with the students in many ways – including, class-room interactions, examinations, quizzing, seminar presentations, reading and summarizing of research papers, undertaking original research projects and conceptualising and convening of conferences on current topics in the field, etc. in order to ensure maximum reception of information by the students. With the main focus on Cell and Molecular Biology, SLS has built reputed research programmes in the following areas:

- Regulation of Gene Expression
- Nucleic Acid Therapeutics
- Plant Genetics and Biotechnology
- Photobiology
- Human Genetics
- Functional Genomics
- Microbial Pathogens
- Molecular Parasitology
- Molecular Biophysics and Structural Biology
- Immunology
- Radiation and Cancer Biology
- Neurophysiology
- Behaviour

The research pursuits employ microbes, plants and animals as model systems for these studies. The future plans and projections of the School are to develop centralised facilities for Genomics and Proteomics, Molecular Biophysics, Structural and Systems Biology. Facilities for intensive research and teaching on genetic technologies (transgenomics, genetic variability, etc.) involving microbes, plants, animals and humans have to be strengthened. The School's Central Instrumentation Facility (CIF), which is providing the core support for research activities, is unique of its kind.

Faculty-wise List of Specific Research Areas

- **Bamezai, R.N.K.**, Susceptibility Mechanisms and Etiology of Human Diseases and Disorders. Study of Bloom 4 Syndrome Biology. Structural and Functional Human Genomics
- **Bhadoriya Sneha Lata**, Molecular basis of multi-drug resistance in *Candida albicans*
- **Bhattacharya, Alok**, Genomics of *Entamoeba histolytica*, Calcium-binding protein from *E. histolytica*
- **Cowsik, S.M.**, Structural Biology, Bioinformatics; Structure and Dynamics of Neuropeptides Employing Information Technology
- **Chakraborty, S.**, Molecular Biology of Plant viruses, host-virus interaction, Gene silencing in viruses
- **Goswami, S.K.**, Eukaryotic Gene Expression; Transcription Control of Cardiovascular Development and Diseases
- **Gourinath, S.**, Structural studies of cellular proteins
- **Jha, S.K.**, Sleep and neuronal plasticity
- **Johri, A.K.**, Vaccine development for Group B Streptococcus and other infectious agents using reverse vaccinology approach

- **Kale, R.K., Kale,** Effects of Ionizing Radiation, Studies in Radioprotection and Sensitization, Role of Free Radicals in Chemical and Radiation Carcinogenesis
- **Komath, S.S.,** GPI anchor structure and biosynthesis; lectin-carbohydrate interactions; protein folding
- **Madhubala, R.,** Cellular and Molecular Biology of *Leishmania*, Drug Targets and Applications, Drug resistance, Vaccine Development
- **Mallick, B.N.,** Electrophysiological and Biochemical Studies on Neurophysiology and Functions of Sleep-Wakefulness
- **Mondal, N.,** Transcription regulation of p53 and its family members, Functional characterization of gyrase from *Plasmodium falciparum*
- **Muthuswami, R.,** Protein-DNA interactions studies, GPI biosynthesis pathway
- **Nandi, A.K.,** Molecular Plant Physiology, Plant pathogen interaction, systemic acquired resistance in plants
- **Natarajan, K.,** Mechanisms of Transcriptional Regulation in Eukaryotes; Nutrient Control of Gene Regulation; Yeast Functional Genomics
- **Pareek, A.,** Crop biotechnology, Functional genomics of abiotic stresses
- **Prasad, R.,** Lipid Structure and Function of Yeast Membrane; Bioenergetics of Amino Acid Transport in Yeast; Multidrug Resistance Genes of a Pathogenic Yeast
- **Puri, Niti.,** Molecular Mechanisms of Regulated Exocytosis from Mast Cells; Intracellular Protein Traffic in Immune Cells
- **Rath, P.C.,** Functional genomics of repeat sequences and identification of novel candidate genes cytokines, transcription factors and signal transduction in mammalian cell
- **Saran, S,** Cell Differentiation and Developmental Program in *Dictyostelium*
- **Sarin, N.B.,** Plant Developmental Biology; Stress Biology, Plant Cell and Tissue Culture for Basic and Applied Research.
- **Saxena, R.K.,** Lung immunity and modulation by environmental factors. Immunology of Tuberculosis. Natural Killer cells
- **Saxena, A.K.,** Macromolecular crystallography on human disease related proteins, Rational structure based Drug Design and Vaccine Development
- **Sharma, D,** Mechanism of Action of Anti-ageing Drugs in Rat Brain
- **Singh, R.P.** Modulatory Effects of Phytochemicals on Carcinogenesis and Genotoxicity in Drosophila and Mouse Models
- **Tiku, Ashu Bhan,** Modulation of cancer progression by plant extracts
- **Tripathy, B.C.,** Chloroplast Biogenesis; Biochemistry and Molecular Biology of Plant Pigments. Protein Targeting into Chloroplasts, Photodynamic Herbicides, Root-Shoot Interaction in Greening Process.
- **Upadhyaya, K.C.,** Molecular Cascade(s) in Transcriptional Activation of Stress-Inducible Plant Genes. Plant Genomics: Molecular Markers, Retrotransposons and Functional Genomics
- **Yadava, P.K.,** Development of Expression and Delivery System for Targeted Ribozymes and RNA Aptamers, Recombinant Measles Viruses.

School's Events

- **Biosparks 2010**, a unique event of the School organised, managed and convened entirely by students, was a symposium during "Biospark-2010" which was held in the School on 11–12 March, 2010 bringing together current researches in Life Sciences.

- **The Summer Research Programme-2009** was successfully organised during summer vacation, (21 May to 27 June, 2009), as an education-outreach programme to motivate young students about science in general and basic as well as applied research in the area of Life Sciences and Biotechnology in particular.
- **Spandan 2010:** M.Sc. students of SLS are organised the annual festival SPANADAN. Several sports events were conducted as part of this from 26 – 29 March, 2010.

Seminars organised by the School

The School organised the following Seminars by visiting/invited scientists during the period 2009-2010 (1 April 2009 – 31 March 2010).

- Dr. Tapas Kundu, Jawaharlal Nehru Centre of Advanced Scientific Research, Bangaluru, 'Chromatin Dynamics and Gene Expression: Implications in Disease and Therapeutics', 9 April, 2009
- Dr. Monika Sachdev, Former NIH Fogarty Post Doctoral Fellow Department of Cell Biology, CRCRH School of Medicine, University of Virginia, USA, 'Gamete specific proteins can decide the fate of early embryonic or cancerous cells in mammals', 16 April, 2009
- Dr. Narendra Bairwa, Medical University of South Carolina, USA, 'The role of replication fork associated antagonists Tof1/Csm3, RRM3 helicase and E3 ligase component Fbox protein, Dia2 in regulation of Ty1 retrotransposition in *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*', 29 April, 2009
- Dr. Nagendra Yadava, Scientist, Pioneer Valley Life Sciences Institute, USA, 'Probing role of Mitochondria in health and disease', 14 May, 2009
- Dr. Richard Cannon, Professor and Director, Molecular Microbiology Laboratory Department of Oral Sciences, New Zealand, 'Overcoming efflux mediated antifungal drug resistance', 2 June, 2009
- Sonal Shruti, Graduate student, Biological Sciences and Centre for the Neural Basis of Cognition, Carnegie Mellon University, USA, 'Seizure-induced changes in large conductance potassium channels', 4 June, 2009
- Dr. Sameer Mohammad, Department of Biochemistry, Weill Medical College of Cornell University, New York, 'Modulation of Insulin Sensitivity by Gastric Multidrug Peptide (GIP) in Adipocytes', 19 June, 2009
- Dr. William Petri, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, USA, 'A polymorphism in the Leplin receptor influences susceptibility to amebiasis', 16 July, 2009
- Dr. R.R. Kasliwal, Senior Consultant, Department of Cardiology, Indraprastha Apollo Hospitals, New Delhi, 'Global Burden of Cardiovascular Disease with India in Context: Can we Contain the Epidemic?', 17 July, 2009
- Sathyamangla Prasad, Ph.D. Assistant Staff, Molecular Cardiology, The Learner Research Institute, Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Cleveland, USA, 'Phosphoinositide 3-kinase signaling, a boon or bane: Implications in cardiac function', 20 July, 2009
- Vivek Mittal, Ph.D. Associate Professor, Cornell University Medical Centre, New York, 'Cellular and Molecular Mechanisms of Tumor Growth and Metastasis', 31 July, 2009
- Dr. J.J. Verweij, Leiden University Medical Centre Leiden, Netherlands, 'Molecular Diagnostics of Parasitic infections in Patient Care and Epidemiology', 17 September, 2009
- Prof. Vadim Stepanov, Research Institute of Medical Genetics, Tomsk Scientific Centre, Russian Academy of Medical Science, Russia, 'Genetic Diversity of Eurasian Population – Data from Y-Chromosome, X-Chromosome and Whole genome SNPs', 24 September, 2009
- Prof. Mohan Jain, University of Helsinki, Finland, 'Achievement and Prospects of Radiation-induced mutations for crop improvement', 1 October, 2009
- Prof. Amotz Zahavi, Department of Zoology, Tel Aviv University, Israel, 'The unique properties of signal selection and their implications to signaling by hormones and neurotransmitters', 15 October, 2009

- Prof. Mark Ptashne, Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Centre, York Avenue, New York 'Chromatin Architecture and Gene Regulation', 16 October, 2009
- Prof. Laszlo Tora, Institute of Genetics and Molecular and Cellular Biology (IGBMC), France, Illkirch, 'Regulation of RNA Polymerase II transcription at the core promoter level', 4 November, 2009
- Prof. V. Sabareesh, Jawaharlal Nehru Centre for Advanced Scientific Research (JNCASR), jAKKUR, Bangaluru, 'Mass Spectrometry for Peptidomics and Proteomics', 8 December, 2009
- Prof. Ralph S., Quatrano, Spencer T. Olin Professor of Biology Department of Biology, Washington University, St. Louis, 'Physcomitrella patens: The new model plant system and its use to study tip growth and drought tolerance', 10 December, 2009
- Dr. Upinder Singh, School of Medicine, Stanford University, USA, 'Unusual mechanisms of regulating gene expression in the protozoan parasite Entamoeba histolytica', 14 December, 2009
- Dr. Sankar Maiti, Department of Biology Indian Institute of Science, Education and Research, Kolkata, 'Regulation of Full Length Formin proteins from Yeast and Vertebrates', 7 January, 2010
- Prof. Senpathak, University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Centre, Houston, Texas, USA, 'Telomere Dynamics, Aging and Cancer', 8 January, 2010
- Prof. Ruiz Altaba, University of Geneva, 'Role of Hedgehog-GLI signaling in stem cells, cancer and cancer stem cells', 8 January, 2010.
- Dr. Arundhati Maheshwari, Department of Molecular Biology and Genetics Cornell University, USA, 'An investigation into molecular basis of hybrid incompatibility', 8 January, 2010
- Dr. Kaveri Rajaraman, Molecular and Cellular Biology, Harvard University, USA, 'Intrinsically photosensitive ganglion cells of the tiger salamander retina', 15 January, 2010
- Prof. Olivier Gadal, Ph.D. CNRS, University Paul Sabatier Toulouse, France, 'Genome in three dimension: Yeast nuclear organization', 18 January, 2010
- Dr. Ramesh Yadava, Department of Pathology, University of Virginia, Charlottesville Virginia, USA, 'Development of RNA – based Therapeutic Model for Myotoxic Dystrophy-I', 3 February, 2010
- Dr. Himanshu Sinha, Department of Biological Sciences, Tata Institute of Fundamental research, Mumbai, 'Use yeast as a model system to understand the genetic and functional complexity of quantitative traits', 8 March, 2010
- Prof. Mitsuyuki Nakao, Graduate School of Information Sciences Tohoku University Sendai, Japan, 'Physiological and Modeling study on Neural Mechanism and Function of sleep', 19 March, 2010

Accomplishment of students

- Nidhi Puri awarded CSIR travel award for attending the Human Fungal Pathogen HFP, 2009 at La Colle sur Loup, France between 2 – 8 May, 2009
- Monika Sharma awarded DBT travel award for attending the Human Fungal Pathogen HFP, 2009 at La Colle sur Loup, France between 2 – 8 May, 2009
- Ashutosh Singh awarded Corpus Fund Fellowship to attend the "9th Yeast Lipid Conference" held at Humboldt and Technische Universität, Berlin, Germany between 21 - 23 May, 2009 from Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi-110067, India
- Ashutosh Singh awarded ASM International Fellowship for Asia from American Society of Microbiology from 1 June – 1 September, 2009 to work at Kansas Lipidomics Research Centre, Division of Biology, KSU, Manhattan, KS 66506-4901, USA.
- Raman Manoharlal visited the University of Lausanne and University Cancer Centre, Institute of Microbiology, Lausanne, Switzerland between 11 May – 20 July, 2009 for Indo-Swiss project collaborative work

- Khyati Kapoor awarded CSIR travel award for attending the 27th Small Meeting on Yeast Transport and Energetics (SMYTE), Blankenberge, Belgium, 4-8 September, 2009

Conferences Attended/ Presentations in International/ National Meetings by Students

- Raman Manoharlal attended the Human Fungal Pathogen HFP, 2009 meeting at La Colle sur Loup, France between 2 – 8 May, 2009 and made a poster presentation entitled “Transcriptional activation and Post-transcriptional regulation involving differential RNA-protein interaction(s) and poly(A) tail length of CDR1 mRNA are the major determinants of azole resistance in clinical isolates of *Candida albicans*”.
- Nidhi Puri attended the Human Fungal Pathogen HFP, 2009 meeting at La Colle sur Loup, France, 2 – 8 May, 2009 and made a poster presentation entitled “Identification of mutant variants of multidrug transporter CaCdr1p of *Candida albicans* which display substrate specificity and uncoupling between drug transport and ATP catalysis”.
- Monika Sharma attended the Human Fungal Pathogen HFP, 2009 meeting at La Colle sur Loup, France between 2 – 8 May, 2009 and made a poster presentation entitled “Curcumin Modulates Efflux Mediated By Yeast ABC Multidrug Transporters and is Synergistic to Antifungals”.
- Ashutosh Singh attended the international conference “9th Yeast Lipid Conference” held at Humboldt and Technische Universität, Berlin, Germany, 21-23 May, 2009 and made a poster presentation entitled “Fattyome analysis of isogenic azole resistant and sensitive clinical isolates of pathogenic *Candida albicans*”.
- Khyati Kapoor attended the international conference 27th Small Meeting on Yeast Transport and Energetics (SMYTE), Blankenberge, Belgium, 4 – 8 September, 2009 and made a poster presentation entitled “Structure and functional analysis of multidrug MFS transporter CaMdr1p”.
- Antresh Kumar attend the 6th Annual North American ABC Genetic Workshop organised by the National Cancer Institute, Frederick, Maryland, USA, between 24 – 25 September, 2009 and made a poster presentation entitled “Signature motifs in the nucleotide-binding domains of CaCdr1p are functionally non-equivalent and non interchangeable”.
- Ashutosh Singh attended the 78th Annual Meeting of “Society of Biological Chemists (India)” organised by the National Centre of Cell Science and University of Delhi, Pune-411007, India, 30 October – 1 November, 2009 and made a poster presentation entitled “Lipidome analysis of *Candida* species”.
- Sanjiveeni Dhamgaye attended the 78th Annual Meeting of “Society of Biological Chemists (India)” organised by the National Centre of Cell Science and University of Delhi, Pune-411007, India, 30 October – 1 November, 2009 entitled “Unraveling the mechanisms of antifungal action of Malachite Green in *Candida albicans*”.
- Monika Sharma, abstract published in the 78th Annual Meeting of “Society of Biological Chemists (India)” organised by the National Centre of Cell Science and University of Pune, Pune-411007, India, between 30 October – 1 November, 2009 entitled “Antifungal curcumin induces reactive oxygen species and triggers an early apoptosis while prevents hyphae development by targeting TUP1 in *Candida albicans*”.
- Saif Hameed, abstract published in the 78th Annual Meeting of “Society of Biological Chemists (India)” organised by the National Centre of Cell Science and University of Pune, Pune-411007, India, between 30 October – 1 November, 2009 entitled “New Role of Morphogenic Regulator EFG1 in Drug Susceptibilities of *Candida albicans* Independent of Drug Efflux”.
- Monika Sharma attended the international conference on Understanding and Managing Pathogenic Microbes, 2010 meeting at IMTECH, Chandigarh between 22-24 January, 2010 and made a poster presentation entitled “Antifungal and morphological effect of curcumin against pathogenic yeast, *Candida*”.
- Nidhi Puri attended the ATP-Binding Cassette (ABC) Proteins: From multidrug resistance to genetic diseases, 2010 meeting at Innsbruck, Austria between 27 February – 5 March, 2010 and made a poster presentation entitled “Analysis of physico-chemical properties of substrates of ABC and MFS multidrug transporters of pathogenic *Candida albicans*”.

- Khyati Kapoor attended ASM, 2010 meeting at Miami, USA, 22 – 26 March, 2010 and made a poster presentation entitled “Rational mutational analysis identifies residues important for maintaining structure and function of secondary drug transporter CaMdr1p of *Candida albicans*”.
- Saif Hameed abstract accepted in ASM, 2010 meeting at Miami, USA between 22 – 26 March, 2010 and made a poster presentation entitled “Morphogenic Regulator EFG1 Affects Drug Susceptibilities of Pathogenic *Candida albicans*”
- Monika Sharma attended ASM, 2010 meeting at Miami, USA, 22 – 26 March, 2010 and made a poster presentation entitled “Purified polyphenol curcumin I is an antifungal against *Candida* species”.
- Ashutosh Singh, abstract in ASM, 2010 meeting at Miami, USA, 22 – 26 March, 2010 entitled “Phospholipidome of *Candida*: Each Species of *Candida* has Distinct Imprint of Molecular Species of Phospholipids”.
- Indresh Kumar, abstract in ASM, 2010 meeting at Miami, USA, 22 – 26 March, 2010 entitled “De novo designing, Synthesis and Screening of Novel Peptides for antifungal activity”.

Students’ Achievements

- Ankush Gupta (2010) Functional Characterization of Ribonuclease L (RNase L), Ph.D.
- Ankush Gupta (2010) D.S. Kothari Post-doctoral Fellowship of UGC.
- Rasmi Rekha Mishra (2010) Expression and Functional Characterization of Repeat Sequence containing cDNAs, Ph.D.
- Rasmi Rekha Mishra (2009) Selected for the Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory (New York) Meeting.
- Rasmi Rekha Mishra (2010) Selected for the European Molecular Biology Laboratory (EMBL), Heidelberg Meeting (DBT-support).

New Research Area

- Chaudhary J.K., Rath P.C., (2009-10) Isolation, Propagation, Characterization and Differentiation of Mesenchymal Stem Cells from the Mouse Bone Marrow Cells.

Participation in National/International Conferences/Seminars/Workshops

- **Madhubala R.**, Invited speaker at Gordon conference on Polyamines, Waterville Valley resort, New Hampshire USA, 21-26 June, 2009.
- **Prasad R.**, Invited talk “Third FEBS Advance Lecture Course, Human Fungal Pathogens (HFP)”, Colle-sur-Loup, France, 2-8 May, 2009.
- **Prasad R.**, Invited talk “International Society for Human and Animal Mycology (ISHAM)”, Tokyo, Japan, 25-29 May, 2009.
- **Prasad R.**, Invited talk “27th Small meeting on Yeast Transport and Energetics (SMYTE)”, Blankenberg, Belgium, 4-8 September, 2009.
- **Prasad R.**, Invited talk “78th Society of Biological Chemists (India)”, NCCS, Pune, 30 October, 2009.
- **Prasad R.**, Organiser, “EU-INDIA SandT Cooperation Days in Food, Agriculture, Fisheries Biotechnologies and Health Research”, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, 4-6 November, 2009.
- **Prasad R.**, Invited talk and Chairman “Asian Mycological Congress 2009”, Taichung, Taiwan, 15-19 November, 2009.
- **Prasad R.**, “50th Annual meeting of Microbiology Society of India (AMI)”, NCL Pune, 16 December, 2009
- **Prasad R.**, Invited talk “Aqua-Terr Annual Conference”, Department of Biotechnology, Madurai, 6 March, 2010

- **Prasad R**, Invited talk and Chairman “10th ASM Conference on Candida and Candidiasis”, Miami, Florida, USA, 22-26 March, 2010
- **Upadhyaya K. C.**, Participated in the International Plant Molecular Biology Congress in St. Louis, USA and presented a paper entitled “Transcriptional activation of pigeonpea and chickpea retrotransposons”, 25 – 30 October, 2009
- **Upadhyaya K. C.**, Invited Speaker “Transcriptional activation of retrotransposons” in International Conference on Emerging Trends in Biotechnology, BHU, Varanasi, 4-6 December, 2009.
- **Saxena, R. K.**, “Interaction of carbon Nano-particles with nucleated and non-nucleated cells and the attendant toxic effects” in International Symposium on Environmental Pollution, Ecology and Human Health, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati, 25-27 July, 2009
- **Saxena, R. K.**, “Nano-particles and their interactions with cells in culture” BARC Life Sciences Symposium, BARC, Mumbai, December, 2009
- **Saxena, R. K.**, and Kumari, M. Antigen presentation by mouse lung epithelial cells upon BCG infection, annual meeting of the Australasian and South East Asian Tissue Typing Association, New Delhi, 13 November, 2009
- **Saxena, R. K.**, Sachar, S., and Puri, N. (2009) Interaction between poly-dispersed single walled carbon nanotubes with murine erythrocytes, in conference on “Nano-Science: Theory and Applications”, School of Environmental Sciences, JNU, New Delhi, 6-7 November, 2009
- **Saxena, R. K.**, Environmental health and safety issues: nature, extent and uncertainties, in workshop entitled “Issues of risk in the regulation of nanotechnology”. Tata Energy Research Institute, New Delhi, 8 January, 2010
- **Yadava, P. K.**, and Bala, J., ‘New Class of thiol modulating RNA aptamers causing cell death in human breast cancer cell line via reactive oxygen generation. EMBL Conference Stem Cells, Tissue Homeostasis and Cancer, Heidelberg Germany, 2010
- **Yadava, P. K.**, Bala, J., and Bhaskar, A. Glutathione-binding RNA aptamers induce apoptosis in cancer cell lines. Conference on non coding RNA, JNU, Delhi, India, 2009
- **Yadava, P. K.**, Bala, J. and Bhaskar, A. Generation of Glutathione binding RNA molecules. Biosparks, JNU, Delhi, India, 2009
- **Yadava, P. K.**, and Bhaskar, A. ‘Measles Virus N protein: A new trigger for inducing apoptosis’, international conference on Emerging Trends in Biotechnology (ETBT-2009), BHU, Varanasi, India, 4 – 6 December, 2009
- **Yadava, P. K.**, and Bhaskar, A. ‘Measles virus nucleoprotein induces apoptosis through generation of reactive oxygen species in mammalian cells’. Understanding and managing pathogenic microbes, IMTECH, Chandigarh, India, 2010
- **Yadava, P. K.**, Bhaskar, A. Badhai, J. and Bala, J. ‘Generation of Recombinant Measles Virus’. Biosparks, JNU, Delhi India, 2009
- **Sarin N. B.**, VII International Congress on Plant Biotechnology (Bioveg 2009), Cuba.
- **Sarin N. B.**, National symposium on Plant Cell Tissue and Organ Culture: The Present Scenario (XXXI Meeting of Plant Tissue Culture Association), Kolkata, 2010
- **Rath P.C.**, Gupta A, International conference Protein-protein interactions of the interferon-inducible Ribonuclease L (RNase L): implications for translational regulation, antiviral response and cancer, “International Conference on Emerging Trends in Biotechnology”, School of Biotechnology, Banaras Hindu University (BHU), Varanasi, 4-6 December, 2009
- **Rath P.C.**, Gupta A., International conference The interferon-inducible RNase L tumor suppressor: protein-protein interactions and inhibition by Curcumin, “3rd International Translational Cancer Research Symposium: Cell Signaling and Cancer Therapy”, Society for Translational Cancer Research (M.D. Anderson Cancer Centre, Houston, U.S.A.) and Institute of Life Sciences (DBT), Bhubaneswar, 18-21 December, 2009 (also chaired two sessions).

- **Rath P.C.**, Mishra R.R., International conference Novel transcripts from repetitive DNA is a source for endogenous, tissue-specific miRNAs and piRNAs (poster), “Mouse Genetics and Genomics: Development and Disease” meeting, Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory (CSHL), New York, at Wellcome Trust Genome Centre, Hinxton, U.K., 2-6 September, 2009
- **Rath P.C.**, Mishra R.R., International conference Novel transcripts from repetitive DNA is a source for endogenous, tissue-specific miRNAs and piRNAs (poster), “The Complex Life of mRNA Biogenesis and Decay” meeting, European Molecular Biology Laboratory (EMBL), Heidelberg, Germany, 18-21 March, 2010
- **Rath P.C.**, Mishra R.R., Singh, D.K., National conference workshop RNA-informatics in Cell Biology, “Bioinformatics and Proteomics Techniques in Neurobiology”, (DBT-workshop), 7-21 September, Biochemistry Section, Zoology Department, BHU, Varanasi, 19 September, 2009
- **Rath P.C.**, National conference workshop Noncoding RNAs from Repetitive DNA as Regulators of Cellular Functions, “Noncoding RNA workshop”, School of Life Sciences, JNU, under the UGC, Network Resource Centre Program, 7 November, 2009 (also jointly co-ordinated the workshop).
- **Rath P.C.**, National conference workshop participated, chaired and co-ordinated two sessions in the “Transcription Assembly” meeting, School of Life Sciences, JNU, New Delhi, 26-27 February, 2010
- **Chakraborty Supriya**, Attended “Capacity Building Training Workshop” organised by BIOCIRCLE at Rome, Italy during 25-28 May, 2009.
- **Chakraborty Supriya**, Attended The 6th Solanaceae genome workshop, held at New Delhi during 8-13 November, 2009.
- **Saxena Ajay**, Structure analysis of ERG oncoprotein: a potential target to develop the prostate cancer drugs. 7th Annual Cancer Drug Research and Development Conference, San Diego, California, USA., 28 – 29 January, 2010
- **Saxena Ajay**, Shanti P. Gangwar and Sita R. Meena., Novel refolding and structure analysis of ERG oncoprotein: a potential target to develop prostate cancer drug. Gordon research Conference on protein folding dynamics, Ventura, CA, USA, 9 – 10 January, 2010
- **Saxena Ajay**, Sita R. Meena, Shanti P. and Gangwar, Elucidation the mechanism of ATP hydrolysis cycle of the Transporter Associated with Antigen Processing (TAP). 4th International symposium on Recent trends in macromolecular structure and function, Chennai, India, 21 – 23 January, 2010
- **Saxena Ajay**, 2010 Shanti P. Gangwar, and Sita R. Meena, Structure analysis of ERG oncoprotein: A potential target to develop prostate cancer drug. 4th International symposium on Recent trends in macromolecular structure and function, Chennai, India, 21 – 23 January, 2010
- **Sing R. P.**, Organizing Secretary, International Symposium on Cancer Chemoprevention and Translational Research. Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India, 21 December, 2009
- **Sing R. P.**, Joint Coordinator, International Conference on Frontiers in Diagnosis, Prevention and Therapy of Cancer, Motilal Nehru Medical College, Allahabad, U.P., India, 21-22 November, 2009
- **Gourinath S.**, Convener of CCP4 workshop held in JNU, Delhi. Which was co-organised by JNU, AIIMS, NII and RCB from India and EMBL, York university, CCP4 core group from Europe, February, 2010
- **Gourinath S.**, S. Arif Abdulrehman, Tara Kashav, Ramgopal Nitharwal, and Suman Kumar Dhar, “Helicase-primase interactions and their structural studies in Helico bactor pylori” 4th International symposium on recent trends in macromolecular structure and function at University of Madras, Guiny campus, Chennai, on 21 – 23 January, 2010
- **Gourinath S.**, Isha Raj, and Isha Nagpal “Investigations into the loss of EhOASS-EhSAT interactions” 4th International symposium on recent trends in macromolecular structure and function at University of Madras, Guiny campus, Chennai, on 21 – 23 January, 2010

- **Gourinath S.**, and Nitesh Kumar “Three dimensional structure of Coactosin from *Entamoeba histolytica* at 1.4Å resolution”. 4th International symposium on recent trends in macromolecular structure and function at University of Madras, Guiny campus, Chennai, on 21 – 23 January, 2010
- **Gourinath S.**, and Sudhir Kumar “Crystal structure of *Entamoeba histolytica* serine acetyltransferase1 and its complex with cysteine.” 4th International symposium on recent trends in macromolecular structure and function at University of Madras, Guiny campus, Chennai, on 21 – 23 January, 2010
- **Mondal Neelima**, Coordinator, Summer Research programme, under UGC Resource Networking Programme, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India 21 May -27 June, 2009
- **Mondal Neelima**, Organizing member, “Vijyoshi Camp 2009”, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India, 13- 15 October, 2009
- **Mondal Neelima**, Coordinator, Winter workshop on “Modern Biology and Development of Research Programme”, under UGC Resource Networking Programme, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India, 14 -16 December, 2009
- **Mondal Neelima**, Organizing member, Transcription Meeting, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India, 25 – 27 February, 2010
- **Jha S. K.**, “Young Explorers in Indian Biology” TIFR, Mumbai, 14-16 September, 2009
- **Tiku Ashu Bhan**, International Conference on Peaceful Uses of Atomic Energy- Vigyan Bhavan, New Delhi India, 29 September – 1 October, 2009
- **Tiku Ashu Bhan**, International Symposium on Cancer Chemoprevention and Translational Research, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India, 21 December, 2009

Lectures Delivered (Outside JNU)

- **Prasad R.**, John Hopkins, Baltimore, USA, “Efflux pumps and antifungal resistance in pathogenic *Candida albicans*”, 1 April, 2009.
- **Prasad R.**, UMDNJ-New Jersey Medical School, USA, “Efflux pumps and antifungal resistance in pathogenic *Candida albicans*”, 3 April, 2009
- **Prasad R.**, Ecole Normale Superieure, Paris, France, “Multidrug Resistance: Microbes to man”, 10 April, 2009
- **Prasad R.**, National Botanical Research Institute, Lucknow, “MDR and molecular medicine”, 16 April, 2009
- **Prasad R.**, Premas Biotech Ltd, Manesar, Haryana, “Multidrug resistance in molecular medicine”, 22 June, 2009
- **Prasad R.**, Invited speaker in International Society for Human and Animal Mycology (ISHAM), Tokyo, Japan, “Structure and function analysis of *Candida albicans* secondary multidrug transporter”, 27 May, 2009
- **Prasad R.**, Invited speaker in 27th Small meeting on Yeast Transport and Energetics (SMYTE), Blankenberg, Belgium, “Curcumin Modulates Efflux Mediated By Yeast ABC Multidrug Transporters and Is Synergistic To Antifungals”, 8 September, 2009
- **Prasad R.**, Invited speaker in 78th Society of Biological Chemists (India), NCCS, Pune, “A rational approach for structure and function analysis of multidrug transporter of pathogenic *Candida*”, 30 October, 2009
- **Prasad R.**, Invited speaker in Asian Mycological Congress 2009, Taichung, Taiwan, “Molecular mechanism underlying CDR1 over-expression in azole resistant clinical isolates of pathogenic *Candida*”, 18 November, 2009
- **Prasad R.**, 50th Annual meeting of Microbiology society of India (AMI), NCL Pune, “Multidrug resistance in fungi”, 16 December, 2009
- **Prasad R.**, Invited speaker in the Aqua-Terr Annual Conference, Department of Biotechnology, Madurai, “Multidrug resistance: from microbes to man”, 6 March, 2010
- **Prasad R.**, Session chaired and invited speaker in the 10th ASM Conference on *Candida* and Candidiasis, Miami, Florida, USA, “Molecular determinants of CDR1 over-expression in azole resistant clinical isolates of pathogenic *Candida albicans*”, 25 March, 2010

- **Upadhyaya K. C.**, Jawaharlal Nehru Agricultural University, Jabalpur, “Genomics”, 23 December, 2009
- **Upadhyaya K. C.**, School of Biotechnology, Banaras Hindu University, “Genes and Genomics”, 22-23 March, 2010
- **Saxena, R. K.**, “Interaction of carbon Nano-particles with nucleated and non-nucleated cells and the attendant toxic effects” in an international symposium on Environmental Pollution, Ecology and Human Health, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati, 25-27 July, 2009
- **Saxena, R. K.**, “Nano-particles and their interactions with cells in culture” BARC Life Sciences Symposium, BARC, Mumbai, December, 2009
- **Saxena, R. K.**, “Environmental health and safety issues: nature, extent and uncertainties”, in a workshop entitled “Issues of risk in the regulation of nanotechnology”. Tata Energy Research Institute, New Delhi, 8 January, 2010
- **Sarin N. B.**, “Improving Abiotic stress tolerance and value addition in plants through genetic manipulation of tocopherol biosynthetic pathway” at the VII International Congress on Plant Biotechnology (Bioveg 2009), Cuba.
- **Sarin N. B.**, “Overexpression of AhSIPR10 gene cloned from salt stress tolerant cell line of *Arachis hypogaea* leads to alleviation of abiotic and biotic stress” at the national symposium on Plant Cell Tissue and Organ Culture: The Present Scenario (XXXI Meeting of Plant Tissue Culture Association), Kolkata, India, 2010
- **Rath P.C.**, “The Techniques and Technologies involved in Prokaryotic and Eukaryotic Gene Expressions”, School of Biotechnology, BHU, 10 October, 2009
- **Rath P.C.**, “The Processes and Mechanisms of the Eukaryotic Gene Expression and its Regulation”, School of Biotechnology, BHU, 11 October, 2009
- **Rath P.C.**, The Junk DNA of our Genome, “Science Festival”, Jiwaji University, Gwalior, 26 March, 2010
- **Chakraborty Supriya**, Delivered a lecture on “Chilli leaf curl disease is caused by interaction among diverse Begomoviruses in India”. In the 6th Solanaceae genome workshop, held at New Delhi 8-13 November, 2009 (invited lecture)
- **Singh R. P.**, Symposium on Natural Products in Health and Disease: Biochemical and Molecular Mechanisms. Punjab University Chandigarh, Punjab, India. Title: “Mechanisms of Cancer Chemoprevention by IP6”, 5-6 March, 2010
- **Singh R. P.**, International symposium on Current Status and Opportunities in Aromatic and Medicinal Plants. Central Institute for Medicinal and Aromatic Plants, Lucknow, UP, India. Title: “Role of Phytochemicals in Cancer Control”, 21-24 February, 2010
- **Singh R. P.**, International symposium on Endocrinology and Reproduction: Molecular Mechanisms to Molecular Medicine and the 28th Meeting of the Society for Reproductive Biology and Comparative Endocrinology. SCMM, JNU, New Delhi. Title: “Prostate tumor growth and progression and its chemoprevention”. 4-6 February, 2010
- **Singh R. P.**, International Conference on Frontiers in Diagnosis, Prevention and Therapy of Cancer, Motilal Nehru Medical College, Allahabad, U.P., India. Title: Cell cycle regulation and carcinogenesis. 21-22 November, 2009
- **Singh R. P.**, Rajiv Gandhi Centre for Biotechnology, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala, India. Title: “Targeting angiogenesis by small molecules for cancer control”. 30 October, 2009
- **Gourinath S.**, “Unusual arrangement of EF hand motifs in Calcium binding protein-1 of *Entamoeba histolytica* and its functional implications” at 4th international symposium on recent trends in macromolecular structure and function at University of Madras, Guindy campus, Chennai, on 21 – 23 January, 2010
- **Muthuswami R.**, Switching ON and OFF: Regulation of DNA processes by SWI/SNF proteins. NOEISIS 2009, Annual Science Association Festival, Sri Venkateswara College, Delhi University, 2009.
- **Jha S.**, TIFR, Mumbai 14-16 September, 2009
- **Jha S.**, Department of Biosciences, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 19 February, 2010

- **Jha S.**, Sri Venkateswara College, New Delhi, 25 February, 2010

Awards/Honors/Fellowships

- **Madhubala R.**, Editorial adviser Biochemical Journal <http://www.biochemj.org/bj/bjedavpanel.htm>
- **Madhubala R.**, Appointed Affiliate Scientist, Seattle Biomedical Research Institute, Seattle, USA. http://www.sbri.org/research/affiliate_scientists.asp 2008-present
- **Madhubala R.**, Elected member of the Indian Academy of Sciences, Bangaluru, 2009.
- **Sarin N. B.**, Co-Chairperson of a session on “Abiotic Stress” at the “VII International Congress on Plant Biotechnology” (Bioveg 2009), Cuba
- **Sarin N. B.**, Chairperson of a session on “Genetic Manipulation of Plants” at the national symposium on Plant Cell Tissue and Organ Culture: The Present Scenario (XXXI Meeting of Plant Tissue Culture Association), Kolkata, India (2010)
- **Rath P.C.**, Reviewer, National and International Journals: Indian Journal of Biochemistry and Biophysics (IJBB), Cancer Investigations (U.S.A.), DNA and Cell Biology (U.S.A.)
- **Gourinath S.**, Indo-US Science and Technology Forum fellowship for 2010
- **Muthuswami R.**, UICC Yamagiwa-Yoshida Memorial International Study Grant, 2009

Memberships of Boards/Committees (Outside JNU)

- **Madhubala R.**, Member editorial board of Journal of Parasitic Diseases, Indian Journal; Member editorial board of Asian Journal of Drug Metabolism and Pharmacokinetics, International Journal; Regional editor of American Journal of Biochemistry and Biotechnology, quarterly publications, <http://www.scipub.us/>; Editorial adviser Biochemical Journal <http://www.biochemj.org/bj/bjedavpanel.htm>; Reviewer Journal of Eukaryotic Microbiology <http://mc.manuscriptcentral.com/jeukmic>; Editorial Board International Journal of Biomedical Science (IJBS, ISSN 1550- 9702) <http://www.ijbs.org>; Editorial Board member of International Journal of BioSciences and Technology <http://www.ijbst.org-a.googlepages.com/journaleditorialboard>, International Journal of Medical Sciences and Technology <http://www.ijmst.org-a.googlepages.com/journaleditorialboard>, International Journal of Life Sciences and Technology <http://www.ijlst.org-a.googlepages.com/journaleditorialboard>; Life Member Indian Society of Immunology; Life Member Indian society of Parasitology; Member of the executive committee of Indian Society of Parasitology, 1995; and Member Guha research conferences
- **Prasad R.**, Regional Editor, Journal of Biological Sciences; Regional Editor, Mycopathologia; Member of Editorial Board, FEMS Yeast Research; Member, Academic committee, IMTech, Chandigarh; Member, Academic committee, CIMAP, Lucknow; Member, Academic committee, ICGEB, New Delhi; Member, Academic committee, NII, New Delhi; Member, Governing Council of the Institute of Liver and Biliary Sciences (ILBS); Member, Governing Council of Ambedkar Institute, Delhi University; and Commissioner, International Commission of Yeast (ICY)
- **Upadhyaya K.C.**, Member, Academic Council, University of Delhi; Member, M.P. State Biodiversity Board, Bhopal; Member, Board of Studies. School of Biotechnology, Banaras Hindu University; Member, Advisory Committee, Biotechnology Program, Jawaharlal Nehru Agricultural University, Jabalpur; Member, Board of Studies, Department of Zoology, University of Mizoram, Aizawl; Member, Board of Studies. School of Life Sciences, University of Hyderabad; Member, Advisory Committee; and Board of Studies, Department of Biotechnology, Jamia Hamdard; Member, Board of studies; and Research Advisory Committee, Institute of Microbial Technology, Amity University; Member, Research Advisory Committee, Institute of Biotechnology, Amity University; Member, Academic Committee, National Institute of Plant Genome Research, New Delhi; and Member, Academic Committee, National Botanical Research Institute, Lucknow.
- **Saxena R.K.**, American Crystallographic Association; European Crystallographic Association; and American Society of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology.

- **Sarin N.B.**, Member, Biosafety Committee, N.I.P.G.R., New Delhi; and Member, Course Committee, Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi
- **Rath P.C.**, Member, Consortium Advisory Committee (C.A.C.), National Agricultural Innovation Program (N.A.I.P.) Project (I.C.A.R.), National Dairy Research Institute (N.D.R.I.), Karnal; and Rath P.C., Invited member, Animal Biotechnology Task Force (DBT) meeting, Indian Institute of Science (I.I.Sc.), Bangaluru, August (2009).
- **Nandi A K.**, Editorial member of “Indian Journal of Microbiology” Since 2008
- **Saxena A.**, American Crystallographic Association; European Crystallographic Association; and American Society of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology.
- **Singh R. P.**, Member, technical specification committee, INMAS, DRDO, New Delhi; and Central University Gujarat, Gandhi Nagar, Gujarat.
- **Komath S.S.**, Member of the sub-committee on knowledge books to be translated, National Translation Mission.

School of Physical Sciences

The School of Physical Sciences (SPS) has established itself as one of the leading departments of India in terms of research and teaching in physical sciences. The School has made contributions to inter-disciplinary areas interfacing Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics, in addition to the more traditional areas of Physics. The primary research areas of the School have been in the areas of theoretical and experimental condensed matter physics, statistical mechanics of complex systems, non-linear dynamics and quantum optics. In recent years, these and related areas have seen explosive growth on many frontiers, notably nano-materials and nano-technology, biomaterials, and quantum information. SPS faculty has kept pace with these new developments and is very active in the above areas. In addition, we have recently taken the initiative to nucleate programmes in Chemistry and Mathematics.

The current research emphasis is on the following topics:

- Chemical Physics,
- Inorganic, Organic and Physical Chemistry,
- Computational Physics,
- Condensed Matter Physics,
- Disordered Systems,
- Granular Materials,
- Mathematical Physics,
- Non-equilibrium Statistical Mechanics,
- Non-linear Dynamics,
- Probability Measure,
- Quantum Chaos,
- Quantum Optics,
- Statistical Nuclear Physics, and
- String Theory

Experimental areas include:

- Complex Fluids,
- Supra-molecular Chemistry,
- Materials Science,
- Superconductivity,
- Magnetism, Nonlinear Optics,
- Semiconductors,
- Polymers and Nanoparticle Physics, and
- Ultrafast Photophysical Processes in Bio and Nano-materials.

SPS now offers a Ph.D. (Physical Sciences/Chemical Sciences/Mathematical Sciences) and an M.Sc. (Physics) degree programme.

Conferences organised by the School

SPS organised two conferences during the year:

- Advances in Mathematics: Women in Mathematics, Organised by Riddhi Shah, Amala Bhawe and others from outside JNU.
- Soft Condensed Matter Physics, Organised by Himadri Bohidar and Kapilanjjan Krishan

Visitors to the School

SPS operates a vigorous seminar program and receives many visitors who interact with the faculty and the students to share their expertise. A list of visitors who delivered lectures in the School during the year is given below:

- Kapil Paranjape (Institute of Mathematical Sciences, Chennai)
- Bijaya Kumar Sahoo (Kernfysisch Versneller Instituut (KVI), Groningen)
- Rohini Godbole (Indian Institute of Science, Bangaluru)
- Ujjwal Sen (IIT , New Delhi)
- Hiranmaya Mishra (Physical Research Laboratory, Ahmedabad)
- Deepak Dhar (Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, Mumbai)
- Prasenjit Mal (University of Cambridge, Cambridge)
- Jayanth Banavar (Penn State University, University Park)
- Sasanka Deka (Italian Institute of Technology, Genova)
- P.R. Vishwanath (Indian Institute of Astrophysics, Bangaluru)
- Shanta Laishram (University of Waterloo, Waterloo)
- Anil Kumar (National Chemical Laboratory, Pune)
- Parthasarathi Bera (Instituto de Catálisis y Petroleoquímica, Madrid)
- Swarnali Bandopadhyay (Norwegian Institute of Science and Technology, Trondheim)
- Subir K. Das (Jawaharlal Nehru Centre for Advanced Scientific Research, Bangaluru)
- Biswapriya Deb (University of Louisville, Kentucky)
- Amitabha Bose (New Jersey Institute of Technology, Newark)
- Jyoti Rajput (University of Aarhus, Aarhus)
- Richard Zare (Stanford University, Stanford)
- Nilotpal Ghosh (Indira Gandhi Centre for Advanced Research, Kalpakkam)
- Ronojoy Adhikari (Institute for Mathematical Sciences, Chennai)
- Indira Chaudhuri (University of Louisville, Kentucky)
- Mukunda P. Das (Australian National University, Canberra)
- Gary A. Williams (University of California, Los Angeles)
- Joyee Ghosh (Institute of Photonic Sciences Castelldefels, Barcelona)
- Praveen Chaddah (UGC-DAE Consortium for Scientific Research, Indore)
- Raja Paul (Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science, Kolkata)
- Nirmalya Kumar Chaki (Penn State University, Pennsylvania)
- Marco Zannetti (University of Salerno, Salerno)
- Sayan Bhattacharyya (Drexel University, Philadelphia)

- Fabien Bretenaker (Laboratoire Aimé Cotton, Orsay)
- Fiona Burnell (University of Oxford, Oxford)
- Christopher Jones (University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill)
- Debapratim Das (Max Planck Institute for Molecular Physiology, Dortmund)
- Gouriprasanna Roy (Oregon Health and Science University, Portland)
- Swadesh Mitter Mahajan (University of Texas, Austin)
- Radha Balakrishnan (Institute of Mathematical Sciences, Chennai)
- Satadal Ganguly (Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, Mumbai)
- Rajesh Gopakumar (Harish-Chandra Research Institute, Allahabad)
- Rajarshi Roy (University of Maryland, College Park)
- Jnanadeva Maharana (Institute of Physics, Bhubaneswar)
- Pankaj Joshi (Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, Mumbai)
- Manindra Agrawal (Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur)
- C.N. Yang, Nobel Laureate (Tsinghua University, Beijing)
- Michael Berry (Bristol University, (Bristol))

Accomplishments of Students

Mr. Shivjee Singh (Ph.D. student under the supervision of Dr. S. Patnaik) received the best poster award during ICMS-ICMR Winter School on Chemistry and Physics of Materials held at JNCASR, Bangalore, India during 30 November – 5 December, 2009.

Any other important information

The research and teaching contributions of SPS has been acknowledged in many ways. The SPS graduates (Ph.D. and M.Sc.) have found subsequent positions with great ease. Many of the faculty members are frequent speakers at national and international conferences. The faculty and students regularly publish research papers in the best international journals. Some faculty members have received prestigious national awards and been elected fellows of important scientific academies. The UGC recognized the research excellence of SPS by granting it the DRS (Phase I) scheme in 1994. This was upgraded to DRS (Phase II) in 1999, and DRS (Phase III) in 2004. The DRS activity was further augmented by the UGC-COSIST scheme for the period 2000 – 2004.

Apart from the support from the UGC, SPS also received major funding from the DST under the FIST program in 2002, and again in 2007. It is also worth mentioning that SPS faculty members have attracted considerable individual support through research projects from DST, DBT, CSIR, etc.

Participation in National/International Conferences/Seminars/Workshops

- **Ghoshal D**, “Integrability in Gauge and String Theory”, Albert Einstein Institute, Potsdam, 29 June – 3 July, 2009
- **Ghoshal D**, “National Workshop on String Theory”, Indian Institute of Technology - Bombay, Mumbai, 10 “ 15 March, 2010
- **Kumar B**, “Spontaneous valence-bond order in 2d quantum antiferromagnets”: Invited talk delivered at the discussion meeting on Statistical and Condensed Matter Physics, IIT Guwahati.
- **Kumar B**, “Emergent radiation in an atom-photon system”: Invited talk delivered at the Indian Condensed Matter Programme-2009 (ICMP09), Mahabaleshwar.
- **Kumar B**, “Quantum Antiferromagnets: Frustration and Spontaneous Dimerization”: Invited talk delivered at the national workshop on Electron Dynamics in Quantum Systems, Science Centre, Digha, West Bengal.

- **Kumar B**, Participated in a discussion meeting on “Statistical and Condensed Matter Physics”, at IIT-Guwahati, 31 October – 1 November, 2009
- **Kumar B**, Participated in the ICTS inaugural event “Science Without Boundaries”, at IISc, Bangaluru, 28 – 31 December, 2009
- **Kumar D**, Attended the conference “K. S. Krishnan Annual Symposium”, Institute of Mathematical Sciences, Chennai, 21-23 December, 2009.
- **Mohanty T**, Presented the paper “RBS analysis of metal oxide thin films synthesized by athermal annealing process”, international conference on Ion Beam Analysis (IBA-2009), Cambridge University, U.K., 7-11 September, 2009.
- **Mohanty T**, Manoj K. Jaiswal, A. Tripathi and D. Kanjilal: Presented the paper “Surface morphology study of Ni-doped Tin oxide synthesized by Energetic Ion beam”, international conference on Nanoscience and Technology, (ICONSAT-2010), IIT Bombay, Mumbai, 17-20 February, 2010.
- **Mohanty T**, Manoj Jaiswal, Avesh Kumar: Presented the paper “Effect of metallic dopant concentration on electrical and optical properties of nanocrystalline TiO₂ thin film”, international conference on Nanoscience and Technology, (ICONSAT-2010), IIT, Bombay, Mumbai, 17-20, February, 2010.
- **Mohanty T**, Presented the paper “Metal oxide nanocomposites for improved photocatalytic applications”, national symposium on Nanoscience, Theory and Application, SES, JNU, New Delhi, 6-7 November, 2009
- **Mukhopadhyay P**, Presented the paper "SET triggered multi-modal sensing of anions: A new bio-inspired strategy that applies radical anions as probes for highly sensitive and specific sensing of cyanide" at the 12th CRSI National Symposium in Chemistry, IICT Hyderabad, 5-7 February, 2010
- **Patnaik S**, A. K. Singh, S. D. Kaushik and V. Siriguri, “Microscopic origin of multiferroicity in hexagonal YMnO₃ via in-field neutron diffraction and dielectric measurements”, presented at the conference on Neutron Scattering and Mesoscopic Systems held at the International Centre Goa University, 12-14 October, 2009.
- **Patnaik S**, A. K. Singh and V. Siriguri, “Modification in magnetoelectric coupling in Dy doped MnO₃”, presented at a conference on Neutron Scattering and Mesoscopic Systems held at International Centre Goa University, 12-14 October, 2009.
- **Patnaik S**, A. K. Singh, S. D. Kaushik and V. Siriguri, “Observation of magneto-electric coupling in hexagonal YMnO₃ via in-field neutron diffraction experiment”, presented at the Material Research Society (MRS) fall meeting at Boston, USA, 30 November – 4 December, 2009.
- **Patnaik S**, Anil K. Singh, Michael Snure and Ashutosh Tiwari, “Effect of epitaxial strain on the magnetoelectric coupling of lattice mismatched YMnO₃ thin films grown on Sapphire (0001) substrate with conducting Zn_{0.99}Ga_{0.01}O bottom contact”, presented at the Material Research Society (MRS) fall meeting at Boston, USA, 30 November – 4 December, 2009.
- **Patnaik S**, and D. Srikala, “Property variation with shape in ferromagnetic cobalt nanocubes”, presented at the international conference on Advanced Nanomaterials and Nanotechnology (ICANN) held at Guwahati, 9-11 December, 2009
- **Patnaik S**, and D. Srikala, “Synthesis and Characterization of PbSe Nanoparticles, presented at the international conference on Nano Science and Technology”, (ICONSAT), held at IIT Bombay, 17-20 February, 2010
- **Patnaik S**, and D. Srikala, “Magnetic behaviour of oxygen passivated cobalt Nanoparticles”, presented at the Materials Research Society Spring Meeting 2010 held at San Francisco, California, USA.
- **Patnaik S**, and D. Srikala, “Synthesis and Characterization of PbSe and Pb_{1-x}Co_xSe Nanoparticles, presented at the Materials Research Society Spring Meeting 2010 held at San Fransico, California, USA.
- **Patnaik S**, S. J. Singh, J. Prakash and A. K. Ganguli, “Enhancement in transition temperature, upper critical field and critical current density in the Y-doped CeOFFeAs superconductor”, presented at ICMS-ICMR winter School on Chemistry and Physics of materials held at JNCASR, Banglaore, India, 30 November- 5 December, 2009

- **Patnaik S**, S. J. Singh, J. Prakash, and A. K. Ganguli, “Effect simultaneous carrier doping in the charge reservoir and conducting layers of superconducting $\text{CeO}_{0.9}\text{F}_{0.1}\text{Fe}_{1-x}\text{Co}_x\text{As}$ ”, presented at a conference on Recent Advances in Correlated Electron Systems held at the Indian Institute of Technology, Guwahati, 18-20 January, 2010
- **Patnaik S**, Invited talk at an international conference on “Technologically Important Multifunctional Materials” at the Department of Physics, Himachal Pradesh University, 15-17 April, 2009.
- **Puri S**, Invited talk on “Inhomogenous cooling in inelastic granular gases”: IISc Centenary Conference on Frontiers and Directions in Condensed Matter Physics, May, 2009.
- **Puri S**, Lecture on “Cooling in freely-evolving granular gases”: International Conference on Frontiers of Physics, Kathmandu, June, 2009.
- **Puri S**, Lecture on “Kinetics of Phase Transitions”: ICTP Summer College on Nonequilibrium Physics: From Classical to Quantum Low-dimensional Physics, Trieste, ITALY, July, 2009
- **Puri S**, Lecture on “Phase separation and wetting at surfaces” at the symposium “Synthesis and Characterization of Smart Materials”, Bareilly, September, 2009.
- **Puri S**, Lecture on “Cooling in inelastic granular gases”: Statistical and Condensed Matter Physics Meeting, Guwahati, October, 2009.
- **Puri S**, Lecture on “Pattern formation in physical systems”: DST-INSPIRE Winter School, Pune, December, 2009-January, 2010.
- **Puri S**, Lecture on “Pattern formation in granular materials”: ICTS Program on Nonequilibrium Statistical Physics (Golden Jubilee of IIT, Kanpur), February, 2010.
- **Puri S**, Lecture on “Pattern formation in granular materials”: Conference on Soft Matter Physics, New Delhi, March, 2010.
- **Rajaraman R**, Chaired a session, gave a talk “The nuclear arms race in South Asia”, at The Tokyo IPFM Meeting (2010), at Tokyo, 17-20 March, 2010.
- **Rajaraman R**, Invited talk on “FMCT: Prospects and Challenges from the S Asian Perspective”, at the “2010 Moscow Non-Proliferation Conference” organised by the Centre for Energy and Security Studies, at Moscow 4-6 March, 2010.
- **Rajaraman R**, Invited talk on “South Asia and the Global Arms Control Initiatives” at the 2010 Doomsday Clock Symposium and Announcement, New York, 13-14 January, 2010.
- **Rajaraman R**, Invited talk on “Disarmament — Prospects and Challenges in S. Asia” at the Ottawa Dialogue on “Nuclear Stability in South Asia”, Bangkok, 11-14 December, 2009.
- **Rajaraman R**, Invited to give a presentation on “Confidence Building Measures” at the Pugwash meeting on “Strengthening the International Nuclear Non-Proliferation Regime: Ensuring a Successful NPT Review Conference in 2010”, Beijing, China, 20-21 November, 2009.
- **Rajaraman R**, Invited to give a presentation on “South Asia” at the “Meeting to set the Doomsday Clock” Washington DC, 5-6 November, 2009.
- **Rajaraman R**, Invited presentation at the IPFM Washington, DC Meeting, 16-18 October, 2009.
- **Rajaraman R**, Invited Talk on “Indian Response to the Prospect of WMD Terrorism”, Erice, 24-25 August, 2009
- **Ramaswamy R**, “The effect of mRNA on the dynamics of regulatory networks”: Frontiers in Applied and Computational Mathematics 2009, Newark, NJ, 2 June, 2009.
- **Ramaswamy R**, “Chaotically driven monotone maps”: Aspects of Dynamical Systems, IIT Delhi, 23 December, 2009.
- **Ramaswamy R**, “The effects of stochasticity in the dynamics of regulatory networks”: Molecular Theory for Real Systems, Kyoto, 9 January, 2010.

- **Shah R**, “Distal actions on locally compact groups”, in workshop on “Boundaries” at Technische Universitat, Graz, Austria, 29 June-4 July, 2009
- **Shah R**, “Dynamics of distal actions on groups”, in international conference “Advances in Mathematics: Focus on Women in Mathematics”. SPS, JNU, New Delhi, 5-7 October, 2009
- **Shah R**, “Dynamics of distal actions on locally compact groups”, In “II Indo-Brazilian Symposium”, TIFR (CAM), Bangaluru, 14-18 December, 2009
- **Shah R**, “Qp: p-adic (non-archimedean) field”: In NBHM Nurture programme. Indian Statistical Institute (Bangaluru), December, 2009
- **Shah R**, “Dynamics of distal actions on locally compact groups”: In national workshop on “Aspects of Dynamical Systems”, IIT Delhi, 22-24 December, 2009

Lectures Delivered (Outside JNU)

- **Ghoshal D**, “Traveling front of the decaying brane”, at the Institute of Physics of the Czech Academy of Sciences, Prague, Czech Republic.
- **Ghosh R**, “Nonclassical Effects in Two-Photon Interference: Before the HOM Dip”, Invited Seminar, Institut de Ciències Fotoniques (The Institute of Photonic Sciences), Castelldefels (Barcelona), Spain, 7 July, 2009.
- **Ghosh R**, “Let there be light!... What is light?”, Invited First “Summer Lecture”, Institute de Ciències Fotoniques (The Institute of Photonic Sciences), Castelldefels (Barcelona), Spain, 9 July, 2009.
- **Ghosh R**, “Get enLIGHTened!”, Inaugural Lecture, Physics Festival, Kirori Mal College, Delhi University, 11 November, 2009.
- **Ghosh R**, “Gender Empowerment: Some Personal Reflections”, Invited talk, Stree Shakti Seminar on Social Exchange: A Widening Horizon, India International Centre, Delhi, 11 December, 2009.
- **Ghosh R**, “The JNU Experience” in the Panel Discussion on Sexual Harassment Issues on Campuses, Sarojini Naidu Centre for Women’s Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, Delhi, 23 February, 2010.
- **Ghosh R**, “Prevention and Deterrence of Sexual Harassment at the Workplace: the JNU Experience”, Symposium on Harassment of Women at Work Place, Mewar Institute, Vasundhara, Ghaziabad, 18 March, 2010.
- **Ghosh S**, “High Performance Organic Field Effect Transistor: A Material Science Problem”: Invited talk delivered at the National Physical Laboratory, Delhi, 29 July, 2009.
- **Ghosh S**, “Application of STM and STS in Organic Semiconductor and Devices”: Invited talk delivered at Amity University, Noida, 23 April, 2009.
- **Ghosh S**, “Physics of Low Dimensional and Nano Systems”: Invited talk delivered at Delhi University, 9 March, 2010.
- **Kumar B**, “Frustrated Quantum Antiferromagnets: Dimer, Triplons and Quantum Phase Transition”: Invited colloquium delivered at the Physics Department, IISc Bangaluru.
- **Kumar D**, Invited talk on “Quantum Information Processing with Light”, at the Indian Institute of Science Education and Research at Mohali, Panjab, 30 October, 2009.
- **Mohanty T**, Ten (10) lectures delivered on ‘Structural Defects in Solids’, Inter University Accelerator Centre, New Delhi, 29 August – 19 September, 2009.
- **Mukhopadhyay P**, “Creating Molecules Towards New Generation of Sensors”, at the Department of Chemistry, University of Hyderabad, 4 February, 2010.
- **Patnaik S**, “Current trends in material science at low temperature”: Invited talk at IIT, Kanpur, 12 September, 2009.
- **Puri S**, Lecture on “Kinetics of phase transitions”: Raman Research Institute, Bangaluru, April, 2009.

- **Puri S**, Lecture on “Kinetics of phase transitions”: Institute fur Physik, Johannes Gutenberg Universitat, Mainz, Germany, August, 2009.
- **Puri S**, Lecture on “Pattern formation in the kinetics of phase transitions”: Department of Physics, IIT Mumbai, November, 2009.
- **Puri S**, Lecture on “Kinetics of phase transitions”: IUCAA, Pune, February, 2010.
- **Rajaraman R**, “An introduction to Quantum Hall Effect”, Department of Physics, Punjab University, Chandigarh, 21 January, 2010.
- **Rajaraman R**, “An introduction to the Indo-US Nuclear Deal and the science underlying it”, Punjab University, Chandigarh, 22 January, 2010
- **Rajaraman R**, “Setting the Doomsday Clock”, Public Talk at the India International Centre, 9 March, 2010.
- **Rajaraman R**, “Setting The Doomsday Clock 2010”, Institute for Peace and Conflict Studies, New Delhi.
- **Ramaswamy R**, “Academic Access in a Globalized world: Scholars without Borders”, NCSI, Indian Institute of Science, Bangaluru, 12 June
- **Ramaswamy R**, “Some Flavours of Synchrony”, (i) S N Bose National Centre for Basic Sciences, Kolkata, 19 June (ii) Tokyo University, 12 January (iii) Hokkaido University, Sapporo, 25 January
- **Ramaswamy R**, “Chaos”, (i) 23 June, IISER Mohali, (ii) 30 November, Hindu College, (iii) 15 March, Delhi University.
- **Ramaswamy R**, “Coupled phase oscillators on a bipartite network”, IISER, Pune, 12 November
- **Ramaswamy R**, “One-dimensional maps (3 lectures)”, SERC School on Nonlinear Dynamics, Delhi University, 8 December, 2009.
- **Ramaswamy R**, “The Lilavati’s Daughters Project”, (i) NIAS Bangaluru, 16 December, 2009 (ii) NIAS Bangaluru, 23 March, 2010
- **Ramaswamy R**, “Segmentation analysis of DNA sequences”, Tokyo University, 19 January, 2010
- **Ramaswamy R**, “Stochastic modeling of chemical reactions (5 lectures)”, Tokyo University, 13-15, 18, 21 January
- **Ramaswamy R**, “Stochastic simulation techniques: Applications to biochemical networks”, (i) Institute for Molecular Sciences, Okazaki, 20 January (ii) Hokkaido University, Sapporo, 25 January
- **Shah R**, “Concentration functions of a probability measure and distal groups”, Technische Universitat Berlin, Germany, May, 2009.
- **Shah R**, “Concentration functions of probability measures and distal actions on groups”, Universitat Dortmund, Germany, June, 2009.
- **Shah R**, “Distal and Ergodic Actions on Groups”, Department of Mathematics, Gujarat University, Ahmedabad, January, 2010

Awards/Honors/Fellowships

- **Ghosh R**, Stree Shakti Science Samman, presented by the Union Minister for Tourism, Urban Development and Poverty Alleviation, Kumari Selja, on 12 December, 2009.
- **Ghosh R**, Invited Professor, CNRS Laboratoire Aimé Cotton, Université Paris Sud, Campus d’Orsay, France, June, 2009.
- **Krishan K**, Marie Curie International Fellowship by the European Union.
- **Kumar B**, Junior Associate of the Abus Salam International Centre for Theoretical Physics (ICTP), Trieste, Italy
- **Kumar B**, INSA Medal for Young Scientists, 2009.
- **Kumar B**, Associate of the Indian Academy of Sciences, Bangaluru.

- **Patnaik S**, Commonwealth Fellowship tenable at the University of Cambridge, 2009
- **Ramaswamy R**, DAE- Raja Ramanna Lecture in Physics at the Jawaharlal Nehru Centre for Advanced Scientific Research 2010
- **Ramaswamy R**, TIFR Alumni Association Excellence Award, 2009.

Membership of Boards/Committees (Outside JNU)

- **Bohidar, H.B**, Member Academic Committee, MCEME, Hyderabad.
- **Ghoshal D**, Associate Editor, “General Relativity and Gravitation” (Springer Verlag); Member, Programme Advisory Committee on “Plasma, High Energy, Nuclear Physics, Astronomy and Astrophysics and Nonlinear Dynamics” of the DST; and Member, Planning Committee of the SERC School on Theoretical High Energy Physics.
- **Ghosh R**, Delhi Coordinator, Kishore Vaigyanik Protsahan Yojana (KVPY), DST, 1999 onwards; Member, Departmental Advisory Board, Department of Education in Science and Mathematics, National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT), 2008
- **Mohanty T**, Member of the Editorial Review Board, Scientific Journal International (SJI); and Member of the UFUP project review committee 2008-2011, IUAC, New Delhi.
- **Mukhopadhyay P**, Member of CSIR research fellowship interview at Department of Chemistry, University of Hyderabad.
- **Puri S**, Associate Editor, Phase Transitions, Taylor and Francis, London, U.K.; Member, DST Expert Panel on Fast-track Scheme for Young Scientists in Physical and Mathematical Sciences, DST, Government of India; and Member, Scientific Council of Indo-French Centre for the Promotion of Advanced Research.
- **Rajaraman R**, Vice president, Indian National Science Academy, New Delhi; Co Chair, International Panel on Fissile materials, Headquarters Princeton, USA; Member, Science and Security Board, The Bulletin of Atomic Scientists, Chicago, USA; Member, Editorial Board, Science and Global Security, Taylor and Francis Publishers, USA; Member, Executive Board, Institute for Peace and Conflict Studies, New Delhi; Member Academic Council, Tata institute for Fundamental Research, Mumbai; Member of the Court, NEHU University, Shillong; and Member of the Court, Manipur University.
- **Sen P**, Member of the Selection Committee (India), The Felix Scholarship, Oxford University, UK; Member of the Selection Committee (North), Inlaks Foundation Fellowships; Member of the Selection Committee (North), Rhodes Foundation Fellowships; Member of the Screening Committee for UNICEF-DBT Regional Research Centre for Biotechnology, Faridabad; Member of the Board of Studies in Physics, Barkatullah University, Bhopal; Member of the Selection Committee for Faculty recruitment, M.S. University, Baroda; and Member of the Selection Committee for Research Scientists, Indian Oil Corporation Limited, HRD Centre, New Delhi.
- **Sen S**, Member of American Chemical Society (ACS); and Member of ISRAPS, BARC, Mumbai.
- **Shah R**, Member of the organizing committee of the workshop on “Aspects of Dynamical Systems”, 22-24 December, 2009

School of Social Sciences

The School of Social Sciences is the largest post-graduate School in the University. It admits approximate 500 students every year under M.A., M.Phil./Ph.D. and direct Ph.D. programmes of its various Centres. It has no undergraduate programme of its own, even though it offers a few under-graduate courses for students of other Schools. The total strength of its faculty was about 142 at the end of the year 2009-10. It has nine Centres and six special UGC-supported Programmes.

Centres

- Centre for Economic Studies and Planning (CESP)
- Centre for Historical Studies (CHS)
- Centre for Philosophy (CP)
- Centre for Political Studies (CPS)
- Centre for Social Medicine and Community Health (CSM&CH)
- Centre for the Study of Regional Development (CSR D)
- Centre for Studies in Science Policy (CSSP)
- Centre for the Study of Social Systems (CSSS)
- Zakir Husain Centre for Educational Studies (ZHCES)

Programmes of Studies

- Archives on Cotemporary History of India (supported by JNU)
- Education Record Research Unit
- Group of Adult Education
- North-East India Study Programme
- Programme for Study of Discrimination and Exclusion
- Women Studies Programme

Besides, three more new Centres have been approved to be set up in the School during XIth Plan. These are:

- Centre for the Study of Informal Economy
- Centre for the Media Research
- North-East Study Research Centre (Another name for North-East India Studies Programme)

These Centres are to pursue research and teaching in the concern areas of study. Each Centre is also to initiate the M.Phil/Ph.D. programme of study by the end of the XIth Plan.

All the above Centres and Programmes of Studies, except the above three new Centres and the Archives on Contemporary History, have students enrolled in the M.Phil./Ph.D. and direct Ph.D. programmes. The following five Centres offer M.A. programme as well in their respective discipline:

- Centre for Economic Studies and Planning (CESP)
- Centre for Historical Studies (CHS)
- Centre for Political Studies (CPS)
- Centre for the Study of Regional Development (CSR D)
- Centre for the Study of Social Systems (CSSS)

The Centres and Programmes of Studies organised regular academic seminars, usually once a week during the period under reference. In addition, there were School level seminars and seminars/lectures delivered by distinguished visiting scholars. Other conferences/seminars were also organised by the different Centres during the year.

Faculty members of the School of Social Sciences have brought out a large number of books and articles in journals based on their research work. Besides, they have contributed over 300 research articles in various national and international journals including chapters in books. A number of research students of the School have also contributed to various professional journals. Several doctoral theses have been published by renowned publishers.

Most teaching and research programmes in the School have innovative elements. While ensuring rigorous discipline-oriented training in each Centre, interest is generated in multi-disciplinary study and research by encouraging students to do courses in other Centres, depending upon their aptitude as well as relevance of the courses to their main disciplines and areas of research interest. Students have regularly taken advantage of this opportunity, available at both the M.A. and M.Phil. levels. This has greatly enriched their knowledge and research activities.

Centre for Economic Studies and Planning

The Centre for Economic Studies and Planning has been in existence for the last 37 years. It has carried on an innovative programme of teaching and research and has contributed to society in a wide variety of ways. The Centre makes an attempt to judiciously combine theory with applied work and to provide an understanding of the Indian economy in particular. The programmes of study, the courses and the research work of the faculty of the Centre reflect a broad coverage of the various areas of specialization in Economics.

The activities under special assistance programme ASIHSS awarded by the UGC has come to an end on 31 March 2010.

Students

A total of 262 students were registered for the various teaching programmes in this period, 117 for M.A. and 145 for M. Phil./ Ph. D. and Ph. D. Some relevant figures are:

Students who received their M. A. degrees	41
Students admitted for M. A.	67
Students admitted for M.Phil/Ph.D.	25
Students admitted for direct Ph.D.	3
M.Phil. dissertations submitted	17
Ph.D. dissertations submitted	11

The following annual prizes were awarded:

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| a. | Ranjan Roy Memorial Prize | : | Mr. Prateek |
| b. | The Avani Bhat Memorial Prize | : | Ms Shiuli Vanaja |

Courses

In the M.A. programme, 8 compulsory courses and 20 optional courses were offered. In the M.Phil./Ph. D. programme (which involves one year of course work), 2 compulsory courses and 9 optional courses were offered.

Some remedial courses were offered under the guidance of Dr. Praveen Jha and Shri Ashoke, faculty members of the Centre. Our students also took advantage of the remedial courses in English language offered in the University.

Faculty

The faculty strength was over 20 this year. Prof Abhijit Sen continued to be Member, Planning Commission, Government of India. Prof. Prabhat Patnaik re-joined the Centre w.e.f. 1.9.2009 after completing his deputation as Vice-Chairman

to Kerala State Planning Board, Kerala. Prof. Sugato Dasgupta has rejoined on 30.12.2009 as Professor after availing EOL for joining as Professor, Department of Economics, Jadavpur University, Kolkata since 31 December 2007. Prof. Deepak Nayyar re-joined w.e.f. 1.1.2010 after availing EOL to join as Distinguished Professor of Economics, The New School of Social Research, New York, USA since 1 January 2008.

Prof. K.L. Krishna was invited to teach Econometrics –I for M.A. students during Monsoon semester 2009-10 as Guest Faculty of the Centre.

EXIM Bank Library

Currently the Centre has about Rs.10.5 lakhs per annum available for the purchase of books. It has built up a large collection of books in Economics and is continuing to add more. The University has air-conditioned the Library. A ramp has been constructed to provide easy access to physically challenged students. The horticulture department has been engaged to plant a garden comprising of medicinal plants near the Library.

RBI Unit in Economic Theory

A Unit in Economic Theory was created by the RBI through an MoU with JNU. Professor Anjan Mukherji, continued to be the Chair Professor. The general focus of research of the Unit was: **Economic Dynamics, Growth and Development**. Publications in this area have been reported elsewhere in the annual report. Among different areas in which work was in progress in the Unit special mention must be made of the textbook project on Mathematical methods and Economic Theory.

Krishna Bharadwaj Memorial Lecture

This Lecture is one of the most prestigious events in the annual calendar of JNU. The Eighteenth Krishna Bharadwaj Memorial Lecture was delivered by Professor Kumaraswamy Velupillai, Professor of Economics, University of Trento, Trento, Italy on 8 March, 2010 on the topic “**Emergent Complexity: Evolution, Computation and Dynamics**”

Infrastructure

CESP has set up two computer labs for students serviced by a debian/linux based server. All the students have been provided accounts and a limited amount of storage on the server. There are twenty computer terminals running Ubuntu Linux. With the server providing NIS authentication and NFS based file sharing, students can access their files on any of the terminals and are assured of safe storage.

The CESP server also hosts databases acquired by the Centre over the last few years. These include most importantly, the unit-level data from the Annual Surveys of Industry, unit-level data from various rounds of the National Sample Surveys, large amount of data from Censuses of India (1991 and 2001), National Family Health Surveys, the All-India School Education Surveys, CMIE PROWESS and Econlit. The server makes these databases accessible to everybody in JNU.

Visitor

- Dr. Hitoshi Ota, Associate Research Fellow, IDF-JETRO, Japan, has been affiliated as Visiting Scholar for research affiliation at the Centre for a period from July 2009 to July 2011.
- Prof. S. Subramanian, Madras Institute of Development Studies, Chennai, was invited as Visiting Fellow at the Centre during the period 9.3.2010 to 29.3.2010.

Conferences and Seminars held in the Centre

Following two seminars/workshops were organised under UGC ASIHSS programme in the Centre during the year:

- Workshop on “Rights in Economics and Law” organised during 4-5 March 2010;
- ‘CESP Young Scholars’ Seminar during March 14-15 March 2010.

Besides, a number of departmental seminars/special lectures were held in the Centre over this period. The list of seminars is presented below. In addition, the CESP faculty and students continued to be active in participating in seminars and conferences outside the University, both within India and abroad.

- Subir Chakravarti, Indiana University, USA, “On the Robustness of Competitive Equilibrium: Better Response Maps and Equilibrium Points”, 5 August, 2009
- Dipjyoti Majumdar, Concordia University, Montreal, Canada, “Incentive-Compatible Voting Rules with Positively Correlated Beliefs”, 13 August, 2009.
- Vivekananda Mukherji, Jadavpur University, Kolkata, “Transaction Costs, Corruption and Welfare”, 27 August, 2009
- Pradipta Chaudhury, CESP, Jawaharlal Nehru University, “Political Economy of Caste in Northern India, 1901-1931”, 1 September, 2009
- Guilhem Cassan, Paris School of Economics, “Did the Raj Put a Spell on you? British Law and Caste Identity Manipulation: The Punjab Alienation of Land Act”, 6 October, 2009
- Dr. Gurbachan Singh, CITD, JNU, “Bank runs, line of credit, and Pigouvian subsidy”, 12 January, 2010
- Anirban Mitra, Ph.D Student, New York University, “Some Economic Implications of Political Affirmative Action: Theory and Evidence from India”, 28 January, 2010
- Anmol Ratan, University of Maryland, “Reference-Dependent Preferences in First Price Auctions”, 16 February, 2010
- Professor S. Subramanian, MIDS, Chennai, Some Population Issues in the Measurement of Poverty and Inequality
 - **Lecture 1:** “Poverty Measurement and Theories of Beneficence”, 11 March, 2010
 - **Lecture 2:** “Counting the Poor”, 18 March, 2010
 - **Lecture 3:** “Variable Population and Inequality Comparisons”, 25 March, 2010
- Professor Giuseppe Cavaliere, Department of Statistics, University of Bologna, Italy, “Recent Issues in Econometric Time Series Analysis”, 30 March, 2010

Centre for Historical Studies

The Centre for Historical Studies offers M.A. and M. Phil/ Ph. D. programmes in three different period-specializations: Ancient, Medieval and Modern History. The Centre also conducts teaching and research in Contemporary History. An innovation that has been introduced in recent years is to allow students to choose thematic specialization as well, by doing a minimum of four courses on the theme chosen. Themes offered at the moment are economic history, social and popular movements, state and power, and ideology, culture and society. While period specialization is compulsory, theme specialization is not.

The Centre has a very active Faculty Seminar, held every Wednesday. Scholars from across the world have spoken at these seminar meetings.

In addition to the regular seminars, the Centre for Historical Studies organized the following conferences/seminars during 2009-2010

- An international seminar on ‘Reconstructing and Deconstructing the Epics’ was organized by Prof. Kumkum Roy from 26 – 27 March, 2010.
- A workshop on ‘Photography and Visual Culture in the 19th Century’ by Alkazi Foundation was organized by Prof. N. Bhattacharya on 9 May, 2009.
- An international conference on ‘Exploring the Margins’ was organized by History Association from 3 – 5 September, 2009.

- An international seminar on 'Devotion and Dissent in Indian History' was organized by Prof. Vijaya Ramaswamy from 11 – 13 March, 2010.
- A workshop on 'Sanghol & Archaeology in Punjab' was organized Prof. H.P. Ray from 15 – 16 March, 2010.
- Six scholars were invited to the Centre for Historical Studies as Visiting Fellow/ Professor. They presented seminars, held workshops with students, and gave lectures.
- Research students met the scholars to discuss their research themes. The list of Visiting Scholars is as follows:

Visiting Scholars invited to the Centre for Historical Studies

- Prof. Kim Siebenhuner, Deptt. of History, Basel University, Hirschgasslein from 14 October – 25 November, 2009.
- Dr. Archana Venkatesan, University of California, Davis from 21 January – 4 February, 2010.
- Prof. Y. Subbarayaulu, French Institute of Pondicherry, Pondicherry, from 4 – 18 March, 2010.
- Prof. Sunil Kumar, School of Oriental and African Studies, London, will be visiting from 26 March – 9 April, 2010.
- Prof. Phil Bonner was invited by the CHS as Visiting Professor from 1 January – 28 February, 2010.
- Prof. Sally J. Sutherland Goldman was invited by the CHS as a Visiting Professor for the Winter semester 2010.

New Courses

- M414/25 : Region Language and the Politics of Nation-Making
 M414/26 : The Modern City: Sites of Accumulation, Planning and Citizenship
 M214/30 : Epics, History and the Indian Nation

Centre for Philosophy

Centre for Philosophy during this academic year 2009–10 organised several seminars and lectures. This is in addition to the routine teaching and research programme of the Centre. Several faculties also joined the Centre as Visiting Faculty.

Right now, the Centre was engaged in its M.Phil./Ph.D. Programme. Its faculties also offer courses in philosophy for the under-graduate students, primarily for the students of the SLL&CS.

Its proposed plan to start the M.A. Programme was still under review subjected to recruitment of new faculty. At present, the Centre is run only with a strength of three faculties.

Lectures organized

- Prof. Ghazala Irfan, Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, LUNS, Lahore, "The Intellectual Tradition of the Muslim World with special Emphasis on Pakistan," 12 March, 2010.
- Prof. Sergei Serebriany, Director, Meletinsky Institute for Advanced Study in Humanities, Moscow, "Philosophy as a free search for knowledge: The concept and its transfer to Russia and India," 12 March, 2010.
- Prof. Matthias Kossler, Johannes-Gutenberd-Universitat, Mainz, "The pure subject of knowing," 2 March, 2010.
- Prof. William Sweet, Director of the Centre for Philosophy, Theology and Cultural Tradition, St. Francis University, Canada "Migrating Traditions: Possibility of intercultural Philosophy" 18 February, 2010.
- Prof. Raghuram Raju, Department of Philosophy, University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad, "Internal Criticism in the Democracies outside the west," 29 January, 2010.
- Dr. Daniel Berounsky, Charles University, Prague, "Eastern Traditions of Thought in the West: The case of Tibetan Buddhism," 27 January, 2010.

- Prof. Akeel Bigrami, University of Columbia, "The Moral Psychology of identity," 14 January, 2010.
- Prof. Bhuvan Chandel, Member Secretary, Centre for the Study in Civilizations, New Delhi, "Some reflections on Daya Krishana's idea of revolution," 11 December, 2009
- Prof. Sharad Deshpande, University of Pune, Pune, "Philosophy in Colonial India," 10 December, 2009.
- Prof. Gurpreet Mahajan, CPS, JNU, New Delhi, "Of methods and methodology: Philosophy and the Social Sciences," 4 December, 2009.
- Dr. Michael Dusche, Fellow, JNIAS, JNU, New Delhi, "Comparing Experiences with Modernity & Nationalism: Germany & India," 18 November, 2009.
- Dr. Jaison Manjaly, IIT, Gandhinagar, "Panpsychism and Evolution of Consciousness," 11 September, 2009.
- Dr. Daniel Raveh, University of Tel Aviv, Tel Aviv, "Text as a Process: Thinking with Daya Krishana," 26 August, 2009.
- Dr. Rachana Kamtekar, Department of Philosophy, University of Arizona, "Ethics and Politics in Plato's Republic," 3 August, 2009.
- Prof. P.K. Mohapatra, Utkal University, Bhubaneswar, "Ethics, Applied Ethics and India Theory of Morals," 13 April, 2009.

Centre for Political Studies

The Centre for Political Studies offers M.A. and M.Phil./Ph.D. degree programmes. In addition, it also admits students to its direct Ph.D. programme. The teaching and research work of the Centre focuses on three broad areas of study: Political Philosophy, Indian Politics and Comparative Politics/ International Relations. During this academic year, several students from different countries such as U.S.A., U.K., People's Republic of China, Mongolia, Sri Lanka, Nepal, Afganistan, Kenya, Uzbekistan and Iran, joined the different programmes of the Centre.

Faculty Members and their Area of Research

- Prof. Balveer Arora, Indian Government and Politics; Federal Institutions and Processes; Comparative Political Institutions; Comparative Federalism.
- Prof. Zoya Hasan, Indian Government and Politics; State Party System; Political Mobilization; Minority Rights; Gender Studies.
- Prof. Rakesh Gupta, Agrarian Movement; Comparative Politics; Liberal Democracy; National Liberation Movements; Strategic Studies.
- Prof. Sudha Pai, Government and Politics in India; Politics of Developing Areas; State Politics; Dalit Studies.
- Prof. Gurpreet Mahajan, Political Theory; Philosophy of Social Sciences; Democracy and Multiculturalism.
- Prof. Valerian Rodrigues, Political Philosophy; Social and Political Thought in Modern India; Disadvantage and Marginality; Representation and Public Institutions.
- Prof. Gopal Guru, Indian Political Thought; Humiliation; Social Movements.
- Prof. Pralay Kanungo, Indian Politics; Religion, Culture and Identity; Indian Diaspora.
- Prof. Vidhu Verma, Political Philosophy; Western Political Thought.
- Dr. Shefali Jha, Political Theory; History of Western Political Thought and Feminism; Rights and Representation.
- Dr. Manindra Nath Thakur, Social Science Research Methods; Marxist Theory; Indian Politics; Religion and Politics; New Religious Movements.
- Dr. Asha Sarangi, Political and Cultural Economy of Development in Modern India, Identity and Politics in South Asia, the Politics of Linguistic Nationalism in Modern India, State in India.
- Dr. Anupama Roy, Political Institutions; Laws and Rights; Theory and Practice of Citizenship; Gender and Migration

- Dr. T. G. Suresh, Comparative Politics; Third World Studies; China.
- Dr. Ajay Gudavarthy, Political Philosophy; Social Movements; Indian Politics.
- Dr. Aamir Ali, Political Theory; Multiculturalism; Group Rights.
- Dr. Rajarshi Dasgupta, Marxism; Democracy; Governance; Development; Planning and Public Policy Theories of Biopolitics.
- Dr. Rinku Lamba, Political Theory; Secularism and Multiculturalism; Western Political Thought; Modern Indian Political Thought; Subaltern Studies; Politics and Planning in Third World Cities.

Courses

(i) Revision of Courses

a) M.A. Programme

A substantial revision of the M. A. Programme of study was undertaken during 2007-2008 and the School of Social Sciences approved the same in its Board Meeting on 18.11.2008. In the revision, compulsory courses have been reduced from 12 to 10; there has been a major overhaul in the content of the courses in Political Philosophy and a distinct approach to the teaching of Political Ideas in Modern India is proposed. A substantial revision of the four courses in Indian Politics and a closer bonding of the courses in Comparative and International Politics have been proposed too. There is a pronounced emphasis on empirical research, quantitative and qualitative, in the course, Methods in Social Sciences. Care has been taken to bring about integration of the different sub-fields and courses to enable a student to make better political analysis and formulate a comprehensive, and as far as possible systematic, view of public affairs.

- The new compulsory Political Philosophy courses will revolve around a body of concepts and themes. Political Philosophy I will discuss five sets of twin concepts, where one concept is required by the other to make sense of both. They are: State/Civil society; Power/Authority; Hegemony/Legitimation; Citizenship/Civil Disobedience; and Trust/Care. Political Philosophy II will dwell on a series of concepts central to contemporary normative philosophy. They are Justice, Rights, Liberty, Equality, Democracy and Virtue.
- In Readings in Political Thought, three political philosophers - Aristotle, John Stuart Mill and Karl Marx - are considered for exhaustive study. While Mill and Marx are the authoritative exponents of the seminal ideas of two major perspectives on social and political thought of our times, i.e., Liberalism and Marxism, Aristotle has been revisited by several contemporary thinkers to highlight conceptions of good life which critically engage with the two perspectives.
- All the three political philosophy courses lay much stress on reading the original writings.
- In Methods in Social Sciences the 'fieldwork component' has been retained. This is in tune with the Faculty's assessment that students need to be exposed to a systematic and critical exploration of empirical reality, *more rather than less*.
- Political thought of Modern India, as mentioned earlier, has been organised around themes and concepts rather than the familiar track of political thinkers. It also problematizes the mode of studying India and makes room for diverse but contentious perspectives to speak on an issue and interrogate one another.
- Courses on Public Institutions, Political Processes, and Development Politics and Public Policy in India have been revised to take cognizance of significant changes in their respective fields. Readings in these courses have been standardized and updated to reflect significant scholarship in these domains.
- In International Politics our earnest attempt has been to strike a balance between theory and political process.

b) M.Phil. Programme

The faculty has constituted a committee for the revision of the M.Phil. course. There have been two lengthy discussions in the Faculty meeting regarding the orientation the M.Phil. programme has to take. The committee has already formulated a rough outline of the orientation of the revised M.Phil. programme of the Centre. The faculty hopes to take forward this exercise during the course of this year.

New Optional Courses

The Centre has recently offered three new optional courses for the M. Phil Programme and one new optional course for the M.A. Programme.

a) Title and Course Instructor of New M. Phil Optional Courses

- Citizenship in India: Laws, Politics and Institutional Practices by Dr. Anupama Roy
- Body, Power, Population: Introduction to Biopolitics by Dr. Rajarshi Dasgupta
- Recognition, Redistribution and Representation by Dr. Ajay Gudavarthy

b) Title and Course Teachers of New M. A. Optional Course

- Globalization and Development: Critical Issues by Dr. T.G. Suresh

(ii) Conferences/Seminars/Workshops/Round-Tables

(i) Seminar/Conference

- An International seminar on 'Inequality and Affirmative Action' was organized by the Centre for Political Studies on the 9 – 10 November, 2009, as part of the ongoing project on 'Inequality and Affirmative Action in South Asia' in association with Goldsmith college, University of London and Tribhuvan university, Kathmandu, funded by the British Academy. The seminar focused on various social groups and their experience with the policy of reservation in India. It had participants from across the country and international participants from University of London, Oxford, Cambridge and Tribhuvan University.
- International Conference on "Power in Modern India: Discourses and Practices" will be held from 25-27 March 2010. The three day conference centres on discussing available and emerging conceptual frameworks to study politics in the light of cases from India and South Asia, covering the colonial and postcolonial period. The central idea is to reframe the concept of the 'political' and by extending the idea of what is a political act and who are the new political actors. It has papers and discussions by eminent scholars from both India and abroad, across social science disciplines, senior and younger scholars working in various fields that engage with the question of power. Members of the CPS faculty will present five papers spanning the six different sessions over three days.

(ii) Workshops

Meeting of Faculty members with Prof. Melissa Williams, University of Toronto, 29 May, 2009. Two ideas came through in this discussion:

- Being part of a regional network to study non-Western Political Ideas.
- Short-term fellowship programmes in Toronto University.

(iii) Joint Seminars with other Centres of the University

- On Sri Aurbindo, with Programme for the Study of Discrimination and Social Exclusion (PSDE), 30 September, 2009

(iv) Round Tables: The Centre has conducted three Roundtables over the last one year:

- Round Table with Prof. Bhikhu Parekh, FBA, Emeritus Professor, Universities of Westminster and Hull on 14 September, 2009. The Round Table attempted to discuss and critically evaluate the work of Prof. Parekh and he was invited to respond. His two recent Books, *Rethinking Multiculturalism and Politics of Identity* and two major works on Gandhi. *Gandhi's Political Philosophy, Colonialism, Tradition and Reform*, were taken up for special consideration.
- Round Table with Professor Nicholas Dirks, Columbia University, New York was organized on 28 January 2010 on the subject "Caste of Mind and Post Colonial Studies". The Round Table involved interaction between students/faculty and Prof. Dirks. He also delivered a special lecture on 29 January 2010 on the topic "Nationalism, Empire and Caste: The Politics of Sociological Analysis in India (With special reference to G.S. Ghurye)".
- Round Table with Professor Partha Chatterjee, University of Columbia, on 9 March 2010. At the Round Table Prof Chatterjee's major books were discussed and he was requested to respond leading to lively discussions through the day. The Centre invited him as a Visiting Fellow from 7 – 10 March. Prof. Chatterjee also delivered the 'Nirman Foundation Lecture' 2010 on 'Lineages of Political Society' on 10 March 2010. An important feature of all the Round Tables was that apart from faculty members, students also made presentations and interacted with invited scholars.

(v) Wednesday Seminar

The Centre has been organizing a Seminar series on every Wednesday of the week. A list of speakers is provided herewith:

- Dr Pratiksha Baxi, CSLG, JNU on 'Adult Discourses, Childrens' Voices: Ethnographic Accounts of Rape Trials in Ahmedabad, Gujarat (1996-98) on 1 April, 2009.
- Dr Rahul Govind, Fellow, CSDS, on 'The East India Company and the distinguishing of the Political and the Economic: 1689-1821' on 8 April, 2009.
- Dr Prathama Banerjee, Fellow, CSDS, on 'Producing the Political: Debates on Renunciation in turn-of-the-century Bengal' on 15 April, 2009.
- Prof Mahendra Lawoti, Western Michigan University, on 'The Maoist Movement in Nepal: Growth and Trajectories' on 31 July, 2009.
- Ashley Tellis, IIT, Hyderabad, on 'LGBT Politics in India: Problems and Possibilities' on 26 August, 2009.
- Dr Mallarika Sinha Roy, Roskilde University, on 'Magic Moments of Struggle: Womens' Memory of the Naxalbari Movement in West Bengal, India (1967-75)' on 23 September, 2009.
- Dr Paul Bramadat, University of Victoria, on 'Religion and Public Discourse in Canada: Political and Social Issues' on 7 October, 2009.
- Prof. Shobhanlal Datta Gupta, University of Calcutta, on 'Nikolai Bukharin's Prison Manuscripts (1937-38): Its Relevance for 21st Century Marxism' on 14 October, 2009.
- Prof. Sudhir Chandra, on 'Gandhi: Reflections on the Possibility of Collective Non-Violence' on 21 October, 2009.
- Prof Majid Siddiqi on 'In the Making of a Nation: Loyalty Petition, Economic Nationalism and the Colonial State' on 11 November, 2009.
- Dr Dimitrios Giannouloupoulos on 'Criminal Justice in the Age of Security' on 27 January, 2010.
- Prof. Rajani Kannepalli Kanth on 'Questioning Eurocentrism and Modernist Cosmologies: A Conversation with Rajani Kannepalli Kanth' 9 February, 2010.
- Prof. William Sax on 'From Subject to Citizens: Archaic and Modern Politics in Rawain, Uttarakhand' 17 February, 2010.

(iii) Visiting Fellows

- Dibyesh Anand was visiting Fellow at the Centre from 11 to 17 January 2010. He is Reader in International Politics, Westminster University, London. He made a Seminar presentation on 13 January 2010 on the topic "Toward Postcolonial Informal Empires Evolving (Inter) National Politics of China and India".
- As mentioned above Professor Partha Chatterjee, University of Columbia, was Visiting Fellow at the Centre from 7 – 10 March 2010. Apart from the Round Table and special Lecture, Prof Chatterjee spent time in discussions with the faculty.

(iv) The Nirman Foundation

The Nirman Foundation (Courtesy, Professor Bhikhu Parekh) has been supporting three programmes in the Centre.

a) Scholarships to 10 M.A. students at the rate of Rs. 2500/- pm:

The criteria of selecting students are based on,

- Interest in pursuing an academic career with strong motivation.
- Deprivation.

b) The Annual Nirman Foundation Lecture by a well known scholar

- Professor Partha Chatterjee, University of Columbia, delivered the Nirman Foundation Lecture on "Lineages of Political Society" on 10 March, 2010.

c) Best Ph.D. Award for the Ph.D. thesis awarded in the Centre in the prevailing academic year

Hitherto, the Centre has conferred 3 best Ph.D. awards. A Faculty Committee has been selecting the best Ph.D. out of the Ph.D. theses awarded in Political Studies during the previous academic year. The concerned supervisors recommend one or more these done under their supervision for the consideration of the award.

d) The Nirman foundation has agreed to support the travel expenses of an internationally renowned scholar to hold a Round Table on his/her work. This offer has been made from the current year.

(v) Library

The Centre has an excellent departmental library largely equipped from Special Assistance Programme of the UGC. However, there are a number of volumes in this Library that were acquired from major research projects undertaken by the Centre. Under DSA-I programme, a total of 480 books have been purchased during this year.

Centre of Social Medicine and Community Health

The objective of the Centre of Social Medicine and Community Health is to understand the health needs and problems of the Indian people and find workable solutions for them in the existing social structure. This involves an interdisciplinary approach involving disciplines such as sociology, anthropology, psychology, economics, history, politics, demography, statistics, epidemiology and clinical medicine. The interdisciplinary approach is reflected in the composition of the faculty. At present there are eight faculty members, five social scientists and three doctors. The Centre offers two programmes- a Masters in Public Health (MPH/PhD and a Masters in Philosophy (Mphil/PhD).

Conferences organized by the Centre

- Witness Seminar on 'Maternal Mortality in India', in collaboration with the University College of London Organised by Dr. Rajib Dasgupta
- Colloquium on Bt. Brinjal organized by Prof. Mohan Rao with Hazards Centre, 10 March, 2010.

Visitors to the Centre

- Prof. Sarah Hodges, University of Warrick, UK
- Prof. Elizabeth Betsy Hartman, Director, Population and Development Program CLPP, Hampshire College, Amherst, Massachusetts 01002
- Prof. Alaka Basu, University of Cornell, UK

Accomplishment of Students

- Shiela Zurbrigg Prize to Dr. Munish Josh & Ms. Sabina Singh

Any other information

ESRC-UK , Rising Powers Network award January 2010 to Dr. Rama Baru, Dr. Ramila Bisht and Dr. Mohan Rao in collaboration with King's College and London School of Economics, London.

Centre for Studies in Science Policy

Admission to M.Phil./ Ph.D. Programmes

Candidates seeking admission to M.Phil./ Ph.D. programmes in Science Policy Studies could consider pursuing research in areas/ fields such as:

- Science and technology policies including various sectors of economy, S&T in government and S&T policies and development issues in India and other countries;
- Sociological and Historical Studies on S&T; Social shaping of technology; Scientists in laboratories and organizations; Scientific communities and professionalisation of science;
- Economics of technological change and innovation studies; national, sectoral and regional innovation systems; clusters and technological change;
- Technology Futures Analysis; Risk R&D and technology; Technology and hazards including disaster management related to technological change, innovation, methodologies etc;
- Gender issues in S&T;
- Globalisation and new technologies; TNCs, FDI and impact on R&D; International affairs and Relations in S&T for development; Area studies in science and technology policies and Development covering developing and developed countries.

Any Other Information

CSSP Electronic Working Paper Series on S&T Policy and Innovation Studies [ISSN: 0976-2051]

The CSSP Electronic Working Paper Series (EWPS) is intended to explore and debate themes in science, technology and innovation studies. While drawing into active dialogue of leading scholars and practitioners who share similar concerns, this effort will reflect the academic priorities of the CSSP.

Submissions for the CSSPEWPS are expected to provide a state-of-the-art understanding of the theme in question. We also visualise the CSSPEWPS submissions as marking the initial stages for papers or ideas that will potentially find publication in a refereed journal or as an article in a book.

There is a short abstract for each paper and the complete papers are available to download as Adobe Acrobat Portable Document Format (pdf) files.

Papers available are:

CSSPEWPS 1:: How Law Makes Technoscience: The Shaping of Expectations, Actors and Accountabilities in Regenerative Medicine in Europe. Alex Faulkner, King's College London, United Kingdom, March 2010.

CSSPEWPS 2:: Globalisation, Innovation, and Social Capital: Changing Nature of Indo-French S&T Cooperation. Pranav N. Desai, Centre for Studies in Science Policy, Jawaharlal Nehru University, India, April 2010.

Future Plans

Areas of Research proposed to be undertaken during 2009-2012 include:

- Governance in global biomedical innovation: the impact of China and India
- S&T, Dry Agricultural Policies and Sustainable Development
- Foresight Exercise on Earth System Science Innovation System
- Globalization and Internationalisation of R&D and Higher Educational Institutions - Impact on Industry
- Integration of Human Resource Planning and Technological Innovations
- Technology, Environmentalism and Sustainable Development
- Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) and other Regulatory Mechanisms in the Era of 'De-Regulation'

Centre for the Study of the Regional Development

The Centre for the Study of Regional Development started almost four decades ago in 1971 with a mandate to focus on interdisciplinary programme of studies for teaching and research in an overall framework of regional development in India. Over the years, an interdisciplinary team of scholars are engaged in realizing this dream.

It was in March 2004 (w.e.f. April 2003) that the UGC sponsored DSA Phase II programme of the Centre was upgraded as the Centre for Advanced Studies (CAS), the first and the only department in Geography in India to get this status. CAS has enabled us to enhance our teaching and research activities in continuing as well as new areas including building up of infrastructural facilities.

The Centre offers M. A. (Geography) and M. Phil/Ph.D Programmes in three major fields, Economics, Geography and Population Studies. The Centre also offers teaching at the undergraduate level for students enrolled in Five Year Master's Programme in languages from the School of Language, Literature and Culture Studies. In keeping with the interdisciplinary tenor and focus of the Centre, these programmes interface socio-economic, human, institutional, technological, infrastructural and environmental factors with issues of regional development in a multivariuous and pluralistic manner. In doing so, research and teaching in the Centre over the years have evolved appropriate paradigms and tools of analyses including remote sensing and GIS.

The M. A. Geography curricular in the Centre is unique in terms of a judicious mix of courses that combine the classical with the modern and the theoretical with the practical in response to emerging disciplinary challenges, particularly in the Indian context. In keeping with the classical traditions in geography in which fieldwork occupies a prime place, the M. A. students are exposed to two compulsory courses that are exclusively based on field surveys. Apart from getting trained in specific methodologies and gaining first hand field observations – often in rural settings, prolonged group living helps students develop interpersonal skills and harmonious relations. Restructuring of M.Phil and M.A. Programmes is an ongoing process.

The Centre for the Study of Regional Development is one of the largest centres in the School of Social Sciences in the University, both in terms of students and faculty strength with students on the rolls in 2009-10 in various programmes of study and 26 regular faculty members, 2 Emeritus Professors, 3 Honorary Professors and 1 Visiting Faculty. It has a Documentation Centre and 6 laboratories. The Centre is maintaining the School's Computer Unit and has one of the laboratories for computer aided GIS and cartography.

In the year under review i.e. 1 April, 2009 to 31 March, 2010, 15 Ph.D, 51 M.Phil and 35 M. A. degrees were awarded. The M. A. 2nd semester students conducted a field work in Lahul Himalayas during the summer and the M.A 3rd semester students carried out a socio-economic survey in slums of Delhi in winter. The faculty has published 7

books, contributed 20 chapters in books and 39 research articles in the refereed journals. The faculty has completed 09 projects sponsored by various agencies in the review period.

Infrastructural Facilities

The Centre is equipped with a conventional Cartographic Laboratory, Computer-aided Data Processing Laboratory, Remote Sensing and GIS Laboratory; Photogrammetry and Digital Mapping Unit, Geomorphology Laboratory; and a Departmental Library. The Centre has Internet facility available to faculty and students to aid and to facilitate teaching and research.

During the year under the review, the Centre has added audio-visual equipments for teaching. Remote Sensing and GIS Laboratory, the Moonis Raza Memorial Committee Room have been equipped with roof mounted LCDs and computerised screens.

M.Phil/Ph.D Programme

M.Phil/Ph.D. is a continuous programme and students are admitted to the Ph.D programme after they clear M. Phil. in accordance with the provisions of university ordinances. Direct admission to Ph.D programme is also possible provided a student has M. Phil degree or equivalent research experience/publications. Students admitted to direct Ph.D are advised to credit or audit courses relevant to their research topics.

The M.Phil teaching and research programme can be grouped as follows:

- Economics Stream
- Geography Stream
- Population Stream

In each stream, a number of courses are offered by the faculty and they are open to students across various streams. In tune with the Centre's overall approach of taking into account economic, geographical, demographic and other dimensions in dealing with issues of regional development, the courses are interdisciplinary in content. Accordingly, a number of the faculty members are associated in teaching and research activities in more than one stream.

The courses that have been designed over the years for M.Phil/Ph.D. Programme are listed below.

M.Phil/Ph.D

RD 601	:	Introduction to Economic Development
RD 602	:	Regional Economic Analysis
RD 603	:	Element of Indian Regional Structure
RD 604	:	Levels of Regional Development In India
RD 605	:	Fluvial Processes in Geomorphology
RD 606	:	Regional Hydrology
RD 607	:	Regional Geomorphology & Facies Analysis
RD 609	:	Social Factors in Indian Regionalism
RD 612	:	Agriculture in Regional Development
RD 613	:	Industry in Regional Development
RD 614	:	Urbanisation and Regional Development
RD 617	:	Quantitative Methods in Regional Analysis
RD 618	:	Advanced Quantitative Methods in Regional Analysis
RD 624	:	Institution and Agricultural Development

RD 625	:	Introduction to Demographic Methods
RD 626	:	Advanced Method in Demographic Analysis
RD 627	:	Census and Vital Statistics System
RD 628	:	Population Policies and Programme
RD 629	:	Fertility, Mortality and Social Structure
RD 631	:	Population, Urbanization & Migration
RD 632	:	Population, Settlements and Human Ecology
RD 634	:	Labour Force, Employment and Manpower Planing
RD 637	:	Economic growth, Population and Structural change
RD 640	:	Social Indicators of Development with Special Reference to Health and Education
RD 641	:	GIS: Concepts and Methods
RD 645	:	Demographic Change - Mortality And Health
RD 646	:	Gender and Development: Regional Dimension with Special Reference to India
RD 647	:	Agriculture and Natural Resource Management
RD 650	:	Applications in GIS
RD 651	:	Image processing and environmental assessment

Each M.Phil/Ph.D. student is assigned the optional courses by the faculty according to his/her research topic. However, some of the courses are compulsory. Each student is required to do at least one methodology course, particularly in quantitative research. The following courses are part of research methodology that is offered by the Centre.

The following two courses have been approved

RD 539	:	Climate Change
RD 652	:	Agricultural Trade and Trade Policy in a Regional Perspective

Research Methodology Courses

RD 616	:	Introduction to Quantitative Methods in Social Science Research
RD 617	:	Quantitative Methods in Social Science Research
RD 618	:	Advanced Quantitative Techniques
RD 625	:	Introduction to Demographic Methods
RD 626	:	Advanced Methods in Demographic Analysis

b) M.A. Programme in Geography

The M.A programme in Geography consists of 4 semesters spread over 2 years. In addition to other compulsory and a few optional courses, the two compulsory physical and socio-economic field based courses are conducted during the summer and winter vacations respectively. The Centre offers specialization in the following major streams.

- Advanced Techniques
- Agricultural Geography
- Geography of Resources
- Population and Settlement Geography
- Regional Planning and Development

- Social Geography
- Geomorphology
- Remote Sensing and GIS

Specialization streams 1 & 3 were not offered during the year under the review.

The specialisation streams offered in the 4th semester have four papers each of 4 credits. Following is the list of courses designed for M.A. programme over the years.

M.A. (Geography)

- RD 401 : Geomorphology & Pedology with Special Reference to India
- RD 402 : Regional Geography of India
- RD 403 : Economic Geography with Special reference to India
- RD 404 : Quantitative Methods in Geography-I
- RD 405 : History of Geographical Thought
- RD 406 : Human Ecology and Ecosystem
- RD 407 : Climatology and Biogeography with special reference to India
- RD 408 : West Germany Industrial Regions
- RD 409 : North American Manufacturing Belt
- RD 410 : Tibet: A Meso Regional Study
- RD 411 : South-East Asia
- RD 412 : Ethiopia: Meso Regional Study
- RD 413 : Field Survey Methods (Socio-Economic)
- RD 414 : Japan: A Meso Regional Study
- RD 415 : Field Survey Methods (Physical)
- RD 416 : European Union: A Meso Regional Study
- RD 501 : Hydrology and Oceanography
- RD 502 : Levels of Regional Development in India
- RD 503 : Regional Development
- RD 504 : Social Geography with Special Reference to India
- RD 505 : Population and Settlement Geography with Special Reference to India
- RD 506 : Quantitative Methods in Geography
- RD 507 : Historical Geography with Special Reference to India
- RD 508 : Socio-Cultural Dimensions of Regionalisation in India
- RD 509 : Geography of Social Well-being with Special Reference to India
- RD 510 : Regional Disparities in Educational Development in India
- RD 511 : Urbanization and Migration
- RD 512 : Geography of Central Places
- RD 513 : Demography & Population Geography
- RD 514 : Geography of Rural Settlements

- RD 515 : Natural Resources and Environmental Concerns of Indian Agriculture
- RD 516 : Agricultural Geography with Special Reference to India
- RD 517 : Agricultural Economics
- RD 518 : Mineral & Marine Mineral Resources
- RD 520 : Remote Sensing Techniques and Applications
- RD 521 : Explanations in Geography
- RD 522 : Advanced Quantitative Methods in Geography
- RD 523 : Advanced Cartographic Techniques in Geography
- RD 524 : Landform Geography
- RD 525 : Fluvial Processes in Geomorphology
- RD 526 : Transport in Regional Analysis
- RD 527 : Regional Economics and Regionalisation
- RD 528 : Regional Development & Planning in India
- RD 529 : Process of Urbanization and Urban Planning
- RD 530 : Political Geography with Special Reference to India
- RD 531 : Regional Aspects of Rural Development in India
- RD 532 : Population and Environment
- RD 533 : Micro Regional Planning
- RD 534 : Introduction to Remote Sensing and Geographical Information System
- RD 535 : Introduction to GIScience
- RD 536 : Principals of Remote Sensing
- RD 537 : Spatial Analysis and Information Extraction
- RD 538 : Techniques of Cartography and Visualisation
- RD 539 : Climate Change

c) Undergraduate Programme

The Centre offers courses at the undergraduate level meant for students who are registered for the integrated five years Master's Programme in the School of Languages, Literature and Culture Studies of the University. Apart from a general coverage of the fundamental aspects of Physical and Human geography, the courses are geared to specific needs of students coming with different language backgrounds. The courses offered are:

Undergraduate Courses

- RD 201 : Elements of Physical Geography (Monsoon)
- RD 202 : Principles of Human Geography (Winter)
- RD 203 : Cartography and Map Work (Monsoon)
- RD 204 : Regional Geography of East Asia (Winter)

Each course listed above carries a credit value of 3.0. Generally, a student is required to enroll in one course each semester. Further, a student is required to do a minimum of 4 courses.

Students: Admitted and Enrolled

a. M.A., M.Phil/Ph.D. and Undergraduate (Fresh Registration during the review year)

M. A.	49
M.Phil/Ph.D	63
a. Geography	23
b. Population	21
c. Economics	19
d. Undergraduate	52

b. Total Students M.A, M.Phil/Ph.D. and Undergraduate

M. A.	85
M.Phil/Ph.D	285
Undergraduate	114

Registered Students

M. A.

Semester	Batch	Number of students	% Students with financial support
Winter 2009	MA II	55	32.72
	MA IV	42	25.45
Monsoon 2009	MA I*	55	32.72
	MA III	42	25.45

Note: *- Fresh admissions in M.A. Programme in 2008.

M.Phil/Ph.D.

Semester	Batch	Number of students	% Students with financial support
Winter 2009	M.Phil-II	71	100%
	M.Phil-IV	71	-- do --
Monsoon 2009	M.Phil-I*	71	---
	M.Phil-III	69	---

Note: *- Fresh admissions in M.Phil/Ph.D. Programme in 2009.

V) Remedial Courses in CSR

The Centre for the Study of Regional Development offers remedial courses to bring those who find themselves inadequately equipped to deal with course work at par with others. The remedial courses were conducted for two categories of students (a) 22 students were advised to attend remedial classes in the school of languages, (b) the centre level remedial classes were taken for the following courses.

- 16 students from M.Phil (Economic and Geography streams) attended quantitative techniques.
- 8 students attended in economic geography.
- 6 students attended M.Phil (Geography).

In all these courses, 4 students assisted in running these courses. Out of these only one research student was paid while other three were fellowship holders.

Student Faculty Committee (SFC)

Student faculty committee is a forum for periodic joint discussions on issues of academic and other related concerns and resolutions. Matters relating to evaluations are outside the purview of SFC.

Events Organised by the Centre

Lecture

The sixth Moonis Raza Memorial lecture was delivered by Prof. Mirmal Miri (Former Director, Centre for Advance Studies Shimla; Vice-Chancellor N-Eastern Hill University, Shillong and currently National fellow of Indian Council of Philosophical Research) on Education and Tribes of India on 6 November, 2009. Prof. R. Kumar (Rector II) chaired the session. In his deliberation, the speaker emphasised on the need of a pluralistic and inclusive approach for imparting education. This was different from the unitary model of education that has been advocated by the educational planner of the country. Prof. B.S. Butola organised the lecture.

Training Programme

The Centre organised a one week residential training programme for in-service senior level ISS officers on “Development Economics and Indian Scenario” from 23 – 27 November, 2009. The programme was sponsored by the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation. Eminent experts in the subject were invited to address the participants and deliver lectures on pertinent issues. Dr. Deepak K. Mishra, and Dr. Seema Bathla coordinated the course.

Workshops

The Centre organised workshop on “Representation of Geographic Data” on 21-22 January, 2010. The scholars involved were Prof. Strobl, University of Salzburg, Austria, Major General Girish Kumar (CEO, DSEDI, New Delhi), Dr. Shahnawaz, Dr. Salzburg University, Austria and Dr. Raja Sengupta, McGill University, Canada. Dr. Milap Punia coordinated the workshop.

Seminars/Talks

The Centre initiated and organised several seminars and talks during the year. These have been supported by the CAS UGC.

- Talk on ‘Geopolis and Indiapolis: GIS Perspective’ by Drs. Eic Denis and Kamala Marius-Granou, French Institute, Puducherry, 11 August, 2009.
- Seminar on ‘National Food Security Act: Challenges and Policy Options’ by Biraj Patnaik, Principal Advisor, Commissioners to Supreme Court on Right to Food Case, and Dr. Suman Sahai, Convenor, Gene Campaign, 11 September, 2009. The seminar was chaired by Prof. R. S. Srivastava. It aimed to assess the UPA government’s commitment to the Right to Food, which has opened up a new arena in the civic society regarding the content of the bill.
- A lecture on theme on ‘Evaluation and Comparisons of Geomorphic Theories and Scales’ by Prof. Savindra Singh, 18 November, 2009.
- Talk on ‘Economic Geography and Migration’ by faculty and research scholars, Stockholm University, Sweden, 24 November, 2009.

- Talk on 'Global Muslim Population and Reproductive Health Behaviour of Muslim Women in South Asia: An Assessment Based on Pakistan Data' by Prof. Mehtab S. Karim, Professor, School of Public Policy, George Mason University, Washington, USA, 25 January, 2010.
- Talk on 'Forest Management and Community Participation: A Case Study of Uttarakhand, by Dr. Dinesh Pratap, Visiting Fellow, CSRD, 12 February, 2010.
- A lecture on theme on 'Integrated Glaciological Research on Dokriani Glacier, Garhwal Himalaya' by Dr. D.P. Dobhal, 17 February, 2010.
- Talk on 'Towards New Poverty Lines for India', by Dr. Himanshu, Assistant Professor, Centre for Study of Regional Development, Jawaharlal Nehru University, 19 February 2010.
- Talk on 'Inequality in China: New Findings from China Household Survey' by Prof. Xue Jinjun, Economic Research Centre, Graduate School of Economics, Nagoya University, Japan, 4 March, 2010.
- Talk on 'Eco Systems of Northern India, the Commons and the Law' by Dr. Minoti Chakravarty-Kaul, Foundations for Common Lands in India, 12 March, 2010.

Visiting Fellow in Residence

Prof Stuart Corbridge, Head, Development Studies Institute, (London School of Economics and Political Science, United Kingdom) visited the Centre during March, 2010 as visiting Professor. During his stay, Prof. Corbridge gave a series of lectures in Development Studies. He delivered a special lecture on "The (Im) possibility of Development Studies" on 5 March at the School of Arts and Aesthetics Auditorium. The public lecture was part of his visit to the Centre for Study of Regional Development as a visiting scholar under the UGC Centre for Advanced Studies Programme of the centre. The public lecture was preceded by a series of lectures in the centre on various issues of development in an inter-disciplinary framework, which were attended by the faculty and the students.

Centre for the Study of Social Systems

The Centre for the Study of Social Systems (CSSS) was established in 1971 for undertaking teaching and research in a comparative perspective in the two basic areas of sociology: (1) social structures and (2) social processes. The Centre was established to encourage interdisciplinary approach to the study of social systems taking into consideration social, economic, political, and religious and other such sub-systems. The mandate was to evolve comparative perspectives for studying the social system and its sub-systems at both macro and micro levels. In pursuance of its mandate, the faculty, students and research staffs of the Centre have, over the years, made valuable contributions in the following thrust areas:

- Sociology of Modernization and Development
- Sociology of Professions and Professionalisation
- Sociology of Social Stratification
- Sociology of Social Movements and Social Mobilization
- Studies of Marginalized Groups, Minorities and Dalits
- Sociology of Tribes and Ethnicity
- Sociology of Education
- Sociology of Knowledge
- Sociology of Gender and Gender Relations
- Sociology of the Indian Diaspora
- Sociology of Religion, and
- Culture Studies

Teaching and research programmes of the Centre are organized around studies in theories and methods, on one hand, and analysis of structures and processes of social systems on the other. Interdisciplinary orientation is reflected in structure as well as contents of the courses offered at both M.A. and M.Phil levels. Courses at the M.A. level seek to combine theoretical and methodological concerns with the study of the substantive issues relating to Indian society. At the M.Phil. level, emphasis is laid on the comparative and interdisciplinary perspectives. Both at the M.A. and M.Phil. levels, the Centre offers a wide range of optional courses. A large number of students from other Centres and Schools of the University also register for these courses. In addition, the Centre has been offering two optional courses in Sociology/Social Anthropology for the undergraduate students of School of Languages, Literature and Cultural Studies.

Conferences Seminars/Workshops organized by the faculty of the Centre

- 'Higher Education among Dalits in Post-Independent India', organized by Prof. Nandu Ram, 6-7 December, 2009.
- 'National Seminar on Electoral Reforms', JNU, during, 18-19 July, 2009 organized by Prof. Anand Kumar.
- 'Hind Swaraj: A Multidisciplinary Dialogue,' CSSS, JNU, organized by Prof. Anand Kumar, New Delhi, 19 November, 2009.
- National seminar on 'Social Research on North-East India: Issues and Challenges' organized by Prof. Tiplut Nongbri and Dr. Nilika Mehrotra under North-East India Studies Programme (NEISP), during SSS, JNU, 25-26 February, 2010
- International Symposium on 'Inter-Cultural Dialogue between North-East India and South-East Asia' for NEISP in collaboration with Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts at IGNCA, New Delhi during-, 17-20 March, 2010 organized by Prof. Tiplut Nongbri with Dr. Nilika Mehrotra and Dr. Bimol Akoijam.
- Workshop on 'Representing Women in Art and Politics, organized by Prof. Susan Visvanathan during 23 March, 2010.
- '32nd Refresher Course in Sociology' at the Academic Staff College, J.N.U. Organized by Dr. Renuka Singh during 2-26 March, 2010.
- Penal discussion on Healing Holidays: Of Wellness, Cure and Therapeutic Pluralism,' at the 50th anniversary conference of the Society of Medical Anthropology (SMA) at Yale University, USA, organised by Dr. Harish Naraindas during 24 - 27 September, 2009.
- Prof. T.K. Oommen (Professor Emeritus) Seventh H.L.Parwana Memorial Lecture on "The Trajectory of Labour Movement in India : From the Colonial Era to the Global Age" 8 September, 2009 (delivered by Prof. T.K Oommen) organized by Dr. A. Bimol Akoijam.
- 'Levi Strauss: Theory and Methodology' organised by Dr. G. Srinivas 6 March, 2010.
- Ph.D. Research Scholars' Seminar organized by Dr. G. Srinivas during 4-6 March, 2010.

In addition, following weekly seminars were organised at the Centre for which Prof. Rowena Robinson, Dr. Nilika Mehrotra, Dr. A. Bimol Akoijam & Dr. G. Srinivas were the coordinators.

- Prof. Pier Luigi Luisi, "University of Rome Science and Spirituality," 2 April, 2009.
- Panelists-Prof. Ravi Vasudevan, Historian & Film Scholar, Senior Fellow, CSDS & Dr. A. Bimol Akoijam, on "Politics of Modernity and Popular Cinema : Idioms of Nation- Building" (Panel discussion) during 22 April, 2009.
- Dr. Priyadarshini Vijaisri, Associate Fellow, CSDS, "Writing Outcaste Pasts: Rethinking Boundary" on 13 August, 2009.
- Prof. Ehasanul Haq, CSSS/SSS/JNU, "Cultural Interpretations of Child Birth" 20 August, 2009
- Dr. Uday Balakrishnan (Member, Postal Life Insurance & Chairman, Investment Board Postal Services Board) on "Indian Lessons : Gender and Workplace" on 27 August, 2009

- Dr. Vivek Kumar, "Dalit Movement in Contemporary India" on 3 September, 2009.
- Prof. Susan Visvanathan "Ecology, Town Planning and Legal Questions" on 17 September, 2009.
- Dr. Mallarika Sinha Roy, Post Doctoral Fellow, Department of Society and Globalisation Roskilde University, Roskilde, Denmark on, "Magic Moments of Struggle : Women's Memories of the Naxalbari Movement in West Bengal 1967-1975" on 24 September, 2009.
- Prof. Dennis Smith, Professor of Sociology Department of Social Sciences, Loughborough University, on "Resentment of Power and the Power of Resentment", on 8 October, 2009.
- Prof. Helene Basu, Professor of Social Anthropology, Westfaelische-Willhelms University Muenster, on "Drugs & Prayers" 29 October, 2009.
- Dr. V. Sujatha, on, "Who is the Knower in Sociological Inquiry? Debate between the Siddha Philosopher and the Sociologist", on 5 November, 2009.
- Prof. Bradley R.Hertel, Formerly with Virginia Tech University, USA on "Indian Calendar Art: Origins and Recent Development" on 12 November, 2009.
- Ms. Malini Awasthi, Folk Exponent and ICCR Fellow on "Understanding Labour Through Folk Songs", on 19 November, 2009.
- Prof. Helen Lambert, Medical Anthropologist (University of Bristol) on "Wrestling with Tradition: Subalternity and Medical Knowledge at the Margins of the State" on 14 January, 2010.
- Prof. Vijaya Ramaswamy, Centre for Historical Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, on "Goddess Mattamma Renuka: A Chandala- Brahmin Symbiosis", 21 January, 2010.
- Prof. Tiplut Nongbri, on "Christianity, Colonialism and Tribes with special reference to North East India", on 28 January, 2010.
- Arima Mishra, Faculty, Department of Sociology, Delhi University, on "Is this healthy? Engaging with the discourse on lifestyle", on 4 February, 2010.
- Prof. Nandini Sundar (DU), Mr. Akshaya Mukul (TOI), on "Journalistic Enquiry and Sociological Research", on 6 February, 2010.
- Prof. Rajesh Gill, Panjab University, Chandigarh on "Seeking Community Among Individuals: The Contemporary Predicament", on 9 February, 2010.
- Dr. Scott Kugle, Scholar in Islamic Studies, on "A Sociological Approach to Sufism", on 10 February, 2010.
- Dr. Irfan Ahmad, Lecturer in Politics, Monash University on "Culture and Critique", on 11 February, 2010.
- Dr. Sylvie Fainzang, Director of Research (National Institute of Health and Medical Research) and Member (CERMES), on "The Imprint of Religious Culture on the use of Pharmaceuticals and Medical Prescriptions", on 18 February, 2010.
- Prof. Paramjit Singh Judge, Professor of Sociology, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar, on "Economic Development and Social Transformation", on 24 February, 2010.
- Prof. Paramjit Singh Judge, Professor of Sociology, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar, on "Naxalite Movement and its Construction of India's Freedom", on 2 March, 2010.
- Prof. Yogendra Singh, Emeritus Professor, Prof. JPS Uberoi, (formerly Professor of Sociology, Delhi University), Prof. Tiplut Nongbri, and Dr. K.V. Cybil, Research Associate, Sociology Department, DU, on "Understanding Theory and Methodology of Levi Strauss" on 6 March, 2010.
- Dr. Shipla Deshpande, President ICICI, Centre for Child Health and Nutrition, on "Of Participation, Communities and Health: The case of Community Health Workers in India", on 11 March, 2010.
- Dr. V. Janardhan, Department of Sociology, University of Hyderabad, on "Industrial Sociology : An Overview of the system of Industrial Relations" on 17 March, 2010

- Dr. V. Janardhan, Department of Sociology, University of Hyderabad, on “Telangana: A Sociological Assessment” on 19 March, 2010.
- Dr. Bhargavi V. Davar, Director, Bapu Trust for Research on Mind and Discourse, Pune, on “Legal and Social systems Impinging on Lives of Persons Living with a Mental Illness”, on 22 March, 2010.
- Prof. K. Madavane, Mr. Benoy Behl, Prof. H.S. Shivprakash, Ms. Ratna Raman, Ms. Archana Verma, on “Representation of Women in Art and Politics” on 23 March, 2010.
- Dr. Hudita Nura Mustafa, School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London, on “Practising Beauty: Gender and Urbanism in Senegal”, on 25 March, 2010.
- Prof. Alok Rai, Department of English, Delhi University, Dr. Krishnaswamy Nachimuthu, Prof. of Tamil, CIL, JNU, Prof. Ajit K. Mohanty, ZHCES, SSS, JNU, on “Language and Nationhood: Problems and Perspectives”, on 29 March, 2010.

Visitors to the Centre

- Prof. Boike Rehbein, Humburg University, Berlin, Germany from 16 – 31 December, 2009.
- Prof. Jan Scholte, Centre for Regionalization and Globalization Studies, Warwick University, UK from 11 – 15 January, 2010.
- Prof. Paramjit Judge, Department of Sociology, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar from 21 February – 7 March, 2010.
- Prof. Rajesh Gill, Department of Sociology, Panjab University, Chandigarh from 8 – 12 February, 2010.
- Dr. V. Janardhan, Department of Sociology, University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad from 14 – 21 March, 2010.
- Dr. V. Bhargavi, Bapu Trust, Pune from 15 – 31 March, 2010.

Accomplishment of Students

- The Centre confers a cash award of Rs.5000/- and a certificate every year to the topper of the M.A. Sociology, which was instituted by Prof. T.K. Oommen, Professor Emeritus in 2003. This year the cash award was conferred on Ms. Bhommika Joshi who secured the highest CGPA.
- Ms. Sipra Sagarika, an M.A. student of the Centre was conferred Letter of Appreciation by the Gender Sensitization Committee against Sexual Harassment of the University for contributing the best entry for the Essay Competition.

Any other important information

The Centre has been enriched by the CAS Library. The library, even though modest in size, is perpetually evolving, and attracts teachers as well as students for its splendid collection of books relating to contemporary sociological theory, and to emerging areas of social research. Currently, the Library has a collection of approximately 2900 books purchased under DSA/CAS Programmes. The Centre also maintains, with Dr. Ambedkar Chair, a collection of books on Ambedkar’s thought and philosophy, as well as on dalits and minorities.

The UGC has selected the Centre under CAS Programme and has sanctioned a grant of Rs.59.50 lakhs for five years to strengthen the infrastructure and other aspects of the Centre. The Centre has also entered into a special collaborative programme with Institute for Sociology, Albert Ludwigs, University (Freiburg, Germany), and Kwazulu Natal University (Durban, South Africa) w.e.f. 2002. The seventh batch under Global Studies Programme, having 29 students from various countries including Australia, Canada, South Africa, Turkey, Germany, Mexico, Bosnia, UK, USA, Japan, Ecuador, Bangladesh, Iceland, Brazil, Argentina, South Korea, Italy, Guatemala and China, arrived in January 2009 and completed their semester in the Centre.

Dr. Ambedkar Chair in Sociology, which was set up in 1992 by Dr. Ambedkar Foundation, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India, New Delhi, is continuing in the Centre. It has brought out the collection of Dr. Ambedkar Memorial Annual Lectures in the book form – titled Ambedkar, Dalits and Buddhism.

Future Plans

Besides hoping to see the completion of some of the recent projects that individual faculty members are conducting in the thrust areas of the Centre, CSSS hopes to strengthen institutional collaboration through joint discussions and seminars on themes of mutual interests to the participating institutions. Talks are already under way with some like minded institutions towards this end.

Zakir Husain Centre for Educational Studies

Zakir Husain Centre for Educational Studies (ZHCES) studies education from an inter-disciplinary perspective. Inter-disciplinarity has rendered its M. Phil./ Ph. D. programme unique and distinct as compared to the other departments/ faculties of education in the university system. The focus of the M.Phil./Ph.D. programme has been on the challenges education faces in the contemporary world. The Centre has been offering an entirely restructured M.Phil/Ph.D programme for the last two academic years. The programme was restructured in 2006-07 to incorporate new developments in the field of educational studies with a greater emphasis on interdisciplinarity.

The Centre makes a major departure from the existing conceptualization of 'education'. It seeks to provide a broad based definition of education and situate it within the social sciences. The students are given an interdisciplinary training in educational research while they are expected to remain rooted in their respective discipline in social sciences: History, Sociology, Psychology and Economics. Thus, the agenda was to break fresh ground and yet not to move too far away from the basic training.

The M.Phil/Ph.D. programme offers specialization in education around four disciplines, namely, sociology, history, psychology and economics. However, while admitting students with background in history, economics, sociology and psychology, those with training in education, other allied social sciences and natural sciences are also considered for admission.

The restructured M Phil programme is given below.

The Course Structure of the M. Phil/ Ph.D. Programme

Semester	Course Number	Course Title	Compulsory/Optional	Credits
First Semester	ZH661	Research Methods I	Compulsory	2
	ZH662	Education in India: Social Science Perspectives	Compulsory	4
	ZH664	Sociology of Education	A student is expected to take one discipline which is his/her subject at the Master's level discipline or any one of the four if his/her discipline is not covered in one of these disciplines. This subject becomes a major subject for a student to specialise for future research.	4
	ZH663	Psychology of Education: Socio-cultural and Developmental Perspectives History of Education		
	ZH666	Economics of Education		
ZH665				

Semester	Course Number	Course Title	Compulsory/Optional	Credits
Second Semester	ZH681	Research Methods II	Compulsory	2
	ZH683	Introduction to Sociology of Education	2 out of the four courses. A student has to opt for the disciplines outside his/her major discipline	2x2=4
	ZH682	Psychological Foundations of Education		
	ZH684	History of Education		
	ZH685	Economic Foundations of Education Seminar Course (A Basket of Courses in every discipline)*	One Course out of the Basket	2
Third and Fourth Semesters		DISSERTATION		8
Total Credits				26

*The basket courses introduced in 2007 are:

- ZH 751 : Economic Policy in Education
- ZH 752 : International Migration and Skilled Diasporas
- ZH753 : Educational Thought in Modern India
- ZH754 : Changing Conceptions of the Modern University
- ZH755 : Culture, Cognition and Mathematics
- ZH756 : Advanced Qualitative Research Methods
- ZH757 : Gender and Education
- ZH758 : Education and Diversity in Multicultural Societies
- ZH759 : Multilingualism and Education
- ZH760 : Cultural Psychology

The Centre is also offering the following three courses for M.A. (Optional) for 4th Semester students only which can be credited by students admitted to M.A. level in any Centre in the School.

- Social Theory of Science
- Science and Society in Colonial South Asia
- Medical Knowledge, Institutions and Practices

The Faculty

Historians, Psychologists, Economists and Sociologists come together under the banner of the M.Phil/Ph.D. programme in Educational Studies to study education from a social science perspective, and prepare students and research scholars for the next generation. There are presently ten faculty members in the ZHCES, including Professor Tapas Majumdar who has been Professor Emeritus at the Centre till his death recently.

Students

There are 62 registered students at the Centre. In 2009-10, 23 students were admitted to the M.Phil./Ph.D. Programme and 1 to the Direct Ph.D. Programme. M.Phil dissertations were submitted by 16 students and 6 students submitted their Ph.D. theses. Sixteen students were awarded M.Phil. degree and 6 completed their doctorate during the year.

Centre Programme

The Department of Special Assistance

Recognising the contribution to Educational Studies, the Centre has been awarded the status of Department of Special Assistance (for continuation at the level of DSA Phase III) under the Special Assistance Programme (SAP) by the UGC based on the recommendation of the Expert Committee constituted by the Commission. The Review Committee Meeting was held on 20 October, 2008. Prof. Ajit K. Mohanty has been recommended by the Review Committee to be the Coordinator of the Programme. The broad theme identified under the DSA as a research area is Education, Cultural Diversity and Globalisation. The thrust areas identified are (i) Equity, diversity and Education Policy in a Globalising World, (ii) Culture, Cognition and Schooling, (iii) Privatisation, Globalisation and International Migration and, (iv) Meta Theories of Knowledge. The common thread that weaves these thrust areas together is the study of the dynamics of educational policy formation and implementation in the face of the changing character of knowledge and institutions in the contemporary world from an emerging range of interdisciplinary perspectives. The canvas, thus, remains broad and its different aspects would be reflected in class-room teaching, research, dissertation themes, seminars and the research projects to be undertaken by the Centre's faculty. The areas reiterate the Centre's passion, commitment and growing strength in interdisciplinary teaching and research.

The ASI HSS Programme

The University Grants Commission awarded financial support to the Centre under the *Assistance for Strengthening of the Infrastructure of the Humanities and the Social Sciences (ASIHSS) programme* in April 2006. Under the programme, the Centre has received a non-recurring grant of Rs. 21 lakhs and Rs 2.2 lakh as recurring for a period of five years.

Under the Programme, Education Policy Studies (EPS) is identified to be the thrust area. It was envisioned that EPS will be a multi-disciplinary programme of educational research that would focus on the theoretical context of policy making and the processes that underlie its mediation through institutional structures and the manner in which it influences the routine of school/higher education. It was felt that research in this area would need to be located within the concerns of equity, diversity, and opportunity with specific attention to 'local' and 'global' aspirations that exert increasing influence on education policy in the context of a globalising world. A position of Professor in Educational Policy Studies has also been given to the Centre under the ASI HSS Programme for five years.

Among the several activities supported by the Programme two are worth mentioning. The first involved the organization of a two-day National Seminar on 'Education Policy and Practice: Emerging Scenarios' during March 13-14, 2009. The second was a semester long lecture series organised for the Education in India course of the M.Phil./Ph.D. Programme (the details of which are given below).

Seminars/Conferences/Lectures organized by the Centre

Education in India - Lecture Series

- To complement the course on Education in India: Social Science Perspectives, lectures were organised every week of the Monsoon Semester 2009-2010 on different issues being discussed in the course. The lectures given by scholars under the Education in India Lecture Series are given below:
- Dr. Arshad Alam, Centre for Jawaharlal Nehru Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia: 'Understanding Contemporary Madrasa Education', September 24, 2009.
- Dr. Arshad Alam, Assistant Professor, Centre for Jawaharlal Nehru Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, Delhi, Understanding Contemporary Madrasas, 9 February, 2010

- Dr. Benjamin Zachariah, Department of History, University of Sheffield, U.K. & Zentrum Moderner Orient, Berlin, The Developmental Imagination and the Making of an Indian State, 17 February, 2010
- Prof. Lorraine Daston, Director, Max Planck Institute for the History of Science, Berlin, Futures Present: Science and the Political Imagination, 26 February, 2010
- Dr. Saumen Chattopadhyay, Associate Professor, Zakir Husain Centre for Educational Studies Jawaharlal Nehru University, Education in Union Budget 2010-11, 23 March, 2010
- Prof. Tripathi, R.C, Ex Director, G.B. Pant Social Science Institute & Head and Professor, Department of Psychology, Univ. of Allahabad, Does Education Free?: Some Unexplained Findings from Rural Settings, 26 March, 2010
- Prof. Tripathi, R.C, Ex Director, G.B. Pant Social Science Institute & Head and Professor, Dept of Psychology, University of Allahabad, Ideological Frames and Reactions to Norm Violations, 30 March, 2010

Other Lectures delivered at the Centre

- Dr. Patricia Sarah Barton, Research Fellow, Centre for the Social History of Health and Healthcare, Department of History, Univ. of Strathclyde, Glasgow, on the Drug Standards and Scientific Knowledge; R.N. Chopra on Quest for Drug Safety in the 1930s, 19 August, 2009
- Prof. Yogendra Singh, Professor Emeritus, Centre for the Study of Social Systems (CSSS) Jawaharlal Nehru University, on Social Change and Educational Policies: Contemporary Crisis, 2 September, 2009
- Dr. Anit Mukherjee, Fellow, National Institute for Public Finance and Policy (NIPFP), New Delhi, on From Outlays to Outcomes: Fund Flows and Expenditure in SSA (Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan), 9 September, 2009
- Prof. Rabindra Ray, Department of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi Delhi, on The Purpose of Higher Education, 27 October, 2009
- Prof. Bruce V. Lewenstein, Cornell University, USA, on How do Science Books Drive Public Discussions? Trust and Authority in the United States, 1945-2000, 5 November, 2009
- Prof. Eija Kimonen, University of Jyväskylä, Finland, on Teacher Professionalism in Comparative Context, 24 November, 2009
- Dr. Peter Garrett, Senior Lecturer, Cardiff School of English Communication and Philosophy Cardiff University, on Attitude to International Varieties of English, 7 January, 2010
- Dr. Biswamoy Pati, Associate Professor, Department of History, University of Delhi, on 'Educating Tribes' in Contemporary Orissa, 27 January, 2010
- Dr. Joseph Bara, Educational Record Research Unit, Jawaharlal Nehru University, on Gandhi's "Basic" Idea and Post-Colonial Ripples in Indian Education 1909-1964, 19 January, 2010
- Prof Sujata Mukherjee, Professor of History and Director, Centre for Gandhian Studies Rabindra Bharati University, Kolkata, on 'Institutionalisation of Western Medicine and Indigenous Response in Colonial India, 3 February, 2010
- Prof Sujata Mukherjee, Professor of History and Director, Centre for Gandhian Studies Rabindra Bharati University, Kolkata, on 'Medical Training for Women; Genesis and Social Impact' 10 February, 2010

PROGRAMMES OF STUDIES

Archives on Contemporary History of India

- The Archives on Contemporary History was set up on 1 December, 1970 by the decision of the Executive Committee of the Jawaharlal Nehru University as an adjunct of the School of Social Sciences. The Archives, which was initially a repository of materials on Left, Popular and National Movements in India, started with the valuable personal collection of late Shri P.C. Joshi. Over the years, it has been considerably enriched by

materials acquired from varied sources. At present the Archives is located in a wing of the library of the University. The present Chairperson joined on 1 September, 2007.

- The Archives has purchased 38 Books/Pamphlets this year as listed below:
 - The Long Partition and the Making of Modern South Asia by Vazira Fazila-Yacoobali Zamindar, Penguin, 2007.
 - Pathway to India's Partition by Bimal Prasad, Manohar, 2009.
 - Agrarian Crisis in India by D. Narasimha Reddy and Srijit Mishra, OUP, 2009.
 - Destination Communism by Hanumantha Rao, Prajasakti, 2000.
 - Secularism Versus Communalism by Sita Ram Yechury, Prajasakti, 2008.
 - Socialism in a Changing World, Sita Ram Yechury, Prajasakti, 2008.
 - CPI XX Party Congress Documents by P.K.Vasudevan Nair Nagar, CPI Publication, 2008.
 - Report on Current Development (adopted at January 8-10, 2009 Meeting at the Central Committee if CPI (M), 2009.
 - Review of the 15th Lok Sabha Election (adopted by Central Committee at its Meeting on 20-21 June 2009, CPI (M) Publication, 2009.
 - Constitution and the Rules under the Constitution, CPI (M) Publication, 2009.
 - CPM Election Manifesto, 15th Lok Sabha, CPI (M) Publication, 2009.
 - Samrajyawad Naya Aur Purana by Prabhat Patnaik, Lok Prakashan Grah, 2000.
 - Che a Memoir by Fidel Castro, Leftword, 2006.
 - India Analysed by Sudhir Kakar, OUP, 2009.
 - Nationalist Movement in India by Sekhar Bandyopadhyay, OUP, 2009.
 - Violence, Martyrdom and Partition by Nonika Datta, OUP, 2009.
 - Redefining Humanism by Srobona Munshi, Tulika, 2009.
 - On Socialism by Irfan Habib, Tulika, 2009 (Two Copies)
 - The World of Ideas in Modern Marathi, G.P. Deshpande, Tulika, 2009.
 - Socialist Register 2010 by Leo Panitch and Colin Leys, Letword, 2009.
 - Global Capitalist Crisis: A Marxist Perspective by Sita Ram Yechury, P.D. Publication, 2009.
 - Debating Education, Sahmat, 2009. (Pamphlet).
 - Report on Political Development, October 23-25, 2009, CPI (M) Publication, 2009.
 - Against Maoist Violence, CPI (M) Publication, 2009. (Pamphlets).
 - Defeat this Politics of Violence, CPI (M) Publication, 2009. (Pamphlets).
 - Against Globalization and for TU Rights, CPI Publication, 2008. (Pamphlets).
 - Glorious Saga of May Day Martyrs by William Addman, CITU Publication, 2009.
 - Labour Markets and Employment in Asia by A.N. Sharma and R.P. Mamgain, Daanish Books, 2009.
 - Labour Matters Towards Global Histories by M. Van der Linden, Tulika Publication, 2009.
 - Child Labour and the Right to Education in South Asia by Naila Kabeer, Geeta Nambissan, Ramya Subramanian, Tulika Publication, 2009.
 - History of Modern India by Bipan Chandra, Orient Black Swan, 2010.
 - Gandhi is Gone-who will Guide Us Now? By Nehru, Prasad, Azad Vinoba, Kriplani, J.P. and Others, ed. by Gopalkrishna Gandhi, Permanent Black, 2009.

- The Life and Times of Gora by Mark Lindly forwarded by Mridula Mukherjee, Popular Prakashan, 2009.
- Gandhi in His Time and Ours by David Hardimal, Popular Prakashan, 2009.
- Farmers Suicide – Facts and Possible Policy Interventions by Meeta and Rajivlochan, YASDA, 2007.
- Naxalbari Before and After by Sunil Kumar Ghosh, NAPL, 2008.
- Partition of India by Ian Talbot & Guruharpal Singh, Cambridge University Press, 2009.
- My Life is My Message, Vol. I – IV by Narayan Desai, Orient Black Swan, 2009.
- The Archives continues to subscribe the following Newspapers and Periodicals:
 - The Hindu (English Daily)
 - Hindustan Times (English Daily)
 - The Telegraph (English Daily)
 - Chintha (Malayalam) Weekly
 - Ganashakti (Bengali) Daily
 - Prajashakti (Telugu) Daily
 - Theekkathir (Tamil) Daily
 - Nawan Zamana (Punjabi) Daily
 - Desh Sewak (Punjabi) Daily
 - New Age (Weekly)
 - People’s Democracy (Weekly)
 - Red Star (Monthly)
 - Liberation (Monthly)
 - Mainstream (Weekly)
- During this period 218 scholars from various institutions within the country and abroad have consulted the Archives. Their research topics include: Biography of P.C. Joshi, Soviet Communist Party, Malayalam Newspapers, On EMS, On Naxalite Movements and CPI, Political Prisoners, M.N. Roy, Towards Freedom, History of CPI, Folk Songs, History of Communist Movements, Government of Kerala 1951-59, Women in Punjabi Theater, Bharat Mai Krantikari Andolan Ki Baicharic Vikas Yatra aur Bhagat Singh Ka Chintan, Position of Women in India, Hindu Muslim Relations, Nandigram, Women Writing in India, Women and Social Movements, CPI(M) and Caste, Meerut Conspiracy Case (MCC), Communist Movements, Kashmir Conflict, Telengana Armed Struggle, Maoist Insurgency in India and Mining Society, Chipko Andolan, On Kumaun and Garwal, On Trade Union, Nationalist Movement in India 1942 etc.
- The Fourteenth P.C. Joshi Memorial Lecture on the theme, “**Sunil Janah, Photographer - P.C. Joshi and The Making of A Progressive Culture**” was delivered by Ram Rahman a Distinguished Photographer and Cultural Activist on 18th February 2010. An exhibition of selected photographs and documents put up from our collected attracted keen interest at the venue of the lecture. It was extremely well attended.

The Archives continues to await a suitable premises for its efficient functioning. We trust that this dream will be realized soon.

Educational Records Research Unit

The Educational Records Research Unit (ERRU) is one of the oldest research programmes of the University. A School level research unit engaged in research in the area of history of education in modern India, the ERRU has been attached to the School of Social Sciences since 1971. The ERRU research team retrieves historically significant documents on different themes, using the historian’s craft, from various archival repositories and libraries across the

country as well as abroad, classifies them chronologically under sub-themes and, after documentation and annotation, publishes these under thematic volumes. The academic programme of the Unit has grown and diversified significantly in recent years into areas such as women's education, education of the marginalised, and nationalist educational ideas.

In the year under review, the Unit carried forward its work on the ongoing project: 'Nationalist Education Movement in India, 1920-1947'. The documents already in possession are being scanned and gaps are identified to fill in with additional relevant material. The fifth J.P. Naik Memorial Lecture, organised annually by ERRU, was delivered by Professor P. Balaram, Director, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, on 'Reinventing the Research University in India', on August 31, 2009. Professor B.B. Bhattacharya, Vice-Chancellor, presided over the lecture. The Unit is preparing to publish the lecture. The ERRU has been engaged in the preparation of the edited volume based on the proceedings of the panel on 'Emergence of Knowledge Societies and Educational History', coordinated by its members in the 20th Conference of the International Association of Historians of Asia, held in November 2008 in Delhi. Apart from including revised articles from the conference panel, the volume, tentatively titled 'Education in India: Historical Insights', also includes relevant articles solicited from scholars working in the area subsequently. The articles are being finally edited for standardisation and the Introduction prepared before submitting it to the publishers.

Group of Adult Education

The JNU set up of the UGC sanctioned Programme of Adult, Continuing Education and Extension in 1978. The documentation work, with a sanctioned position of Documentation Officer, started in 1978 and strengthened. It got five sanctioned positions of Director (1), Assistant Directors (2), Project Officers (2), and 3 supporting staff of Technical Assistant(1), Junior Assistant (1) and Office Attendant (1) in 1983. The University filled up these positions and set up an independent Unit of Adult, and Continuing Education in 1984, and subsequently in 1999, it was renamed as Group of Adult Education. Since then, the programme has considerably expanded over the last three decades. Following the different Five Year Plan Guidelines of the UGC, a variety of field programmes, training, research, evaluation, publications, organization of national and international seminars, workshops, research methodology courses, documentation activities, etc. have been undertaken by the Unit/Group during the last three decades. Apart from undertaking a number of extension programmes, the Group has also designed an innovative Open Distance Learning Package in collaboration with the UNESCO Institute of Lifelong Learning.

The programmes of the Unit were reviewed by a UGC Committee in 1998 which appreciated the work of the faculty and recommended that the Unit be developed into an independent Center and the designation of the staff be changed on the pattern of teachers for initiating academic programmes. The recommendations of the UGC Committee were ratified by the Advisory Committee and submitted to the Academic Council which resolved in 1999 that, "The Unit be developed into a Group and may, in consultation with its Advisory Committee, develop structure in terms of academic programmes by designing courses appropriate to the requirement of a Center for consideration of the Academic Council". In compliance with the Resolution of the Academic Council, the University changed the designations of the staff as teachers, and the Group started teaching activity in 2000 with a 4 credit 2 Optional Courses on "Adult Education in India", and "Development Education" (started in 2008) for the MA students. These courses are offered in both Winter and Monsoon semesters, and on an average 15-20 students from other Centres/Schools have been opting for the course in each semester.

The Group has a strength of five faculty members – 3 Professors, 1 Associate Professor and 1 Assistant Professor, and is located in the School of Sciences of the university. So far, the faculty members have completed 22 research and evaluation projects, published 26 books and more than 100 papers.

North-East India Studies Programme

The North East India Programme (NEISP) came into existence after Academic Council of JNU at its meeting held on April 21, 2006 approved the starting of a programme of studies on North-East India at the University. NEISP was thus established on an interdisciplinary framework involving diverse disciplines being pursued in five different schools of the university, namely, School of Language, Literature and Culture Studies, School of Social Sciences, School of Environmental Sciences, School of International Studies, and School of Arts and Aesthetics.

The main thrust of NEISP is to undertake critical research and build up a body of scholarly works on the region. It aims at introducing the students to the diverse and complex problems of the Northeast. It also seeks to equip them with skills necessary to carry out research on social, cultural, political, economic and environmental issues of the region. Further, the attempt is to inculcate multi-disciplinary perspectives by exposing them to different theories and approaches utilized by scholars to understand the region. The Programme shall aim at infusing elements of criticality in the students in their approach, particularly towards policies and laws applied to the region across time and space, so as to stimulate debate and search for solutions to the multifaceted problems that afflict the region.

Initially the Programme was housed in the School of Language, Literature and Culture Studies with its Dean appointed as the Coordinator. From April 2007, the Programme has been located in the School of Social Sciences (SSS) with Dean, SSS, as the Coordinator. At present, Professor Nandu Ram Dean, School of Social Sciences, is heading the Programme. To run the day-to-day activities of the Programme a Director is appointed from amongst the faculties of the Schools. In April 2009, the location of the Programme at School of Social Sciences and the tenure of Dean, SSS as Coordinator (Prof. Nandu Ram) and that of the programme Director (Prof. Tiplut Nongbri) have been extended for a period of two years.

Achievements

The NEISP has organised one national seminar, one international symposium, four departmental seminars, one special lecture, and one film show followed by a panel discussion during the period.

Documentation

During the period, the following documents were prepared:

- M.Phil/Ph.D Degrees Awarded by Different Schools of JNU on Topic related to North-East India during 1983-1986
- Abstracts of M.Phil and Ph.D works related to North-East India on which degrees were awarded by different Schools/Centres of JNU between 1983 -2002.
- Mapping the Studies on North-East Region of India: An analysis of the M.Phil and Ph.D works submitted to JNU (1983-2002).

Appointment of Research Associate

- In September 2009, the University appointed Dr. Sanghamitra Choudhary as Research Associate in NEISP for a period of six months.

Post Doctoral Fellow/s

In October 2009, NEISP received its first Post Doctoral Fellow when Dr. Allana Golmei joined the Programme as a Post-Doctoral Fellow under the UGC Post Doctoral Fellowship Scheme for SC/ST Candidates. Her topic of research is "Political Movement of the Chin People of Burma"

Meeting of the Advisory committee

A meeting of the NEISP Advisory Committee was held on 23 November, 2009. Prof. S. K. Chaube, (Retd) University of Delhi attended the meeting as an External Member of the Advisory Committee. Professor Valerian Rodrigues, Officiating Dean, SSS presided over the meeting.

Meeting of the Steering Committee

There were two meetings of the NEISP Steering Committee held on 14 September, 2009 and 11 February, 2010

Meeting on Violence against Women

On 30 October, 2009, NEISP convened a special meeting to discuss the increasing violence against women, especially

those hailing from North East India, in Delhi. The meeting was chaired by Prof. Tiplut Nongbri and attended by women students and scholars from the University. During the meeting, the participants shared their ideas on why women from the Northeast are soft targets of sexual harassment and ethnic and racial violence in the city and how to fight against such abuse.

After a constructive discussion lasting over two hours, the meeting concluded with a recommendation to form a committee called "Welfare Committee for Women, JNU". Although women from the North-East are most vulnerable to racial and ethnic violence it was felt that the proposed committee should not be confined only to persons from the region but inclusive of all categories of women and men who face racial, sexual and casteist abuse. With this objective in mind, it was suggested that the Committee should include representatives (students as well as faculty) from the different Schools and Centres in the university.

The broad objectives of the Committee are as hereunder:

- To secure safe environment for women.
- To create a common forum to generate views collectively.
- To create awareness and build wider network with concerned groups.
- To encourage women to speak up to fight against such violence and harassment.
- To involve men to fight against discrimination of women in the country.

Future Activities

Documentation

Continuation of the documentation of M.Phil and Ph.D research on issues related to North-East India conducted at different Schools and Centres of JNU.

Departmental Seminar

The following scholars presented papers in the departmental seminars during the period

- Ms. Hoineiling S, Centre for the Study of Social Systems - "Land and Rituals among the Kukis of Manipur" on 18 September, 2009.
- Dr. Janaki Turaga formerly of Centre for the Study of Social Systems - 'For an Ecological Perspective: Sikkim Teesta Dam' on 6 November, 2009
- Ms. Nabanipa Bhattacharya, Lecturer Venkateshvara College, University of Delhi on 'Who after all are Indians? Note from North-East India' on 20 November, 2009.
- Dr. David V Zou, Department of History, University of Delhi on 'Unpacking Sisterhood and Gendered Literacy: Missionaries and Indigenous Women in Colonial Mizoram' on 27 November 2009

Special Lectures

- Dr. Umesh Jha Wg. Cdr. (Retd.) spoke on Armed Forces Special Powers Act: Myths and Realities" on 14 October 2009.

Discussion and Film Shows

- A film show followed by a panel discussion on 'Politics of Modernity and Popular Culture: Idioms of Nation Building' was organised on 22 April, 2009. The panel discussion was led by Dr. A. Bimol Akoijam of CSSS, JNU and Dr Ravi Vasudevan of Centre for the Study of Developing Societies (CSDS), Delhi.
- Kumar, Ajay, Presented a paper titled, ' Challenges of Development Education in the Context of Lifelong Learning Needs in Emerging India' on 11 February, 2010 at a departmental seminar at Department of Educational Studies (DES), Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi.

- Kumar, Ajay, Presented a keynote paper titled, 'Role of Higher Education in the Context of Development Education and Lifelong Learning in the 21st Century India' at a National Seminar titled, 'Politics and Higher Education in India: Contexts and Concerns', organized D/O Political Sciences and Public Administration, Jiwaji University, Gwalior from 19 – 21 March 2010.
- NEISP plans to commission micro studies on different aspects and problems facing the North-East. To carry out this task we require the release of budget by the university. Unfortunately, no regular budget has so far been allocated to NEISP by the university.

Programme for Study of Discrimination and Exclusion

- The Programme for the Study of Discrimination and Exclusion, School of Social Sciences, organized a national seminar on "Research Trends in 'Castes and Tribes of Southern India'" on 24-25 November 2009 (sponsored by Indian Council of Historical Research). Dr. Y.Chinna Rao was the Seminar Coordinator.
- The second national seminar was organized on "Dalit Movements in India: Colonial and Post Colonial Periods" (sponsored by Indian Council for Historical Research) (24-26 March, 2010). Dr. Y.Chinna Rao was the Seminar Coordinator.
- The PSDE in collaboration with CPS, JNU, organized a lecture-cum-book release on "Sri Aurobindo". The session was chaired by Prof. Gopal Guru and the Guest speakers were Prof. Sachidanand Mohanty and Dr. Hiranmay Karlekar.
- The PSDE also organized a panel discussion on the occasion of the book release ceremony of "Dividing Dalits: Writings on Sub-Categorization of Scheduled Castes" (edited by Yagati Chinna Rao; published by Rawat Publications, New Delhi/Jaipur, 2009). The panelists included Prof. K S Chalam, Sri D Raja, Prof. Nandu Ram, Prof. Valerian Rodrigues (CPS/JNU), Raja Sekhar Vundru (IAS) and Dr. Sanjay Kumar (CSDS, Delhi).

Women Studies Programme

The Women's Studies Programme (WSP) was established in 2000, with UGC funding, in the School of Social Sciences. At the very outset, the WSP was conceived of as integral to incorporating and integrating a gender perspective in the teaching and research of social sciences. The WSP has two faculty members during the review year. In addition, a Professor of the School is appointed as the Director every two years, on a rotational basis to co-ordinate the overall functioning of the Programme. A Standing Committee consisting of members from among the faculty of the School of Social Sciences supports the activities of the Programme. Additionally, an Advisory Committee with members from both within the University as well as experts and specialists across disciplines from other institutions reviews the progress and working of the Programme.

M.A./M. Phil Optional Courses

The Women's Studies Programme offered two M.A. optional courses, one in the Monsoon Semester (July-November 2009) and the second in the Winter Semester (January-May 2010). Both these are 4 credit courses.

1. Course Title - "Women's Movement and Gender Studies"
(WS-401) (Winter Semester January-May 2010)
Course Teacher - Dr. G. Arunima
2. Course Title - "Gender & Visual Culture: An Introduction"
(WS-402) (Monsoon Semester July-Nov 2009)
Course Teacher - Dr. G. Arunima

- The Women's Studies Programme also offered a new M. Phil Optional course "Feminist Theory and Social Research" during the Winter Semester (January- May 2010). The M. Phil course was introduced and offered by Dr. G. Arunima, and this was open also as an audit course to the Programme's own direct Ph. D, as well as Ph.D. students from other Centres.

The Women's Studies Programme brings the total number of MA and/or M.Phil. Optional Courses on offer at the WSP, JNU to three, and the faculty is currently in the process of developing further courses as part of its XIth Plan agenda. There was a very good response, with students from different Centres/Schools including the Centre for Political Studies, Centre for the Study of Social Systems, Centre for the Study of Science Policy, the School of International Studies, the School of Languages, School of Arts & Aesthetics and several international students, opting for the courses in both the semesters.

Direct Ph. D.

The Women's Studies Programme admitted two Direct Ph.D. students in the Monsoon Semester (2009). They are currently doing their course work, which includes courses in related areas offered by other Centres and also the M. Phil course in Theory and Research Methods offered by the WSP itself.

Seminars and Workshops

Regular seminars were organized through the entire academic year, under the following heads:

- a) Regular seminar series
- b) Film seminar series
- c) Special workshops and seminars

Professor, filmmakers and activists from all over the country, and some international participants, were invited to share their work in the seminar series. The seminars provided a lively forum for discussions on diverse issues pertaining to gender, and were attended by not only students and faculty from Jawaharlal Nehru University, but also from people across the city of Delhi. The details of the seminars organized by WSP are given below:-

Regular Seminar Series

- "Politics, Passion and Professionalisation in Indian Feminism", Speaker – Dr. Srila Roy (Lecturer in Sociology at the University of Nottingham, UK), 1 April, 2009.
- "Writing Sex and Sexuality: Archives of Colonial India", Speaker – Dr. Charu Gupta (Associate Professor of History, Delhi University), 18 August 2009
- "The Biopolitics of Caste", Speaker – Dr. Anupama Rao (Associate Professor, South Asian History at Barnard College, Columbia University), 25 August, 2009.
- "Dirt, filth and the danger of boundaries: Gender and Social Agency in the politics of water and sanitation", speaker – Ayona Datta (Lecturer, Cities Programme, Department of Sociology, LSE, UK), Discussants – Kalyani Menon - Sen (Researcher, Trainer and Feminist Activist), Amrita Baviskar (Sociologist, IEG, Delhi University), (WSP collaboration with CSRD), 1 October, 2009.

Film Seminar Series

- "The Other Song", Directed by – Saba Dewan (Documentary Film Maker), 8 April, 2009.
- "The Apple", Directed by – Samira Makhmalbaf (Film Maker), 9 September, 2009.
- "NAACH (The Dance)", Directed by – Saba Dewan (Documentary Film Maker), 20 October, 2009.
- "The City Beautiful", Directed by – Rahul Roy (Documentary Film Maker), 16 February, 2010.
- "Pill & I", Directed by – Diksha Grover, Nikita Balasubramanian, Naam Chakravorty, Sabika Muzaffar, Shruti Chakraborty, Vrishnika Singh, (WSP collaboration with CSM&CH), 20 March, 2010.

Special Seminars & Workshops

- "Between the Verandah and the Mall – Fieldwork and the Spaces of Femininity", Speaker – Dr. Henrike Donner (Lecturer in Anthropology, London School of Economics and Political Sciences, UK), 2 April, 2009.

- “Sons and Daughters: Families, Communities, the State and the Adverse Child Sex-Ratio” (A Panel Discussion), Panelists: Harsh Mander, Pamela Philipose, P.M. Kulkarni, Mrinal Pande, Indira Jaising, (WSP Collaboration with CWDS & IDRC), 18 September, 2009.
- “Visual Inclusion: Colonization, Initiation and the ‘Writing’ of African History”, Speaker – Prof. Patricia Hayes (Professor, History Department at the University of the Western Cape, South Africa), 24 November, 2009.
- “Women at the Edge: Palestine Movement and Women”, Speaker – Suad Amiry (Feminist Writer and Activist from Palestine), (WSP collaboration with CRCAS/SIS), 20 January, 2010.
- “Literature and Politics through Arab Women’s Writing Speakers – Ahdaf Souief and Radwa Ashour, (WSP collaboration with Women Unlimited), 26 March, 2010.

Visiting Faculty Programme

The WSP invited one Visiting Fellow in Monsoon Semester (November 2009).

- Prof. Patricia Hayes from Department of History, University of Western Cape, Cape Town, South Africa. She is specialist in area of “Gender, History and Visual Culture”. (23 – 29 November, 2009).

This Programme was initiated by the WSP to bring scholars from India and abroad for two weeks to JNU. The scholars, as part of the Programme, share some part of their ongoing work, in the form of seminars, teach in the ongoing courses and classes of the WSP, and are available for discussions with students and colleagues from other Centres and Schools.

Prof. Patricia Hayes’s visit was very successful and the detail of her Public Lecture is provided in the list of activities above.

Library

Books & Documentary Films worth approximately 82,365/- were acquired for the Women’s Studies Library. The library now has a total of 1195 books and 93 Documentary Films. The library is well used by students and faculty in JNU as well as scholars from other parts of the city, and country.

Research Projects

- **Arunima G.**, Library work related to the project ‘Gender and Sacred Geographies: A Study of Religion in Kerala’ continued through the year; archival work towards this project will be conducted over the summer. A paper from this research was presented at a National Conference organized by Jadavpur University, Kolkata.

Participation in National/International Conferences/ Seminars/Workshops

Centre for Economic Studies and Planning

- **Sengupta, R. P**, Round Table Lecture on Prospects and Policies for Low Carbon Economic Growth of India at the National Institute of Public Finance and Policy (NIPFP), New Delhi, sponsored by the British High Commission in India, on 16 December, 2009.
- **Sengupta, R. P**, Participated as a special invitee to speak in the round table on Environmental Tax Reforms in the emerging Goods and Services Tax Regime organized by the Madras School of Economics at Chennai on 6 February, 2010.
- **Sengupta, R. P**, Chaired the session No. 9 of the JNU-NIPFP Conference at New Delhi on Economic Theory, Markets and Institutions of Governance, on March 22-24, 2010.
- **Sengupta, R.P**, Delivered Plenary Lecture on The Prospects and Policies of Low Carbon Economic Growth of India in the 46th Annual Conference of Indian Econometric Society held at the University of Jammu on 4-6 March, 2010.

- **Sengupta, R.P**, Participated as a special invitee to speak in the workshop on “Developing the Future Socio-Economic Scenarios for India in the context of climate change” on March 29, 2010.
- **Jain, Satish**, “On the Normative Structure of Hind Swaraj”, International Conference on Hind Swaraj, India International Centre, 17-19 May, 2009.
- **Jain, Satish**, “Market, Democracy, and Diversity of Individual Preferences and Values”, Conference on Ethnic Diversity and Economic Instability in Africa: Policies for Harmonious Development, Kobe University, Kobe, Japan, 13-14 July, 2009.
- **Jain, Satish**, “On Some Impediments to and Prerequisites for Research”, Presented at Second Peoples Education Congress, Homi Bhabha Centre For Science Education, TIFR, Mumbai, 5-8 October, 2009.
- **Jain, Satish**, Delivered keynote address on “The Normative Structure of Gandhian Thought with Special Reference to Hind Swaraj” at the international conference on, “Towards a non-violent economy,” organized at Gandhi Bhawan, Bhopal by Gandhi International Ekta Parishad, South Asia Peace Alliance, 30 January – 3 February, 2010.
- **Jain, Satish**, Delivered lecture on the “Concept of Human Rights and Some of its Implications”, Workshop on Rights in Economics and Law, organized by CESP, 4-5 March, 2010.
- **Jain, Satish**, “Democratic Decision-Making: Alternative Normative Perspectives” at JNU-NIPFP-CIGI Conference on Economic Theory, Markets and Institutions of Governance, 22-24 March, 2010.
- **Kumar, Arun**, Delivered Keynote Address on “Crisis of Neo-liberalism and Possible Alternatives in the Context of the Global Economic Crisis” at the Inauguration of the Conference on Neo-liberalism, Repression and Resistance, organized by Society for Rural, Urban and Tribal Initiative (SRUTI) at India Islamic Cultural Centre, 26 May, 2009.
- **Kumar, Arun**, Paper presented on “Drought of 2009 and its Economic Implications”, at Workshop on Drought of 2009 organized by Centre for Public Policy and ASSOCHAM in ASSOCHAM House, New Delhi on 14 September, 2009.
- **Kumar, Arun**, “Vision of Higher Education in India”, Presentation at aroundtable on Transition in Higher Education in India: Issues, Challenges and Opportunities organized by JNU Alumni Association in JNU, 11 November, 2009.
- **Kumar, Arun**, Delivered Talk on “Implications of globalization on the changing socio-political situation in India and the Role of NGOs”, at the Annual Conference of Terres Des Hommes organized at Jamia Hamdard University, 18 November, 2009.
- **Kumar, Arun**, Delivered Keynote Address on “Challenges Facing Higher Education in India” at a Symposium organized by People’s Science Congress on Science Education in India, in JNU on 12-13 December, 2009.
- **Kumar, Arun**, Delivered Keynote Address on “Challenges Facing Modern Civilization and Indian Society’ at the National Conference on Future of Modern Civilization, organized by Hindi Department, Vidyant Hindu PG College, Lucknow University, Lucknow, on 19 February, 2010.
- **Kumar, Arun**, Delivered Inaugural Address on “Current Challenges before the Banking Industry in India” at the 11th Conference of the All India Oriental Bank Officers Association, organized at the VP House, New Delhi, 13 March, 2010.
- **Kumar, Arun**, Chaired a Session on Study of Tamil Nadu and Uttar Pradesh at the National Seminar on Financing Elementary Education in States: Fund Flow Pattern and Utilization of Resources under Sarva Shiksha Abhiya, organized by NUEPA, New Delhi, on 18-20 March, 2010.
- **Kumar, Arun**, Presented Paper on Indian Economy Since Independence at an International workshop on India’s Best Practices on Innovation and Development Organized by Centre for Science & Technology of the Non-Aligned and Other Developing Countries (NAM S&T Centre) at Hotel President, N. Delhi on 17-18 April, 2009.
- **Kumar, Arun**, Presented Paper on The Economic Aspects of Modern day life and its Contemporary Crisis: Relevance of Hind Swaraj at an International Conference on Hind Swaraj: A 21st Century Agenda for non-violence, Organized by Swaraj Peeth Trust, Delhi. In Suraj Kund, Haryana on 19-21 November, 2009

- **Kumar, Arun**, Presented Paper on Global Financial Crisis and some theoretical considerations, at a workshop organized by JNIAS, JNU on 27 November, 2009.
- **Dastidar, Krishnendu Ghosh**, Participated in Conference on Issues on Globalization and Sustainability, organized by Department of Economics, Calcutta University, December, 2009.
- **Dastidar, Krishnendu Ghosh**, Participated in Conference on Evolution of Complex Systems, organized at Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, January, 2010.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in Workshop on India: Labour and Employment, organized by the Institute for Human Development (IHD), IHD, New Delhi, on 31 July, 2009.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in Workshop on Measuring Progress for Child Rights, organized by India Alliance for Child Rights, IIC, New Delhi, on 20-21 August, 2009.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in Workshop on Community Based Monitoring for Primary Education, organized by Oxfam India, New Delhi, on 25-26 August, 2009.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in Workshop on NREGA and Women's Employment, organized by IHD, at IIC, New Delhi, on 31 August, 2009.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in National Seminar on Education for All organized by NUEPA & MHRD, GoI, with support from UNESCO & UNICEF, at NUEPA on 10-11 September, 2009.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in Workshop on the mid-term evaluation of the 11th 5 year plan on Rights of Children, organized by the India Alliance for Child Rights and the Council for Social Development, IIC New Delhi on 7 October, 2009.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in Workshop on the Report of the Committee on State Agrarian Relations and the Unfinished Agenda of Land Reforms, organized by the Department of Land Resources, Ministry of Rural Development, GoI, New Delhi on 13 October, 2009.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in National Seminar on Shelterlessness and Homestead Right organized by the Council for Social Development, at IIC, New Delhi on 5-6 November, 2009.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in Workshop on Labour Market Transition and Research in India, organized by VVGNLI, NOIDA on 18 November, 2009.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in Workshop on Rethinking Economic Ideas in the context of the current Global Crisis, organized by Jawaharlal Nehru Institute of Advanced Studies, JNU, New Delhi, on 27 November, 2009.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in 51st Annual Conference of the Indian Society of Labour Economics, organized at Panjabi University, Patiala, on 11-13, December, 2009.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in National Seminar on Challenges of Growing Rural-Urban Disparities in India, organized by the Council for Social Development, at IIC, New Delhi on 5-6 January, 2010.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in National Convention on Social Security for Unorganized Workers, organized by the Centre for Education and Communication, Patna on 8-10 January, 2010.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in Workshop on The Right to Education: The Way Forward, organized by the Council for Social Development, at IIC, New Delhi on 27 January, 2010.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in International Seminar on Human Development in India: Emerging Issues and Policy Perspectives, organized by IHD and ICSSR, Nehru Memorial Library and Museum, New Delhi, on 5-6 February, 2010.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in National Seminar on Ethical Dimension of Governance, organized by Deshbandhu College (Evening) Delhi University in association with IIC, New Delhi on 15-16 February, 2010.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in Workshop on Some Theoretical Issues Towards Quantifying Labour Market, organized by VVGNLI, NOIDA, on 19 February, 2010.

- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in UNESCO-ICSSR International Research Seminar on Social Protection Policies in South Asia organized at ICSSR, New Delhi on 18-19 March, 2010.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in National Seminar on Financing Elementary Education in Indian States: Fund Flow Patterns and Utilization of Resources, organized by NUEPA, on 20 March, 2010.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in JNU-NIPFP-CIGI International Conference on Economic Theory, Markets and Institutions of Governance, at NIPFP, New Delhi on 22-24 March, 2010.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in Workshop on Indian Agriculture: Four Decades of Development, organized by CSRD, JNU, 25 March, 2010.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in International Symposium on Land and Agrarian Questions, organized by Ekta Parishad and Gandhi International, Bhopal on 26-27 March, 2010.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Delivered Invited Lecture titled 'India at Sixty' to the Officer trainees at the LBS National Academy of Administration, Mussoorie, on 26 October, 2009.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Delivered Invited Keynote Lecture for the workshop on Research Methods in Labour Economic, at VVGNLI, Noida on 9 November, 2009.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Delivered Invited Lecture titled 'Political Economy of Indian Economic Development: Some Issues', at Doon University, Dehradun, on 7 November, 2009.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Delivered Invited Lecture on A Snapshot of Labour Market in Contemporary India', at VVGNLI, Noida on 13 November, 2009.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in Seminar on Re-Regulating Global Finance in the light of the Global Crisis organized by the International Development Economics Associates (IDEAs), New Delhi in partnership with the School of Economics and Management, Tsinghua University, Beijing, and School of Economics, Renmin University, Beijing, held in Beijing, China on 9-12 April, 2009.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in Workshop on Labour Economics for Development, organized by the International Training Centre of the International Labour Organization (ILO), Turin during 29 June - 3 July, 2009.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in Workshop on To China, University of Turin, Italy on 1 July, 2009.
- **Jha, Praveen**, Participated in Workshop on The Agrarian Question: Historical Trajectories and contemporary policy Alternatives, organized by the African Institute for Agrarian Studies, Harare, Zimbabwe and HAKIARDHI (Land Rights Research and Resources Institute), Dar es Salaam, Tanzania during 18-22 January, 2010.
- **Chakravarty, Sujoy**, "The Demographics of cooperation: Evidence from a field experiment in the Gori-Ganga Basin," at the Conference on Experimental and Computational Social Sciences at Centre for Computational Social Sciences, University of Mumbai, on 28 - 30 December, 2009.
- **Mukherji, Anjan**, Participated and Chaired a Session at the Conference on Ethnic Diversity and Economic Instability in Africa: Policies for Harmonious Development, at McMillan Center, Yale University on 16-17 January, 2010.
- **Mukherji, Anjan**, Presented a paper Stability of a Market Economy with Diverse Economic Agents at the Theory Workshop, University of Rochester, Department of Economics on 19 January, 2010.
- **Ghosh, Jayati**, Presented Paper at International Seminar on Managing Cross-Border Finance Under Increasing Uncertainty, Centre for Banking Studies, Central Bank of Sri Lanka, Colombo on 27-29 May, 2009.
- **Ghosh, Jayati**, Presented Paper on 'Food and Global Finance' at Festival of the Economy, Council of Trento, on 31 May – 2 June, 2009.
- **Ghosh, Jayati**, Presented Paper on 'The food crisis and Global Finance', at the Conference on Triple Crisis, Res Publica and Norwegian Parliament, Oslo on 25-26 June, 2009.
- **Ghosh, Jayati**, Participated and Presented Paper in the International Working Group on Gender, at International Economics and Macroeconomics, Levy Institute of Bard College, New York on 2-10 July, 2009.

- **Ghosh, Jayati**, Presented Paper on National development strategy for Vietnam at the round table on Government of Vietnam, Hanoi on 15-16 August, 2009.
- **Ghosh, Jayati**, Presented Paper on Food fragility in the current international context, at The Other Canon Conference, Tallinn Estonia on 15-16 October, 2009.
- **Ghosh, Jayati**, Delivered Keynote Address at Bristol Schumacher Conference, Bristol, U.K. on 17 October, 2009.
- **Ghosh, Jayati**, Delivered Keynote Address at Conference on “Crisis of capitalism, crisis of development, on the International Institute of Social Studies Foundation Day, The Hague, Netherlands on 4 November, 2009.
- **Ghosh, Jayati**, Delivered Keynote Address on Developing Asia’s responses to the global financial crisis, at UNDP Regional Workshop on the Impact of the Global Financial Crisis, Singapore University on 30 November, 2009.
- **Ghosh, Jayati**, Presented Paper on Capital in crisis” and “Issues of sustainability: Agriculture and the Environment, at Conference on Marxist Theory and Practice, organized by Ho Chi Minh Political Academy and Monthly Review Group, Hanoi, Vietnam, on 14-17 December, 2009.
- **Ghosh, Jayati**, Organised IDEAs International Conference on Regulating finance in the changed context, Muttukadu, Tamil Nadu on 25-27 January, 2010.
- **Ghosh, Jayati**, Organised IDEAs International Conference on The Global Economy: Recovery or Bubble?, New Delhi on 29-30 January, 2010.
- **Ghosh, Jayati**, Presented Paper on The impact of the global financial crisis on developing Asia, at Conference on The Impact of the Global Financial Crisis at International Poverty Centre, Beijing China on 4-5 February, 2010.
- **Chaudhury, Pradipta**, Presented Paper Labour Laws, Capitalists, Industrial Workers and State in India, 1881-1931, in the XVth World Economic History Congress, held at Utrecht, The Netherlands, during 3 – 7 August, 2009.
- **Chaudhury, Pradipta**, Presented Paper International migration of indentured Labour from India, 1881-1911 in the XVth World Economic History Congress, held at Utrecht, The Netherlands, during 3 – 7 August, 2009.
- **Chaudhury, Pradipta**, Presented Paper Political Economy of Caste in Northern India, 1901-1931 in the XVth World Economic History Congress, held at Utrecht, The Netherlands, during 3 – 7 August, 2009.
- **Rawal, Vikas**, Gave Seminar on Asset and Income Inequality in India, at Yokohama National University, Kobe University and Tokyo University, Japan on 6, 8, and 11 November, 2009.
- **Rawal, Vikas**, Participated in the Second International Conference on Environment, Agriculture and Socio-economic Change in India, Daegu (South Korea) during 29-30 March, 2010.

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- **Chakrabarti, Kunal**, presented a paper on ‘The Perfect wife: Laksmi and the Domestication of Wealth’ in a Seminar on Money and Wealth: Ideas and Practices, organized by the School of Oriental and African Studies, London University, London on 9-10 October, 2009.
- **Josh, Bhagwan**, Presented Paper on “Ashoka and the Making of Modern India,” in New Delhi, on 5-7 August, 2009.
- **Datta, Rajat**, Presented Paper on “Beyond Fiscalism: Money and Peasant Economy in Early Modern India”, in a seminar on Wealth and Money in South Asia, School of Oriental and African Studies, London, on 9-10 October, 2009.
- **Datta, Rajat**, Presented Paper on “Thinking about Early Modernity in Indian History: The Eighteenth Century”, at Department of History, Desbandhu College, University of Delhi, on 19 February, 2010.
- **Chakravarti, Ranabir**, Presented Paper on “Ports and Their Hinterlands and Forelands: West Coast of India and the Western Indian Ocean (AD 600-1500)”, at the University of Leiden, the Netherlands, on November, 2009.
- **Chakravarti, Ranabir**, Presented Paper on “Lords of Space and Time: Mughal Paintings and European Elements”, at the Netherlands Institute for Advanced Study, Wassenaar (the Netherlands), on December, 2009.

- **Chakravarti, Ranabir**, Presented Paper on “Visuals of the Coast and the Interior: Dutch and Indian Practices”, at a conference on The Reception of Netherlandisch Art in Asia, organized by the Netherlands Institute for Advanced Study, Wassenaar (the Netherlands), on January, 2010.
- **Sucheta, Mahajan**, Presented Paper on “Historiography of Partition” at a seminar on Historiography of Modern India, University of Kashmir, Srinagar on October, 2009.
- **Mahajan, Sucheta**, Presented Paper on “Gandhi’s Role in Women’s Mobilisation for the Freedom Movement” at a seminar on Gandhi and Women, Gandhi Studies Centre, Kanya Mahavidyalaya, Jalandhar, Punjab on 30 March, 2010.
- **Haider, Syed Najaf**, Presented Paper on “Indo-Islamic Traditions of Work and Professional Excellence: A study of Dastur ul Amal and Akhlaq Literatures”, at the Fifth Workshop of the Global Collaboratory on the History of Labour Relations, Gerda Henkel Stiftung, Düsseldorf, Germany on November, 2009.
- **Haider, Syed Najaf**, Presented Paper on “Money and Wealth in Medieval Indian Islam: Meaning and Practice’, at the Workshop on Money and Wealth in Indian History, School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS), London on 9-10 October, 2009.
- **Haider, Syed Najaf**, Presented Paper on “Conversation through the Night: Emperor Jahangir’s Dialogue with Muslim and Christian Scholars”, at the India International Centre, New Delhi, 30 October, 2009.
- **Haider, Syed Najaf**, Presented Paper on “Muslim Christian Polemics in Mughal India: Evidence from Jahangir’s Night Sessions (majalis i shabana)’ at The Dynamics of Religious Pluralism in India: Conflict, Innovation and Assimilation”, JNIAS, Jawaharlal Nehru University, 2009.
- **Haider, Syed Najaf**, Participated and Presented Paper on “Notes on a Mughal Document from Sanghol”, at the Workshop on History and Archeology of Sanghol, India International Centre, 2010.
- **Tiwari, Heeraman**, Gave two lectures at the Academic Staff College, JNU, to their Refresher Course in History and the Orientation Course during 2009.
- **Tiwari, Heeraman**, Presented Paper on “When a Vernacular Ramayana is the Ramayana: the Ramcaritmanas of Tulsidas”, in an International Seminar on Raconstructing and Deconstructing the Epics, held at the Centre for Historical Studies, JNU, during 26-27 March, 2010.
- **Malekandathil, Pius**, “The Changing Meanings of Lusitanian Space in India, 1780-1830”, paper presented in the International Encompass Conference II on Monsoon Asia in the Age of Revolutions: Changes of Regime and their Aftermath, organized by Universiteit Leiden (the Netherlands), at Bombay University on 12-14 January, 2010.
- **Malekandathil, Pius**, Chaired the session on “Cultural Identities” in the International Encompass Conference II on Monsoon Asia in the Age of Revolutions: Changes of Regime and their Aftermath, organized by Universiteit Leiden (the Netherlands) at Bombay University on 13 January, 2010.
- **Malekandathil, Pius**, “The Ottomans, India and the Indian Ocean: Revisiting of the Maritime History of the Sixteenth Century”, paper presented in the National Seminar on People, Culture and Goods in Motion: India-Arab Maritime Historical Relations, organized by Gulf Studies Programme of Centre for West Asian Studies, JNU on 3-4 March, 2010.
- **Malekandathil, Pius**, “Narratives of Travel, Voices of Dissent and Attacks on the Colonial Church Fabric of the European Missionaries: A Study on Varthamanapusthakam”, paper presented in the International Seminar on Devotion and Dissent, organized by CHS, JNU on 12-14 March, 2010.
- **Malekandathil, Pius**, Presented Paper on “From Competition to Exigency: A Study on the Circulatory Processes between the Indian Ocean and the Mediterranean during the age of Portuguese Commercial Expansion”, in the International Seminar on The Mediterranean as a Pathway to India: Skills, Memory, Imagination and Networks at Aix-en-Provence (France) on 22-29 March, 2010.

- **Malekandathil, Pius**, Chaired a session on “Routes and Trade between the Indian Ocean and the Mediterranean” in the International Seminar on The Mediterranean as a Pathway to India: Skills, Memoir, Imagination and Networks, at Aix-en-Provence (France) on 25 March, 2010.
- **Atwal, Jyoti**, Presented a paper titled “Talking Politics in the Living Room: Negotiating Differences in the Family”, at an Interdisciplinary Workshop on the Investments and Consequences of the Family as a Site of Cultural Production, organized by Jawaharlal Nehru Institute of Advanced Study and Nehru Memorial Museum and Library, New Delhi on 15-16 April, 2009.
- **Atwal, Jyoti**, Presented a paper entitled “From Widowhood to Citizenship: Resituating Indian Feminism” and participated in the workshop on “Teaching Women’s Writing” conducted by Gina Wisker (University of Brighton), at Feminist Transitions: 22nd Feminist and Women’s Studies Association, (UK & Ireland) Conference at Bluecoat, Liverpool, UK on 19-21 June, 2009.
- **Atwal, Jyoti**, Presented a seminar paper on “Widow Remarriage Campaigns in Colonial India”, at the Centre for Gender Studies, University of Sussex, Brighton, UK on 1 October, 2009.
- **Atwal, Jyoti**, Presented Paper Representations of Widowhood in Indian Cinema in a workshop organized by her on “Gender Relations in Indian Cinema” at the Academic Staff College, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi on 8 March, 2010.

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- **Singh, R.P.**, “Dialectics of Culture and Science,” RMIC, Kolkata, 4–6 April, 2009.
- **Singh, R.P.**, “Philosophical Method,” Lucknow, 14–15 May, 2009.
- **Singh, R.P.**, “Consciousness: Advaita Vedanta Perspective,” at Eighteenth International Congress of Vedanta, Centre for Indic Studies, University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth, USA, 16–19 July, 2009.
- **Singh, R.P.**, “Values Embedded in Indian Culture,” Mumbai, 24–28 October, 2009.
- **Singh, R.P.**, “Derrida’s Deconstruction,” Mumbai, 24–28 October, 2009.
- **Singh, R.P.**, “Spirituality, Logic and Science in India: A Philosophical Perspective,” Delhi, 18–19 November, 2009.
- **Singh, R.P.**, “Spirituality, Logic and Science in India: A Philosophical Perspective,” JNU, New Delhi, 9–10 January, 2010.
- **Singh, R.P.**, “Cultural Diversity, Multiculturalism and Globalization: Asian Perspective with Special Reference to India,” Asian Philosophy Congress, JNU, 6–9 March, 2010.
- **Singh, R.P.**, “Secularism: Cross Cultural Analysis,” Chennai, 18–19 March, 2010.
- **Bhagat, Oinam**, “Predicaments of a Failed State! Reading through the case of Manipur” in a national seminar organised by Third World Academy at Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, July, 2009.
- **Bhagat, Oinam**, Coordinator, Round Table Conference on Future of Philosophy organised by UNESCO and ICPR at IIC on 9 November, 2009.
- **Bhagat, Oinam**, “Problems of Identity: Creating Boundary between the Self and the Other” in a national seminar on Boundary Maintenance: Inclusion and Exclusion organised by IIAS, Shimla and ICSSR-NERC, Shimla at Shimla 16–17 November, 2009.
- **Bhagat, Oinam**, “Trajectories of Nation Narratives: Predicaments of the Receiving Communities,” in the international conference on Imagining India: Discourse of the Nation, organised by Department of English, Benaras Hindu University, Varanasi, during 18–19 December, 2009.
- **Bhagat, Oinam**, “In defense of multi-facetedness of philosophy” in a national seminar on Relevance of Philosophy in the Era of Science and Technology, organised by Department of Philosophy, Panjab University, Chandigarh during 11–12 January, 2010.

- **Bhagat, Oinam**, “I”, “We” and “Other”: Problem of founding a singular ontology,” in the international seminar on I, We and Other: Asymmetries of Moral Evaluation, organised by Department of Philosophy, University of Delhi, Delhi, during 17–19 February, 2010.
- **Bhagat, Oinam**, One of the panelists in the session on “Philosophical Perspectives: Western and Non-Western” in the Asian Philosophy Congress, at New Delhi, 7 March, 2010.
- **Bhagat, Oinam**, One of the panelists in the session on “Philosophical Insights in Tribal Worldviews” in the Asian Philosophy Congress, at New Delhi, 8 March, 2010.
- **Bhagat, Oinam**, “Human Freedom and Praxis: Reading through Structure and Dialectics of Lévis-Strauss and Sartre,” in the international seminar on Re-thinking Claude Lévi-Strauss (28 November 1908 – 30 October 2009) in the 21st Century, organised by the Department of English, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 19 March, 2010.
- **Bhagat, Oinam**, Chaired a session in the international conference on Intercultural Dialogue between Northeast India and South East Asia organised by NEISP (JNU), IGNC and NEZCC at New Delhi, during 17–20 March, 2010.
- **Bhagat, Oinam**, “Identity Claims and Limits of Liberal Politics: Locating the Issues,” in the national seminar on Democracy, Identity and Group Rights organised by Women’s College, Shillong in collaboration with IAS, Shimla at Shillong during 22–23 March, 2010.
- **Sen, Manidipa**, “Strawson on the notion of the First Person,” paper presented in the International Colloquium on The Ground of Sense: Philosophy of P.F. Strawson, organized by the Department of Analytical Philosophy in the Philosophical Institute of the Czech Academy of Sciences, Prague, on 21-24 April, 2009.
- **Sen, Manidipa**, “Bridging the gap between the mind and the world: A Relook into the Phenomenal/Intentional Distinction, Department of Philosophy, Central University, Hyderabad, 23 October, 2009.
- **Sen, Manidipa**, Organised the International Conference on From Experience to Thought: Debates in Consciousness, Cognition and Agency, held at the Centre for Philosophy, School of Social Sciences, Jawaharlal Nehru University, 7–9 January, 2010.
- **Sen, Manidipa**, Theme Presentation on the International Conference on From Experience to Thought: Debates in Consciousness, Cognition and Agency, held at the Centre for Philosophy, School of Social Sciences, Jawaharlal Nehru University, 7–9 January, 2010.
- **Sen, Manidipa**, Principal commentator on Anindita Chakraborty’s paper “Sectarian Identity, Sanskritization and the Question of Classical-Vernacular,” in International Seminar on Language, Culture and Identity, jointly organized by Department of Linguistics, Aligarh Muslim University and ICSSR, New Delhi, 8–10 February, 2010.
- **Sen, Manidipa**, “Intentionality and First Person Authority,” paper presented in the National Seminar on Mind and Meaning held in the Department of Philosophy, Hyderabad University, Hyderabad, 15–17 March, 2010.

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- **Arora, Balveer**, Presented paper on “Federalism as an Alternative to Partition” in the International Conference on Partitions as Conflict Resolution, South Asia Forum for Human Rights, Kathmandu, Nepal, 10-11 April, 2009.
- **Arora, Balveer**, Presented paper on “The Judiciary and Indian Federalism” in the International Conference on Federalism, the Rule of Law and the Role of the Judiciary: Comparative Political and Legal Analysis, University of Leuven, Belgium, 18 May, 2009.
- **Arora, Balveer**, Participated in the Round Table on “The Indian Elections: The Meaning of the Congress Victory” organized by AFUI-MSH, Paris, 4 June, 2009.
- **Arora, Balveer**, Participated in the Round Table on “India after the 15th General Elections: The state of the Union” organized by Institute of Advanced Studies, Nantes, France, 8 June, 2009.
- **Arora, Balveer**, Paper presented on “Transcultural Perspectives on Indian Democracy” in the Seminar on Democratic Models in Emerging Countries, organized at Lycee Louis le Grand, Paris, 23 June, 2009.

- **Arora, Balveer** (with Rajiv Sikri and Christophe Jaffrelot), Participated in the Panel Discussion, on The Second UPA Government: Unfinished Agenda and New Perspectives, organized at CERI-Sciences-Po, Paris, 25 June, 2009.
- **Arora, Balveer**, Participated in the Global Dialogue on Political Parties in Federal Systems organized by Forum of Federations, Bangalore, 4 September, 2009.
- **Arora, Balveer**, Presented paper on “What is in Crisis? Perspectives from India” in the International Symposium on The Concept of Crisis: Transcultural Approaches, at Institute International Transcultural, Paris, 23-24 November, 2009.
- **Arora, Balveer**, Participated in the Indo-French Dialogue on Mapping the Present: Building the Future, at India International Centre, New Delhi, 18-19 January, 2010.
- **Arora, Balveer**, Delivered Inaugural Lecture on “Reversing Exclusion through Inclusive Policies” in the Seminar on Equality and Inclusiveness in Contemporary India: Emerging Discourses, at BHU, Varanasi, 28-29 January, 2010.
- **Hasan, Zoya**, Participated in the Delhi Policy Group Conference on “Afghanistan, India, Pakistan Trialogue,” Kabul, 2009.
- **Hasan, Zoya**, Participated in the Conference on “Indian Elections 2009,” organized by Heinrich Boll Foundation, Berlin, April, 2009.
- **Hasan, Zoya**, Participated in the Conference on “Religion, Politics and Gender Equality,” organized by United Nations Research Institute for Social Development, Berlin, June, 2009.
- **Hasan, Zoya**, Participated in the Workshop on “Equal Opportunity Commission and Diversity Index,” organized by ICSSR, New Delhi, July, 2009.
- **Hasan, Zoya**, Participated in the Seminar on “Elections in Jammu and Kashmir,” organized by Centre for Peace Studies, at Srinagar, October, 2009.
- **Hasan, Zoya**, Delivered Keynote Address in a Seminar on “Religion, Politics and Gender in India,” at St Stephen’s College, University of Delhi, November, 2009.
- **Hasan, Zoya**, Delivered Keynote Address at the Referesher Course in Academic Staff College, Banaras Hindu University, November, 2009.
- **Hasan, Zoya**, Participated in the Workshop on “UID,” organized by Unique Identification Authority of India and IAS, Shimla, November, 2009.
- **Hasan, Zoya**, Delivered Keynote Address in the Conference on “Minorities in Maharashtra,” organized by the Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai, December, 2009.
- **Hasan, Zoya**, Participated in the National Seminar-cum-Workshop on “Resurgence of religious identity and violence: causes, consequences, and responses,” organized by Indian Social Institute, at Bangalore, February, 2010.
- **Hasan, Zoya**, Delivered keynote address in the Conference on “State Formation in India,” organized by the Department of Political Science, University of Punjab, February, 2010.
- **Hasan, Zoya**, Participated in the Conference on “Muslim Women as Agents of Change,” organized by Ethnobarometer and Italian Social Science Council, Bellagio, March, 2010.
- **Pai, Sudha**, Chaired a Session of Workshop on “Indian Elections 2009,” organized by the Centre de Sciences Humaines, New Delhi, 31 July, 2009.
- **Pai, Sudha**, Participated in the Round Table on “India in a Globalizing World”, organized by Max Mueller Bhawan on the occasion of the visit of the President of the Federal Republic of Germany, 3 February, 2010.
- **Pai, Sudha**, Delivered Valedictory Address in a Seminar on “Assertion of the Regions: Exploring the Demand for New States in India,” organized by the Department of Political Science, Panjab University, Chandigarh, 22-23 February, 2010.
- **Rodrigues, V.**, Keynote Address, “Democracy, Development and Marginal Groups”, in National Seminar on “Democracy and Development and Marginal Groups,” Sri Sharada College, Basrur, Karnataka, 2-3 October, 2009.

- **Rodrigues, V.**, Keynote Address, “Subaltern Struggles in India after Independence and their Future”, at the Seminar on “Social Movements in Karnataka,” at National Law School University of India, Bangalore, 6 March, 2010.
- **Guru, Gopal**, Presented paper on “The Idea of ideal in Ambedkar”, in a Conference organized by South Asia Institute, Columbia University, New York, 15-16 October, 2009.
- **Kanungo, Pralay**, Discussed the paper on “The Militia Phenomenon in South Asia”, presented by Christophe Jaffrelot in Seminar organised by Sciences PO India Alumni Association at India International Centre, New Delhi, 16 February, 2009.
- **Kanungo, Pralay**, Chaired Session of Presentations on “Sri Aurobindo Ashram and Vanavasi Kalyan Ashram” in an International Conference on “Hindu Organisations in Education, Health and Development Work,” organized by Indic Studies Project, CSDS and AHRC, UK at Nehru Memorial Museum and Library, New Delhi, 2-4 March, 2010.
- **Kanungo, Pralay**, Chaired Session of Presentation by Maya Warrior on “Krishna Consciousness, Hinduism and Religious Education in Britain”, in an International Conference on “Modern Gurus, Sampradayas and Media Hinduism”, organised by Macheater University, Manchester, 8-9 July, 2009.
- **Kanungo, Pralay**, Discussant of the paper “The Role of Caste identity in the Slum Dwellers in Delhi”, presented by Cyril Robin in Workshop on “Indian Elections 2009,” organized by CSH, at India International Centre, New Delhi, 31 July, 2009.
- **Kanungo, Pralay**, Chaired Session of Shreerekha Subramanian’s Presentation on “Keraleeyatham in the Age of Sattelite Simulacra and Malayalee Diaspora: Consuming the Reality television Hit Series, Idea Star Singer”, in International Conference on “Hindu Transnationalisms: Origins, Ideologies, Networks,” organized by University of Houston, Clear lake, Rice University and AHRC, UK, at Houston, 20-21 November, 2009.
- **Kanungo, Pralay**, Presented paper on “Politics of Rural Development”, in National Seminar on “Innovative Resourcing: Empowering Rural Livelihood”, organised by Synod College, Shillong, November, 2009.
- **Kanungo, Pralay**, Presented paper on “Resource Conflict or Resource War?”, in National Conference on “Resource Conflict in Eastern India,” organised by IIAS, Shimla at Bhubaneswar, 21-22 January, 2010.
- **Kanungo, Pralay**, Presented paper on “Communal Situation in Orissa,” organised by Orissa Gabeshana Chakra, Bhubaneswar, 23 January, 2010.
- **Kanungo, Pralay**, Guest Speaker in the National Conference on “20th Century Orissa”, organised by the Department of History, Utkal University, Bhubneswar, 20-21 February, 2010.
- **Jha, Shefali**, Participated in the Roundtable on Bhikhu Parekh on “Gender and Multiculturalism,” at School of Social Sciences, JNU, 14 September, 2009.
- **Thakur, Manindra N.**, Participated and presented paper “Language, Exclusion and Social Sciences”, in Seminar, organised by Centre for the Study of Social Systems, School of Social Sciences, JNU, New Delhi, January, 2010.
- **Thakur, Manindra N.**, Participated and presented paper in National Seminar on “Challenges: Implications for India,” organized by Shyamlal College, New Delhi, 4-5 February, 2010.
- **Thakur, Manindra N.**, Presented paper “Naxalism and Violence: Thinking Beyond”, in Seminar, organized by the Indian Social Institute, New Delhi, 9 February, 2010.
- **Sarangji, Asha**, Presented paper “Telengana and the Indian Elections 2009: Rhetoric or Reality?”, at the SAMAJ Workshop on “Indian Elections 2009,” at India International Centre, New Delhi, 31 July, 2009.
- **Sarangji, Asha**, Presented paper “Language and Power: A Long View”, at International Seminar on “Endangered Languages in India”, organized by INTACH, SAHITYA ACADEMY, New Delhi, JNU, New Delhi, CIIL, Maysoor and IIC, New Delhi at IIC, New Delhi, 22-23 October, 2009.
- **Sarangji, Asha**, Presented paper “Language(s), Culture(s) and Region(s): Identity Politics in Independent India”,

at the International Seminar on “Language, Culture and Identity: Issues and Challenges”, organized by the Department of Linguistics, Aligarh Muslim University in collaboration with the Central Institute of Indian Languages, Mysore and ICSSSR, New Delhi at Aligarh Muslim University, 8-10 February, 2010.

- **Roy, Anupama**, Presented paper “Sifting, Selecting, Relocating: Citizenship at the Commencement of the Republic” (Occasional Paper, No. 54), at CWDS, New Delhi, September, 2009.
- **Roy, Anupama**, Presented paper “Engendering Political Science: Institutional, Curricular and Pedagogical Issues”, in the Seminar on “Engendering Disciplines: Institutions, Knowledge and Practices,” organized by the Women’s Studies Centre, University of Pune, Pune, 19-20 November, 2009.
- **Roy, Anupama**, Presented papers “Conflict, Violence and Masculinities” and “Conflict and Governance”, at the South Asian Conference on “Conflict, Governance and Masculinities”, organized by the UNIFEM and UNDP in Bangkok, 1-3 February, 2010.
- **Roy, Anupama**, Presented paper “Can there be Just Peace? Breaking Free From a Guided Peace Framework”, at the Conference on “Human Rights: Changing Dimensions,” organized by Panjab University, Chandigarh and Oxford Brookes University, U.K., at Chandigarh, 15-16 February, 2010.
- **Ali, Amir**, Presented Paper “Secularism and Multiculturalism”, at International Seminar on “European and Indian Perspectives on Pluralism and the Public Domain”, held at the Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 10- 12 February, 2010.
- **Lamba, Rinku**, Presented paper “Gandhi’s Conception of Freedom”, at the International Hind Swaraj Conference, organized by the Centre for the Study of Developing Societies, Delhi and the Indian Institute for Advanced Study, Simla, at New Delhi, May, 2009.
- **Lamba, Rinku**, Presented paper “Reflections on the Emergence of a non-Western Variant of Liberalism in India”, at the Max Weber Alumni Conference, organized by the Max Weber Programme in the European University Institute, Florence, Italy, June, 2009.
- **Lamba, Rinku**, Presented paper “The Political Thought of Jotiba Phule and Mahadev Govind Ranade: Reflections on the Emergence of a non-Western Model of Liberalism in India”, at the 104th Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Toronto, Canada, September, 2009.
- **Lamba, Rinku**, Presented paper “The Political Thought of Jotiba Phule and Mahadev Govind Ranade: Reflections on the Emergence of a non-Western Model of Liberalism in India”, at the Workshop on “Comparative Liberalisms,” organized by the Centre for the Study of Developing Societies, Delhi, September, 2009.
- **Lamba, Rinku**, Presented short response paper “State Power at the day-long Roundtable with Professor Bhikhu Parekh”, organized by the Centre for Political Studies, JNU, New Delhi, September, 2009.
- **Lamba, Rinku**, Presented paper “Secularism and the Threat of Neocolonial Governmentality”, at International Conference on “Negotiating and Accommodating Religious Identity”, organized by the Centre for West Asian Studies at Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, February, 2010.
- **Dasgupta, Rajarshi**, Presented paper “Translating Marx”, in National Seminar on “Society and State in Contemporary India: Intersectional Approach to Class Analysis”, hosted by the IIC and Council for Social Development, New Delhi, August, 2009.
- **Dasgupta, Rajarshi**, Presented paper “Technology is Nature: The Political Aesthetics of the film “Ajantrik”, in the Department of English, Delhi University, January, 2010.
- **Dasgupta, Rajarshi**, Participated as discussant in National Seminar on “New Cultural Histories of India”, organised by the Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta, January, 2010.
- **Dasgupta, Rajarshi**, Presented paper “The Ascetic Game: Techniques of Communist Self in India”, in National Seminar on “Constructions of the Self: Theories, Contexts, Practices”, at the Department of English, Hansraj College, New Delhi, February, 2010.
- **Dasgupta, Rajarshi**, Delivered “Keynote Address” at a National Seminar on “Recent Trends in Subaltern Studies,”

at Department of History, Holy Cross College, Thiruchirapalli, 25 February, 2010.

- **Dasgupta, Rajarshi**, Presented paper “The Ascetic Modality: Critique of Communist Self-Fashioning”, in Seminar on “Critical Studies in Politics”, at the Indian Institute of Advanced Studies, Shimla, March, 2010.
- **Dasgupta, Rajarshi**, Presented paper “Politics and Ethics in Communist Practice: From the Margins of the Indian Left”, at a Conference on “Power in Modern India”, organized by Centre for Political Studies, JNU, March, 2010.
- **Dasgupta, Rajarshi**, Delivered Presidential Address in the Modern Andhra History Section (Thirty-Fourth Session), at the “Andhra Pradesh History Congress”, Guntur, 23-24 March, 2010.
- **Gudavarthy, Ajay**, Presented paper “Gandhi versus / and Ambedkar: Reflections on some Social Dilemmas”, at a National Conference on “Ambedkar: A Social Theorist?”, organized by the School of Ambedkar Studies, Lucknow University, Lucknow, 14-15 April, 2009.
- **Gudavarthy, Ajay**, Presented paper “Human Rights, Civil Society and beyond”, at an International Conference on “Understanding Global Dynamics: Citizenship and Civil Society”, organized by CIPACI and Roskilde University, Roskilde, Denmark, 11-12 May, 2009.
- **Gudavarthy, Ajay**, Presented paper “Towards Politicizing Class and Economizing Culture”, at a National Conference on “Intersectionality between Caste, Class and Gender”, organized by CSD and IIC, New Delhi, 20-21 August, 2009.
- **Gudavarthy, Ajay**, Presented paper “Feminist Politics and Legal Subjectivity: Negotiating Civil Society”, at an International Conference on “Interface between Civil Society, Citizenship and Rule of Law,” organized by King’s College, Aberdeen University, Aberdeen, 25-28 August, 2009.
- **Gudavarthy, Ajay**, Presented paper “Globalisation and Regionalisation: Mapping the New Continental Drift”, at an International Conference on “Civil Society and Challenges to Democratic Representation”, organized by Roskilde University, Roskilde, Denmark, 27-28 October, 2009.
- **Gudavarthy, Ajay**, Presented paper “OBCs and Overcoming Stigma”, as theme and organized seminar on “Inequality and Affirmative Action,” Centre for Political Studies, JNU, New Delhi, 9-10 November, 2009.
- **Gudavarthy, Ajay**, Presented paper “Global Human Rights and Framing the Discourse in India”, at a National Seminar on “The Human Rights Discourse in India”, organized by the Dept of Political Science, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 2-3 December, 2009.
- **Gudavarthy, Ajay**, Presented paper “Global Human Rights and Framing the Discourse in India,” at an International Conference, organized by Oxford Brookes University and Punjab University, Chandigarh, 14-15 February, 2010.
- **Gudavarthy, Ajay**, Presented paper “Mapping the Human Rights Discourse in India” at a Seminar on “Human Rights in India: Minorities and Dalits”, organized by Centre for Human Rights, University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad, 20-21 February, 2010.
- **Gudavarthy, Ajay**, Presented paper “Telangana: The State of Popular Aspiration”, at a National Seminar on “The Assertion of New Regions”, organized by the Dept of Political Science, Chandigarh, 22-23 February, 2010.
- **Gudavarthy, Ajay**, Presented paper “Political Identities beyond Identity Politics”, at a National Seminar on “Democracy, Identity and Group Rights”, organized by IIAS, Shillong, 21-22 March, 2010.

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- **Rao, Mohan**, Participated in National Workshop organized in collaboration with the University of Edinburgh, and Centre for Health and Social Justice, New Delhi on 8-9 April, 2009.
- **Rao, Mohan**, Participated as Keynote Speaker on “Snakes and Ladders: The Game of Population Policies in India at the National Convention on ICPD Plus Fifteen, Gains and Gaps: Cairo + 15, New Delhi, 24 -25 November, 2009.

- **Rao, Mohan**, Presented paper on “ICPD Plus Fifteen”, in National Seminar on Violence Against Women and Women’s Health in the North East, Shillong, 27-28 November, 2009.
- **Rao, Mohan**, Presented paper on “Sexuality and Sex Work: Issues and Concerns in the Context of ICPD Plus Fifteen”, Bangalore, 9-10 December, 2009.
- **Rao, Mohan**, Participated as Keynote Speaker “Globalisation and Health: The Indian Case” at the 28th Biannual Meeting of the Indian Association of Home Science, Kolkata, 7 January, 2010.
- **Rao, Mohan**, Participated in the SAMA International Conference on Unraveling the Fertility Industry: Challenges and Strategies for Movement Building, New Delhi, 22-24 January, 2010.
- **Rao, Mohan**, Participated in the Course Development Committee at Sikkim University, Gangtok, 22-23 February, 2010.
- **Nayar, K. R.**, Participated in and presented on “Experience of University partnerships in international public health” in the 12th World Congress on Public Health, Istanbul, Turkey, 27 April – 1 May, 2009.
- **Nayar, K. R.**, Presented paper on “Health for all: A public health framework for sustainable solutions” at Brussels, Belgium, on 26-28 May, 2009.
- **Nayar, K. R.**, Participated in the “Health in Context: A course in multilevel modelling for public health and health services research”, Bielefeld University, Germany, 31 August – 4 September, 2009.
- **Nayar, K. R.**, Participated and chaired the session on “Climate change, health and Gender”, in the Meeting on Understanding Climate Change through the Social Glass, at the Energy Research Institute, British Council, New Delhi, 2-3 February, 2010.
- **Nayar, K. R.**, Participated and chaired the session on Women and Health, in the Seventh Conference of the Indian Association of Social Sciences and Health at Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, 5-7 March, 2010.
- **Nayar, K. R.**, Chaired the roundtable on E-waste handlers and health consequences, at Centre for Education and Communication, New Delhi, 23 March, 2010.
- **Nayar, K. R.**, Participated and Chaired a session on the Access of Urban poor to health, housing and food, in the National Workshop on Social Security for Urban Poor and Informal Sector Workers at V.V. Giri National Labour Institute, Noida, 29-30 March, 2010.
- **Acharya, Sanghmitra, S.**, Health of the Elderly in India – Come Issues and Concerns paper presented in the seminar on Health and Wellbeing of the Elderly. Fisher Center of Wellbeing and Gerontology, Ball State University, Muncie, Indiana US. 2 – 3 April, 2009
- **Acharya, Sanghmitra, S.**, Social Inequalities in health Care Access in India paper presented in Seminar on Asian Cultures- Reflection on Development. Center of Multicultural Studies, Ball State University, Muncie, Indiana US 12 April, 2009.
- **Acharya, Sanghmitra, S.**, Health and Sexuality among Youth- What makes American Youth Different from Asian? International Diversity Conference. Paper presented. Center of Multicultural Studies and International Association of Foreign Students, Ball State University, Muncie, Indiana US 23 April, 2009.
- **Acharya, Sanghmitra, S.**, Health and Health Care among indigenous People in India – Conference on Culture and Diversities. Ball State Museum and Department of Anthropology. Ball state University, Muncie, Indiana US 2 – 3 May, 2009.
- **Acharya, Sanghmitra, S.**, National seminar on Social Exclusion and Discrimination. Paper titled ‘Access to Health Care among Dalit Children – Exploring Issues of Social Exclusion and Discrimination in Selected Villages of Rajasthan’ paper presented. Institute of Development Studies, Jaipur, Rajasthan, India 15 – 16 November, 2009
- **Bisht, Ramila**, Participated in the discussion on Accessible Healthcare - A Reality Check’, organized by Technopak Leadership Forum (TLF), at The Taj Palace, Delhi, 9 October, 2009.

- **Bisht, Ramila**, Participated in the National Workshop on Policies and Strategies for Inclusive Development in India, organised by IHD, New Delhi and Oxfam, India, at India Islamic Centre, Lodhi Road, New Delhi, 23-24 November, 2009.
- **Bisht, Ramila**, Participated in the Colloquium on BT Brinjal, organised by CSMCH and Hazards Centre, New Delhi on 27 January, 2010.
- **Dasgupta, Rajib**, Participated in the Expert Group Meeting for Developing IEC Materials for Health Workers and Training Cascade under the NRHM, organized by WHO and Government of India, New Delhi on 1 May, 2009.
- **Dasgupta, Rajib**, Participated in the National Workshop to Develop Communication Strategy for Safe Injection Practices, at the National Institute of Health and Family Welfare, New Delhi on 29 August, 2009.
- **Dasgupta, Rajib**, Participated in the Health in Context. A Course in Multilevel Modelling for Public Health and Health Services Research, at the School of Public Health, University of Bielefeld, Germany, 31 August – 4 September, 2009.
- **Dasgupta, Rajib**, Participated in the Cross-learnings between the National AIDS Control Programme and the National Rural Health Mission, New Delhi, 27 November, 2009.
- **Reddy, Sunita**, Participated as Facilitator to discussion on the Spheres Project India for Minimum Standards & Humanitarian Perspectives in Disaster Response organized by Spheres Project and NDMA, Patna, during 7-9 April, 2009.
- **Reddy, Sunita**, Organized a panel and Chaired a session on “Disasters and Development: An Anthropological Enquiry from Policy to Practice” for The International Union of Anthropological and Ethnological Sciences (IUAES 2009), Kunming, China on 27-31 July, 2009.
- **Reddy, Sunita**, Participated in a meeting on Resilience Post Tsunami in the Indian Ocean, organized by United Nations International Strategy Disaster Reduction (UNISDR), Bangkok, Thailand, 15-16 September, 2009.
- **Reddy, Sunita**, Presented paper on “Medical Tourism in India: Implications for medical care” in a conference on Celebrating 50 years of Medical Anthropology: Intersections and Interdisciplinarity, organized by Society for Medical Association (SMA) at Yale University, USA, 22-26 September, 2009.
- **Reddy, Sunita**, Presented paper on “Contribution of Anthropology to Disaster studies” at Second India Disaster Management Congress, New Delhi, 4-6 November, 2009.
- **Reddy, Sunita**, Presented paper on “Minimum standards on food and Nutrition in Emergency” at a Conference on the Minimum Standards of Food, Water, Medical Cover, Sanitation & Hygiene and Psycho-Social Support in Disaster Relief, organized at Uttar Pradesh Academy of Administration & Management (UPAAM), Lucknow, UP on 11-12 November, 2009.
- **Reddy, Sunita**, Presented paper on “Doubly Displaced: Rehabilitation of Nicobarese and settlers post tsunami in Andaman and Nicobar Islands” in a workshop on The New Piracy: Rehabilitation of Natural Disaster-affected and Development-affected Communities in South Asia organized by Vivekananda Institute of Indian Studies and University of IOWA, USA at Mysore on 20-21 November, 2009.
- **Reddy, Sunita**, Presented paper on “Chemical Disasters- PH consequences and responses” in a Conference on Chemical (Industrial) Disaster Management: Global Perspective, organized by NDMA, FICCI at Convention Centre, Renaissance, Powai, Mumbai in Bombay, during 15-16 February, 2010.

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- **Desai, Pranav**, Presented a paper titled “Globalization, Innovation and Social Capital: Changing Nature of Indo-French S&T Cooperation Policy”, in the Atlanta Conference on Science, Technology and Innovation Policy, organised by Georgia Tech, Atlanta, USA, 2-3 October, 2009.

- **D'Souza, Rohan**, Presented a paper titled "From Damming Rivers to Linking Waters: Is this the beginning of the end of Supply-Side Hydrology in India?" in the The Currents of Power: Water and the New World Order, at Centre for Advanced Studies, Oslo, Norway, 20-21 April, 2009.
- **D'Souza, Rohan**, Presented a paper titled "Human Security Issues in South Asia (Indian Water Conflicts)" in the International Cultural Studies, at Tohoku University, Japan, 14 January 2010.
- **Bhaduri, Saradindu**, Presented a paper titled "Exploring the dynamics of drug launch in pre-TRIPS India: A survival analysis approach" in the 5th Annual Conference on Economic Growth and Development, at Indian Statistical Institute, New Delhi, 16-18 December, 2009 (with Thomas Brenner).
- **Govind, Madhav**, Participated in Refresher course in Gandhian Studies organized by Academic Staff College, Rajasthan University, Jaipur, Rajasthan 20 July - 8 August, 2009.
- **Govind, Madhav**, Presented a paper titled "Modern Science and Indigenous Techniques: Exploring the Discourse on Production of Knowledge in India", in the National Seminar on Repositioning 'Subalternity' in Globalized India: The Dynamics of Social Inclusion organized by Centre for Study of Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, 19-21 November, 2009.
- **Govind, Madhav**, Presented a paper titled "National Innovation Systems in India and South Korea" in the Second India-Korea Roundtable on India-Korea Economic Cooperation in the Midst of Global Slowdown organized by Centre for East Asian Studies, School of International Studies, JNU, New Delhi, 24 April, 2009.
- **Govind, Madhav**, Presented a paper titled "Transmission of Knowledge and Skills in Academic Science: An Exploration in to Ph.D. Training Programme in the Indian University" in the Second Peoples Education Congress on Science Education in India organized by Peoples Council of Education and Homi Bhabha Centre for Science Education, TIFR, Mumbai, 5-8 October, 2009.

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- **Chadha, G.K.**, "Reform of the International Economic Architecture", Ditchley Foundation Conference, Oxforshire, UK, 14-16 December, 2009.
- **Chadha, G.K.**, "The Global Financial Crisis: Implications for Higher Education around the World", Universities Australia Annual Education Conference, Canberra: 3-5 March, 2010.
- **Chadha, G.K.**, Participated in the Annual Conference of the Indian Association of Social Science Institutions (IASSI), Chennai, 19 March, 2010.
- **Akhtar, R.** "International Association on Studies", Leh, Ladakh, 20-23 July, 2009.
- **Akhtar, R.**, "National Conference on Climate Change, Glacial Retreat and Livelihood", Srinagar 13-15 October, 2009.
- **Akhtar, R.**, "Conference on Climate Change", Indian Institute of Technology, Delhi 5-6 March, 2010.
- **Akhtar, R.**, "International Symposium Developing Countries facing Global Warming: a Post-Kyoto Assessment", Brussels, 11-13 June, 2009.
- **Akhtar, R.**, Attended Meeting on Climate Change and Human Health, TERI, New Delhi 8 April, 2009.
- **Akhtar, R.**, Attended Meeting on Climate Change: Agenda for Copenhagen, 13 September, 2009.
- **Akhtar, R.**, "International Workshop on Food Security in the Mountains", University of Bern, Switzerland, 20-25 March, 2010.
- **Singh, H.**, "Environmental Issues and Changing Society in Hill Areas of South Asia", Department of Geography & Archaeology, Queen's University Belfast Northern Ireland UK, 10 June, 2009.
- **Singh, H.**, "Evolution & Development of Himalayan Towns with Special Reference to Leh Town", National Seminar on History of Urbanization, Nehru Institute of Advance Studies JNU, New Delhi, 10 April, 2009.
- **Singh, H.**, "Some Issues of Environment and Agriculture", Key-note address in National Seminar on Agriculture, Environment and Poverty Jain College, Barut, Uttar Pradesh, 2 February, 2010.

- **Singh, H.** (with M.C. Sharma, P.S Dhinwa, S.K. Pathan & Ajai), “Use of Geo-informatics for Desertification Status Mapping: A Case Study of Chharap Chhu Watershed in Cold Desert of Himachal Pradesh”, National Conference on Climate Change: Coastal Ecosystems with Special Session on Planetary Geomatics, Space Applications Centre, ISRO, Ahmedabad, 4 – 6 February, 2010.
- **Singh, H.**, “Some Aspects of Environment and Population Linkages with Special Reference to North-West India”, Inaugural Address National Seminar on Population Environment Linkages with reference to North-west India held at Punjab University Chandigarh, 9 March, 2010.
- **Srivastava, R.**, “Women, Work and Employment Outcomes in Rural India”, International FAO-ILO-IFAD Workshop on “Gender and Rural Employment: Differentiated Pathways Out of Poverty”, Rome, 30 March -2 April, 2009.
- **Srivastava, R.**, “Social Protection in India” at the India-China joint seminar on ‘The Economic Development of India and China – and their Globalisation Challenges’, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, Beijing, 28-30 April, 2009.
- **Srivastava, R.**, “Migration, Remittances & Development Nexus in South Asia”, Institute for Policy studies, Colombo, 4-5 May, 2009.
- **Kulkarni, P.M.**, “Poverty and Unmet Need for Contraception in India- A Disaggregated Analysis of Some Recent Data”, at the Seminar on “Fertility and Poverty”, University of Southampton, Southampton, U.K., 27-29 January, 2010.
- **Dubey, A.**, “Relationship between Size of the Urban Settlement and Incidence on Poverty and Hunger Poverty”, Urban International Conference on Poverty in Medium and Small Cities of Developing Countries, Brussels, 26 October, 2009.
- **Dubey, A.**, “Why Growth is not Inclusive? Consumption and Poverty among Adivasis in India”, Institute of Social Studies, The Hague, October, 2009.
- **Sood, A.**, “Political Economy of Fiscal Federalism in India”, panel on Power Sharing in Multi-Ethnic States, Conference of the International Union of Sociological and Anthropological Studies, Kunming, China, 27 July, 2009.
- **Sood, A.**, “Social Gap in Access to Health and Education in Punjab: Some Policy Considerations”, Special Meeting of the Punjab Governance Reforms Commission with High Commissioner of Canada, 13 October, 2009.
- **Mishra, D.K.**, “Institutional Diversity and Economic Transformation: State, Market, and Community in Arunachal Pradesh, India”, Annual Conference of the British Association for South Asian Studies, University of Edinburgh, Edinburgh, 30 March – 1 April, 2009.
- **Mishra, D.K.**, “Invisible Chains? Crisis in Tea Industry and ‘Unfreedom’ of Labour in Tea Plantations”, Annual Conference of the British Association of South Asian Studies, at the University of Warwick, Warwick, UK, 29-31 March, 2010.
- **Sreekesh, S.**, “Assessing Groundwater Vulnerability to Sea Level Rise and Impact on Livelihood: A Case of Lakshadweep Islands, Indian Ocean” (with J Sundaresan), MOCA-09, the IAMAS-IAPSO-IACS 2009 Joint Assembly, held at Montréal, Canada, 19 – 29 July, 2009.
- **Punia, M.** (With Chandna, P.), “Factors Affecting the Concentration of Nitrates in Groundwater in the Rice-Wheat Cropping System of India: A Geo-Spatial Approach”, American Society of Agronomy Annual Conference held at Colorado, USA, 1-3 November, 2009.
- **Pani, P.**, “Land Degradation and Livelihoods in Fragile Environments: A Study on Chambal Valley, India” Annual Conference of The British Association of South Asian Studies (BASAS) held at the University of Warwick, UK, 28-30 March, 2010.
- **Himanshu**, “Food Security in India: Challenges and Prospects”, at International Conference on ‘AGRIMONDE: What Kind of Agriculture in 2050’ Organised by Ministry of Agriculture, INRA and CIRAD, Paris, 26-27 August, 2009.

- **Vemuri, M.D.**, Discussion on “Report on Questions Raised in Parliament by MPs” at Indian Association for Parliamentarians in Population and Development, New Delhi, 26 September, 2009.
- **Vemuri, M.D.**, Dissemination Meeting “Youth in India: Situation and Needs Study”, The Population Council and IIPS, New Delhi, 20 February, 2010.
- **Vemuri, M.D.**, Symposium on “Millennium Development Goals and Human Development in India: Achievements and Challenges”, New Delhi, 9 March, 2010.
- **Vemuri, M.D.**, The Eleventh JRD Tata Memorial Oration. Population Foundation of India, New Delhi, 26 March, 2010.
- **Raju, S.**, Honorary Director, Women Studies Program, School of Social Sciences, 31 July, 2009-10.
- **Raju, S.**, Chaired a Session on “Issues Related to Measures of Gender Disparities” Seminar on Demography: International Perspectives and Challenges in India Seminar on Demography, IIPS, Mumbai, 12-13 February, 2010.
- **Raju, S.**, Discussant in National conference on “Demographic Convergence, Demographic Dividend, Population Ageing and Implications for Health and Socio-Economic Transformations: Special focus on South Indian States” Chennai, 25-27 March, 2010.
- **Srivastava, R. S.**, Participation on behalf of the Indian Council for Social Science Research, International Conference of the International Social Science Association, Bergen New York, and Meeting of the International Forum of Funding Agencies, Bergen, Norway, 11-13 May, 2009.
- **Srivastava, R.**, “Financial Crisis and Financial Reforms in India” at the Fifth Annual Conference of Uttar Pradesh-Uttarakhand Economic Association jointly organised by G.B. Pant Institute, Jhushi, Allahabad and Department of Economics, Allahabad University, 24-25 October, 2009 (Keynote Paper).
- **Srivastava, R.**, “Economic Geography and Development: Some observations on India’s Experience”, Annual Conference of the Indian Economic Association. Bhubaneswar. 27-29 December, 2009 (Invited Keynote Paper).
- **Srivastava, R.**, “Skill Development in the Unorganised Sector and the NCEUS”, Special Seminar at the Institute of Applied Manpower Research Seminar Series. Planning Commission, February, 2010.
- **Srivastava, R.**, International Consultation on Human Development in India: Emerging Issues and Policy Perspectives, IHD Panellist on Social Protection. 5-6 February, 2010.
- **Srivastava, R.**, “Social Protection in South Asia”, Conference by UNESCO-ICSSR, Delhi, March, 2010. (Coordinator).
- **Srivastava, R.**, “Economic Crisis Management: Survival and Growth”, Conference at Motilal Nehru National Institute, 12-13 March, 2010 (Plenary Address).
- **Kulkarni, P.M.**, “How Well has India’s Family Planning/Welfare Programme meet Contraceptive Needs of the Poor?” at Development Convention, Institute for Social and Economic Change, Bangalore, 21-23 January, 2010.
- **Kulkarni, P.M.**, “Why is the Sex Ratio at Birth more Imbalanced in Urban Areas in India?”, at Workshop on “Undesired Daughters: The Paradox of Modern India”, University of Lund, and University of Delhi, at the India International Centre, New Delhi, 12-13 February, 2010.
- **Butola, B.S.**, Chaired a Session on “Microfinance, Inclusive Growth and Development in Rural India”, 2009.
- **Butola, B.S.**, Chaired Two Sessions on Natural Resource and Grass Roots Development in the Panchachulee Area, Uttarakhand and a Valedictory Address, 2009.
- **Butola, B.S.**, Indira Gandhi National Open University Expert Committee on Curriculum Development for Post Graduate Degree in the School of Extension and Development Studies, 23-24 October, 2009.
- **Butola, B.S.**, DD1, DD Bharti and Gyan Darshan Geography for Class IX and Class X, NCERT, New Delhi, 19 November, 2009.
- **Butola, B.S.**, “(De) materialisation of Water Resources” in International Seminar on Water Resource Conservation, Department of Geography, NEHU, Shillong, 23-24 November, 2009.
- **Butola, B.S.**, Advisory Committee Meeting in the Department of Geography, NEHU, Shillong, 25 November, 2009.

- **Butola, B.S.**, Chaired Academic Session-II of the National Seminar on Higher Education and Empowerment of Dalits in Post Independence India, 6 December, 2009.
- **Butola, B.S.**, Syllabus Preparation for Under Graduate, Post- Graduate and attending BPGS meeting, Indira Gandhi National Tribal University, Amarkantak, Madhya Pradesh, 30-31 January, - 1 February, 2010.
- **Butola, B.S.**, NCERT National Telecast on Class 12th Geography Books, 25 February, 2010.
- **Butola, B.S.**, Chairperson in a Session on Social Research in North-East India: Issues and Challenges organised by North East India Study Programme, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, 25 February, 2010.
- **Butola, B.S.**, ICSSR: Core Committee Meeting on Progress in Human Geography with Special Reference to Economic Geography, 2 March, 2010.
- **Butola, B.S.**, CAS Meeting, Department of Geography, Punjab University, Chandigarh, 10 March, 2010.
- **Dubey, A.**, "Is Inclusive Growth Working? A Disaggregated Analysis of Poverty among Adivasis in India", International Seminar on Adivasi/St Communities in India: Development and Change, New Delhi, 27-29 August, 2009.
- **Dubey, A.**, Visited Institute of Social Studies, The Hague during 28 October, - 3 November, 2009.
- **Dubey, A.**, "Education and Work Participation of Women and Household Poverty Status in Bihar", International Seminar on Women, Employment and Poverty in Bihar, Patna, 7-8 November, 2009.
- **Dubey, A.**, "Labour Market in NER: Emerging Issues", Workshop on Researchable Labour market Issue in NER, organised by V. V. Giri National Labour Institute, Agartala, 19-20 November, 2009.
- **Dubey, A.**, "Labour Market Integration: Some Issues", National Seminar on Integrating North-East with Main Stream, organised by Lucknow University, Lucknow, 21-22 November, 2009.
- **Dubey, A.**, "Health Expenditure and Poverty: Regional Dimension", National Seminar on Institutional Aspects of Pro-poor Policy: Revising the Indian Poverty Line, organised by ISEC, Bangalore, 15 December, 2009.
- **Dubey, A.**, Visited School of International Studies, University of East Anglia, Norwich, UK during 15 June, – 18 July, 2009, 25 September, - 5 October, 2009 and 26 December, 2009 - 6 January, 2010.
- **Dubey, A.**, Visited Department of Economics, Aarhus University, Aarhus, 7-25 January, 2010.
- **Dubey, A.**, "Socio-religious Group Disparities in Levels of Living (in India): Is Positive Discrimination an Effective Policy Option?", National Seminar on Muslim Situation in India: Contemporary Questions, organised by Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta Eastern Regional Centre (ERC) of ICSSR, Kolkata, 24-26 February, 2010.
- **Sinha, S.**, "Research Methodology for the Study of Social Inclusion in Social Delivery", UNICEF-IIDS, India Habitat Centre, New Delhi, 2-3 June, 2009.
- **Sinha, S.**, "Higher Education in India: Critiquing Recommendations of the National Knowledge Commission and Yashpal Committee's Report", Second Foundation Day Lectures, Sikkim Central University, Gangtok, 10 August, 2009.
- **Sinha, S.**, "Women, Poverty and Health in Bihar: Evidences from NFHS", IHD Seminar on Poverty in Bihar, A. N. Sinha Institute of Social Sciences, Patna, 8 November, 2009.
- **Sinha, S.**, "Perspectives on Research Programmes in Social Sciences", National Workshop on MPhil/PhD Programmes in Social Sciences and Policy, A. N. Sinha Institute of Social Sciences, Patna, 12 November, 2009.
- **Sinha, S.**, "Policy perspectives on Higher Education in India", Panel discussion on Policy as Foundation of Education, National University of Educational Planning & Administration, New Delhi, 4 December, 2009.
- **Sinha, S.**, "Public Private Partnership in Higher Education in India", Workshop of College Principals, NUEPA, New Delhi, January, 2010.

- **Sinha, S.**, “Status of Health among the Muslims in India”, National Seminar on Muslim Situation in India, CSSSC, Kolkata, 24 February, 2010.
- **Sood, A.**, “Search for a Blue Print?” Key Note Speaker at the discussion on 2009 Citizens’ Report, India International Centre, New Delhi, 6 April, 2009
- **Sood, A.**, “Food Governance in India”, Seminar on ‘The Food Question in the Time of Crises: Policy Discourse for the Developing World’ organised by the Centre for Trade and Development, Delhi India, 11 April, 2009.
- **Sood, A.**, Resource Person at the Training Workshop on Trade Issues and Econometric Tools at the UNCTAD-MOIC-DFID Project on Strategies and Preparedness for Trade and Globalization in India, Department of Economics, Mizoram University, Imphal, India, 18 May, 2009.
- **Sharma M.C.**, “Mountains, Meteorology, Millennium & Man”, Atal Behari Vajpayee Institute of Mountaineering & Allied Sports, Manali, 4 June, 2009.
- **Sharma M.C.**, “Quartz Surface Texture, Micro Fabric Analysis and X-Ray Diffraction in Differentiating Quaternary Sedimentary Environments”, Advance Instrumentation Facility, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, 18 August, 2009.
- **Sharma M.C.** “Status of Glaciers in Miyar Basin- from 1 to 10,000 Years Ago”, Space Applications Centre, ISRO, Ahmedabad, 21 August, 2009.
- **Sharma M.C.**, “Understanding Himalayan Glaciers & Climate Change: From 2009 TO 9000 Years Ago”, Seminar on the “Himalayan Glaciers and Mekong Basin”, Tibetan Parliamentary and Policy Research Centre, South Asian Network on Dams, River & People and Water Watch Alliance Friday India International Centre, 13 November, 2009.
- **Sharma M.C.**, “Mis-OR-Understood? The Himalayan Glaciers & Climate Change”, Shahid Bhagat Singh (Evening) College, DU, Symposium on Understanding the Global Climate Change, 23 November, 2009.
- **Sharma M.C.**, “Response of Himalayn Glaciers to Climate Change”, Management and Development Institute, Gurgaon, 28 November, 2009.
- **Sharma M.C.**, “Sgns or Politics of Global Warming?” Round Table Meeting on Climate Change at the School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, 12 December, 2009.
- **Sharma M.C.** (jointly with Harjit Singh, P.S Dhinwa, S.K. Pathan & Ajai), “Use of Geo-informatics for Desertification Status Mapping: A Case Study of Chharap Chhu Watershed in Cold Desert of Himachal Pradesh”, National Conference on Climate Change : Coastal Ecosystems with Special Session on Planetary Geomatics, Space Applications Centre, ISRO, Ahmedabad, 4 – 6 February, 2010.
- **Mishra, D. K.**, 2009. “The Political Economy of Agrarian Change in Arunachal Pradesh”, International Seminar on Adivasi/ST Communities in India: Development and Change organised by Institute of Human Development, New Delhi, 27-29 August, 2009.
- **Mishra, D. K.**, “Interrogating “Community Management”: State, Market and Community in Arunachal’s Agrarian Transition” in National Seminar on ‘Assimilation and Alienation of North-Eastern States in Historical Perspective and Contemporary Situation’ organised by the Department of Western History, University of Lucknow, Lucknow, 20-21 November, 2009.
- **Mishra, D. K.**, “Emerging Challenges in Mountain Economies”, Key Note Paper, 42nd Annual Conference of the Regional Science Association of India at Government College, Bomdila, Arunachal Pradesh, 3-5 February, 2010.
- **Sreekesh, S.**, “Himalayan Glaciers and Mekong Basin” Seminar organised by Tibetan Parliamentary and Policy Research Centre, South Asian Network on Dams, River & People and Water Watch Alliance at India International Centre, New Delhi, on 13 November, 2009.

- **Sreekesh, S.**, “Implications of Sea Level Rise: A Case Study of Kavaratti Island”, (jointly with Sarath Babu M G, and J Sundaresan Pillai), 31st Indian Geography Congress on Environment, Culture and Development, at Dept of Geography, Rani Durgavati Vishwavidyalaya, Jabalpur, M. P., 19-21 November, 2009.
- **Sreekesh, S.**, “Scientific Strategies for Protection and Preservation of Wetlands in India” , National Conference Organised by School of Environmental Sciences, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, on during 11-12 January, 2010.
- **Sreekesh, S.**, Participated in the special event of the Delhi Sustainable Development Summit (DSDS) 2010 on “Celebrating International Year of Biodiversity organized by UNESCO, WFP and TERI at India Habitat Centre, Lodhi Road, New Delhi, on 4 February, 2010.
- **Sen, S.**, Taught a Graduate Seminar Course with Tomas Koontz (Autumn 2009). Ecosystem Management Policy (Course No. 835). 5 credit hours in School of Environment and Natural Resources, Ohio State University, U.S.A., 2009.
- **Punia, M.** “Monitoring Climate Using Geospatial Approach”, National Conference on Climate Change, Livelihood and Food Security Organised by IDS, Jaipur on 8-9 June, 2009.
- **Punia, M.**, “Social Vulnerability of BPL Population in Delhi”, German –Indian Expert Seminar on Urbanisation and Global Change- EHRIG held at SPA, New Delhi, on 07 November, 2009.
- **Punia, M.**, “GeoModeling on Google Earth”, ITPI, New Delhi, 23 – 26 November, 2009.
- **Punia, M.**, “Geovisualisation of landscape”, Indo-US Forum Workshop on Geo-spatial Technologies and Applications at IIT-Mumbai on 17 December, 2009.
- **Bathla, S.**, “Economic Reforms and Price Transmission in the World and Domestic Agriculture Markets”, Annual Conference of the Indian Society of Agricultural Marketing held during November, 2009.
- **Bathla, S.** (with R K Sharma), “The Rise of Fresh Food Retail Chains: Impact on Farmers, 92nd Annual Conference of the Indian Economic Association held Bhubaneswar, during 27-29, December, 2009.
- **Banerjee, A.**, “Influence of Socio-economic and Demographic Factors on Incidence of Childhood Pneumonia (ALRI), and Treatment Seeking Behaviour in West Bengal: A Micro-Level Analysis of a more and a less Developed District”, 31st Annual Conference of the Indian Association for the Study of Population, Tirupati, 3-5 November, 2009.
- **Banerjee, A.**, Resource Person in conducting UNIFEM Evaluation Study on “Implementation Strategies for Combatting Trafficking of Women and Children in South Asia: Goa Chapter”, UNIFEM, Panaji, Goa, 6-9 October, 2009.
- **Banerjee, A.**, “Population and Environment Interlinkages and Interactions: Contemporary Challenges to India’s Development”, International Conference on Environment, Resource and Regional Development, Department of Geography, University of Burdwan, 8-9 March, 2010.
- **Zutshi, B.**, “Managing Conflicts through Regional Trade Cooperation, A Case Study of ASEAN and SAARC”, International Conference on “Eurasian Peace and Cooperation: Challenges and Opportunities” organized by Central Asian Studies Centre, Kashmir University, Srinagar, Jammu and Kashmir, 17-19 August, 2009.
- **Zutshi, B.** (with M.C. Paul, GAE), “Consumer Redressal System in India: Issues, Challenges and opportunities”, Co-coordinated a National Seminar Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, 12-13 March, 2010.
- **Zutshi, B.**, “Consumer Redressal Mechanism in India- What Statistics Reveal”, in National Seminar on “Consumer Redressal System in India: Issues, Challenges and opportunities” Organised by Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, 12-13 March, 2010.
- **Zutshi, B.**, Presented Evaluation Report of UNIFEM Anti-Trafficking Programme in South Asia, 2000-2009, at UNIFEM, Defence Colony, New Delhi, 16 March, 2010.
- **Das, D.N.**, “A Contextual Relationship Technique on for Sharpening the Spatial Resolution of Thermal Image”, Paper Presented in 10th ESRI Conference, Radisan, Hotel, Noida, 28-29 April, 2009.

- **Das, D.N.**, “Multifaceted Dimensions of Poverty: A study on Delhi”, Paper Presented in Workshop on Poverty and Unemployment at Bhim Rao Ambedkar College, University of Delhi, Delhi, 19 November, 2009.
- **Das, D.N.**, “Role of Consumers Fora: Issues, Challenges and Opportunities”, JNU, New Delhi, 12-13 March, 2010.
- **Das, D.N.**, “Dimensions of Poverty - An Assessment for Identifying Target Groups: A Study On Delhi” , Paper Presented in National Workshop on Social Security for Urban Poor and Informal Sector Workers in India, V V Giri National Labour Institute, NOIDA, 29 - 30 March, 2010.
- **Pani, P.**, “Application of Remote Sensing and GIS to Understand the Land Degradation and Socio Economic Status in Chambal Valley India”, 22nd Annual Conference of the Indian Institute of Geomorphologists(IGI), Allahabad, 29 - 31 October, 2009.
- **Das, B.**, Participated in a National Seminar on Role of Consumer Fora: Issues, Challenges and Opportunities at JNU, 12-13 March, 2010.
- **Das, B.**, Paper Presented in National seminar on Population Development and Environment in Benaras Hindu University on Age Structure: Regional Variations and its Implications, 17-20 March, 2010.
- **Himanshu**, “Towards New Poverty Lines for India”, Indian Statistical Institute Economics Seminar, New Delhi, 12 February, 2010.
- **Himanshu**, “Political Economy of Food Security”, South Global Meeting organised by Action Aid, New Delhi, 23-25 February, 2010.
- **Himanshu**, “Towards New Poverty Lines for India”, Urban Workshop Series, Centre for Policy Research, New Delhi, 30 March, 2010.
- **Himanshu**, “Towards New Poverty Lines for India”, Annual Winter School organised by Delhi School of Economics, 11 December, 2009.
- **Himanshu**, “Towards New Poverty Lines for India”, at Seminar on Institutional Aspects of Pro-Poor Policy: Revising the Indian Poverty Line organised by Institute for Social and Economic Change in collaboration with the London School of Economics (LSE) and Oxford University, UK, Bangalore, 15 December, 2009.
- **Himanshu**, Background Paper for the Expert Group to Review the Methodology for Estimation of Poverty, Government of India (Tendulkar Committee Report) 2009.
- **Himanshu**, Background paper for the Expert Group on a Viable and Sustainable System of Pricing of Petroleum Products, Government of India (Kirit Parekh Committee Report), 2009.

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- **Oommen, T. K.**, Presented Paper “Identity, Terror and the Other: Prospects for South Asian Identity,” WISCOMP, India International Centre, New Delhi, 25 May, 2009.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, Keynote address to the International Seminar on ‘Creating an Inclusive Constitution for Nepal’, Kathmandu, 25 June, 2009.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, “Marginalisation of Dalits in Economy and the Private Sector,” organised by Federation of SCs & STs, at India International Centre, New Delhi, 10 August, 2009.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, Participated and Presented Paper “Stitching a Decent Wage across Borders”, organized by Asian Floor Wage Alliance, at Constitution Club, New Delhi, 6 October, 2009.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, Participated in Discussion on “Human Development Report, 2009”, India International Centre, New Delhi, 1 November, 2009.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, Delivered lecture in the National Seminar on ‘Muslim Minority and Education’ at the National University of Educational Planning and Administration, New Delhi, 5 November, 2009.

- **Oommen, T. K.**, Participated in Discussion on “Unfreedom and Wage Work: Labour in India’s Manufacturing Industry,” organized by Book Discussion Group, at India International Centre, New Delhi, 11 November, 2009.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, Delivered Keynote address to the National Seminar on ‘Alienation of Indian Muslims: Causes and Consequences’, Department of Sociology, Jamia Milia Islamia, New Delhi, 17 November, 2009.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, Addressed to the 11th Asian Security Conference, Institute for Defence and Security Analysis, New Delhi, 12 February, 2010.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, Participated in “Discussion on National Commission for Religious and Linguistic Minorities” (Ranganath Misra Commission Report), Constitution Club, 9 March, 2010.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, Delivered Keynote address to the International Seminar on ‘Language, Culture and Identity’, Department Of Linguistics, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, 8 February, 2010.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, Delivered Keynote address to the International Seminar on ‘Negotiating and Accommodating Religious Identity in Public Arena: Comparing Indian and European Experiences with Special Reference to Muslim Minorities’, Centre for West Asian Studies, Jamia Milia Islamia, New Delhi, 10 February, 2010.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, Delivered Keynote address to the National Conference on ‘Exclusionary Perspectives for Muslims and Marginalized Groups’, Centre for the Study of Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy, Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Hyderabad, 22 February, 2010.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, Delivered Inaugural address to the International Seminar on ‘Globalization, Culture and Society: Challenges, Policies and Interventions’, Department of Sociology, University of Pune, 23 February, 2010.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, Delivered Keynote address to the National Seminar on ‘Social Research in North East India: Issues and Challenges’, North East India Studies Programme, JNU, 25 February, 2010.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, Delivered Keynote address to the Conference on ‘Perspectives on Multiculturalism: Soviet and Post-Soviet Central Asia’, Academy of Third World Studies, Jamia Milia Islamia, New Delhi, 17 March, 2010.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, Delivered Keynote address to the Conference on ‘Struggles of the Excluded Communities in the New Liberal Era’, Lyola College of Social Sciences, Trivandrum, 22 March, 2010.
- **Ram, Nandu**, Participated in Meeting of Advisory Committee of the SAP, Department of Sociology, North Bengal University, Siliguri, West Bengal, 4 March, 2010.
- **Ram, Nandu**, Delivered Keynote address to National Seminar on Ambedkar Vision of Welfare States and Minorities: Histrographical Discourse at Baba Saheb Ambedkar National Institute of Social Sciences, MHOW, Indore, 25-26 March, 2010.
- **Haq, Ehsanul**, Participated in the discussion on the “Barriers in Secondary Education of Muslim Girls,” NCERT, New Delhi, 3-4 September, 2009.
- **Haq, Ehsanul**, Presented paper on ‘Schooling System and Political Attitude Formation: A Sociological Study,’ in a National Seminar on Social Science Research in Kashmir, University of Kashmir. 4-6 September, 2009.
- **Haq, Ehsanul**, Presented paper on ‘Schooling and Social Exclusion,’ in a National Seminar on Repositioning Subalternity in Global India, Centre for the study of Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy, BHU, Varanasi, 19-21 November, 2009.
- **Haq, Ehsanul**, Presented Paper on ‘Human Rights Education,’ in a National Seminar on Human Rights and Social Security in the Age of Globalization, organized by Academic Staff College, Jamia University, New Delhi, 24-25 November, 2009.
- **Haq, Ehsanul**, Chaired a session of a National Seminar on ‘Human Rights and Social Security,’ Academic Staff College, Jamia, New Delhi, 24-25 November, 2009.
- **Haq, Ehsanul**, Participate in a debate on the “Role of Education in Empowering the Marginalized Groups,” organized by Dr. Ambedkar Chair in Sociology, Centre for the Study of Social Systems, School of Social Sciences, JNU, New Delhi, 6-7 December, 2009.

- **Kumar, Anand**, Chaired Lohia Centenary Lecture 'Democracy in South Asia' by Prof. Paul Brass, 16 April, 2009.
- **Kumar, Anand**, Delivered lecture on "Challenges of Electoral Reforms," Constitution Club, New Delhi, 26 April, 2009.
- **Kumar, Anand**, 'Saving Girl Child from Female Feticide,' conference organized by Central Social Welfare Board, New Delhi, 12 August, 2009.
- **Kumar, Anand**, "Towards Non-violent World Order," Gandhi Memorial Conference, The Hague, 29 October, 2009.
- **Nongbri, Tiplut**, Presented paper 'Identifying Scope and Constraints in Development', in a seminar on 'strengthening Development Initiatives in North-East India', organized by Educational Development of North-Eastern Region Unit, IGNOU, New Delhi, October, 2009.
- **Nongbri, Tiplut**, Presented paper 'Colonialism, Christianity and Tribes' in a departmental seminar at the Centre for Study of Social Systems, JNU, January, 2010.
- **Nongbri Tiplut**, delivered a Lecture 'Marginality and North-East India' at the Refresher Course in Sociology, Academic Staff College, JNU, March, 2010.
- **Nongbri, Tiplut**, Chaired a session at international seminar 'India and Cross-Cultural Approaches to Marginality', organized by the Centre for English Studies, School of Languages and Literature, Culture and Society, JNU, March, 2010.
- **Nongbri, Tiplut**, Presented a paper 'Beyond Exchange: Towards a trans-Himalayan and Southeast Asian Paradigm of Marriage' in an international symposium on 'Inter-Cultural Dialogue between North-East India and South-East Asia', organized by NEISP and IGNOU at JNU & IGNOU, New Delhi, 17-20 March, 2010.
- **Chaudhuri, Maitrayee**, Panel discussion on 'A Social Charter for India: Citizens' perspective of Basic Rights,' India International Centre, New Delhi, 2 April, 2009.
- **Chaudhuri Maitrayee**, Presented paper 'Affirming Unity, Negotiating Diversity' at a Seminar on Multiculturalism and Diversity, Chengmai, Thailand, 22-27 August, 2009
- **Chaudhuri, Maitrayee**, Keynote address 'The Travels and Travails of the Concept of Gender,' Refresher Course in Women's Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, Delhi, 5 November, 2009.
- **Chaudhuri, Maitrayee**, Chaired a Session on 'Comparing Advertising Systems' in seminar on Governance and Diversity: Comparing Media Systems'-Indo- Swiss Binational Seminar, CCMG (JMI) & IPMZ (UOZ), Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 17 February, 2010.
- **Chaudhuri, Maitrayee**, 'Women and Community: Issues in India;' in a workshop 'Narrating Women's Lives: Canada and India', Kamla Nehru College, University of Delhi, 25 February, 2010.
- **Chaudhuri, Maitrayee**, Chaired Panel Discussion in a one-day workshop on 'Women's Movement and Development Agenda', The Centre for Jawaharlal Nehru Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, 11 March, 2010.
- **Visvanathan, Susan**, Chaired Panel Discussion on Politics of Modernity and Popular Cinema: Idioms of Nation-Building, 22 April, 2009.
- **Visvanathan, Susan**, Presented paper 'Ecology, Town Planning and Legal Questions' in Departmental Seminar at Centre for the Study of Social Systems JNU, September, 2009.
- **Visvanathan, Susan**, Panelist on 'Art in the 21 Century', organized by Foundation for Indian Contemporary Art at British Council, New Delhi, 20 October, 2009.
- **Visvanathan, Susan**, Discussant at the seminar on Nicholas Roerich in India- His Legacy and Quest, Jamia Millia Islamia, 12-13 November, 2009.
- **Visvanathan, Susan**, Chaired Workshop on 'Hind Swaraj Centenary Celebrations,' at Centre for the Study of Social Systems, 19 November, 2009.
- **Visvanathan, Susan**, Presented paper "Uses of the Internet for Social Science" at Seminar on Transcultural and Intermedial Influence at the Bonjour French Science/ Bonjour India Festival, JNIAS, JNU, 10 December, 2009.

- **Visvanathan, Susan**, Discussant at seminar on 'Rituals and Political-Cultural Landscape: Moorings and Identity', organized by North-East India Studies Programme, School of Social Sciences, JNU, New Delhi and IGNC, New Delhi, 19 March, 2010.
- **Visvanathan, Susan**, Chaired Workshop on 'Representations of Women in Art and Politics', organized by Centre for the Study of Social Systems, 23 March, 2010.
- **Visvanathan, Susan**, Discussant on Syrian Christian Cooking, at the Park Hotel, 26 March, 2010.
- **Visvanathan, Susan**, Presented paper 'Swami Abhishiktananda: Social Justice and Human Suffering', at the conference on Birth Centenary of Swami Abhishiktananda (1910-1973) at Saccidananda Ashram, Tiricharapally, Tamil Nadu, 10–15 January, 2010.
- **Visvanathan, Susan**, Presented paper 'Publishing as Creation of Community in Sri Ramanasramam: The Diaries of Suri Nagamma' in the Conference on 'Devotion and Dissent in Indian History organized by CHS, JNU, 13 March, 2010.
- **Jodhka, S. S.**, Keynote Address 'Engagements with Caste', in Workshop on 'Mapping Marginalities', Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta, 21 October, 2009.
- **Robinson Rowena**, Presented paper 'Indian Muslim leadership: Predicaments and Possibilities,' at International Workshop on 'Religion and Human Security', organized by Comparative Religion Program at the University of Washington, Seattle, 6-8 May, 2009.
- **Singh, Renuka**, Presented paper 'Science & Spirituality' at a Seminar organized by ETH, Zurich, Switzerland.
- **Singh, Renuka**, Visited Universities of Cornell, Harvard and Oxford and discussed my projects, 2009.
- **Singh, Renuka**, Participated in Conference on "Mind and Life" in Dharamsala, April, 2009.
- **Singh, Renuka**, Presented paper 'Theorising Body: Non-Essentialist Notions' at WSDC Conference, Delhi University, February, 2010.
- **Mehrotra Nilika**, 'Preparing communities for Disaster Management: Myths and Challenges' at Fourth Annual Himalayan Policy Research Conference organised by Nepal Study Centre at 38th Annual South Asia pre conference at University of Wisconsin, Madison, U.S.A. 22 October, 2009
- **Mehrotra Nilika**, 'Between Social and Medical: Disability, State and NGO interface in North India' at 38th Annual South Asia Conference at University of Wisconsin, Madison, U.S.A. 25 October, 2009
- **Mehrotra Nilika**, 'Women, Mental disability and Human Rights' at a seminar on Women and Denial of Human Rights: Global Agendas and Local Constraints organised by Women's Studies Centre, Panjab University, Chandigarh, 21 January, 2010
- **Mehrotra, Nilika**, Presented paper 'Multiple Marginalities: Disability, Gender and Caste in Indian Economy' at Seminar on Assessing Marginalisation of Dalits in Economy and Private Sector organized by NACDOR at India International Centre, 10 August, 2009.
- **Mehrotra, Nilika**, Discussant at workshop on 'Undesired Daughters: The Paradox of Modern India' organized by Prof. Tulsi Patel held at India International Centre, New Delhi, 12 February, 2010.
- **Mehrotra, Nilika**, Participated in the International Conference 'Inter Cultural dialogue between North East India and South East Asia', organized by NEISP, JNU, New Delhi and IGNC, New Delhi, 17 – 21 March, 2010.
- **Mehrotra, Nilika**, Discussant at Workshop on 'Disability and Gender', organized by IAWS in collaboration with Equal Opportunities Cell, University of Delhi, 27 March, 2010.
- **Mehrotra, Nilika**, Visited Nagaland University, Nagaland, March-April, 2010.
- **Sujatha, V.**, Presented paper 'Transcultural Trajectories in Social Sciences' at the Medical Anthropology Group at the South Asian Institute, Heidelberg, Germany, 13 May, 2009.
- **Sujatha, V.**, Panelist in the discussion on 'Asian medicines in Europe' organized by the Department of Anthropology, South Asian Institute, Heidelberg, Germany, 14 May, 2009.

- **Sujatha, V.**, Presented paper 'Expert and Non-Expert Knowledge in Indian Medicine' at the Department of History, South Asian Institute, Heidelberg, Germany, 15 May, 2009.
- **Sujatha, V.**, Presented paper 'Globalisation and Changes in Indian Medicine' at the Department of History, South Asian Institute, Heidelberg, Germany, 16 May, 2009.
- **Sujatha, V.**, Presented paper 'Caste in the Metropolis' at the IHP Course for American Students on 'Cities in the 21st Century", 17 September, 2009.
- **Sujatha, V.**, Panelist on 'Symposium III' of the 35th All India Sociological Society Conference organized by Indian Sociological Society at University of Kashmir, Srinagar, 10-12 October, 2009.
- **Sujatha, V.**, Presented paper 'Relevance of Indigenous Intellectual Traditions for the Social Sciences', at 35th All India Sociological Society Conference organized by Indian Sociological Society at University of Kashmir, Srinagar, 10-12 October, 2009.
- **Sujatha, V.**, Presented paper 'Philosophy of Ayurveda' at the Consortium for Educational Communication, 22 October, 2009.
- **Sujatha, V.**, Presented paper 'The Knower in Sociological Enquiry: Debate between Siddha Philosopher and Sociologist' in Departmental Seminar at the Centre for the Study of Social Systems, JNU, 5 November, 2009.
- **Sujatha, V.**, Delivered lecture 'Medical Sociology' at the Consortium for Educational Communication, 2 December, 2009.
- **Sujatha, V.**, Presented paper 'Health care within the State and Without' at the Consultation on 'History of Health care in India: The Past in the Present' organized by WHO India and Morarji Desai National Institute for Yoga (MDNIY), Government of India, Delhi, 4 December, 2009.
- **Sujatha, V.**, Participated in public debate on "Strengthening GSCASH," organised by Anjuman at Godaveri Mess, JNU on 31 March, 2010.
- **Kumar, Vivek**, Participated in the Round Table discussion on 'Indian Diaspora across the Globe: Experience of a Minority Community', organized by the Organization of Diaspora Initiatives (ODI) and Dalit and Minorities Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 17 August, 2009.
- **Kumar, Vivek**, Participated in the Roundtable Discussion on 'Indian Party System', organized by Centre for Public Affairs and Konrad Adenauer Stiftung, Germany, German Embassy, New Delhi, 18 August, 2009.
- **Kumar, Vivek**, 'Dalits: Education and Empowerment', in a Panel Discussion organized by the Dr. K.R.Narayanan Centre for Dalit and Minorities Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 27 August, 2009.
- **Kumar, Vivek**, Participated in the Workshop on 'Marginalization and Social justice', organized by the Ambedkar Study Centre and Centre for Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy, Jammu University, Jammu, 12-13 September, 2009.
- **Kumar, Vivek**, Presented paper 'Contextualization of Social Exclusion: Some Methodological Issues' in the two day National Seminar on 'Social Justice and the Marginalized: Theoretical and Methodological Concerns' organized by Ambedkar Study Centre and Centre for the Study of Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policies, University of Jammu, Jammu, 12-13 September, 2009.
- **Kumar, Vivek**, Participated in the Panel Discussion on 'Contextualization of Curriculum', organized by NCERT, New Delhi, 15 September, 2009.
- **Kumar, Vivek**, 'Globalization and Governance: Impact on Marginalized Sections of Indian Society', in the two National Seminar on 'Impact of Globalization on World Economic Recession', organized by Department of Political Science, Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi, 3-4 December, 2009.
- **Kumar, Vivek**, Participated in the Debate on "Uttar Pradesh Politics and Bahujan Samaj Party," organized at Sahara Samay TV on 15 March, 2010.

- **Kumar, Vivek**, Participated in the Programme on “Political Rally in Uttar Pradesh,” as a panelist at NDTV India, 15 March, 2010.
- **Kumar, Vivek**, Participated in the Debate on “Consumer culture and Indian Politics,” organized at IBN7, TV on 16 March, 2010.
- **Kumar, Vivek**, Participated in Programme on “Uttar Pradesh-Big fight,” as a panelist on NDTV 24X7 on 20 March, 2010.
- **Kumar, Vivek**, Participated in Programme on “Political Culture in India” – Muqabala, as a panelist NDTV India on 21 March, 2010.
- **Kumar, Vivek**, Inaugural Address ‘Inclusive Economy: Perspectives, Programme, and Challenges, organized by NACDOR, New Delhi, 22 March, 2010.
- **Kumar, Vivek**, Presented paper ‘Trajectory of Dalit Movements: From Pre -Colonial to Globalization’, in the National Seminar on ‘Dalit Movements in India: Colonial and Post- Colonial periods’, organized by Programme of the Study of Discrimination and Exclusion, School of Social Sciences, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, 24-26 March, 2010.
- **Akoijam, A. Bimol**, Presented paper ‘Trailing the Exception: Shooting Stars and Anatomy of a Postcolonial State, at the National Workshop on ‘Governance and Security: Northeast India and Bangladesh,’ organized by Centre for North-East Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 28 July, 2009.
- **Akoijam, A. Bimol**, Keynote Address ‘Struggle for Justice: From Victimhood to Survivor’, at the Conference on ‘Women in Governance,’ organized by SDS-IPAC, New Delhi, at Cambay Hotel Resort, Gandhi Nagar, 2-6 August, 2009.
- **Akoijam, A. Bimol**, ‘The Northeast other: Reflections on Nation, Race and Sexuality,’ at the Department of Political Science, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 16 November, 2009.
- **Akoijam, A. Bimol**, Presented paper ‘Politized Life and State of Exception: Rethinking Human Rights,’ at the National Seminar on ‘The Human Rights Discourse in India: Challenges for Theory and Action,’ organized by Department of Political Science, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 2-3 December, 2009.
- **Akoijam, A. Bimol**, Presented paper ‘Janus Face of Knowledge and Its Heritage: On the Historical absence and the Anthropological presence of the other’, at the National Seminar on ‘Social Research in North East India: Issues and Challenges,’ organized by the North-East India Studies Programme, JNU, New Delhi, 25-26, February, 2010.
- **Akoijam, A. Bimol**, Presented paper ‘Disconnected Histories and Fractured Selves: On the legacies of colonial modernity and its caricatures,’ at the International Symposium on ‘Inter-Cultural Dialogue between North-East India and South-East Asia,’ organized by Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts (IGCNA), North-East India Studies Programme (NEISP), JNU at the IGCNA and JNU, New Delhi, 17-20 March, 2010.
- **Akoijam, A. Bimol**, Presented paper ‘Exception of the Alter Selves: On democracy, Collective Identity, and Rule of Law’, a at the National Seminar on ‘Democracy, Identity and Group Rights: Locating the Northeast Indian Experience in a Comparative Perspective,’ organized by IQAC, Women’s College, Shillong, Indian Institute of Advance Studies (IIAS) Shimla, and ICSSR-NERC, Shillong at Women’s College, Shillong, 22-23 March, 2010.
- **Akoijam, A. Bimol**, ‘Social Science Research and Memoirs’ at the Workshop on Advance Qualitative Research: Use of Archives, organized by ICSSR-NR, Chandigarh at Panjab University, Chandigarh, 26 March, 2010.
- **Naraindas, Harish**, Panelist in the Discussion on ‘Asian Medicines in Europe’, organized by the Department of Anthropology, South Asian Institute, Heidelberg, Germany, 14 May, 2009.
- **Naraindas, Harish**, Chaired Workshop ‘Making India a Global Healthcare Destination. Historical and Anthropological Enquiries on Cross-border Healthcare?’, Karl Jaspers Centre, University of Heidelberg, 14 -15 June, 2009.

- **Naraindas, Harish**, Delivered lecture 'Virtual Patients and Techno-spiritualism: The Spa as a Site of Therapeutic Innovation,' in Workshop on Making India a Global Healthcare Destination: Historical and Anthropological Enquiries on Cross-border Healthcare, organized by Karl Jaspers Centre, University of Heidelberg, 14 -15 June, 2009.
- **Naraindas, Harish**, Presented paper 'A Sacramental Theory of Childbirth in India' at Medical Anthropology Workshop, University of Heidelberg, Germany, 17 June, 2009.
- **Naraindas, Harish**, Delivered lecture 'Virgins, Coral Stones and Smart Cards: Virtual Patients and Therapeutic Innovations in a German Spa,' Faculty of Law, University of Bologna, Italy, 2 July, 2009.
- **Naraindas, Harish**, Presented paper 'Of Relics, Body Parts and Laser Beams: The German Medical Pluralist and his Maharashi Spa,' presented in the Panel on Healing Holidays: Of Wellness, Cure and Therapeutic Pluralism, at the Society of Medical Anthropologist's (SMA) 50th Anniversary Conference, Yale University, USA, 24 - 27 September, 2009.
- **Naraindas, Harish**, Invited to deliver a Plenary Address to the German Anthropological Association Conference, at the international plenary session on Art, Medicine and Religion (Theme: Cultural Appropriation), Frankfurt, 3 October, 2009.
- **Naraindas, Harish**, Delivered Plenary Address 'Of Virgins, Cosmonauts and Coral Stones: Therapeutic Appropriations in a German Spa,' to the German Anthropological Association Conference, Frankfurt, 3 October, 2009.
- **Naraindas, Harish**, Participated in workshop on "Transcultural Psychiatry" organised by the UCL, London and BALM Chennai, Chennai, November, 2009.
- **Naraindas, Harish**, Participated in Panel Discussion on the "Role of Faith healing in Mental Illness" organized by BALM, Chennai, November, 2009.
- **Naraindas, Harish**, Presented paper 'Epidemics in the Past and the Present,' at the Consultation on 'History of Health care in India: The Past in the Present' organized by WHO India and Morarji Desai National Institute for Yoga (MDNIY), Government of India, Delhi, 4 December, 2009.
- **Naraindas, Harish**, Presented paper 'Of Virgins, Cosmonauts and Coral Stones: Therapeutic strategies and their implications for Anthropological Practice' at Department of Ethnology, University of Göttingen, Sweden, 23 December, 2009.
- **Naraindas, Harish**, Presented paper "The Genealogy of an Ayurvedic formulation: the case of Laxis,' at the PHARMASUD Workshop, FIP, Pondicherry, 9-11 February, 2010.
- **Naraindas, Harish**, Presented paper 'Of Avadhoots, Gunnis and Esoteric knowledge: Notes on the nature of subalternity' at the Workshop on Medicine and Subalternity, organized by Centre for Study of Developing Societies, Delhi, 18-19 February, 2010.
- **Sharma, Amit, Kumar**, 'Hind Swaraj in The Present Context' in a Seminar on 100 years of Hind Swaraj, organized by India Policy Foundation, 10 October, 2009.
- **Sharma, Amit, Kumar**, Participated in a Panel discussion on 'Ranganath Mishra Report' at India Policy Foundation, New Delhi, 17 February, 2010.
- **Srinivas, G.**, Presented paper 'Narratives of Self and Community: Identity Patterns among Dalit Middle Class in Hyderabad' at the 16th World Congress of IUAES held at Kunming, China, 27-31 July, 2009.
- **Srinivas, G.**, Participated in a Panel Discussion on 'Dalits: Education and Empowerment', organized by the Dr. K.R. Narayanan Centre for Dalit and Minorities Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, 27 August, 2009.
- **Srinivas, G.**, Participated in a Panel Discussion on 'Dalit and Muslim Youth: A Dialogue', organized by the Dr. K.R. Narayanan Centre for Dalit and Minorities Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, 22 October, 2009.

- **Srinivas G.**, Presented paper 'Caste as a System, Institution and Imagination: Contextualizing Interpretations and Contestations', at a national seminar organized by the Programme for the Study of Discrimination and Social Exclusion, School of Social Sciences, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, 24-25 November, 2009.
- **Srinivas, G.**, Presented paper 'Education, Dalit Middle Class and Dalit Empowerment', at a National Seminar on Higher Education and Empowerment of Dalits in Post-Independent India organized by Dr. Ambedkar Chair, Centre for the Study of Social Systems, School of Social Sciences, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, 6-7 December, 2009.
- **Srinivas, G.**, Participated in a round table discussion on "Telangana: Way Ahead," organized by Delhi Telangana Forum, at Constitution Club, New Delhi, 20 February, 2010.
- **Srinivas, G.**, Presented paper 'Mobilizing and Representing the Dalit Cause: A Case of Grassroots NGOs in Andhra Pradesh', at a National Seminar organized by the Programme for the Study of Discrimination and Social Exclusion, School of Social Sciences, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, 24-26 March, 2010.

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- **Kumar, Deepak**, Keynote Address in National Seminar on History of Medicine, Vishva Bharati, Santiniketan, 18-20 February, 2010.
- **Kumar, Deepak**, Inaugural Address in Seminar on Environmental History, Department of History, Central University Silchar, 24-26 February, 2010.
- **Kumar, Deepak**, Keynote Address in Seminar on Interrogating Modernity, Department of History, Burdwan University, Burdwan, 9-10 March, 2010.
- **Mohanty, A.K.**, Presented Paper "English-Vernacular-Other Language Divide and Classroom Practices in India: Is the Teacher a Cog in the Policy Wheel?" at the Sixth International Conference on Language Teacher Education, The George Washington University, Washington, DC, USA, 28 – 30 May, 2009.
- **Mohanty, A.K.**, Presented Paper "Mother Tongues, Inequality and Marginalization: Implications of the Linguistic Double Divide in Indian Society and Education", INTACH International Seminar on Endangered Languages in India, IIC, New Delhi, 22-23 October, 2009.
- **Mohanty, A.K.**, As Invited Panelist presented paper, "Multilingualism in India and Teaching English" in "English Language Teaching Policy Dialogue," organized by British Council, India, New Delhi, 18-20 November, 2009.
- **Mohanty, A.K.**, "Learning to live with Languages: Stages and Strategies in Multilingual Socialization", International Conference on Language and Cognition Interface, Centre for Cognitive & Behavioural Sciences, University of Allahabad, Allahabad, 6-8 December, 2009.
- **Mohanty, A.K.**, Chaired and presented a paper "Mother tongue and other tongue: Multilingual socialization and language differentiation among 2- to 9-year old children in India" in Invited and organized Symposium on "Mother Tongues and Other Tongues: Socio-Cultural Processes in Negotiation of Linguistic Identities", in 8th Biennial International Conference of the Asian Association of Social Psychology, IIT, Delhi, 11 – 14 December, 2009.
- **Mohanty, A.K.**, "Dynamics of Marginalization and Assertive Maintenance: Study of Bodo-Assamese and Kui-Oriya Contact", in Symposium on "Where is language in Asian Social Psychology: An Introduction" in the 8th Biennial International Conference of the Asian Association of Social Psychology, IIT, Delhi, 11 – 14 December, 2009.
- **Mohanty, A.K.**, Keynote Address, "A positive approach to educational intervention: MLE Plus for Tribal children in Orissa", in National Seminar on "Positive Psychology: Research and Applications," G.M. Autonomous College, Sambalpur, 7-9 November, 2009.
- **Mohanty, A.K.**, Keynote Address, "Multilingual Education and English for ALL: Can we have the cake and eat it too?", in National Symposium on "Quality Education, English & Foreign Language University," Hyderabad, 16-18 November, 2009.

- **Mohanty, A.K.**, Participated and presented paper “Language Policy and Practice in Education in India: Psychology of Language Proficiency and Going Beyond the NCF 2005”, in NCERT National Consultative Meet on “Optimizing Psychological Perspectives in School Education”, University of Mumbai, 20-22 January, 2010.
- **Mohanty, A.K.**, Participated and presented paper “Cultural and Linguistic Roots of Classroom Learning: Lessons from Multilingual Education (MLE) and MLE Plus Interventions with Tribal Children in Orissa”, in National Seminar on “Culture and Cognition,” University of Delhi, 23 – 25 January, 2010.
- **Mohanty, A.K.**, Keynote Address, “Mother Tongue? Other Tongue? English? – A Psychologist’s Explorations into Tribal Education and the Linguistic Paradox”, in Annual Conference of the National Academy of Psychology, India, University of Bengaluru, 6-9 March, 2010.
- **Mishra, A. K.**, Participated in National Seminar on “Culture and Cognitive Development,” Department of Psychology, University of Delhi, 23-25 January, 2010.
- **Mishra, A. K.**, Presented paper “Building Research Programme in Social Psychology”, in the “XIX Annual Conference of the National Academy of Psychology,” organized at Department of Psychology, Bangalore University, Bangalore, 6-9 March, 2010.
- **Mishra, A. K.**, Presented paper “Social Class, Emotion and School”, in ICSSR sponsored National Seminar on “Emotional Development in Children,” Rewari (Rajasthan), 31 March, 2010.
- **Rao, Parimala V.**, Presented paper “What do the Masses Need? The Nationalist Critique of Mass Education 1880-1947”, at the International Conference on Learning in the Past, Research Agenda for the Future: Connecting Histories of Education, 1700-2000, organized by IDSK-ISCHE, Kolkata, 3-5 February, 2010.

Educational Research Record Unit

- **Bara, Joseph**, Presented paper “The “basic” in the Gandhian scheme and national education in India” at the International Conference on “*Hind Swaraj*”, organized by the Centre for Study in Developing Societies and the Indian Institute of Advanced Study, New Delhi, April, 2009.
- **Bara, Joseph**, Participated in Academic Council meeting of the Indira Gandhi National Tribal University, Amarkantak, 8 June, 2009.
- **Bara, Joseph**, Presented paper “Educating the tribes of India: Some gleanings from history for today,” at the International Seminar on “Adivasi/ ST Communities in India”, organized by Institute of Human Development, New Delhi, 27-29 August, 2009.
- **Bara, Joseph**, Presented paper “Reading the Mind of Tribal Planners and Administrators: Legacy of the Past to the Present,” at the National Seminar on “Adivasis of India: Emerging Themes, Issues and Challenges”, National Centre for Advocacy Studies, New Delhi, 15-16 December, 2009.
- **Bara, Joseph**, Presented paper “Tribal view on migration in central India,” at “Consultation on Tribe, Gender and Migration in Central India”, Centre for Women’s Development Studies, Bhopal, 12-13 February, 2010.
- **Bara, Joseph**, Chaired the first session of the Seminar on “Art Forms of Marginalized Communities: Bhils and Gonds”, organized by Dr. Ambedkar Chair, IGNOU, New Delhi, 15-16 February, 2010.
- **Bara, Joseph**, Participated in the Governing Body meeting of the Indian Social Institute, New Delhi, 28 August, 2009 and 24 March, 2010.
- **Khadria, Nandita**, Participated as Discussant in a Panel at the Seminar on “Social Research on North East India: Issues and Challenges”, organised by NEISP, JNU, 25-26 February, 2010.

Group of Adult Education

- **Shah, S.Y.**, Attended the Board of Studies Meeting of The School of Extension, Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi, 22 May, 2009.

- **Shah, S.Y.**, Attended a National Workshop on “Alternative Education and Development,” Indira Gandhi National Open University, 16-17 June, 2009.
- **Shah, S. Y.**, Presented paper “Teacher Training in Adult and Lifelong Learning in India”, in International Workshop on “Teachers and Trainers in Adult and Lifelong Learning: Professional Development in Asia and Europe,” sponsored by the German Institute for Adult Education and Duisburg Essen University, Germany, 29 June, 2009.
- **Shah, S.Y.**, Participated in Panel Discussion in International Workshop on “Teachers and Trainers in Adult and Lifelong Learning: Professional Development in Asia and Europe,” sponsored by the German Institute for Adult Education and Duisburg Essen University, Germany, 30 June, 2009.
- **Shah, S.Y.**, Moderated Session “Effects of Teacher Training” in an International Workshop on “Teachers and Trainers in Adult and Lifelong Learning: Professional Development in Asia and Europe,” sponsored by the German Institute for Adult Education and Duisburg Essen University, 30 June, 2009.
- **Shah, S. Y.**, Presented Poster “Teacher Training in Adult and lifelong Learning in India”, in International Workshop on “Teachers and Trainers in Adult and Lifelong Learning: Professional Development in Asia and Europe,” sponsored by the German Institute for Adult Education and Duisburg Essen University, Germany, 30 June, 2009.
- **Shah, S.Y.**, Attended UGC Sub-Committee Meeting on Adult Education, 21 July, 2009.
- **Shah, S.Y.**, Attended National Workshop on “Equivalency”, organized by the State Resource Center, Kerala, 28 July, 2009.
- **Shah, S.Y.**, Attended the National Skill Development Meeting, organized by the Confederation of Indian Industries, New Delhi, 10 August, 2009.
- **Shah, S.Y.**, Chaired the Expert Committee Meetings of the Task Force on Training in Adult Education, Directorate of Adult Education, New Delhi, 5 and 28 August, and 25 September, 2009.
- **Shah, S.Y.**, Participated and presented paper “Lifelong Learning and Virtual Universities in India”, in International Conference on “Increasing Opportunities and Removing Obstacles for Lifelong Learning,” organized by Asia Europe Foundation and Ministry of Education and Training, Government of Vietnam, 29-30 October, 2009.
- **Shah, S.Y.**, Participated in the International Civil Society Forum Conference, at Belem, Brazil, November, 28-30, 2009.
- **Shah, S.Y.**, Participated in World Conference on Adult Education held at Belem, Brazil during 1-3 December, 2009.
- **Shah, S.Y.**, Attended the UGC Expert Committee Meeting on Adult Education, 17-19 December, 2009.
- **Shah, S.Y.**, Attended the World Literacy of Canada Meeting, New Delhi, 6 January, 2010.
- **Shah, S.Y.**, Attended the International Reading Association Meeting, New Delhi, 9 January, 2010.
- **Shah, S.Y.**, Chaired the Meeting of the Task force on Training at Directorate of Adult Education, New Delhi, 16 February, 2010.
- **Shah, S.Y.**, Attended the UGC Expert Committee Meeting on Adult Education, 10-11 March, 2010.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Attended JP Naik Memorial Lecture on “Reinventing the research university in India”, at JNU, 31 August, 2009.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Attended 7th Parwana Memorial Lecture on “The Trajectory of Labour Movement in India: From Colonial Era to the Global Age”, at JNU, 8 September, 2009.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Attended UGC Confidential Workshop at Pune University, 21 October, 2009.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Attended an Interactive Seminar on “The Difficulty of Being Good”, in WWF, 28 October, 2009.

- **Paul, M.C.**, Attended a Training Workshop on “Best Practices on Implementation of Coordinated Consumer Telephone and On-line Advice Service”, organised by GTZ, at IIC, 28-29 October, 2009.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Attended Moonis Raja Memorial Lecture on “Education and Tribes in India”, at JNU, 6 November, 2009.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Attended a talk on “The Study of India: Half a century of Intellectual Inquiry”, organized by Cambridge University Press, 16 November, 2009.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Attended Indo-German Bilateral Workshop on “Consumer Protection”, organized by GTZ, and Govt. of India, at Metropolitan Hotel, New Delhi, 19 November, 2009.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Attended an International Conference of Jurists-2009, at Vigyan Bhavan, New Delhi, 21-22 November, 2009.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Attended “4th Sustainability Summit –Asia 2009”, organized by CII, at IHC, New Delhi, 25-26 November, 2009.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Attended a Conference on “Citizen’s Scientists”, at Gulmohar, IHC, New Delhi, 27 November, 2009.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Participated in National Seminar on “Judicial and Legal Reforms”, organized by Bar Association of India, at IHC, 28 November, 2009.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Participated in Panel Discussion on “Mainstreaming CSR in Education”, organized by B&C Foundation, at IIC, 30 November, 2009.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Attended a Talk on “Ideas of Justice by Nobel Laureate Amartya Sen”, in ILI Plenary Hall, New Delhi, 1 December, 2009.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Attended Board of Studies Meeting, School of Social Sciences, JNU, 2 December, 2009.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Attended an International Meet on “Clean Technology Mission to India”, sponsored by CII, at Hotel Taj Palace, New Delhi, 7 December, 2009.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Participated in 1st National Consultation on “Promotion and Practice of Principles for Responsible Management Education”, sponsored by Global Compact Network, AIMA and PiC, 16 December, 2009.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Participated in National Conference on “Challenges facing Indian Education in 2010”, in Amaltas, IHC, 16 December, 2009.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Attended International Meet on “Ideas India”, organised by Aspen India, at Taj Palace, New Delhi, 17-19 December, 2009.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Participated in International Conference on “From Experience to Thoughts: Debates in Consciousness, Cognition and Agency”, New Delhi, 7-9 January, 2010.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Participated in Dissemination Seminar on “Youth in India: Situation and Needs Study”, at Jacaranda Hall, IHC, New Delhi, 20 February, 2010.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Participated in Session on “Building a Safe City through Community based Policing”, organized by Aspen India, in WWF Auditorium, New Delhi, 25 February, 2010.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Attended a National Conference on “Inclusive and Responsible: The Next Face of Indian Inc”, at Silver Oak, IHC, New Delhi, 24 March, 2010.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Attended UGC Review Committee Meeting, 10 March, 2010.
- **Paul, M.C.**, Attended a Global Summit on Higher Education on “Global Partnership towards Expansion, Excellence and Inclusion”, at Stein Auditorium, IHC, New Delhi, 2010.
- **Kejariwal, S.K.**, Chief Guest & Keynote Speaker at the National Seminar on “Role of Technology in Teaching-Learning Process,” organized by the M.D. College, Agra, 24 November, 2009.
- **Kejariwal, S.K.**, Presented paper “Basic Education and Empowerment of the Poorest of the Poor,” organized by the Dr. Ambedkar Chair, JNU, 6 December, 2009.

- **Kejariwal, S.K.**, Chaired a session in the National Seminar on “Higher Education and Empowerment of Dalits in Post-Independent India,” organized by the Dr. Ambedkar Chair, JNU, 7 December, 2009.
- **Kejariwal, S.K.**, Participated in the National Seminar organized by the Indian Society of Co-operative Studies, Pune, 1-3 February, 2010.
- **Kejariwal, S.K.**, Chaired a session in the National Seminar on “Open and Distance Learning”, organized at the Mumbai University, March, 2010.
- **Kejariwal, S.K.**, Presented paper “Use of Technology and the Education of the Deprived Sections of the Society,” at Mumbai University, March, 2010.
- **Kumar, Ajay**, Participated in “Kasam 20-20 Yatra”, for Child Rights Protection’, 29 October-13 November, 2009.

North East India Studies Programme

- **Nongbri, Tiplut**, along with Dr. Nilika Mehrotra, organised National Seminar on ‘Social Research on North-East India: Issues and Challenges’, at School of Social Sciences, JNU, 25-26 February, 2010.
- **Nongbri, Tiplut**, along with Dr. Bhagat Oinam, Dr. Nilika Mehrotra and Dr. Bimol Akoijiam, organised International Symposium on “Inter-Cultural Dialogue between North-East India and South East Asia’, in collaboration with the Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts’, at JNU and IGNC, New Delhi, 17-20 March, 2010.

Programme for the Study of Discrimination Exclusion

- **Rao, Yagati Chinna**, Presented paper “Rise and Growth of Dalit Protest Literature: Early Twentieth Century Andhra”, in Plenary Session at Interdisciplinary Global Seminar on “Understanding and Interrogating Fourth World Literatures”, held at Acharya Nagarjuna University, 7-9, September, 2009.

Women Studies Programme

- **Arunima, G.**, Presented paper “Women’s Studies in the Indian Context,” at the SRTT Workshop on “Rethinking Culture and Development: Feminist Crossings,” Lataguri, West Bengal, May, 2009.
- **Arunima, G.**, Presented paper “Cinematic Cities: Global Economies and Local Culture in Contemporary Kerala,” at the Institute for Gender and Women’s Studies Workshop on “Neoliberal Lifeworlds: Gender, Mobility, Desire,” organized by American University at Cairo, Cairo, May, 2009.
- **Arunima, G.**, Presented paper “Picture perfect, or is a Visual History of the Family Possible?”, at Centre for the Study of Social Sciences, Calcutta, June, 2009.
- **Arunima, G.**, Presented paper “The Danger of a Single Story,” at the Workshop on “Genealogies of Labour, Violence and Temporality in South Asia,” organised by American University at Cairo and Universida Latinoamericana, Mexico City, November, 2009.
- **Arunima, G.**, Presented paper “Whose Life is it Anyway?: Some Problems in Writings O.: Chandu Menon’s Biography,” at Conference on “Biography as History,” organized by DRS-SAP Programme, Department of History and Culture, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, February, 2010.
- **Arunima, G.**, Presented paper “Sacred Geography, Hybrid Iconographies,” at the Conference on “Cultural Representations as Historical Processes,” Department of History, Jadavpur University, Kolkata, March, 2010.
- **Arunima, G.**, Presented paper “The Cinematic City : Global Economy and Local Culture in Contemporary Kerala,” in the Conference on “Power in Modern India: Discourses and Practices,” organized by the DRS-SAP Programme, Centre for Political Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, March, 2010.
- **Arunima, G.**, Participated as Resource Person in 15th Annual Cultural Studies Workshop on “The Sacred in Contemporary Culture,” organized by Centre for the Study of Social Sciences, Kolkata in collaboration with Ford Foundation and the South-South Exchange Programme for the History of Development, SEPHIS, Netherlands.
- **Arunima, G.**, Presented paper “Gender and Sacred Geographies: A Study of Religion in Kerala” at a National Conference organized by Jadavpur University, Kolkata.

- **Abhram, Janaki**, Presented paper “Veiling and the Production of Gender and Space in a town in Rajasthan: a Critique of the Public/Private Dichotomy”, Department of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, Delhi University, October, 2009.

Lectures Delivered (Outside JNU)

Centre for Historical Studies

- **Chakrabarti, Kunal**, ‘Hinduism: the Making of a Synergetic Religion’ in a workshop for College and University teachers, organized by the Indian Council for Historical Research, North-East Regional Centre, Guwahati, on 30 November, 2009.
- **Chakrabarti, Kunal**, ‘Natural inequality: Conceptualizing Justice in Brahmanical Discourses’, organized by the Department of History, Jadavpur University, Calcutta, on 4 December, 2009.
- **Chakrabarti, Kunal**, Delivered the Valedictory Address in the Refresher Course in History, Jadavpur University, Calcutta, on 5 December, 2009.
- **Chakravarti, Ranabir**, ‘The First Urban Civilization in India’, Centre for the Studies in Civilizations, New Delhi, 2009.
- **Datta, Rajat**, ‘Proto-globlization, world history and early modernity in India - Valedictory Lecture delivered at a Refresher Course on Recent Trends and Advances in History, Department of History, Pune University on 24 March, 2010.
- **Chakravarti, Ranabir**, Delivered the Eleventh Ashin Das Gupta Memorial Lecture on Sagar Sasan: Sambahabana ebang Samasya, under the auspices of Paschimbanga Itihas Samsad, Kolkata on April, 2009.
- **Chakravarti, Ranabir**, Delivered lecture on ‘Aroma Across the Sea: Karpura (Camphor) to India, beyond India’, at an International Seminar on Early Medieval India, Department of Ancient Indian History and Culture, University of Calcutta, Kolkata, March, 2010.
- **Haider, Syed Najaf**, Chaired Lecture by Dr. Kavita Singh on ‘Fantasies of History in Indian Painting’ in the Series Frontiers of History, at India International Centre, Delhi on April, 2009.

Centre for Philosophy

- **Singh, R.P.**, Delivered Lecture “What, How and Why Philosophy?” organized by IGNOU, at Amarkantak, Chattisgarh, 29 January, 2010.
- **Singh, R.P.**, Delivered ICPR sponsored National Lecture on “Concept of Plurality in Multiculturalism” at Meerut College, Meerut, 12 May, 2009.
- **Singh, R.P.**, Delivered two lectures, under UGC National Lectures on “Cultural Diversity and Multiculturalism” at University of Allahabad on 14–15 September, 2009.
- **Singh, R.P.**, Delivered four Lectures on “Hermeneutics: Indian and Western Perspectives,” in Refresher Course, Lucknow University, 21–22 September, 2009.
- **Singh, R.P.**, Delivered four Lectures on “Modern and Postmodern Philosophy,” and “Culture and Multiculturalism,” in Orientation Course, Lucknow University, 13–14 November, 2009.
- **Bhagat, Oinam**, Delivered two lectures on “Ethnic Identity” and “Ethnic Movement” in UGC Orientation Course at Manipur University, Canchipur on 9 November, 2009.
- **Bhagat, Oinam**, Delivered ICPR sponsored lecture on “I”, “We” and “Other”: Problems of Moral Evaluation” at the Department of Applied Philosophy, MJP Rohilkhand University, Bareilly, March, 2010.

- **Sen, Manidipa**, Delivered lecture on “Bridging the gap between the mind and the world: A Relook into the Phenomenal/Intentional Distinction” at Department of Philosophy, Central University, Hyderabad on 23 October, 2009.

Centre for Political Studies

- **Rodrigues, V.**, “Reading Texts and Traditions: The Ambedkar –Gandhi Debate”, IGNOU, New Delhi, 11 March, 2010.
- **Rodrigues, V.**, “John Rawls and His Critics”, a course of three Lectures, University of Bombay, Mumbai, 8-9 February, 2010.
- **Rodrigues, V.**, “Conceptions of Radical Democracy”, National Institute for Social Work and Social Sciences (NISWASS), Bhubaneshwar, 13 February, 2010.
- **Rodrigues, V.**, “Ambedkar on Modernity and Religion”, University of Hyderabad, IX Dr B.R. Ambedkar Memorial Lecture, Hyderabad, 21 August, 2009.
- **Jha, Shefali**, Delivered lecture “Globalization and Women”, at the meeting of Indian Women’s Association, Doha, Qatar, 2 October, 2009.
- **Thakur, Manindra N.**, Delivered lecture “Naxalism: Peace with Justice”, at the Department of Political Science, Ramlal Anand College, University of Delhi, 10 December, 2009.
- **Thakur, Manindra N.**, Delivered lecture “Indian Philosophy and the idea of Social Justice”, organized by the Department of Political Science, University of Allahabad, 4 March, 2010.
- **Dasgupta, Rajarshi**, Delivered “Ambedkar Memorial Lecture”, at Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, 6 December, 2009.
- **Dasgupta, Rajarshi**, Delivered Special Lecture “Indian Mass Media and Dalits: Aspects of Exclusion and Discrimination”, at the Centre for Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow, 29 January, 2010.
- **Dasgupta, Rajarshi**, Delivered “The Kasthuri Misro Memorial Lecture”, at the South Indian History Congress, Kannur, 6-8 February, 2010.
- **Dasgupta, Rajarshi**, Delivered “Jawaharlal Nehru Lecture”, on “Dalit Movements at Cross Roads”, at Centre for Nehru Studies, Bharatidasan University, Thiruchirapalli, 26 February, 2010.

Centre for the Study of Regional Development

- **Chadha, G.K.** “Recent Economic Growth Experiences of India: Its Sustainability through World Perspective”, Institute of South Asian Studies, Singapore National University, 3 August, 2009.
- **Chadha, G.K.**, “India’s Recent Economic Growth Experience: Is it Inclusive and Sustainable?” Lecture to Researchers from Nihon Fukushi University, Nagoya-Japan, 17 August, 2009.
- **Chadha, G.K.**, “India as a Knowledge Economy: Strategic Milestones yet to be Reached”, Lecture Delivered to Researchers from Nihon Fukushi University, Nagoya-Japan, 20 August, 2009.
- **Chadha, G.K.**, “Revisiting Agriculture in the Developing World: Productivity Challenges against Technology Slack”, AIEFS-RIS Conference, New Delhi, 20 June, 2009.
- **Chadha, G.K.**, “Major Challenges of the Indian Economy: Perceptions, Policy Initiatives and Likely Effects”, Round Table ICRIER-ANU, New Delhi. 29 June, 2009.
- **Chadha, G.K.**, “Competitiveness of Indian Agriculture: Policy Choices and Strategic Interventions”, Jagannath Institute of Management Studies, IIC, New Delhi, 29 September, 2009.
- **Chadha, G.K.**, “Expanding Frontiers of Indian Economy: International Perspective and Domestic Policy Choices”, Annual Conference of UP-Uttarakhand Economic Association, Allahabad, 24 October, 2009.

- **Chadha, G.K.**, “Policies and Strategies for Inclusive Growth: Some Do’s and Don’ts for India”, Islamic Cultural Centre, Lodhi Estate, New Delhi, 23 November, 2009.
- **Chadha, G.K.**, “Indian Universities in the New World Context: Decisive Policy Breaks Needed”, Foundation Day Lecture, GND University, Amritsar, 24 November, 2009.
- **Chadha, G.K.**, “Expansion of Higher Education in 11th Plan: Quality should not Suffer”, Addressing newly appointed Vice-Chancellors of Central Universities, UGC, New Delhi, 24 November, 2009.
- **Chadha, G.K.**, “Emerging Problems of the Indian Labour Market: Research Agenda for Economists”, Annual Conference of Labour Economists, Punjabi University, Patiala, 11 December, 2009.
- **Chadha, G.K.**, “Higher Education in India: Much is Happening, Much More Should Happen”, Zakir Hussain College Annual Day Lecture, Yamuna Vihar, Delhi, 8 February, 2010.
- **Chadha, G.K.**, “India and Africa: Strategic Areas of Economic Cooperation and Exchanges”, ICCR-IIC Seminar, New Delhi, 9 February, 2010.
- **Chadha, G.K.**, “Emerging Issues for Women Workers in Indian Labour Market: Drafting Research Agenda”, Ministry of Women and Child Development, Govt. of India, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi, 19 February, 2010.
- **Chadha, G.K.**, “India’s Look East Policy: Scope for Educational Cooperation among SAARC Countries”, SAARC Sammelan, Panjab University, Chandigarh, February 23, 2010.
- **Chadha, G.K.**, “The Global Financial Crisis and India’s Higher Education Sector: Some Comments”, Universities Australia Annual Higher Education Conference, Canberra, 3 March, 2010.
- **Chadha, G.K.**, “Unorganized Sector Vulnerabilities in Indian Economy: Setting Agenda for Social Protection Policies”, ICSSR – UNESCO, New Delhi, 18 March, 2010.
- **Chadha, G.K.**, “Envisioning India as a Knowledge Economy: Some Views on Missing Links”, Tarlok Singh Memorial Lecture, Madras School of Economics, Chennai, 19 March, 2010.
- **Akhtar, R.**, Mangalayatan University, Aligarh 7 June, 2009.
- **Akhtar, R.**, Jawaharlal Nehru Medical College, Aligarh, 16 November, 2009
- **Akhtar, R.**, Summer University, AMU, Aligarh 13-15 March, 2010.
- **Akhtar, R.**, Refresher Course on Environmental Studies, Academic Staff College, AMU, Aligarh, 2 August, 2010.
- **Singh, H.**, Academic Programme of JNU and School of Social Sciences, Burapha University of Thailand in April, 2009.
- **Singh, H.**, “Issues of Methodology and New Research Tools in Geography”, Department of Geography, Jammu University, Jammu, 24 April, 2009.
- **Singh, H.**, “Environment & Society in Ladakh–Some Recent Challenges”, Department of Geography, Jammu University Jammu, 25 April, 2009.
- **Singh, H.**, “Research Agenda in Geography in 21th Century”, Department of Geography, Punjabi University, Patiala, 23 January, 2010.
- **Singh, H.**, “Human Response to Environment in the Himalayas”, Department of Geography, Punjabi University, Patiala, 23 January, 2010.
- **Thorat, S.K.**, “Social Exclusion Addressing Inter- Social Groups, Graded and Multiple-Group Inequalities through Inclusive Policy” I.P.Desai Memorial Lecture at Centre for Social Studies, Surat on 30 May, 2009.
- **Thorat, S.K.**, Foundation Day Lecture at National Academy of Agricultural Sciences, New Delhi on 6 June, 2009.
- **Thorat, S.K.**, Convocation Address at KIIT College of Engineering, Gurgaon, on 28 August, 2009.

- **Thorat, S.K.**, “Inclusiveness and Marginalized Groups Addressing the Problem of Social exclusion through Inclusive Policies” IInd Ch. Dalbir Singh Memorial Lecture at India International Centre, New Delhi, on September 10, 2009.
- **Thorat, S.K.**, Keynote Address on the occasion of inauguration of Establishment of Cluster of Colleges in the State at the Kerala State Higher Education Council, Thiruvanthapuram 17 November, 2009.
- **Thorat, S.K.**, “Social Exclusion in Contemporary India”, Keynote Address at National Seminar on organized by the Institute of Development Studies, Jaipur, 26 November, 2009.
- **Thorat, S.K.**, “Dr. Ambedkar’s Thoughts” organized by New Century Book House and University of Madras on 28 November, 2009.
- **Thorat, S.K.**, Valedictory Address at 51st Indian Labour Economics Conference held at Punjabi University, Patiala on 13 December, 2009.
- **Thorat, S.K.**, Inaugural Address on Indo-French Joint Seminar on Higher Education held at ICSSR, New Delhi on 21 December, 2009.
- **Thorat, S.K.**, Inaugural Address at the 42nd Annual Conference of Orissa Economic Association at North Orissa University on 20 February, 2010.
- **Thorat, S.K.**, Address at the Conference of Vice Chancellors of Central Universities held at Hyderabad on 13 March, 2010.
- **Thorat, S.K.**, Valedictory function of 33rd Session of Indian Social Science Congress as Chief Guest on 14 March, 2010.
- **Thorat, S.K.**, Convocation Address of Jesus and Mary College (University of Delhi) on 18 March, 2010,
- **Thorat, S.K.**, Special lecture after laying the foundation stone of the building of Women’s Hostel at Loyala College, Chennai on 20 March, 2010.
- **Thorat, S.K.**, Dr. Sarup Singh Memorial Lecture at IIC, New Delhi on 30 March, 2010.
- **Vemuri, M.D** “Population and Economic Development”, Refresher Training Programme for ISS Officers of State / UTs on Development Economics and Indian Scenario. New Delhi, 25 November, 2009.
- **Srivastava, R.** “Quantifying Informal Sector: The Approach of the NCEUS”, in Course on Quantitative Methods in Labour Economics, NLI, February, 2010.
- **Srivastava, R.**, Delivered A K Dasgupta Memorial Lecture, Benares Hindu University.
- **Srivastava, R.**, “Skill Development in the Unorganised Sector and the NCEUS”, Institute of Applied Manpower Research Seminar Series Planning Commission, February, 2010.
- **Butola, B.S.** “Bio- Politics of Resource and Development”, Department of Geography, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, 5 February, 2010.
- **Butola, B.S.**, “Globalisation of Regional Development with Special Reference to India”, Department of Geography, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, 6 February, 2010.
- **Sinha, S.** “Social Inclusion”, UNICEF-IIDS, India Habitat Centre, New Delhi: 2-3 June, 2009.
- **Sinha, S.**, “Research Methodologies in Social Sciences”, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra: February, 2010.
- **Sinha, S.** “Geography in School Curriculum”, Science day Celebrations at Government Model College for Women, Gurgaon, 2009.
- **Sood, A.** “Issues in Regional Development, Training Program for Officers in Indian Statistical Service, ICSSR, New Delhi, 24 November, 2009.
- **Sood, A.**, “Political Economy of Look East Policy”, ICSSR-NERC School for Doctoral Scholars, NEHU, Shillong, November 28, 2009.

- **Sood, A.**, “Politics of Region and Centre State Fiscal Relations”, ICSSR-NERC School for Doctoral Scholars, NEHU, Shillong, 28 November, 2009.
- **Mishra, D.K.**, “Agrarian Question(s) Revisited”, Academic Staff College, Benaras Hindu University, Varanasi, December 28, 2009.
- **Mishra, D.K.**, “Political Economy of Indian Agriculture”, Academic Staff College, Benaras Hindu University, Varanasi, December 28, 2009.
- **Sreekesh, S.** “Flood Disaster Management”, National Institute of Disaster Management, New Delhi, 2009.
- **Punia, M.**, “Hyperspectral Preprocessing and Analysis”, IARI, New Delhi on 13 April, 2009.
- **Punia, M.**, “Generating Resource Statistics from Earth Observation, Jammu University on 24 April, 2009.
- **Punia, M.**, “Spatial Approach for Agri Business Management”, National Institute of Agricultural Marketing, Jaipur on 24 October, 2009.
- **Punia, M.**, “Advanced Cartographical Techniques and Framework for Geographical Space”, IARI for International Training Programme of AARDO, New Delhi on 12 November, 2009.
- **Punia, M.**, “Remote Sensing and Recent Trends in Cartography”, Military College of Technology and Engineering, MCTE-Mhow on 8 March, 2010.
- **Bathla, S.** “Macro Economic Policy Changes and Agriculture Supply Response: Application of Structural Econometric Model”, Training Programme for Agricultural Scientists at IASRI, 20 April, 2009.
- **Sen, S.** “Participatory Institutions and Natural Resource Management Project in India, Evidences from Four Major States in India”, School of Environment and Natural Resources, Ohio State University, 26 August, 2009.
- **Sen, S.**, “Importance of Social Capital in ‘Participatory’ Natural Resource Management Carbon Management and Sequestration” Center Ohio Agricultural Research and Development Center., Ohio State University, 9 February, 2010.
- **Sen, S.**, “It Takes a Village: Watershed Development in India” School of Environment and Society, Florida International University, Miami, 30 March, 2010.
- **Das, D.N.**, “Overview of Geographic Information System and Remote Sensing”, Training of Resource Person on Research Methodology, Council for Social Development (CSD), New Delhi, 23 November, 2009.
- **Das, D.N.**, “Socio-Economic Data Collection, Compilation, Analysis and Utilisation of High Resolution Data”, National Power Training Institute (NPTI), Faridabad, 7 January, 2010.
- **Das, B.**, “Linking Qualitative and Quantitative Data in Research”, Training of the Resource Persons on Qualitative Methods in Research, V.V. Giri NLI, Noida, 14-24 December, 2009.
- **Das, B.**, “Gender and Health: An Overview”, Programme on Gender Issues in Labour, V.V. Giri NLI, NOIDA, 18-21 January, 2010.

Centre for the Study of Social Systems

- **Singh, Yogendra**, Attended numerous seminars/conference/workshops during the 2009-2010. Also delivered many prestigious lectures during April, 2009-March, 2010.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, ‘Socio-cultural Trends in India To-day’, to the Congregation of Faculty Members from five Management Schools of five continents (at Taj Palace), organized by Management Development Institute, Gurgaon, 10 May, 2009.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, ‘Ethnicity, Nation-state and Clash of Civilizations’, National Defence College, New Delhi, 12 June, 2009.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, ‘Citizenship and National Identity in India’, Study Circle, St. Stephen’s College, 16 September, 2009.

- **Oommen, T. K.**, 'Understanding Multiculturalism in South Asia', for the visiting Swedish Politicians, Claridges Hotel, New Delhi, 3 October, 2009.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, Chairman's Address to the 'Tri-sector Workshop', Schumacher Centre, India Islamic Centre, 4 November, 2009.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, Address to the Foundation for European Progressive Studies on 'Functioning of Constitutional Democracy in a multi-cultural Society, Paris, 26 November, 2009.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, Special address to Second South Asia Economic Summit on 'Towards an Inclusive Society in South Asia', Taj Mahal Hotel, New Delhi, 12 December, 2009.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, 'Social and Cultural aspects of India', to the visiting faculty of Management Schools from the USA, Management Development Institute, Gurgaon, 7 January, 2010.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, "Should Jamia Milia Islamia be converted into a Minority Institution?," 2 February, 2010.
- **Oommen, T. K.**, "Building Inclusive India: Overcoming Social and Religious Discrimination," Constitution Club, 6 March, 2010.
- **Ram, Nandu**, 'Ethnicity, Identity and Social Change' in Department of Sociology, North Bengal University, Siliguri, W.B., 5 March, 2010.
- **Haq, Ehsanul**, 'Education and Social Change', Academic Staff College, Jamia, New Delhi, 7 August, 2009.
- **Haq, Ehsanul**, 'Sociology and Social Work', Department of Social Work, IGNOU, New Delhi, 21 August, 2009.
- **Kumar, Anand**, 'Electoral Reforms in India', Shyamlal College, Delhi University, Delhi, 17 April, 2009.
- **Kumar, Anand**, 'India and Globalization', IIMC, New Delhi, 28 July, 2009.
- **Kumar, Anand**, 'Media and Society: Some Issues.' IGNOU, New Delhi, 27 August, 2009.
- **Kumar, Anand**, 'Students and Politics in India,' Deepak Sinha Memorial Lecture, University of Delhi, Delhi, 8 September, 2009.
- **Kumar, Anand**, 'Conceptualizing Global Democracy,' Cairo University, Cairo, 4-9 December, 2009.
- **Kumar, Anand**, Buddha Jayanti Lecture on "Challenges of Cultivating Goodness in our Life," Mahabodhi Society, Kolkata, 9 May, 2009.
- **Kumar, Anand**, "Muslim Alienation in India," Jamia Milia Islamia, New Delhi, 18 November, 2009.
- **Kumar, Anand**, "Social Darwinism," Zakir Hussain College, Delhi, 15 December, 2009.
- **Kumar, Anand**, 'Hind Swaraj after 100 years', ICSSR(Western Region) Mumbai University, Mumbai, March 17-18 April, 2009.
- **Kumar, Anand**, 'Society in India: Trajectories for 21st Century', USEFI, New Delhi, 4 July, 2009.
- **Kumar, Anand**, 'Democratic Changes in South Asia,' M.N. Nidhi Foundation, Kathmandu, 1-2 August, 2009.
- **Kumar, Anand**, 'Poverty and Society in India.' Sociology Department, BHU, Varanasi, 21 August, 2009.
- **Kumar, Anand**, 'Poverty and Governance,' GIDS, Ahmedabad, 24-26 October, 2009.
- **Pathak, Avijit**, 'Reflections on Research Methodology', V. V. Giri National Institute of Labour, Noida, 20 January, 2010.
- **Pathak, Avijit**, 'Foundations of Education', NUEPA, New Delhi, 4 February, 2010.
- **Chaudhuri, Maitrayee**, 'Migration, Questions of identity and Urban Sociology in India', University of Brown, Rhode Island, USA, 2 June, 2009.
- **Chaudhuri, Maitrayee**, 'Against gender?' University of Brown, Rhode Island, USA, 4 June, 2009.
- **Chaudhuri, Maitrayee**, 'Methodological Issues in Gender Research,' Council for Social Development, (CSD) for the Research Methodology Course in Social Sciences, New Delhi, 20 November, 2009.

- **Visvanathan, Susan**, 'Questions of History, Legend, Myth and Memory among the Christians of Kerala' at History Society, St Stephens' College, New Delhi, 6 November, 2009.
- **Visvanathan, Susan**, 'Shakespeare and Music: Researching Sociological Problems through the inter-net', Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, IIT, Delhi, 10 November, 2009.
- **Jodhka, S. S.**, 'Dalits and Religious Minorities: Eliminating Injustices', Kolkata Group Meeting, Kolkata, 16 February, 2010.
- **Jodhka, S. S.**, 'Changing Modes of Social Science Enquiry in India'. Institute of Oriental Studies, Moscow, 6 October, 2009.
- **Singh, Renuka**, 'Sociological Imagination,' at University of S.Oregon, U.S.A, June, 2009.
- **Singh, Renuka**, 'Gender and Body,' at University of S.Oregon, U.S.A, June, 2009.
- **Singh, Renuka**, 'Indian Women and Spirituality,' University of Central Florida, August, 2009.
- **Singh, Renuka**, 'Gender and Leadership,' at School of Inspired Leadership, Gurgaon, November, 2009.
- **Mehrotra, Nilika**, 'Gender Question in Social Science Enquiry' at Academic Staff College, Ranchi University, 30 August, 2009.
- **Mehrotra, Nilika**, 'Women's Movements in India: Issues and challenges' at Academic Staff College, Ranchi University, 31 August 2009.
- **Mehrotra, Nilika**, 'Disability issues in Social science Enquiry' at Academic Staff College, Ranchi University, 1 September, 2009.
- **Mehrotra, Nilika**, 'Gender Question in Social Sciences' School of Interdisciplinary and Trans disciplinary Studies, IGNOU, New Delhi, 29 January, 2010.
- **Kumar, Vivek**, 'Caste in Indian Politics', organized by Swarj Voluntary Organization, New Delhi, 30 October, 2009.
- **Kumar, Vivek**, 'Merit and reservation Beyond Fifty Percent', organized by Centre for Study of Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy, SNDT Women University, Mumbai, 5-6 December, 2009.
- **Kumar, Vivek**, 'Social Movements: Linking the Global and the Local', at the Centre for the Development Studies, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai, 14-15 December, 2009.
- **Kumar, Vivek**, 'Understanding Cultural Perspective of Globalization in Indian Society', Department of Sociology, Mumbai University, Mumbai, 9 March, 2010.
- **Kumar, Vivek**, 'Conceptualization of Indian Society', Department of Sociology, Mumbai University, Mumbai, 10 March, 2010.
- **Kumar, Vivek**, 'Critique of Indian Sociology: A Perspective from Below', Department of Sociology, Mumbai University, Mumbai, 11 March, 2010.
- **Akoijam, A. Bimol**, Delivered lecture on "Identity politics and Banality of Violence" at the Public Interface on Cry for Justice, Kangla Hall, Imphal, 17 May, 2009.
- **Akoijam, A. Bimol**, 'Violence and Abuse: Perspective on the Perpetuator,' organized by the Department of Psychology, LSR College, Delhi University, New Delhi, 20 November, 2009.
- **Akoijam A. Bimol**, Northeast India at the Panel Discussion on 'India's Northeast or Northeast of India: Towards an Inclusive Understanding,' organized by I.P College, New Delhi, 2 December, 2009.
- **Sharma, Amit Kumar**, 'Western Influence in Contemporary Indian Society,' Patanjali Yogapeeth, Haridwar, 11 April, 2009.
- **Sharma, Amit, Kumar**, 'Rethinking Chayavaad in Hindi Literature,' Society for Indian Thought and Action, Van Devi Estate, Hasan, Karnataka, 20 May, 2009.

- **Sharma, Amit, Kumar**, 'Death and the Celebration of Life in Indian Civilization,' Society for Indian Thought and Action, Van Devi Estate, Hasan, Karnataka, 25 May, 2009.
- **Sharma, Amit, Kumar**, 'Symboisis of Folk and Classical in Hindi Film Music,' Maharaas Foundation, Patna, 22 June, 2009.
- **Sharma, Amit, Kumar**, 'Art and Craft in Indian Civilization,' Maharaas Foundation, Patna, 24 June, 2009.
- **Sharma, Amit, Kumar**, 'Ramdhari Singh Dinkar and the discourse of Indian Culture in Hindi Literature,' Kautilya Institute of Development Studies, New Delhi, 7 September, 2009.
- **Sharma, Amit, Kumar**, 'The Cycle of Leo-Saturn and the Paradigmatic Changes in Human Civilization,' Surya Vandana Kendra, Faridabad, 9 September, 2009.
- **Sharma, Amit, Kumar**, 'Hindi Cinema of Small Budgets: The Emerging Trends,' Society for Indian Thought and Action, New Delhi, 18 September, 2009.
- **Sharma, Amit, Kumar**, 'Crisis of the Political System in Indian Society,' Society for Indian thought and Action, Patna, 24 December, 2009.

Zakir Husain Centre for Educational Studies

- **Kumar, Deepak**, Delivered lecture Dr. V.N.Bedekar Memorial Lecture, at Thane College, Thane, 14 April, 2009.
- **Kumar, Deepak**, Delivered Kapildeo Singh Memorial Lecture, at KS Samajwadi Foundation, Lucknow, 22 December, 2009.

Educational Research Record Unit

- **Khadria, Nandita**, Engaged classes on 'India and its Culture', for the Master's degree students of 'Human Resource Planning and Development for International Participants', under Guru Gobind Singh Indra Prastha University, Delhi.

Group of Adult Education

- **Shah, S.Y.**, delivered a Key Note Address at the Interdisciplinary Research Workshop, University of Delhi, 21 April, 2009.
- **Shah, S.Y.**, delivered a lecture on Professionalisation of Training in Adult Education at the National Workshop on Capacity Building organized by Indian Adult Education Association, New Delhi October 7, 2009.
- **Shah, S.Y.**, Delivered a Key Note Address at the Annual Adult Education Conference held at Kanyakumari, December 5, 2009.
- **Shah, S.Y.**, delivered a lecture on Key Areas of Research in Lifelong Learning in the ICSSR Sponsored workshop on Research Methodology, New Delhi, 5 February, 2010.
- **Shah, S.Y.**, Delivered a Lecture on "Literacy, Schooling and Development" at National University of Educational Planning and Administration, 11 February, 2010.
- **Kumar, Ajay**, Delivered lecture "Child Rights, Education and Awareness: The Role of NGOs and Communities", at the Children's Rights Protection March, organized in New Delhi, 12 November, 2009.

Women Studies Programme

- **Arunima, G.**, Delivered Public Lecture "Reading, Writing, Region: the Early Malayalam Novel and the Problem of Identity," as National Fellow for Women's Studies, Jadavpur University, Kolkata, May, 2009.
- **Arunima, G.**, Delivered lecture "Development and History: Debates in Kerala Studies," in Refresher Course in History, organized by Centre for Historical Studies and Academic Staff College, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, September, 2009.

- **Arunima, G.**, Delivered lecture “Rethinking Caste and Gender,” in Refresher Course organized by Women’s Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, August, 2009.
- **Arunima, G.**, Delivered lecture “Gender, Writing and the Malayali ‘Literary Public Sphere,” in Refresher Course organized by Centre for the Study of Social Systems and Academic Staff College, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, March, 2010.

Awards/Honors/Fellowships

Centre for Philosophy

- **Singh, R.P.**, Biography has been included in Marquis Who’s Who 2011 edition of Who’s Who in the World founded by A.N. Marquis.
- **Singh, R.P.**, Biography has been included in the 2000 Outstanding Intellectuals of the 21st Century-2010, by International Biographical Centre, Cambridge, London.

Centre for Political Studies

- **Arora, Balveer**, Elected Vice President, Institut International Transcultural, Paris.
- **Arora, Balveer**, Elected President, Sciences-Po India Alumni Association, New Delhi.
- **Rodrigues, V.**, UGC National Swami Pravananda Saraswati Award for Political Science, for the year 2006 (awarded on 22 February, 2010).
- **Guru, Gopal**, Fellow at the Advance Study of India, University of Pennsylvania, from 31 May – 31 July, 2009.
- **Guru, Gopal**, Appointed as Taraknath Das Professor, at Institute of South Asia, Columbia University, New York, from 15-31 October, 2009.

Centre for Social Medicine & Community Health

- **Acharya, Sanghmitra, S.**, Adjunct Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, Ball State University, Muncie, INDIANA (US).

Centre for the Study of Regional Development

- **Thorat, S.K.**, Honoraris Causa by KIIT University, Bhubaneswar (Orissa), 6 December, 2009.
- **Raju, S.**, Received Janice Monk Service Award by the Geographic Perspectives on Women Specialty Group of Association of American Geographers, USA in recognition of a geographer who has made an outstanding service contribution to women in geography and/or feminist geography. This is the first (yearly) award outside the Euro-American World since its inception in 2006.
- **Sen, S.**, Awarded Fulbright-Nehru Senior Research Scholarship from October 2009 to June 2009. Host Institution: School of Environment and Natural Resources, Ohio State University, Columbus. Project: Learning from Each-other: Participatory Natural Resource Management Initiatives in India and the United States of America.
- **Bathla, S.**, Received Jawaharlal Nehru Award for Outstanding Post-graduate Research, 2008 by the Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) in July, 2009.
- **Pani, P.**, Awarded a Fellowship to Work in University of Southampton Highfield Southampton from Under ESRCUK-India Scholar Exchange Programme by the ESRC, U.K., 1 February, 2010-24 April, 2010.

Centre for the Study of Social Systems

- **Oommen, T., K.**, Awarded the National Fellowship of the Indian Council of Social Science Research for two years in February, 2010.

- **Sujatha, V.**, Visiting Professor at the Institute for Soziologie, University of Freiburg, Freiburg, Germany, May-July, 2009.
- **Sujatha, V.**, Nominated by the Indian Sociological Society in 2010 as the Convenor of the Research Committee 1: Concept, theory and method.
- **Mehrotra, Nilika**, Visiting Professor at Michigan State University and Ferris State University, U.S.A. October-November, 2009.
- **Kumar, Vivek**, Visiting Faculty, Department of Sociology, Mumbai University, Mumbai, 9 -12 March, 2010.
- **Naraindas, Harish**, Awarded a UGC-DAAD-PPP Fellowip at the University of Freiburg, 12 December-10 January, 2010.
- **Naraindas, Harish**, Elected to the Editorial Board of the Anthropology & Medicine (journal), Routledge, Taylor and Francis.

Zakir Husain Centre for Educational Studies

- **Kumar, Deepak**, Visiting Professor, Department of History, Burdwan University, Burdwan, March, 2010.
- **Raina, Dhruv**, Visiting Professor, Centre for Contemporary Studies, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, May-June, 2009.
- **Panda, M.**, Received Commonwealth Academic Staff Fellowship for the year 2009-2010.

Women Studies Programme

- **Abaraham, Janaki**, Awarded British Academy Visiting Fellowship at Anthropology Department, London School of Economics to work on “Houses and Kin Groups: Transformations in Matriliney in North Kerala” (book manuscript) between 22 May, 2009 – 15 August, 2009.

Memberships of Boards/Committees (Outside JNU)

Centre for Historical Studies

- **Mahajan, Sucheta**, Member, Selection Committee, University of Assam at Silchar (Assam) and University of Kashmir at Srinagar; Member of the Screening Committee, Indian Council of Historical Research, for award of research fellowships and evaluation of proposals for research and travel grants; Member, Board of Studies, Social Sciences, University of Kashmir, Srinagar; and Member, Expert Committee, M.A. Course on Indian National Movement, IGNOU, New Delhi.
- **Haider, Syed Najaf**, Member, Executive Committee, Indian History Congress, 2009-10.
- **Tiwari, Heeraman**, Subject Expert for the Research Degree Committee for Sanskrit of the Chhatrapati Shahu Ji Maharaj University, Kanpur, U.P., from 2010 onwards.

Centre for Philosophy

- **Singh, R.P.**, Member, Board of Studies, Department of Philosophy, University of Allahabad; Member, Board of Studies, Department of Philosophy, IGNOU, Amarkantaka, Chattisgarh; Member, Board of Studies, Department of Foreign Languages, IGNOU, Maidan Garhi, New Delhi; Member of the Council, ICPR, New Delhi; Member of the Governing Body, ICPR, New Delhi and Member, IIP, New Delhi.
- **Bhagat, Oinam**, One of the experts in the team that evaluated the works of the Junior Research Fellows of Indian Council of Philosophical Research (ICPR), New Delhi, during 2009; Chancellor’s (Governor of Haryana) Nominee on the Selection Committee for the teaching posts in the subject of Philosophy for a period of 2 years, i.e. up to 10-12-2010 in the Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra, Haryana; Member, Academic Committee in the International Conference on Intercultural Dialogue between Northeast India and South East Asia organised

by NEISP (JNU), IGNC and NEZCC, at New Delhi during 17–20 March, 2010; Member, Organizing Committee, Asian Philosophy Congress, organised by ICPR, New Delhi, during 6–9 March, 2010; Served as Visiting Faculty at the Department of Philosophy, Panjab University, Chandigarh during March, 2010; Member, Board of Studies, Department of Philosophy, Manipur University, 2010; Member, Board of Studies, Department of Applied Philosophy, MJP Rohilkhand University, Bareilly, 2010; Currently, Executive Editor, Eastern Quarterly, New Delhi; and Member, Advisory Committee, Centre for North East India Studies and Policy Research (C-NES), New Delhi.

Centre for Political Studies

- **Arora, Balveer**, Member of the Scientific Council of the French Network of Institute of Advanced Study, Paris; and Member of the International Scientific Evaluation Committee of the Fondation Maison des Sciences de l'Homme, Paris.
- **Hasan, Zoya**, Member, Research Advisory Council, University of Pennsylvania Institute for the Advanced Study of India, New Delhi; Life Member, Centre for Women's Development Studies, New Delhi; Life Member, Institute of Economic and Social Change, Bangalore; Member, National Integration Council, Govt. of India, New Delhi; Member, Central Advisory Board of Education (CABE), Ministry of Human Resources Development, Government of India, New Delhi; Member, India-European Union Round Table, Ministry for External Affairs, Govt. of India, New Delhi; and Member, Board of Governors, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, Ministry of Human Resources Development, Government of India, New Delhi;
- **Pai, Sudha**, Member of the Board of Governors – Giri Institute of Development, Lucknow, (From January, 2007 till date); Member of the Departmental Committee, Dept of Political Science, Central University, Hyderabad (From February, 2008); Member of the Board of Governors – Govind Vallabh Pant Institute of Development, Allahabad, (From November, 2008); Member Board of Studies, Department of Political Science, Jamia Millia Islamia New Delhi (from November 2009 to October, 2012); and Member Editorial Board of Journal of Political and Social Studies, Department of Political Science, Allahabad University, Allahabad.
- **Rodrigues, V.**, Member Selection Committee (2009-2010), Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow; Member Selection Committee (2009-2010), Ravenshaw University, Cuttack; Member NAAC Peer team, Calcutta University, 6-10 December, 2009 and Coordinator, NAAC Peer Team, 20-21 January, 2010; Chairman, Expert Committee On Ambedkar Studies, UGC, 2-5 March, 2010; Member, Editorial Advisory Board, *ISDA Journal of Studies in Development and Administration* (Quarterly Journal) of the Institute for the Study of Developing Areas, Tiruanteppuram, Kerala; Member, ICSSR Committee on Documentation Services and Research Information (From 2008 onwards); and Member, Academic Council, Central University of Tamil Nadu.
- **Mahajan, Gurpreet**, Member, Advisory Board, Journal of Political Studies, U.K.; Member, Advisory Board, Political Studies Review, U.K.; Member, Editorial Board, Journal of Gender Studies, U.K, since 1996; Member, Executive Council, Vishwa Bharati, Shanti-Niketan, January 2010 onwards; Member, Board of Studies, School of Social Sciences, Central University Hyderabad; UGC nominee for DSA Programme, Department of Political Science, Central University Hyderabad; and Member, Academic Council, National Defense Academy, Pune.
- **Kanungo, Pralay**, Member, Board of Management, Centre for Jawaharlal Nehru Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia (2009-2012) and Member, Board of Research Studies, Faculty of Islamic Studies and Social Sciences, Jamia Hamdard University, New Delhi (2009-2011).

Centre for Social Medicine & Community Health

- **Rao, Mohan**, Regional Editor, Social Medicine, since 2008; and Member of Editorial Advisory Board of Indian Journal of Gender Studies, since 2005
- **Baru, Rama, V.**, Chairperson, Focus Group and Syllabus Committee on Health and Physical Education: National Curriculum Framework for Schools, National Council for Education Research and Training, New Delhi; South

Asia Editor for the Journal - Global Social Policy, published by Sage, New Delhi; Member, Board of Governors, Institute of Rural Management, Anand, Gujarat; Member, Research Overview Committee's Public Report on Health funded by IDRC; and Member, Academic Advisory Council, Public Health Foundation of India, New Delhi.

- **Acharya, Sanghmitra, S.**, Member, Future Group of Institutional Ethical Committee (IEC) - A Constella Company Enhancing Human Health; Member, Ethics Review Committee of Society for Applied Studies, New Delhi; Member, Ethics Committee, National Institute for Research in Medical Statistics, ICMR, New Delhi; Member, Indian Association for the Study of Population (IASP), New Delhi; Member, All India Association for Women's Studies (AIAWS), New Delhi; Member, Bombay Geographical Association (BGA), Mumbai; Member, Rajasthan Geographical Association (RGA), Jaipur; Member, Indian Association of Social Sciences and Health (IASSH), New Delhi; and Member Editorial Board (1) World Medical and Health Policy Journal and (2) African Journal of Science and Technology.
- **Bisht, Ramila**, Member, Committee to Prepare Curriculum for PG Dip.; Course in Health Policy and Administration, University of Mumbai, Mumbai; and Member, Governing Board, North East Research & Social Work Network (NERSWN), Kokrajhar.
- **Dasgupta, Rajib**, Member, Advisory Committee, Post-Graduate Diploma in Public Health Management, Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi Member, National Task Force on Elimination of Lymphatic Filariasis, Directorate General of Health Services, Govt. of India, New Delhi; Member, Expert Committee for Review of the Polio Programme, Public Health Foundation of India, New Delhi; Expert Member, Task Force on Childhood Obesity, Indian Council for Medical Research (ICMR), New Delhi; Member, Expert Committee on Neonatal Death Audit, Child Health Division, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of India, New Delhi; Member, Standing Committee on BCC/IEC activities under World Bank supported project in NVBDCP, Directorate General of Health Services, Govt. of India, New Delhi; Member, Central Coordination Team, International Clinical Epidemiology Network; Member, Editorial Committee, Public Health Resource Network; and Member, Technical Advisory Group, India CLEN Health Research Capacity Building Initiative.

Centre for the Study of Science Policy

- **Krishna, V.V.**, Editor in-chief, Science, Technology & Society, SAGE Publications, London and New Delhi; Member of Editorial Advisory Board of an International Journal on Knowledge-based Innovation in China, Emerald Group Publishing, U.K. in association with China Association for Management of Technology; and Member, International Social Science Committee, UNESCO, Paris; commissioned to contribute a chapter on the 'Status of Social Sciences in South Asia' for World Social Science Report 2009-10; Visiting Fellow, Centre for Industry and Innovation Studies, University of Western Sydney, Australia, 2010-2011; Visiting Professor, United Nations University – Institute of Advanced Studies, Yokohama, Japan, 2009-2012; Member – Editorial Board, African Journal of Science Technology, Innovation and Development (AJSTID), UK, 2009-2012; and Member – Editorial Advisory Board, Journal of Knowledge – based Innovation in China, Emerald Group Publishing Limited, UK, 2010 – continuing.
- **Desai, Pranav N**, Associate Editor, International Journal of Institutions and Economies; Chairman, Advisory Committee for RVPSP, Ministry of Science & Technology, Govt. of India; Member, Scientific Committee, Journal of Innovation and Development, Routledge (Taylor & Francis group); Regional Editor-South Asia, World Journal of Science, Technology & Sustainable Development (WJSTSD), WASD Publishers; and Visiting Fellow Centre for Biomedicine & Society, King's College, London, UK, 2010.
- **Govind, Madhav**, General Secretary, RC-13 Science Technology and Society of All India Sociological Society, New Delhi for the period of 2008-2010; Member Sociology, Board of Studies, University of Bikaner, Rajasthan; Member, Course formulation and writers committee for PG Diploma in Science and Health Communication, Indira Gandhi National University, Maidan Garhi, New Delhi;

Centre for the Study of Regional Development

- **Chadha, G.K.**, Life Member, Indian Economics Association; Life Member, Indian Society of Labour Economics; Life Member, Indian Society of Agricultural Economics; Life Member, Indian Econometrics Association; Life Member, Indian Society for Agricultural Marketing; Life Member, Indian Society for the Study of Population; Life Member, Indian Association of Social Sciences; Life Member, International Association of Environmental Economics; Regional Network for India, ASEAN and East Asia, Wollongong University, Australia; Board of Management, Centre for Development Studies, Colombo (Sri Lanka); Board of Governors, Institute for Human Development, New Delhi; Governing Body, Society for Indian Ocean Studies, New Delhi; Executive Committee, Indian Association of Social Science Institutions, New Delhi; Board of Governors, Institute for Studies in Industrial Development, New Delhi; Society of Centre for Research in Rural and Industrial Development (CRRID), Chandigarh; Global Health Advisory Committee, University of Toronto, Canada; President, Board of Governors, Govind Ballabh Pant Social Science Institute, Allahabad; Academic Council, Central University of Haryana, Haryana; Planning Board, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi; Advisory Committee, Central University of Orissa, Bhubneshwar; Academic Council, University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad; Board of Management, Indira Gandhi Institute of Development Research, Mumbai; Executive Council, Central University of Rajasthan, Jaipur (Rajasthan); Board of Governors, Gokhale Institute of Economics and Politics, Pune and Executive Council, Central University of Punjab, Bathinda (Punjab).
- **Kundu, A.**, Member, National Statistical Commission, 2006-09; Chairperson, Expert Group on Diversity Index, Ministry of Minority Affairs, Government of India, New Delhi; Chairperson, Committee on Housing Start up Index, Reserve Bank of India (Report submitted for 2007-08); Vice-Chairperson, Steering Committee, NSSO, Government of India, 2009-10; Member, Editorial Board, Journal of National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration, 2009-10; Member, Editorial Board, Journal of Labour Economics 2009-10; Member, Editorial Board, Manpower Journal 2009-10; Chairperson, Technical Monitoring Committee on Natural Resource Accounting 2009-10; Chairperson, Committee on Housing Start up Index, Reserve Bank of India, 2009-10; Member, Monitoring Committee Centre de Sciences Humaine and Institut Francais de Pondicherry, 2009-10; Member, Scientific Advisory Committee at the Ministry of Environment and Forests, 2009-10; Member, High Level Task Force on Affordable Housing, Ministry of Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviation, Govt. of India, New Delhi, 2009-10; Member, Academic Council, Tripura University, 2009-10; UGC Nominee, Academic Committee of Government College, Chhindwara, M.P., 2009-10; Member, Editorial Board, Journal of Arunachal University, 2009-10; Member, Academic Committee, Institute of Economic Growth, New Delhi, 2009-10; Member, Research Advisory Board, Ministry of Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviation, Govt. of India, New Delhi, 2009-10; Chairperson, Committee for Projecting Housing Shortages, Ministry of Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviation, Govt. of India, New Delhi, 2009-10 and Member, Research Advisory Committee on Urbanization and Migration, Social Science Research Council, New York, 2009-10.
- **Singh, H.**, Life Member, National Association of Geographers, India.
- **Mahmood, A.**, Life Member of Regional Science Association of India; Life Member of Indian Association for the Scientific Study of Population and Life Member of Indian Association of Population Geographers.
- **Vemuri, M.D.** Member, Indian Association for the Study of Population; Member, Indian Society of Labour Economics and Member, Society for Applied Research in Humanities.
- **Raju, S.**, Life member, National Association of Geographers (NAGI), India; Life Member, Indian Sociological Society, India; Life Member, Indian Association for the Study of Population, India; Life Member, Institute of Indian Geographers; Life Member, the Indian Society of Labour Economics; Member, Editorial Board, Antipode; Member, Editorial Board, Social and Cultural Geography; Member, Editorial Board, Progress in Human Geography and Member, Editorial Board, GeoJournal.
- **Sharma, R. K.**, Life Member, Indian Society of Labour Economics; Life Member, Indian Economic Association and Life Member, Indian Association for the Study of Population.
- **Srivastava, R.**, Life Member, Indian Economics Association; Life Member, Indian Society of Labour Economics; Life Member, Indian Society of Agricultural Economics; Member Governing Council, Indian Council of Social Science Research; Member, Board of Governors, Institute of Development Studies, Jaipur; Member, Board of

Governors, G. B. Pant Social Science Institute, Allahabad; Member, Governing Board, National University of Educational Planning and Administration, Delhi; Member, Academic Council, Sikkim University; Member, Executive Committee, South Asia Migration Research Network (SAMREN); Member, Faculty Board of Economics, Commerce, Management and Information, Sciences, North-eastern Hill University (2003-05, 2008) and Member, Board of Governors, Giri Institute of Development Studies, Lucknow.

- **Kulkarni P.M.**, Member, Editorial Advisory Board, Asian Population Studies; Member, Editorial Advisory Board, Demography India; Member, Editorial Advisory Board, Journal of Social and Economic Development; Member, Technical Advisory Committee, Census 2011 of India and Chairman, National Advisory Committee, Longitudinal Ageing Study in India, (LASI).
- **Butola, B.S.**, Life Member, National Association of Geographers, India; Life Member, North Eastern India History Association; Life Member, North Eastern Hill Geographers Association; Life Member, Centre for Inter-disciplinary Studies on North East; Member, Editorial Board of Human Geography, Institute for Human Geography INC State of Massachusetts, USA; Advisor, Social Science Contemporary India II Text-Book for Class X, NCERT, New Delhi and Editor, Encyclopedia of concepts and terms used in Geography, “Prithavi and Bhoogol” Govt. of India.
- **Dubey, A.**, Life Member, The Indian Econometric Society; Life Member, Indian Economic Association; Life Member, Indian Society of Labour Economics; Life Member, Indian Association of Canadian Studies; Member, Population Association of America; Member, Sub-Group on Household Savings, RBI and Life Member, Indian Association for Research in Income and Wealth.
- **Sinha, S.**, Life Member, Indian Society of Labour Economics.
- **Sharma, M.C.**, Vice President, Indian Society for Glaciological Sciences; Member, the Sikkim State Commission on Climate Change & Glaciers; Member, Scientific Exploration Committee, Indian Mountaineering Foundation and Member, Editorial Board, Journal of Geomatics.
- **Mishra, D. K.**, Life Member, Indian Society of Labour Economics; Life Member, Indian Society of Agricultural Economics; Life Member, Indian Society for Ecological Economics; Life Member, North-East India Economic Association; Member, British Association of South Asian Studies; Member, British Association of South Asian Studies and Member, Regional Science Association of India.
- **Sreekesh, S.**, Life Member, The Indian Society for Remote Sensing and Life Member, National Association of Geographers, India.
- **Sen, S.**, Life Member of Indian Society of Agricultural Economics; Life Member of Indian Society of Remote Sensing; Life Member of Regional Science Association, India; Life Member of Institute of Indian Geographers and Life Member of National Association of Indian Geographers.
- **Punia, M.**, Life Member of Indian Society of Remote Sensing; Life Member, National Association of Geographer, India; Life Member, National Cartographic Association; Life Member, Rajasthan Geographical Society; Editorial board member to Journal of water and land use management; Advisory Committee of CIS/JNU and Member to e-governance of Central University of Gujarat, Gandhinagar.
- **Bathla, S.**, Life Member of the Indian Society of Agricultural Economics, Mumbai; Life Member of the Indian Economic Association, New Delhi and Life member of the Indian Economic Research Association (India).
- **Banerjee, A.**, Life Member, National Association of Geographers in India; Life Member, The Geographical Society of India, Kolkata; Life Member, The Institute of Ecology, Ekistics and Landscape, Kolkata; Life Member, Indian National Cartographic Association; Life Member, Indian Society of Remote Sensing; Life Member, The Geographical Society of India, Kolkata; Life Member, Indian Association for the Study of Population; EC Member, National Association of Geographers, India and UGC nominated member of Planning and Monitoring Board, Chettinad University, Kancheepuram, Tamil Nadu.
- **Zutshi, B.**, Life Member, National Association of Geographers India; Life Member, Indian National Cartographic Association; Research Board Member, Department of Geography and Regional Development, University of

Kashmir, Srinagar, Jammu and Kashmir; Member Central Advisory Board on Child Labour, Government of India, Ministry of Labour and Employment from June, 2008; Indian Association of Population Studies (IAPS); Himalayan Research and Cultural Foundation; The Children Emancipation Society of India; General Secretary, Initiative for Social Change and Action-ISCA; and Advisor, Jan Kalyan Samiti, Chakwaja, Vashali, Bihar.

- **Das, D. N.**, Life Member, National Association of Geographers, India (NAGI); Life Member, Indian Association for the Study of Population (IASP); Life Member, Indian National Cartographic Association (INCA); Life Member, The Geographical Society of India, Kolkata; Life Member, Indian Society of Remote Sensing (ISRS); Member of the Board of Studies, School of Social Sciences, JNU, New Delhi; Life Member, Institute of Landscape, Ecology and Ekistics, Kolkata and Life Member, Kolkata Socio-Cultural Research Institute, Kolkata.
- **Pani, P.**, Life Member, Indian Institute of Geomorphologists; Life Member of Indian Society of Remote Sensing; Member, British Association of South Asian Studies and Co-opted Member of the Executive Council of Indian Institute of Geomorphologists.
- **Das, B.**, Life Member, Indian Association for the Study of Population (IASP); Life Member, National Association for the Geographers in India (NAGI); Life Member, Kolkata Socio-Cultural Research Centre and Life Member, The Geographical Society of India, Kolkata.

Centre for the Study of Social Systems

- **Singh, Yogendra**, Editor, ICSSR sponsored 5th Survey of Sociology and Social Anthropology, 2003-2009.
- **Oommen, T., K.**, Appointed, Member: Assessment and Monitoring Authority, Planning Commission, Government of India, (for three years from July, 2009); Appointed, Member (International): National Authority Assessment for Institutionalization of Social Inclusion Research Fund, the Government of Nepal, October 2009 – December 2012; and Nominated as Member, Executive Council of the Rashtriya Manav Sangrahalaya Samiti, (for five years from February, 2010), Ministry of Culture, Government of India.
- **Ram, Nandu**, Member, Academic Council of Central University of Bihar, Motihari; Member, Academic Council of Central University of Haryana, Mahendra Garh; Member, Board of Studies of Sociology Department, Baba Saheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow; Member, Advisory Committee of Centre for Study of Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy, Hyderabad University, Hyderabad; Editorial Advisory Board of Sociological Bulletin; Member, UGC Special Assistance Programme of Department of Sociology, North Bengal University, Siliguri; and Member of Jury for Dr. Ambedkar Memorial Award, Government of Madhya Pradesh, Bhopal.
- **Haq, Ehsanul**, Member of the Board of Governors; ICFAI University, Dehradun; Member of the Governing Body of Vevakananda College, University of Delhi; Member of the Review Committee of Sri Mahaveer Educational and Cultural Trust, Mysore; Member of the Review Committee of Avinashilingam University for Women, Coimbatore, Tamilnadu; Nominated Member of the Academic Council of Jamia Hamdard University, New Delhi; Member of the Board of Studies, Indira Gandhi National Tribal University, Amarkantak, M.P.; Member of the Board of Research Studies, Centre of Central Asian Studies, University of Kashmir; and Nominated Member of the Statutory Bodies of North- Eastern Regional Institute of Science and Technology, Nirjuli (Itanagar), Arunachal Pradesh.
- **Kumar, Anand**, Member, ICSSR Committee for 5th Survey of Sociology and Social Anthropology: Review of Literature in Sociology and Social Anthropology, 2003-2009.
- **Nongbri, Tiplut**, Member, Board of Post Graduate Studies, School of Social Sciences, NEHU, Shillong; Member, Steering Committee, National Police Mission, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India, New Delhi; Member, Academic Council, Indira Gandhi National Tribal University, Amarkantak, MP.; and Trustee & Honorary President, Nongbri Education Foundation, Shillong, Meghalaya.
- **Visvanathan, Susan**, Consultant to the introduction of a new course at Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi; and Consultant Editor, Contributions to Indian Sociology, New Delhi.

- **Jodhka, S.S.**, Member, Academic Council, Central University of Tamil Nadu; Member, Academic Council, Central University of Gujarat; and Member, Editorial Board, Social Change.
- **Mehrotra, Nilika**, Member, Academic Committee on M.A. Social Anthropology course at School of Interdisciplinary and Trans disciplinary Studies, IGNOU; Managing Editor, Indian Anthropologist'; and Member of Curriculum Development Committee for M.A. Course in Disability Studies, Ambedkar University, New Delhi.
- **Kumar, Vivek**, Member, Consultative Group on the Social Welfare' and 'Empowerment of SCs and OBCs in the context of the Mid Term Appraisal of Eleventh Five Year Plan in the Planning Commission, Government of India, New Delhi, September, 2009.

Zakir Husain Centre for Educational Studies

- **Majumdar, Tapas**, Chairman (Honorary), Committee on Inter-University Centre for Higher Education Policy, University Grants Commission, New Delhi, 2009-10 and Chief Advisor for Economics Text Books, NCERT, New Delhi, 2009-10.
- **Khadria, Binod**, Member, International Advisory Committee on Civil Society Days, "3rd Global Forum on Migration and Development," hosted by Greece in Athens in November, 2009; Member, Drafting Committee for India's National Migration Policy, Ministry of Overseas Indian Affairs, Government of India, New Delhi, 2009; Member, Indian Council of Overseas Employment, Nominated by Ministry of Overseas Indian Affairs, Government of India, New Delhi, 2009-10; Member, Editorial Board, Asian and Pacific Migration Journal, 2009-10; Member, Steering Committee of the International Geographical Union's Commission for Population Mobility and Vulnerability, 2009-10; Deputy Chairperson (South Asia), Asia-Pacific Migration Research Network, under the UNESCO-MOST Programme, with Secretariat at Australian National University, Australia, 2009-10; Regional (Country) Coordinator for India, Asia-Pacific Migration Research Network, 2009-10; Member, Curriculum Committee, Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE), New Delhi, 2009-10 and Chairman, Course and Syllabus Committee on Economics, Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE), New Delhi, 2009-10.
- **Kumar, Deepak**, Member of the International Scientiarum Historiae Comitatus, Paris; Member, Editorial Advisory board, Science, Technology and Society, Sage Pub., New Delhi; Member, Editorial Advisory Board, Journal of History, Jadavpur University, Kolkata; Member, Editorial Advisory Board, Journal of Comparative Technology Transfer, Michigan, USA. and Vice-President, Association of South Asian Environmental Historians, 2006 onwards.
- **Mohanty, Ajit K.**, Member, Advisory Committee for Multilingual Education, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India, New Delhi; Member, Committee for Planning of School of Social Sciences, SAARC University, New Delhi; Member, Scientific Committee on International Conference of Asian Association of Social Psychology, organized at IIT, Delhi, December 2009; Member, Scientific Advisory committee, National Brain Research Centre, Manesar (Rajasthan); Member Advisory Committee, Academic Staff College, Deen Dayal Upadhyay Gorakhpur University; Member Advisory Committee, Dept of Educational Evaluation, NCERT, New Delhi; Member Board of Studies in Psychology, University of Allahabad; Member Committee for Review of Major Research Projects & Conference Proposals, UGC, New Delhi; Member Editorial Committee, Fifth Survey of Research in Psychology, ICSSR, New Delhi; Member Advisory Committee for DRS, Dept. of Psychology, Osmania University, Hyderabad; Member Expert Committee for Research Project on Study of Emotions in School, Department of Educational Psychology & Foundations of Education, NCERT, New Delhi; Member National Panel for Central Universities (XI Plan), Ministry of Human Resources Development, Govt. of India, New Delhi; Member, National Expert Group on Assessment in Elementary Education, NCERT, New Delhi; Nominated Member to the Editorial Board of International Journal of Multilingualism and Nominated Member to the Editorial Board of Language Policy.
- **Nambissan, Geetha B.**, Member, National Resource Group, Mahila Samakhya, Ministry of Human Resources Development, Govt. of India, New Delhi; Member, Advisory Board, Indian Education Review, NCERT, New Delhi; Member, Editorial Collective of the Journal of Contemporary Education Dialogue; Member, Advisory Board, Journal of Education Policy, Routledge, Taylor and Francis Group, Oxon, UK; Member, Departmental

Advisory Board of the Department of Education, Social Science and Humanities, NCERT, New Delhi; Member, Board of Studies, Faculty of Education, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi; Member, Project Advisory Committee, District Institute of Education and Training/DRU, RK puram (under State Council for Educational Research and Training, New Delhi; Member, Departmental Advisory Board of the Curriculum Group NCERT, New Delhi and Member, Sub-Group on Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (Minorities and other Socially Disadvantaged Groups) for the XIth Plan, constituted by the Ministry of Human Resources Development, Govt. of India, New Delhi.

- **Raina, Dhruv**, Member, Indian Council for Philosophical Research, New Delhi; Member, Advisory Board, National Book Trust, Govt. of India, New Delhi; Member, Advisory Board and Research Council (Modern Period), National Commission for History of Science, Indian National Science Academy, New Delhi; Member, Faculty Committee of Faculty of Education, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 2009; Member, Editorial Board, Indian Journal for the History of Science, 2009 and Member of the Editorial Board of VEST: Tidskrift for Vetenskapsstudier, Sweden.
- **Panda, Minati**, Member, Departmental Advisory Board, Psychology Department, NCERT, New Delhi and Member, Departmental Advisory Committee of Department of Evaluation and Measurement, NCERT (2009-20011).
- **Rao, Srinivasa S.**, Member, Textbook Development Committee for Class XI (Sociology) Text Book, NCERT, New Delhi.
- **Mishra, A.K.**, Member, Editorial Board on Psychology Text Book for Class XI – XII, NIOS, New Delhi; and Member, Textbook Development Committee for Class X (Psychology) Text Book, NIOS, New Delhi.
- **Rao, Paramila**, Member, M. Phil. Course Committee on History of Women and Gender Issues at the Centre for Women's Development Studies, New Delhi and the Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi.

Group of Adult Education

- **Shah, S.Y.**, Member, India Advisory Board of World Literacy of Canada ; Member, International Task Force on Adult Learning Documentation and Information Network of the UNESCO Institute for Lifelong Learning, Hamburg; Member, Advisory Committee of Center for Adult and Continuing Education, Cochin University of Science and Technology; Member, Advisory Committee of Center for Adult and Continuing Education, University of Kerala; Member, UGC Expert Committee on Adult Education; Member, Curriculum Committee of the Department of Adult Education, University of Delhi; Member, Research Committee of the National Institute of Open Schooling, New Delhi; Member, Board of School of Extension Studies and Development, Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi; Member, Board of Studies, Janardhan Rai Rajasthan Vidyapeeth, Udiapur; Member, National Core Group on Evaluation; Member, International Consultative Committee of International Institute of Adult and Lifelong Education, New Delhi. Chairman, Task Force on Training, National Literacy Mission, Government of India; Chairman, Task force on Research, National Literacy Mission, Government of India; Chairman, Editorial Committee of Indian Journal of Adult Education; Vice President and Executive Committee Member, Indian Adult Education Association; Vice President, Asian Society of Lifelong Learning; and Vice President, Reading Association of India.
- **Kejariwal, S.K.**, Member, Expert Committee to Establish Model for Equivalence, Assessment and Transfer of Credits among various Indian Universities, University Grants Commission, New Delhi; Member, Board of Studies, M.P.J. Rohailkhand University, Bareilly, (U.P.); Member, Ethical Committee, CCRYN, Govt. of India; Member, Award Committee, NSS, Ministry of Youth Affairs, Govt. of India; and Treasurer, Comparative Education Society of India (CESI).

Centre for the Study of Law and Governance

The Centre for the Study of Law and Governance adopts a multidisciplinary approach to framing research and teaching on the complex relationship between law and governance. The study of governance, in its various forms and at different sites is central to several contemporary issues: reform of public institutions and public law; the creation and establishment of procedures and rules that lead to greater efficiency, transparency, and accountability; and the challenge of making governance more inclusive and participatory through the strengthening of democracy and civil society. The programme's inter-disciplinary focus is distinctive from mainstream social science approaches to governance or law in its attempt to explore how practices of law and governance are embedded in political, economic, social and historical processes; how practices of governance are dispersed over various sites ranging from the government, bureaucracy, judiciary, community to the family; the socio-legal processes that deter or provide access to justice; and notions of governmentality, sovereignty and rights in specific politico-jural regimes.

While the Centre's academic programme produces scholarly research on law and governance, it also seeks to translate theory into practices of governance by initiating debate, sharing research and encouraging dialogue between the academia, government, civil society and NGOs at local, national and global levels. The ongoing research by the faculty and research students, a working paper series published by CSLG, an active seminar program and annual lectures by distinguished guests mark the other activities of the Centre. CSLG offers an MPhil/PhD programme as well as a direct PhD programme.

Seminars organised by Centre

- Ms. Pompha Bushal, Hon'ble Minister of Administrative Restructuring of Nepal delivered a talk on "The Need for Indo-Nepal Collaboration and Mutual Learning on Administrative Reforms." 2 April, 2009
- Prof. Robin Jeffery and Dr. Heather Neate (Australia-India Council) spoke on the "Rationale to develop research interaction on administrative reforms and pro-poor services". 4 April, 2009
- Prof. Pal Ahluwalia, Vice Chancellor, University of Southern Australia spoke on "An Asia Pacific Collaborative Initiative on Islamic Studies" 1 September, 2009
- V. Santhakumar, Centre for Development Studies, Trivandrum spoke on Possibilities and Limits of 'Dealer Politics': Analyzing the Incentives of Elected Representatives to Improve Governance on Wednesday, 11 November, 2009
- Seema Kazi, Visiting Fellow, Centre for the Study of Law and Governance on Kashmir: War, Gender and the State, on 20 November, 2009
- Shireen Hassim, University of Witswatersrand and author of Contesting Authority: Women's Organisations and Democracy in South Africa on Affirmative Action, "Women" and Politics in South Africa and India (in collaboration with the Centre for Women's Development Studies, New Delhi) 25 November, 2009
- Bhabani Shankar Nayak, Research Fellow, Centre for Global Political Economy, University of Sussex, UK and Visiting Fellow at the Centre for the Study of Law and Governance, JNU on Hindu Fundamentalism and the Spirit of Global Capitalism in Kalahandi district, Orissa on 8 January, 2010.
- Ann Stewart, School of Law, University of Warwick, UK; and, Visiting Professorial Fellow at CSLG, JNU on Gender Justice and Law in a Global Market: Who do we care about? 5 February, 2010.
- Dalia Wahdan, Visiting Fellow, CSLG, JNU on Land-Use and Passenger Transport in Millennium Cities: Comparing Urban Governance in Gurgaon (India) and Sitta October (Egypt) 5 March, 2010

Special Lectures organised by Centre

- Special lecture by Veerappa Moily, Honourable Minister of Law, Justice and Company Affairs on Role of Youth in the Nation Building Process on 10 February, 2010.

Accomplishment of Students

Publications:

- **Sylvia Yambem**, "Employment Opportunities in Manipur: State Capacity under Test" In, *Strengthening Governance in Asia-Pacific: Myths, Realities and Paradoxes* (Ed) Sharif As-Saber, Amita Singh, Raza Ahmad, Jennifer Jalal, Macmillan, New Delhi: 2009.
- **Syed Kazi**, Co-Author, India Chapter, *Digital Review of Asia Pacific 2009-10*, Sage Publications (www.digital-review.org).
- **Syed Kazi**, Guest columnist / writer for 'Good Governance' (www.goodgov.in).

Conference presentations/lectures (Outside JNU):

- **Amrita Lamba**, "Strong State Society Synergy: An Approach to Governance for Ameliorating Poverty in India" at the 9th East-West Centre International Graduate Student Conference held in Honolulu, Hawaii, the United States of America, February, 2010.
- **Amrita Lamba**, doctoral research work presentation at a panel discussion on Social Science Research in India held by the International Development Research Centre (IDRC) in New Delhi, India, December, 2009.
- **Amrita Lamba**, "Towards Just Institutions through Strong State Society Synergy: The Case for Climate Change Induced Risk on the Poor in India" at the Winter School. Marie Curie PhD Winter School on *Earth System Governance: The Challenge of Adaptive Governance*, held by the Institute for Environmental Studies (IVM) of the Vrije Universities Amsterdam, in collaboration with the Netherlands Research School for Socio-Economic and Natural Sciences of the Environment (SENSE); November – December 2009.
- **Amrita Lamba**, Youth Innovation Competition on Global Governance 2009 held in Tbilisi, Georgia. The YICGG 2009 is co-initiated by the Fudan University, Shanghai, the UNDP, the Rome Tor Vergata University, the Politecnico di Torino, CEEUN – Transition World Research Network, and the Ilia Chavchavadze State University in Tbilisi, Georgia, July, 2009.
- **Amrita Lamba**, "Towards a fair deal for migrant adivasis in Nagarahole: A case study of skewed policy making in India" at the twelfth International Association for the Study of Forced Migration (IASFM) conference on *Transforming Boundaries*, held at the University of Nicosia, Cyprus, June – July, 2009.
- **Amrita Lamba**, "State Society Synergy: An Approach to Governance for Ameliorating Poverty in India" at the University of Cambridge Interdisciplinary Graduate Conference on *Perspectives on Progress: Crossing Boundaries in Research*, held at the Faculty of Law, University of Cambridge, the United Kingdom, June, 2009.
- **Shipra Bhatia**, Guest lecture at Motilal Nehru College (Department of Political Science), University of Delhi, 3 November, 2009 to 28 March, 2010.
- **Shipra Bhatia**, New Techniques in Research and Governance, Haryana Institute of Public Administration, December, January, February, 2009-2010.
- **Nazia Khan**, Presented a paper in an International Symposium on Victimology held in Japan on "Victims of Trafficking: Care and Support for Adolescent Girls/Young Women and Children" August, 2009.
- **Sylvia Yambem**, "Vocational Education for Participatory Development", at the Network of Asia Pacific Schools and Institutes of Public Administration and Governance (NAPSIPAG) international conference on "Human Capital and Good Governance: Transition towards Knowledge Base Development and Well Being", University Utara Malaysia, Malaysia, December, 2009.
- **Sylvia Yambem**, "ICT Interventions and the Indian Diaspora", Second Annual Conference on Indian Diaspora "Dealing with the Diaspora: Policy Framework and Options", Charles Darwin University, Darwin, Australia, June, 2009.

- **Shilpi Srivastava**, Attended the training programme on Gender, Water and Equity organised by SOPPECOM, Tata Institute of Social Sciences and SACI waters in Pune, November, 2009.
- **Bhavna Thakur**, Participation influence the Legitimacy of International Organizations?, paper presented at the international conference on Democracy as Idea and Practice, University of Oslo, Norway, 14-15 January, 2010.
- **Rukmani**, Developmental Models in Independent India: Tracing the Trajectory of Development” at Jamia Millia Islamia University, 27 January, 2010.

Awards

- **Amrita Lamba**, Finalist, International Development Research Centre (IDRC) India Social Science Research Award, December, 2009.
- **Sylvia Yambem**, AIC Fellowship 2009-2010.
- **Rebecca John**, SYLFF fellowship, March 2009 – October, 2010.
- **Syed Kazi**, Jury Member, IDRC India Social Science Research Award 2009, December, 2009.
- **Syed Kazi**, Initiator, First North East India ICT for Development Conclave 2010.
- **Syed Kazi**, Coordinator, North East India Policy Consultation on Governance and Development 2009, New Delhi

Participation in National/International Conferences/Seminars/Workshops

- **Jayal, Niraja Gopal**, First Workshop on State Building in the Developing World. Princeton University, October 2009.
- **Singh, Amita**, Meetings on ‘Selective Best Practice Evaluation’ at the Global Innovators Network, Ash Institute of Democratic Governance, KSG, Harvard University, USA. 26-28 May, 2009.
- **Singh, Amita**, ‘Migrant Labor and E-governance in Service Delivery’ CUPPA, University of Illinois, Chicago, USA. 6-7 June, 2009.
- **Singh, Amita**, One World South Asia, IH. 16 July, 2009.
- **Singh, Amita**, UNESCO on ICT and Open source Software in Governance of Public Sector. 2 August, 2009.
- **Singh, Amita**, Mission Convergence, Delhi Secretariat. 3 August, 2009.
- **Singh, Amita**, with Kings College, London on interdisciplinary research. 2 September, 2009.
- **Singh, Amita**, Meeting at CSIR for Evaluation processes of recruitment. 20 October, 2009.
- **Singh, Amita**, Yale University Meet at IHC, Delhi. 9 November, 2009.
- **Singh, Amita**, on Human Capital Development at the University of Utara, Alor Setar, Malaysia. 9-11 December, 2009.
- **Singh, Amita**, Meeting on Administrative Reforms and Digital Bangladesh project at The Dhaka Civil Service Academy, Dhaka, 26 March, 2010.
- **Prakash, Amit**, Presented a paper on ‘Violence of Ideas: Some Reflections on Marginalised Social Groups and Police Culture in India’ at the International Conference on Social Violence and Police being organised by the Centre for Public Affairs, Noida in collaboration with Sikkim Univeristy, Gangtok and Nehru Memorial Museum and Library, New Delhi at Gangtok, 09-10 March, 2010.
- **Prakash, Amit**, Presented a paper on ‘The Idea of Autonomy: Politics of Identity in Jharkhand and Implications of Indian Politics’ at the National Seminar on ‘Assertion of the Regions: Exploring the Demand for New States in India’ organised by the Department of Political Science, Panjab University, Chandigarh, 22-23 February, 2010.
- **Prakash, Amit**, Invited Commentator at the Seminar on Urban Governance and Development Induced Displacement on organised by the Indian Institute of Management Ahmedabad, at Ahmedabad, 9 October, 2009.

- **Prakash, Amit**, Presented a paper entitled 'The "Making of a Movement and the Emergence of Jharkhand: Electoral Politics since the Nineties' at a seminar on Recent Research on Key Socio-Political Aspects of Colonial and Contemporary Bihar and Jharkhand organised by Purnujjal Papiya Ghosh Memorial Trust in association with the Indian Council of Historical Research at Banga Sanskriti Bhawan, New Delhi, 8-9 October, 2009.
- **Baxi, Pratiksha**, "Mock Trials: Law, Violence and Governance in the Aftermath of Gujarat 2002", presented a paper at a conference entitled, 'Power in Modern India: Discourses and Practices' at the Centre for Political Studies, JNU, 25-27 March, 2010.
- **Baxi, Pratiksha**, "Pyar Kiya To Darna Kya: Notes on Law, Love and Violence" presented a paper at "Transcultural Bodies – Transboundary Biographies: Border Crossings in Asia and Europe", organised by the University Research Priority Programme Asia and Europe, University of Zurich Cluster Asia and Europe in a Global Context, University of Heidelberg, and Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts, New Delhi, IGNC, 21-24 February, 2010.
- **Baxi, Pratiksha**, "Rape as Atrocity: The Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act", LASSnet [Delhi Chapter] workshop entitled Ethnographies of Law, at the Centre for Policy Research, New Delhi, 19 February, 2010.
- **Baxi, Pratiksha**, "Adult Discourses, Children's Voices: Ethnographic Accounts of Rape Trials in Ahmedabad, Gujarat [1996-98]", Centre for Political Studies, JNU, 1 April, 2009.

Lectures Delivered (Outside JNU)

- **Jayal, Niraja Gopal**, Radhakrishnan Memorial Lectures at the Oxford University, on the theme 'The Indian Idea of Citizenship: A Century of Contestation'. November, 2009.
 - Lecture 1: Pedagogies of Duty
 - Lecture 2: Dilemmas of Differentiated Citizenship
 - Lecture 3: Genealogies of Rights
- **Jayal, Niraja Gopal**, Seminar: 'In but not Of the State: Claims to Citizenship in Western India' in the Democracy and Development Seminar Series, Princeton University. October, 2009.
- **Singh, Amita**, Lecture on "Applications of ICT in Governance: Realities and Challenges" Administrators of Haryana Cadre Training Programme, Haryana Institute of Public Administration, Gurgaon. 6 April, 2009.
- **Singh, Amita**, Delhi Press Club lecture on the "Policy Perspectives for the Closed Tea Garden Workers of North Bengal Dooar Region". Report release event. 1 May, 2009.
- **Singh, Amita**, Lecture on "Governance and Research in the Asia-Pacific", Collaborative Conference of Tata Institute of Social Sciences and Monash University, Australia. Mumbai. 20 November, 2009.
- **Singh, Amita**, Lecture on "Understanding Governance and Administrative Reforms" Department of Public Administration, Rajasthan University, Jaipur. 30 November, 2009.
- **Singh, Amita**, Lecture on "Pro-Poor Governance and ICT Programmes" Jamia Milia Islamia University, Delhi. 2 December, 2009.
- **Singh, Amita**, Lecture on "Locating Jack in the Box: What is to be done in an ICT led Governance?" Bangladesh University of Professionals, Dhaka. 26 March, 2010.
- **Singh, Amita**, Lecture on, "David and Goliath: Encountering the might of E-Governance in the Asia Pacific", Bangladesh Public Administration Training Centre, Dhaka. 28 March, 2010.
- **Prakash, Amit**, Using Archival Material in Social Science Research" by the ICSSR North-Western Regional Centre at the ICSSR Complex, Panjab University, Chandigarh, 27 March, 2010.

Awards/Honors/Fellowships

- **Jayal, Niraja Gopal**, Radhakrishnan Memorial Lecturer 2009-10. All Souls College, Oxford University.

- **Jayal, Niraja Gopal**, Visiting Fellow in Democracy and Development. Princeton University. (September 2009-June 2010).
- **Singh, Amita**, International Life Time Achievement Award 2009, International Congress of Women March-April, New Delhi.

Membership of Boards/ Committees (Outside JNU)

- **Singh, Amita**, Member, Experts Panel in the Ministry of Women and Child Welfare, Gol, 2009-ongoing; Member, Experts Panel of “Mission Convergence”, Government Of NCT, Delhi, 2009-ongoing; Member Selection Committee under Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act 2000. Department of Women and Child Development, Government of NCT, Delhi, 2009-ongoing; expert on the Board of Studies at the National Institute of Criminology and Forensic Sciences, New Delhi, 2010 – 2011; Member, Ethics Committee Indian Council of Medical Research, New Delhi, 2007 Ongoing; Advisory Board of The Nepalese Journal of Public Policy and Governance, Dhaka, 2007 Ongoing; Editorial Board Member of JOOAG Journal of Governance, Monash University, Melbourne, 2008 ongoing; Secretary General NAPSIPAG 2008.(Network of Asia-Pacific Schools and Institutes on Public Administration and Governance, Previously at INTAN Kuala Lumpur now at CSLG), 2008 ongoing; Project Director of Governance Knowledge Centre at CSLG., 2007 –December, 2009; Academic Advisor NAPSIPAG, INTAN, Kuala Lumpur, 2007-2008; Nominee of the Committee for the Purpose of Supervision and Control of Experimentation on Animals (Animal Welfare Board of the Ministry of Environment and Forest) 2005 ongoing; Editorial Board of Grassroot Governance, Journal of Academy of Grassroots Studies and Research of India (AGRASRI), Tirupati, 2006 ongoing; and Member Executive Board, Research Committee4 International Political Science Association, 2006 ongoing;
- **Prakash, Amit**, Member of Governing Board, Institute for Research on India and International Studies. Gurgaon; Member, Steering Committee and Executive Board, CEEUN-Transition World Research Network – a network of cooperation among international university institutions and research centres promoted by a group of Italian universities/institutes; and Member, Steering Committee and Executive Board of Transition Studies Review – a journal published by Springer Wien, New York.

Special Centre for Sanskrit Studies

The Special Centre for the Sanskrit Studies is engaging itself in several teaching and research programmes with focus on inter-disciplinarily in accordance with JNU culture. Numerous new initiatives were undertaken during the period 2009 – 2010 resulting in increased number of students, development of infrastructure and adoption of broad based approach in teaching. Faculty and research students of the Centre participated in various National seminars and International conferences and also organised different academic activities, details of which are being provided below.

The Centre organised several academic programmes, such as special lectures and seminars as per details given below:

- Organised a Special lecture by Dr. M.N. Thakur, Centre for Political Studies, SSS-II, JNU, on topic “Mapping Knowledge and Practice” on 31 August, 2009.
- Organised Sanskrit week celebration programme from 5 – 12 August, 2009.
- Organised a Special lecture on topic “Indian and Greek Dramaturgy” delivered by Dr. Bharat Gupta, Associate Professor, University of Delhi on 11 September, 2009.
- Organised a Special lecture on topic “Editing and Vedic Research” delivered by Prof. S.P. Narang, Former Head Department of Sanskrit, Delhi University, on 30 October, 2009.
- Organised a Special lecture on topic “Reflections of India in Ancient Greek writings” delivered by Prof. K.G. Srivastav, Dean, Faculty of Arts, University of Allahabad, on 30 November, 2009.
- Organised a Special lecture on topic “Logical approach to Reincarnation” delivered by Prof. Kishore Chakroborty, Professor of Indian Philosophy, Devis and Elkins College, West Vergenia, USA, on 6 January, 2010.
- Organised a Special lecture on topic “Ayurveda-Science of Long Life” delivered by Kaviraja Hari Shankara Sharma, Kyoto, Japan on 8 January, 2010.
- Organised a Special lecture on topic “Essentials of Vedanta” delivered by Prof. S. Revathy, Madras University, Chennai, on 15 January, 2010.
- Organised a Special lecture on topic “Sankhya Views on “Prakritilaya” as a Yogic Achievement” delivered by Prof. Angelika Malinar, Chair of Indology, University of Zurich, Switzerland, on 25 February, 2010.
- Organised an International Seminar on “Understanding Schopenhauer through the Prism of Indian Culture” on 4 -5 March, 2010.
- Organised a Special lecture on topic “Sanskrit Kavya Sastra Mem Rasa, Chanda Evam Alamkara Ka Antah Sambandha” delivered by Prof. Haridutt Sharma, Department of Sanskrit, Allahabad University, Allahabad on 26 March, 2010.
- International Seminar on Science and Technology in Ancient Indian Texts, 9-10 January, 2010 (SATAIT)

It was a joint seminar organised by Special Centre for Sanskrit Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, Delhi, India and Centre for Indic Studies, University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth, USA. The papers were invited in the following areas:

- Biological and Environmental Sciences
- Chemical Sciences and Metallurgy
- Physical Sciences and Astronomy
- Medical Sciences, Ayurveda, Yoga for healing
- Mathematical and linguistic Sciences
- Engineering including vastu, vimana shastra, ship building, war, armament
- Agricultural sciences and animal husbandry

□ Other novel sciences

An Advisory Committee of eminent scholars was constituted to guide us in the organization of this seminar and plan collaborative initiatives after the seminar. The following scholars kindly accepted to be on our advisory committee

- Mrs. Swarnlata, HoD, Technology Development for Indian Languages (TDIL) , Ministry of Communications and Information Technology, (MCIT)
- Radhavallabh Tripathi , Professor and Vice Chancellor , Rashtriya Sanskrit Sans than, New Delhi
- K. Ramakrishna Rao, Professor and Chairman, Indian Council of Philosophical Research (ICPR), New Delhi.
- Rajendra Prasad, Professor, School of Life Sciences, J .N.U.
- V.K Jain, Professor School of Environmental Sciences, J.N.U.
- Vacaspati Upadhyay, Professor and Vice Chancellor, Sri Lal Bahadur Shastri Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeeth, New Delhi
- M. M. Agrawal , Professor and Head, Department of Sanskrit, Dean, Faculty of Arts, University of Delhi
- Balram Singh, Director, Centre for Indic Studies and Botulinum Research Centre, University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, USA
- Michel Danino, Swarnambika Layout , Ramnagar , Coimbatore, TN
- Shukla Mukherjee, Associate Professor and Project Officer , Rashtriya Sanskrit Sans than, New Delhi
- Kapil Kapoor, Professor and ex-Rector, J.N.U.
- Sankar Basu, Professor, and Dean, School of Languages Literature and Culture Studies, J.N.U., Chairperson, Special Centre for Sanskrit Studies, J.N.U.
- Shashiprabha Kumar, Professor, Special Centre for Sanskrit Studies, J. N.U.
- Girish Nath Jha, Associate Professor, Special Centre for Sanskrit Studies, J.N.U., (Hon. Professor, Centre for Indic Studies, University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth for SATIAT)

Report of the SATIAT seminar

There were a total of 11 sessions, 29 invited speakers, 06 inaugural session speakers, 04 plenary session speakers, 08 session-chairs, 11 coordinators and 04 panelists. The papers were presented in following areas:

- Chemical sciences , metallurgy (vimanasastra) =2
- History/philosophy of science/conceptual = 9
- Language Technology/formal treatment of language = 1
- Language (Phonetics/acoustics)=1
- Maths = 5
- Mech. Eng. = 1
- Physics = 2
- Astronomy = 1
- Ayurveda = 2
- Yoga and cognitive sciences = 2
- Law = 1
- Knowledge management (by the panelists) = 3

Programmes / Lectures Organised

- **Kumar, Shashiprabha**, Organised two lectures on the theme Pracina Bharatiya Acarya under Foundation Day Programme of Nishreyasa at Sanskrit Bhawan on 6 November, 2009.
- **Kumar, Shashiprabha**, Organised two lectures under the auspices of Nishreyasa, on the theme Adhunika Bharatiya Vicaraka at Sanskrit Bhawan on 28 January, 2010.
- **Kumar, Shashiprabha**, Organised a special lecture by Sri Harishankara Sharma and Ms. Inamura Hiroe Sharma of Japan on “Ayurveda-The Science of life” at CSS, JNU on 8 January, 2010.
- **Kumar, Shashiprabha**, Organised a special lecture by Prof. Angelica Malinar, Chair of Indology, University of Zurich, Switzerland on “Samkhya views on Prakritilaya as a yogic achievement” at Special Centre for Sanskrit Studies, JNU on 24 February, 2010.
- **Kumar, Shashiprabha**, Organised and convened a roundtable discussion on “Vedic Vision of Inclusiveness” under the 1st Asian Philosophy Congress held at JNU during 6-9 March, 2010.
- **Shukla, Santosh Kumar**, Organised Sanskrit Week Celebration Programme on Indian Knowledge Systems at CSS, JNU (5 – 12 August, 2009)
- **Shukla, Santosh Kumar**, Organised a Special lecture by Dr. M.N. Thakur, SPS, JNU, on Mapping Knowledge and Practive at CSS, JNU, on 31 August, 2009
- **Shukla, Santosh Kumar**, Organised one day Seminar on Motilal Shastri’s contribution to the Vedic studies at India International Centre on 29 September, 2009.
- **Shukla, Santosh Kumar**, Organised a National Workshop on Shariraka Vijnanabhashya at S.J.R. Sanskrit University, Jaipur, 10-16 December, 2009.
- **Shukla, Santosh Kumar**, Organised an International Seminar on Understanding Schopenhauer through the Prism of Indian Culture at CSS, JNU on 4-5 March, 2010.
- **Shukla, Santosh Kumar**, Organised one day Seminar on Motilal Shastri’s contribution to the Vedic Studies at J.N. Vyas University, Jodhpur on 18 March, 2010.
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, Organised an International Seminar on Science and Technology in Ancient Indian Texts (STAIT), 9-10 January, 2010 in collaboration with Centre of Indic Studies, University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth USA.
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, Organised a workshop for the Indian Languages Corpora Initiative (ILCI) in collaboration with Dravidian University, Kuppam, 28-28 August, 2009
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, Organised a workshop on Sanskrit e-learning and multimedia for school teachers and students of south Delhi public schools, 5 May, 2011

Sessions Chaired

- **Kumar, Shashiprabha**, Chaired a session at 13th India Conference organised by WAVES, UDSC, New Delhi on 24 December, 2009
- **Kumar, Shashiprabha**, Chaired a session in the National Seminar on “Contribution of Swami Dayanand to Indian Nation” at Ramjas College, Delhi University on 11 February, 2010.
- **Kumar, Shashiprabha**, Chaired the Valedictory Session in the National Seminar on “Sanskrit and Modern Indian Languages” at Kalindi College, University Delhi on 19 February, 2010.
- **Kumar, Shashiprabha**, Chaired three sessions of the section “Vedic Hinduism: Retrospect and Prospect” in the 1st Asian Philosophy Congress organised by ICPR at JNU during 6-9 March, 2010.

Participation in National /International Conferences/ Seminars/Workshops

- **Kumar, Shahiprabha**, Presented a paper titled “Are the Vaisesikas Pasupatas?” in the philosophy section of 14th World Sanskrit Conference held at University of Kyoto, Japan during 1-5 September, 2009.
- **Kumar, Shahiprabha**, Participated in the *Sastracarcasadas* and presented a paper titled “Vaisesikadarsane Mangalavadah” at the 14th World Sanskrit Conference held at University of Kyoto, Japan during 1-5 September, 2009.
- **Kumar, Shahiprabha**, Attended as an invited participant in the Oxford Shivdasani Conference on “Categories in Indian Philosophy”, and presented a paper titled “Concept of Categories in Vaisesika Philosophy”, Oxford, UK, during 10-11 October, 2009.
- **Kumar, Shahiprabha**, Presented a paper titled “Vaisesika Insights into Science”, at the International Conference on Science and Technology in Ancient Indian Texts held at CSS, JNU during 9 -10 January, 2010.
- **Kumar, Shahiprabha**, Presented a paper “Schopenhauer’s Remarks on Sanskrit Literature-An Overview” at the International Conference on Understanding Schopenhauer Through the Prism of Indian Culture: Philosophy, Religion and Sanskrit Literature held at CSS, JNU during 4 -5 March, 2010.
- **Kumar, Shahiprabha**, Presented a paper “Vedic Conception of Human Body” at the 1st Asian Philosophy Congress organised by Indian Council of Philosophical Research and held at JNU during 6-9 March, 2010.
- **Kumar, Shahiprabha**, Participated and presented a paper titled “Vaisesika Theory of Creation and Existence” in the 13th India Conference organized by Wider Association for Vedic Studies at the University of Delhi South Campus, New Delhi 24 December, 2009
- **Kumar, Shahiprabha**, Participated in the Vidvatsaparya programme organised by Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan, and presented a paper on “Pascatyatattvasastretihash by Prof. Sriramacandrudu” on 2 August, 2009.
- **Kumar, Shahiprabha**, Participated in the interdisciplinary roundtable on climate change and made a presentation on “Indigenous Insights on Lifestyle and Values” at School of International Studies, JNU in the Chairmanship of Prof. Yashpal, Chancellor, JNU on 21 December, 2009.
- **Rao, C. Upender**, Participated and presented a paper in Sanskrit on “contribution of Sri Krishna devaraya” on 28, March, 2010 in a ‘National Seminar’ ‘Sri Krishna devaraya and his times’ Organised by Sri Ventateshwara Vedanta Vardhini Sanskrit College from 28-29 March, 2010.
- **Rao, C. Upender**, Participated and presented a paper on “Sanskrit Telugu Relation” at Kalindi Collage, Delhi University, Delhi on 19 February, 2010
- **Rao, C. Upender**, Participated and presented paper in “international seminar on “Pali literature” organised by the ‘Rastriya Sasnkrit Sansthan’ New Delhi. On “the concept of shila in Pali literature” on 23 September, 2009
- **Rao, C. Upender**, Participated and presented a paper on “kumarajiva a great Chinese translator” in a seminar organised by institute of Kashmir studies, Srinagar at Leh, Ladakh on 14 September, 2009
- **Rao, C. Upender**, Presented a power point presentation in the month of May, 2009 at Orissa state museum, Bhubaneshwer, Orissa.
- **Rao, C. Upender**, Participated and presented a paper on “importance of pali language and literature” in international conference held in Rajasthan University, organised by the Department of Sanskrit, Rajasthan University, Jaipur, Rajasthan.
- **Rao, C. Upender**, Participated and presented a paper on “contribution of pandit rahul sankrityayan to Buddhist literature” in a seminar organised by pandit rahul sankrityayan pratishthan, New Delhi on 21 November, 2009.
- **Shukla, Santosh Kumar**, Participated in the Workshop on Encyclopedia of Hinduism Delhi, 24 May - 9 June, 2009
- **Shukla, Santosh Kumar**, Participated in the National Workshop on Sharirakavijnana bhashya held in SJR Sanskrit University, Jaipur, 10-16 December, 2009
- **Shukla, Santosh Kumar**, Participated in the International Conference on Science and Technology in Ancient Indian Texts held at CSS, JNU, 9-11 January, 2010.

- **Shukla, Santosh Kumar**, Participated in the International Conference on understanding Schopenhauer Through the Prism of Indian Culture: Philosophy, Religion and Sanskrit Literature held at CSS, JNU, 4-5 March, 2010.
- **Shukla, Santosh Kumar**, Participated in the 1st Asian Philosophy Congress organised by ICPR, Delhi 6-9 March, 2010.
- **Shukla, Santosh Kumar**, Participated in the International Conference on Devotion and Dissent in Indian History held at CHS, JNU, 12 – 13 March, 2010.
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, 5th Global Wordnet Conference, IIT Mumbai, 1 February, 2010
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, 4th International Language technology Conference, Poznan, Poland, November, 2009
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, 7th Discourse Anaphora and Ambiguity Resolution Colloquium (DAARC-2009), to be held at Goa, India, 5-6 November, 2009
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, 18th International Vedanta Congress, University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth, 16-19 July, 2009
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, Participated in 4 day workshop on Samasa Tagging at Poornaprajna Vidyapeetha, Bangaluru, May 16-19, 2009
- **Mishra, Rajnish Kumar**, Workshop on Encyclopedia of Hinduism, 24 May – 9 June, 2009
- **Mishra, Rajnish Kumar**, Workshop on Encyclopedia of Indian Poetics at Shillong 25-28 October, 2009.
- **Mishra, Rajnish Kumar**, Workshop on Encyclopedia of Indian Poetics at Sahitya Akademi, New Delhi 7 -10 December, 2009
- **Mishra, Rajnish Kumar**, International Conference on Understanding Schopenhauer through the Prism of Indian Culture: Philosophy, religion and Sanskrit Literature, at JNU, New Delhi, 4 – 5 March, 2010
- **Mishra, Rajnish Kumar**, Renaissance Universal Seminar on Shri Anandamurtiji's Contribution to Philosophy, Language, Literature, Civilization and Sciences at Shri Lalbahadur Shastri Sanskrit Vidyapeeth. Paper: Shri Anandamurti ji's Philosophy of Language, 14 March, 2010
- **Mishra, Hari Ram**, Presented a paper entitled 'Kalidasakrtisu Lokasangraha' in National Seminar on 'Kalidasa Samiti, Vikram University, Ujjain, during 29 October – 4 November, 2009.
- **Mishra, Hari Ram**, Presented a paper entitled 'Vaiyakarananam Mate Pramana-Vicharah in National Seminar on 'Bharatiya Darsan Mem pramana-Mimamsa' organised by Sanskrit Department, University of Allahabad, on 13 February, 2010.
- **Mishra, Hari Ram**, Delivered Special lecture on 'Adhunik Sanskrit Kavita Bhagirathi ke visesa sandarbha mem' in a National Seminar on "Adhunik Sanskrit Kavya Ki Pravrttiyam" organised by Johari Devi P.G. College, Kanpur, on 18 February, 2010.
- **Mishra, Hari Ram**, Presented a paper entitled 'Reception of Arabian Nights in Sanskrit Literature' in the International Seminar on 'Reception of Reception of Arabian Nights in World Literature, organised by Centre of Arabic and African Studies, School of Language Literature and Culture Studies at JNU on 23 February, 2010.
- **Mishra, Hari Ram**, Presented a paper entitled 'Critical Analysis of Svaras in Vedic Linguistic Thought' in the International Seminar on the Vedas organised by Sri Venkateshwara University, Tirupati, During 3-5 March, 2010.
- **Mishra, Hari Ram**, Presented a paper entitled 'Concept of Rebirth in Vedic, Avestan and Buddhist Thought' in Asian Philosophy Congress, organised by Indian Council of Philosophical Research during 6-9 March, 2010.

Lectures Delivered (Outside JNU)

- **Kumar, Shashiprabha**, Delivered a special lecture as an invited Resource person on "Sanskrit beyond Borders" for the Sanskrit teachers of D.P.S. from all over India and abroad in New Delhi on 14 April, 2009.
- **Kumar, Shashiprabha**, Delivered a special lecture on "Vaisesika and Jaina view of Substance" at the international seminar organised by the school of Jaina Studies held in New Delhi on 2 June, 2009.

- **Kumar, Shashiprabha**, Delivered the inaugural address at the National seminar on “Translation: Lost and found, Indian Writers, Translators, Texts and Contexts “ sponsored by U.G.C. and Sahitya Academy and organised by the English Department, Rajdhani College, New Delhi on 1 February, 2010
- **Kumar, Shashiprabha**, Delivered the Chief Guest’s address at the annual function of Mandakini Sanskrit Vidvatparisat held at Gurukul Gautamnagar, New Delhi on 10 January, 2010.
- **Kumar, Shashiprabha**, Delivered two lectures on Research Methodology at Sri Lal Bahadur Sastri Rastriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha, in the workshop for researchers on 24 February, 2010.
- **Kumar, Shashiprabha**, Delivered a special lecture on “Relevance of Sanskrit in Current Times” as a Resource person in the Orientation Programme for the University and College Teachers at CPDHE, University of Delhi on 15 March, 2010.
- **Kumar, Shashiprabha**, Delivered a special lecture on “Vedic Insights into Contemporary Crises” at the seminar on “Vedic Solutions to Contemporary Crisis: An Enquiry into Social Existence” organised by and at the Amity Institute of English and Business Communication, Amity University, Noida, on 18 March, 2010.
- **Kumar, Shashiprabha**, Delivered the Chief Guest’s address at the UGC sponsored National Seminar on “Improvement in Teacher Qualification”, held at Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha Tirupati on 20 March, 2010.
- **Rao, C. Upender**, Delivered lectures on “current issues on Indian studies” and taught Sanskrit language, Invited to deliver lectures by the national university in KYIV, UKRAIN, from 9- 22 March, 2010
- **Rao, C. Upender**, Delivered a key note address at the inaugural; session of the conference on “Prof. Satyavrat Shastri, the first gyanpith awardee’s contribution to the Sanskrit studies”, organised by the ‘Maris Stella College, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh, on 4 December, 2009
- **Rao, C. Upender**, Participated in Round table discussion organised by the institute of Cervantes de nueva, Delhi on 20 January, 2010.
- **Rao, C. Upender**, Participated in conference organised by the Embassy of Peru and institute of Cervantes de nueva, Delhi on 14 December, 2009
- **Shukla, Santosh Kumar**, Delivered a lecture on Sharirakavijnanbhasya at the National workshop held in SJR Sanskrit University, Jaipur on 10 December, 2009.
- **Shukla, Santosh Kumar**, Delivered a lecture on Pauranic Bhuvankosh at the National Seminar organised by UP Sanskrit Sansthan held in S.S. University, Varanasi, on 29 November, 2009.
- **Shukla, Santosh Kumar**, Delivered a lecture on Bharatiya yuddhavidya at the National Seminar organised by Maharshi Sandipani Veda Vidya Pratishthan held in Varanasi 12-14 February, 2010.
- **Shukla, Santosh Kumar**, Delivered a lecture on Sanskrit knowledge system at the one day Seminar organised by Bharatiya Vitta Salahkar Samiti held in Hindi Bhawan, Delhi on 28 February, 2010.
- **Shukla, Santosh Kumar**, Delivered a lecture on Shri Anandamurtiji’s social thought at Shri L.S.S. Sanskrit University, Delhi on 14 March, 2010.
- **Shukla, Santosh Kumar**, Delivered a lecture on Vedic Vyakhyan Paddhati at the one day seminar organised by JN Vyas University, Jodhpur on 18 March, 2010.
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, “Indian Languages Corpora and Application Development at JNU”, Prof R N Shrivastava Memorial Lecture, Kendriya Hindi Sansthan, Agra, March 23, 2010.
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, “Language Processing and Corpus Linguistics”, Prof R N Shrivastava Memorial Lecture, Kendriya Hindi Sansthan, Agra, 22 March, 2010.
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, Language Technology and Sanskrit, Department of Sanskrit, Hansraj College, Delhi University, 18 February, 2010.
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, Computational Linguistics for Sanskrit, PhD research workshop, Sri Lal Bahadur Shastri Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeeth, New Delhi, 16 February, 2010.

- **Jha, Girish Nath**, A national effort to develop technologies for multiple national languages the experience of India, FLaReNet (Fostering Language Resource Network), funded by European Commission, Barcelona, Spain, 12 February, 2010.
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, Why should you consider Sanskrit, Sanskrit Department, Mother's International School, 22 January, 2010.
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, Hamaare gaon, shiksha aur computer, Kuruom Vidyalaya: Inauguration and Educational Workshop, Kuruom, Sultanpur, UP, 14 January, 2010.
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, Web based technologies, Web Creations, Lucknow, 13 January, 2010.
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, Linguistics for Sanskrit, "Workshop on Sanskrit and Computers: Getting equipped to face the new challenges" organized jointly by the Department of Sanskrit Studies, University of Hyderabad, and the Sanskrit Academy, Osmania University, Hyderabad, 20 December, 2009.
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, Java for Computational Linguistics, "Workshop on Sanskrit and Computers: Getting equipped to face the new challenges" organized jointly by the Department of Sanskrit Studies, University of Hyderabad, and the Sanskrit Academy, Osmania University, Hyderabad, 21-23 December, 2009.
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, Computational Linguistics RandD at JNU, "Workshop on Sanskrit and Computers: Getting equipped to face the new challenges" organized jointly by the Department of Sanskrit Studies, University of Hyderabad, and the Sanskrit Academy, Osmania University, Hyderabad, 23 December, 2009
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, Computational Linguistics and TDIL (Technological Development for Indian Languages) Programme, panel discussion on "Getting less-resourced languages on board – which language, which resources, which methods, which funding?", 4th International Language and Technology Conference (4th LTC), Poznan, Poland, 6 November, 2009.
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, Indian Language Corpora Initiative (ILCI) invited talk, 4th International Language and Technology Conference (4th LTC), Poznan, Poland, 6 November 2009.
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, Sanskrit and Computer, Sanskrit Department, Gargi College, Delhi University, 17 September, 2009.
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, JNU Text Encoding and Search for Sanskrit (J-TESS), Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan, Delhi, 26 October, 2009.
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, Issues in Sanskrit NLP and e-learning, Kanya Mahavidyalaya, Jalandhar, 7 August, 2009.
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, Invited to deliver a talk on "Sanskrit aur Kamputar" at DPS, HRD Centre, Dwarka, New Delhi, 15 April, 2009.
- **Jha R.N.**, delivered a lecture on 'Relevance of Indian Philosophy in Modern Era' organized by the Department of Sanskrit, Swami Shradhanand College, University of Delhi, Delhi on 3 March, 2010.

Awards/Honors/Fellowships

- **Jha, Girish Nath**, Nominated to the Editorial Board of Springer for their journal Language Resource and Evaluation (LRE) in February, 2010.
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, Appointed Mukesh and Priti Chatter Distinguished Professor of History of Science, University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, USA
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, Appointed Consortium Leader of 10 universities/institutes by Department of Information Technology for their TDIL project "Indian Languages Corpora Initiative (ILCI)" 2009-2011
- **Mishra, Rajnish Kumar**, Framing a New Course for M.A. Programme of the Centre: Sanskrit and Indo-European Linguistics. Approved by the Special Committee of the Centre in its meeting held on 26 November, 2009

Membership of Boards/ Committees (Outside JNU)

- **Kumar, Shashiprabha**, Convenor of Sanskrit Bhasha Samiti for the Saraswati Samman, K.K. Birla Foundation, New Delhi, 2009; Expert Member, Programme Advisory Committee, Kalakosa, IGNOU, New Delhi, 2009-2010; Member, Advisory Committee, UGC Special Assistance Programme, Faculty of Education, Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeeth, Tirupati, 2009-2010; Outside member, Library advisory Committee, Kalakosa, IGNOU, New Delhi, 2009-2010; Member of the Editorial Advisory board, Journal of the Centre for Women's Studies, Sri Lal Bahadur Shastri Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha, New Delhi; Nominated as Subject Expert for the Committee on Induction of SAP, U.G.C., 2009; and Attended selection committee meetings as a nominated subject expert for the posts of Professor, Associate Professor and Assistant Professor in the Departments of Sanskrit at University of Delhi; Sri Lal Bahadur Shastri Sanskrit Vidyapeetha, New Delhi; Department of Sanskrit at Hans Raj College, University of Delhi; Department of Sanskrit at Mata Sundari College, University of Delhi; Department of Sanskrit at Rajdhani College, University of Delhi; Department of Sanskrit at Maitreyi College, University of Delhi and Department of Sanskrit at University of Calicut, Kerala.
- **Rao, C. Upender**, Acted as advisor in the interview board of staff selection commission organised by the Department of personnel and training, ministry of personnel, public grievances and pension. From 4-5 March, 2010; Acted as a Key Sanskrit expert at sutra translation workshop, organised by the Department of religion, the George Washington University, Washington D.C. at Lumbini, Nepal on 28 – 29 November, 2009; Acted as external expert in Ph. D. Vivas in Delhi University, University of Rajasthan, Maharshi Dayanand University, Jammu University; Set P.G. question papers in Osmania University, Himachal Pradesh University; Expert Member of Sanskrit for the certificate programme in Sanskrit offered by the IGNOU at IGNOU, on 25 November, 2009; Acted as a judge in 14th Chinmaya Inter-School Gita chanting competition at Chinmaya Vidyalaya, Vasanth Vihar, New Delhi, on 28 October, 2009; Acted as a judge for a Sanskrit drama organised by the 'Rastriya Sanskrit Sansthan' New Delhi, on 11 November, 2009; and Expert Member of Sanskrit for the certificate programme in Sanskrit offered by the IGNOU at Chinmaya mission, Lodhi road, New Delhi, on 13 October, 2009
- **Shukla, Santosh Kumar**, Editor (Culture and Philosophy) Samakalina Abhivyakti (Hindi Journal), Delhi and Member of the Editorial Advisory Board, Sablog, (Hindi Monthly), Delhi.
- **Jha, Girish Nath**, Nominated as a member of Board of Studies of Mahatma Gandhi International Hindi University, Wardha and Nominated as permanent member in the Expert Committee on CLDR, by the Ministry of Communications and Information Technology (MCIT), Government of India

Any other information

- **Rao, C. Upender**, Bhartrihari Niti Shatakam (Sanskrit) 2009, Rastriya Sanskrit Sansthan, New Delhi.
- **Shukla, Santosh Kumar**, Associate Editor in a nearly completed Encyclopaedia of Hinduism (in 11 vols.), Delhi: Rupa and Co., 2010.
- **Mishra, Rajnish Kumar**, Assistant Editor in an on-going Encyclopedia of Indian Poetics, an UNESCO sponsored project of Sahitya Akademi, New Delhi (to be completed in December, 2010) under the Chief Editorship of Prof. Kapil Kapoor.
- **Mishra, Rajnish Kumar**, Associate Editor in a nearly completed Encyclopaedia of Hinduism (in 11 vols.), Delhi: Rupa and Co., 2010. (Editor in Chief Prof. Kapil Kapoor)
- **Mishra, Hari Ram**, Edited Text Book for Correspondence Course of Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan, Deemed University, New Delhi.
- **Mishra, Hari Ram**, Organised a national seminar on Greece beyond Greece (With Special Reference to Vedic, Greek and Iranian Parallels: The Cultural Triangle) in Special Centre for Sanskrit Studies, and SLLandCS, JNU, 17 – 19 April, 2010.
- **Mishra, Hari Ram**, Coordinated and supervised Three Month long Seven Sanskrit Sambhasana Kendras at various places in Delhi State, sponsored by the Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan, Deemed University New Delhi.

Special Centre for Molecular Medicine

The discipline of 'Molecular Medicine' is a newly emerging area of biomedical sciences contributing to the understanding, prevention and cure of human diseases. The Special Centre for Molecular Medicine (SCMM) at Jawaharlal Nehru University is the first of its kind in India.

The objective of the SCMM is to foster teaching and research activities in the study of human diseases with application of advanced tools of molecular and cell biology. It is hoped that the academic programs started by SCMM will play a major role in training young scientists, (clinical and non-clinical), keen to pursue careers in basic medical research. The training program has been designed to create essentially two types of scientists who can contribute to the continuing progress of medicine. Type one is the first and foremost a clinician with a basic clinical degree, but one who is familiar with and understands the essence of modern biology at the molecular level as applied to medicine. The second is a modern biologist, but one who is sufficiently knowledgeable in medicine to deal productively with the medical problems so that they would be able to deliver products or processes to society. For successful implementation of these objectives, SCMM has started the following programmes of study.

To encourage the medical graduates and students from basic sciences the centre has introduced pre-Ph.D. and direct Ph.D. programmes in Molecular Medicine, and is pursuing teaching and research activities in the following thrust areas.

- Metabolic Disorders (diabetes type 2, cardiovascular diseases, reproductive disorders, nuclear hormone receptors in health and disease)
- Infectious Diseases (Malaria, Hepatitis C, Leishmaniasis, Helicobacter pathogenesis, Candidiasis, Host Microbe Relationship, Tight Junctions Bacterial and viral pathogenesis)
- Diagnostics (Genetic profiling of pathogenic fungus and development of genetic tools to identify pathogenic organisms)

Conferences/Symposiums/Meetings organised by the Centre

- (i) International Symposium on Endocrinology and Reproduction: Molecular Mechanisms to Molecular Medicine organised by Dr. Rakesh K. Tyagi

The Centre organised an "International Symposium on Endocrinology and Reproduction: Molecular Mechanism to Molecular Medicine" and the 28th meeting of the Society for Reproductive Biology and Comparative Endocrinology (SRBCE), from 4 - 6 February, 2010. The symposium was supported by the National Institute of Health and Family Welfare (NIHFW), New Delhi and held in SSS-I auditorium, Jawaharlal Nehru University. The major aim of the symposium was not only to have eminent speakers deliver their exciting achievements but also to encourage young scientists, researchers and students to participate, discuss and promote teaching and research in the areas of 'Reproduction and Endocrinology'.

The symposium began with a 'Welcome address' by the Organising Secretary, Dr. Rakesh K. Tyagi, SCMM, JNU. The event was formally inaugurated by the Patron-in-chief, Prof. B. B. Bhattacharya, Vice Chancellor, JNU. Following the inauguration, Prof. S.K. Maitra, President of SRBCE delivered the introductory lecture followed by the keynote address from Prof. Deoki Nandan, Director, NIHFW. Vote of thanks was delivered by Prof. M. M. Aruldas.

Three full days of symposium and deliberations covered a broad range of topics falling under the theme of the symposium and comprised of sessions on Molecular Medicine, Nuclear Receptors in Health and Disease, Endocrine Disrupters and Reproductive Toxicology, Stem cells and Reproductive Biology, Endocrine-related Cancer, Infertility and Reproductive Technologies, Clinical Endocrinology and Metabolism, Invertebrate and Vertebrate Endocrinology and Reproduction.

The success and popularity of the symposium was evident by a huge participation of more than 300 teachers, scientists, young researchers and students from various academic institutions. Forty five universities and forty four institutes from India, USA, Iran, UK, and Singapore participated in the event. Senior scientists and active researchers who have made significant contributions in the above areas were invited from various universities of both national and international repute as well as from Indian basic and medical institutes. The overwhelming response that the symposium received was evidenced by an entry of 120 abstracts. Papers were presented by participants belonging to India as well as from various countries giving it a true international colour.

In addition to debate/discussion/brain storming sessions under the major thematic areas, selected platform and poster presentations by young scientists, post-doctoral fellows and students, were the highlights of the symposium. Each day had exclusive time for poster and oral presentations which made an interesting viewership as well. The main focus and effort was to have vibrant scientific sessions that kept everyone abreast with the recent advances in Endocrinology and Reproduction.

The symposium was chaired by many eminent scientists and dignitaries including Prof. I.T. Huhtaniemi, Prof. Kasturi Datta, Prof. M. A. Akbarsha, Prof. Bandana Chatterjee, Prof. K Murlidhar, Prof A.V. Ramachandran and many more. The papers presented brought to light a number of issues related to Reproduction and Endocrinology. The symposium started with an exciting talk by an eminent and senior scientist of India, Prof. G. P. Talwar, the former founder-director of National Institute of Immunology, New Delhi, who stated the importance of immunological approaches towards prostate cancer. Eleven plenary lectures were delivered by Prof. Samir Bhattacharya, Prof. Bandana Chatterjee, Prof. I. T. Huhtaniemi and Prof. Chandana Haldar and several other eminent scholars.

In addition, there were invited lectures, short platform presentations by students and post-doctoral fellows which gathered equal attention from the audiences in all the sessions. Of all the posters and research papers presented by young researchers, three students in oral presentation category and five students in the poster presentation category were given Chinoy awards for the best presentations.

This year's 'Scroll of honour' was presented to renowned scientist Prof. Oomen V Oomen for his lifetime contributions in teaching and research. Prof. Chandana Haldar gave a memorable account on the life and contribution of Prof. Oomen V Oomen to the field of science. Dr. S. T. Dheen, from the National University of Singapore was selected for this year's SRBCE's Fellowship in Reproduction and Endocrinology (FRE).

The concluding session was devoted to the analysis of highlights and recommendations for future course of action in the field of Endocrinology and Reproduction by panel speakers. Not only the invited speakers but the whole audience comprising the students and young researchers were also given the opportunities to share their views and suggestions towards the symposium. The event was concluded by a vote of thanks to all special invitees, participants and volunteers and funding agencies for their contribution and encouraging response to the success of the symposium.

Visitors to the Centre

- **Dr. Manidipa Banerjee** from the Department of Molecular Biology, The Scripps Research Institute, USA, visited the centre and delivered a lecture entitled "Biological and Structural Study of Non-enveloped Virus Entry" 4 August, 2009.
- **Prof. Manzoor A. Bhat** from the Department of Cell and Molecular Physiology, the University of North Carolina School of Medicine, USA, visited the centre and delivered a lecture entitled "Neuron-Glial Interactions and the Molecular Basis of Nerve Conduction" 7 August, 2009.
- **Prof. Bandana Chatterjee** from the Department of Molecular Medicine, the University of Texas Health Science Center, USA, visited the centre and delivered a lecture entitled "Androgen Receptor Regulation in Prostate Cancer: Nuclear factor-kappa B- and Oxidative Stress – Induced Response" 18 August, 2009.

- **Dr. Mainak Majumder** from Labindia – Applied Biosystems, delivered a lecture entitled “Real-Time polymerase Chain Reaction- Theory and Practice” 21 August, 2009.
- **Dr. Nandkumar Khaire** from Vidya Pratishthan, School of Biotechnology, visited the centre and delivered a lecture entitled “Regulation of Tumor Suppressor Activity of Retinoblastoma Protein by Lysine Methylation” 24 August, 2009.
- **Prof. Adhip P.N. Majumdar** from VA Medical, Wayne State University, USA, visited the centre and delivered a lecture entitled “Cancer Stem Cells: A New Paradigm in Aging and Gastrointestinal Carcinogenesis” 3 December, 2009.
- **Dr. Partha Ray** from the John Wayne Cancer Institute, USA visited the centre and delivered a lecture entitled “Discovery and validation of FOXC1 as a biomarker of basal like breast cancer: a potential target for the therapy” 8 January, 2010.
- **Dr. Ramanathan Natesh** from the School of Biological Sciences, University of London, London, visited the centre and delivered a lecture entitled “ACE of Hearts and Chaperonin Non-Native Protein Complexes: from Atomic Models to Blobs – How Stepping “Back” Can Be a Step “Forward” 27 January, 2010.
- **Dr. Sourav Banerjee** from the Neuroscience Research Institute, The University of California, USA, visited the centre and delivered a lecture entitled “MicroRNAs in Synaptic Plasticity: Tiny RNAs with Big Potential” 17 February, 2010.
- **Prof. Chandan Sen** from the Department of Surgery and Molecular and Cellular Biochemistry, USA, visited the centre and delivered a lecture entitled “Natural Vitamin E alpha – Tocotrienol and Stroke” 5 March, 2010.

Accomplishments of Student

- **Ms. Nisha Tapryal** (a Ph.D. student) was selected for an International Travel Award from ‘The Third Congress of the International Biolron Society’ and presented selected poster in its meeting held in Portugal between 7-11 June, 2009
- **Dr. Nupur Kanti Das** (a Ph.D. student under foreign national category) presented a poster in the ‘The Third Congress of the International Biolron Society’ meeting held in Portugal between 7-11 June, 2009
- **Sanjay Kumar** (a Ph.D. student) won the ‘Prof. A. R. Rao Memorial Best Poster Award’ in the International Symposium on Cancer Chemoprevention and Translational Research, at the School of Life Sciences, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, held on 21 December, 2009
- **Sanjay Kumar** (a Ph.D. student) won the ‘Prof. N. J. Chinoy Best Poster Award’ in the an international symposium on Endocrinology and Reproduction: Molecular Mechanisms to Molecular Medicine and the ‘28th Annual Meeting of the Society for Reproductive Biology and Comparative Endocrinology (SRBCE-2010)’ held at SCMM, JNU, New Delhi between 4-6 February, 2010.

Any Other Information

Teaching and Research Collaborations

Teaching/research collaboration with other science schools of the university and research collaboration with several research institutes and universities both at the national and international level have been established. Numerous research articles in peer-reviewed journals have been jointly published with AIIMS, Safdarjung Hospital, GB Pant Hospital, International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology, National Institute of Immunology, Cleveland Clinic Foundation, USA, Harvard School of Public Health, Boston, USA, Michigan University Center for Medicine, USA and Kyoto Prefectural University of Medicine, Kyoto, Japan.

Future plans of the Centre

As originally conceived the SCMM is successfully attracting medical graduates to pursue their career in research. This is evident by the fact that 20% of the enrolled students are from the area of medicine. SCMM has also taken a major initiative in collaborative quality research as evident from the publications. The collaborative research between the core and adjunct faculties and with other scientists is the highlight of the initial success of SCMM. Similarly, in the next five years the centre's objective is to attract motivated students from the fields of medicine and basic sciences and train them on cutting edge research in modern biology. This will ensure a quality investment for future generation of scientists in modern biology, where India is definitely poised to make its mark. In the next five years, we will continue with our present goal and additionally, upon induction of new faculty, emphasise on other areas of molecular medicine such as Structure Based Drug Design/ Molecular Therapeutics / Genetic disorders/ Oncology/ virology.

Conference/Seminar Papers

- **Mukhopadhyay CK.**, and Tapryal N, 'Reactive oxygen species regulate ceruloplasmin by a novel mRNA decay mechanism involving its 3' untranslated region: Implications in iron depositions in neurodegenerative diseases'. The Third Congress of the International Biolron Society, Portugal, 2009.
- **Mukhopadhyay CK.** and Das N.K. 'Intracellular parasite leishmania donovani manipulates iron homeostasis of host macrophage by depleting intracellular labile iron pool'. The Third Congress of the International Biolron Society, and 8th International Symposium on Microbial Iron Transport, Storage and Metabolism, Portugal, 2009.

Participation in National/International Conferences/Seminars/Workshops

- **Mukhopadhyay, CK.** was invited as chairperson for the session 'Novels Aspects of Iron and Infection', The Third Congress of the International Biolron Society, and the 8th International Symposium on Microbial Iron Transport, Storage and Metabolism, Portugal, 7 – 11 June, 2009
- **Mukhopadhyay, CK.** was invited as chairperson for the session 'Redox regulation in Angiogenesis', Indo-US bilateral workshop on 'Redox Signaling in Degenerative Diseases, 19 – 21 December, 2009
- **Mukhopadhyay, CK.** was invited as chairperson for the session 'Clinical Endocrinology and Metabolism', International Symposium on Endocrinology and Reproduction, 4 – 6 February, 2010
- **Mukhopadhyay, CK.** was invited as chairperson for the session 'Health', European Union – India SandT cooperation days in Food, Agriculture, Fishers Biotechnologies and Health Research, JNU, New Delhi, 4 – 6 November, 2009
- **Tyagi, RK.** was invited as guest faculty, and delivered a lecture entitled "Green fluorescent protein: Journey of a Nobel discovery" in a DBT-sponsored workshop on 'Molecular Biology Techniques' held at Burdwan University, 7 – 19 September, 2009
- **Tyagi, RK.** was invited as 'Organizing Secretary' for an international symposium on 'Endocrinology and Reproduction: From Molecular Mechanism to Molecular Medicine' held at JNU, New Delhi, 4 – 6 February 2010
- **Tyagi, RK.** Guest faculty lectures at AIIMS for M.Sc. (Biotech) students during the year 2009
- **Dhar, SK.** attended and delivered a lecture entitled "Control of DNA replication initiation and cell cycle regulation in human malarial parasite Plasmodium falciparum" at the XXXIII All India Cell Biology Conference 2009 and International Workshop on Cell Cycle Regulation held at Hyderabad, India, 10 – 13 December, 2009
- **Dhar, SK.** participated and delivered a lecture on "Functional analysis of apicoplast targeted DNA Gyrase in human malarial parasite Plasmodium falciparum" in the symposium "Understanding and Managing Pathogenic Microbes" held at IMTECH, Chandigarh, India, 22 – 24 January, 2010
- **Dhar, SK.** attended the Guha Research Conference (GRC-2009) as a member, Mangalore, India, 19 – 23 December, 2009

- **Aijaz, S.** participated in 'The Young Investigator Meeting' organised by NCBS, Bangaluru at Efort Raichak Resort, Kolkata, 8 – 12 February, 2010

Lectures Delivered (Outside JNU)

- **Mukhopadhyay, CK.** "Leishmania donovani manipulates iron homeostasis of host macrophages for its survival and growth". Centre for Centre and Molecular Biology, Hyderabad, 29 June, 2009
- **Mukhopadhyay, CK.** "Redox regulation of iron homeostasis genes: Implication in tissue iron overload". Indo-US bilateral workshop on 'Redox Signaling in degenerative diseases, 19 – 21 December, 2009
- **Mukhopadhyay, CK.** "Posttranscriptional regulation of multi-copper oxidases". RNA Biology Meeting, Pune, 17 – 18 January, 2010
- **Mukhopadhyay, CK.** "Role of Iron in leishmania-macrophage interaction' on "Emerging Trends in Globin Research: Need to Imbibe New Approaches and Technologies" University of Delhi South Campus, New Delhi, 6 February, 2010
- **Mukhopadhyay, CK.** "Leishmania donovani regulates iron homeostasis in macrophage" at the Haryana Agricultural University, Hisar, 3 March, 2010
- **Dhar, SK.** "How Does DNA Replicate: A Journey from *Helicobacter pylori* to *Plasmodium falciparum*, Two Medically Important Human Pathogens" in a national symposium organised by Shivaji College, University of Delhi, 24 – 25 November, 2009
- **Dhar, SK.** "Prokaryotic and eukaryotic DNA replication" at the Biotechnology Department, AIIMS, New Delhi, India, February, 2010.

Awards/Honors/Fellowships

- **Tyagi, RK.** Fellow in Reproduction and Endocrinology (FRE) by the Society of Reproductive Biology and Comparative Endocrinology, 2009

Membership of Boards/Committees (Outside JNU)

- **Mukhopadhyay, CK.,** Member, DBT nominee for Biosafety Committee in National Brain Research Centre, Manesar, Haryana; Member, Academic committee-International Centre for Biotechnology and Genetic Engineering, New Delhi; Member, Academic committee- Centre for Cellular and Molecular Biology, Hyderabad; and Member, Doctoral committees in NII and AIIMS, New Delhi.
- **Tyagi, RK,** Editorial member of 'The Journal of Endocrinology and Reproduction', Chennai; Ad-hoc reviewer, Indian Journal of Pharmacology; Journal of Histochemistry and Cytochemistry; Biochimica Biophysica Acta (Molecular Cell Research), FEBS Letters; Member, Society of Reproductive Biology and Comparative Endocrinology, Chennai, India; Member of Indian Society of Cell Biology (Regd); Member of the selection committees, Thesis Advisory Committees (TAC), National Institute of Immunology, National Institute of Plant Genome Research, New Delhi and CCS Meerut University; Visiting Professor, Department of Biomedical Sciences, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirapalli; Member of the Executive Committee of the "Society for Reproductive Biology and Comparative Endocrinology, (Regd.)" India; and Member in UGC-CSIR (NET) exam script evaluation board for 'Life Sciences' held in CSIR complex, New Delhi, 2009.
- **Dhar SK,** Member of the several thesis advisory committees (TAC), National Institute of Immunology, All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi; Member of the Ph. D. Admission committee of National Institute of Plant Genome Research, New Delhi; and Deputy Coordinator of work package 2 (WP2) for the MALSIG-European Union programme.

Academic Staff College

The UGC Academic Staff College (ASC) at the Jawaharlal Nehru University began functioning in the year 1989, offering Refresher Courses in Political Science in July and Economics in August. The ASC has successfully completed 20 years and over the last two decades it has emerged as one of the most exciting centres of intellectual interaction among teachers, scholars and policy makers in the country.

The main objective of the ASC is to update university and college teachers by involving them with the contemporary debates and discourses in their disciplines as well as to bring about an overall academic development in the way they approach the issues and debates, to inculcate an awareness of the social and historical contexts of the challenges facing higher education in India today. The participants are equipped with a set of understandings and skills, which may enable them to be better teachers. Multi-disciplinary approaches are emphasized and the relation between academics and Indian society is sought to be strengthened. The exciting interactions and dialogue at the ASC have been instrumental in generating the much-needed stimulus for academic endeavours for the participants as well as the resource persons.

The ASC extends its resources and facilities to the wider community of those who are actively engaged in higher education. ASC organizes workshops for the college principals and academic administrators of the colleges and universities to update them with the development in the higher education sector through interactions with well experienced resource persons from wide domains of knowledge.

In celebrating its 20th year, the ASC initiated the Foundation Day Lecture Series, with the publication and formal release of a monograph "**The Idea of Identity**" by Professor C.P. Bhambhri on 14 January 2010. Publication of the lectures will fulfill the long-standing demand of recording and making the outstanding lectures delivered at the ASC accessible to the academic community across the country.

Orientation Courses

Between April 2009 and March 2010, ASC conducted five Orientation Courses and trained 165 college/university teachers (including 7 from JNU). The following tables give the details of the courses:

Sl. No.	Name of Course	Duration	Total Participants	Male	Female	Ph.D. Holders
1	65 th OC	6 April to 1 May 2009	25	10	15	11
2	66 th OC	19 October to 13 November 2009	24	17	07	07
3	67 th OC	4 - 29 January 2010	39	26	13	12
4	68 th OC	1 - 26 February 2010	37	29	08	11
5	69 th OC	2 - 26 March 2010	40	25	15	07
		Total	165	107	58	48

Participants from JNU in Orientation Courses, April 2009-March 2010

Sl. No.	Name of Course	Participant	Centre, School
1	65 th OC	Priti Singh	CCUS&LAS, SIS
2	-do-	Tulika Prasad	AIRF
3	-do-	Ranjana Arya	SBT
4	67 th OC	Heeraman Tiwari	CHS, SSS
5	-do-	Sudip Mitra	SES
6	68 th OC	Meenu Bhatnagar	CRS, SLLandCS
7	69 th OC	SK. Ishtiaque Ahmed	CPandCAS, SLLandCS

Refresher Courses

Between April 2009 and March 2010, ASC conducted nine refresher courses. These included four courses in science disciplines (Biotechnology, Environment Sciences, Life Sciences and Physics) and five in social sciences (Political Science, Sociology, History and two Economics courses). ASC trained 222 college/university teachers from various parts of the country (including 4 from JNU). The following tables give the details of the courses:

Sl. No.	Name of Course	Duration	Total Participants	Male	Female	Ph.D. Holders
1	36 th RC in Political Science	6 April to 1 May 2009	31	20	11	12
2	14 th RC in Environmental Sciences	6 April to 1 May 2009	17	12	05	12
3	11 th RC in Biotechnology	27 July to 21 August 2009	12	06	06	10
4	39 th RC in Economics	27 July to 21 August 2009	19	16	03	03
5	29 th RC in History	24 August to 18 September 2009	25	13	12	11
6	15 th RC in Life Sciences	4 January to 29 January 2010	35	19	16	19
7	9 th RC in Physics	1 February to 26 February 2010	32	25	07	13
8	40 th RC in Economics	2 March to 26 March 2010	29	16	13	06
9	32 nd RC in Sociology	2 March to 26 March 2010	22	09	13	11
		Total	222	135	86	97

Participants from JNU in Refresher Courses, April 2009-March 2010

Sl. No.	Name of Course	Participant	Centre, School
1	39 th RC in Political Science	K.P. Vijaya Lakshmi	CCUS&LAS, SIS
2	-do-	Manish Dabhade	CIPOD, SIS
3	11 th RC in Biotechnology	Subhrangsu.S. Maitra	SBT
4	-do-	Syamalal Maitreyi Rajala	SBT
5	-do-	Swati Tiwari	SBT
6	-do-	Ranjana Arya	SBT
7	29 th RC in History	R. Mahalakshmi	CHS, SSS, JNU
8	-do-	Sangeeta Dasgupta	CHS, SSS, JNU
9	15 th RC in Life Sciences	Sushil K. Jha	SLS
10	40 th RC in Economics	Ashok	CESP, SSS

3rd Principals' Workshop

ASC organised the 3rd Principals' Workshop during 26 October – 30 October, 2009. The five-day workshop had participation from 31 colleges from all over India. The details of the participants are given in the table below:

Sl. No.	State	Total Participants	Male	Female
1	Andhra Pradesh	1	1	
2	Assam	2	2	
3	Bihar	2	1	1
4	Chattisgarh	3		3
5	Karnataka	1		1
6	Kerala	13	8	5
7	Madhya Pradesh	1	1	
8	Maharashtra	6	6	
9	Tamil Nadu	1	1	
10	West Bengal	1	1	
	Total	31	21	10

Professor T. Ramasami, Secretary, Department of Science and Technology (DST), delivered the inaugural address on 'The Contemporary Higher Education: Crisis and Perspectives' and Dr. A. Mukhopadhyay and Dr. M.R. Kulkarni, both from SERC division of DST, made presentations on the theme 'Trajectories in Scientific Research'. This session was an introduction to the Principals, who has come all the way from across India, to the frontier areas of scientific research and support provided by DST. Professor Amit Dinda of All India Institute of Medical Sciences along with Professors Chinmoy Mukhopadhyay, Rakesh K. Tyagi and Suman Dhar of SCMM, JNU, introduced the Principals to the 'Trajectories of Bio-Medical Sciences'. ASC took initiative to take the Principals and the participants of the Orientation courses for a visit to Inter University Accelerator Centre (IUAC), a UGC centre for Nuclear Science

Research. Professor Amit Roy, Director of IUAC introduced them to the area of Nuclear Science Research in India and how IUAC is facilitating research for the scientific community. In the Workshop, the Principals shared their views, problems and visions about future and interacted with 24 young teachers who were participating in the Orientation Course in ASC at that time.

1st Academic Administrators' Workshop

While marking the 20th year of the institution, ASC decided to go for a novel initiative for the senior administrators of colleges and universities to enhance their abilities, expose them to the changes in the world of knowledge and engage them in the process of dealing with the challenges. Professor C.S. Venkata Ratnam, Director, International Management Institute, delivered the inaugural address. This highly successful four-day workshop conducted during 03-06 November 2009 had a sizeable participation from JNU. The details are given below:

Sl. No.	State	Number
1	Andhra Pradesh	1
2	Arunachal Pradesh	2
3	Delhi	21
4	Himachal Pradesh	1
5	Manipur	2
6	Uttar Pradesh	1
7	West Bengal	2
	Total	30

Participants from JNU in the Academic Administrators' Workshop

Sl. No.	Participant	Sl. No.	Participant
1	Poonam S. Kudaisya	2	Rakesh Mohan
3	Virendir Singh	4	Abha Yadav
5	Ashok Kumar	6	Chand Narain
7	Deepak Arya	8	G. Veerabahu
9	H. K. Batra	10	Jit Singh
11	M. K. Prabhakar	12	N. K. Dahiya
13	Naresh Kumar	14	P. S. Chahar
15	Prem Sagar	16	Ravi Kant Sinha
17	R. C. Joshi	18	S. D. Goel
19	S. Easwar		

Resource Persons

The Orientation Courses and the specialized Workshops are coordinated by the faculty of the ASC. The Refresher Courses during 2009-10 were coordinated by Dr. Shefali Jha (Political Science), Prof. V.K. Jain (Environmental Sciences), Prof. Santosh K. Kar (Biotechnology), Dr. Saumen Chattopadhyay, Dr. Meeta Mehra and Dr. Aparna Sawhney (Economics), Dr. Pius Malekandathil (History), Dr. Supriya Chakraborty (Life Sciences), Prof. Prasenjit Sen (Physics), Dr. Praveen Jha and Dr. Vikas Rawal (Economics), Dr. Renuka Singh and Dr. Vivek Kumar (Sociology). The ASC extends its sincere thanks to all the above faculty members for well planned and successful coordination of the courses.

The ASC has been fortunate in having the support and willing participation of some of the most distinguished scholars and public intellectuals of the country in all the programmes. Most of those who were invited have responded request to share their expertise with the participants. It is their cooperation that has made the ASC - JNU, a very stimulating place for academic exchange. Apart from the different Schools and Centres of JNU, the ASC gets its support from a number of institutions that cooperate with us in sending their distinguished scholars as resources persons. Some of the institutions from which we invite resource persons are:

- All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS)
- Aligarh Muslim University
- American Institute of Indian Studies, Gurgaon
- Calcutta University
- Central Pollution Control Board
- Centre for Policy Research (CPR)
- Centre for Women's Development Studies (CWDS)
- Defense Research and Development Organisation (DRDO)
- Delhi University
- Department of Science and Technology
- Indian Metrological Department, New Delhi
- Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU)
- Indian Institute of Public Administration (IIPA)
- Indian Agriculture Research Institute (IARI)
- Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Delhi
- Indian Statistical Institute (ISI), Delhi
- International Management Institute (IMI)
- Institute of Defense and Strategic Analysis (IDSA)
- Jamia Millia Islamia
- National Physical Laboratory (NPL)
- National Institute of Immunology, NII
- International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology (ICGEB)
- INMAS, Lucknow Road, Delhi
- Inter University Accelerator Centre (IUAC)

- Ministry of Environment and Forests
- Ministry of Information Technology
- National Institute of Public Finance and Policy (NIPFP)
- National University of Educational Planning and Administration (NUEPA)
- NISTADS
- National Institute for Plant Genome Research (NIPGR)
- Planning Commission, New Delhi
- School of Planning and Architecture (SPA)

ASC is fortunate to have the best minds of the country and abroad sharing their scholarship and experience with the teaching community here. The academic environment and standard maintained by the ASC attract the scholars in various fields to continued interactions with its participants. The resource persons who contributed to the programmes conducted by the ASC during 2009-10 include: Professors Bipan Chandra, Yogendra Singh, Emeritus Professors of JNU, Prof. Satish Chandra, Former Chairman of UGC, Prof. Irfan Habib Eminent Historian, AMU, Prof. Yash Pal, Chancellor, JNU, Prof. R.K. Kale, Vice Chancellor, Central University of Gujarat, Prof. Rajeev K. Saxena, Officer on Special Duty –Academics and Planning, South Asian University, Prof. Mohinder Singh, Director, National Institute of Punjab Studies, Prof. Amit Roy, Director, Inter University Accelerator Centre, Prof. Asis Datta, Former VC, JNU and Professor of Eminence, NIPGR, Prof. Mridula Mukherjee, Director, Nehru Memorial Museum and Library, Prof. V.S. Chauhan, Director, ICGEB, Professors Randhir Singh, C.P. Bhambhri, Dipankar Gupta, Patrick Dasgupta, K.L. Krishna, S. Maheswari, K.C. Upadhyay, V. Rajamani, T.K. Oommen, Rajeev Bhargava, A.K. Ray, Amrik Singh, senior Directors of the Ministry of Environment and Forests and Department of Science and Technology, and distinguished members of the faculty of JNU and various other universities and institutions.

A number of intellectuals from abroad as well lectured at the ASC. The Jawaharlal Nehru Institute of Advance Studies (JNIAS) was very supportive in extending its valuable resources to ASC. Some of the visiting scholars from various universities who shared their academic scholarship and experience with the participants of various courses of ASC are Allaine Cerwonka (Department of Gender Studies, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary), Olutaya Charles Adesina (Department of History, University of Ibadan, Nigeria), Stephen Borbely, (Department of Universal and Comparative Literature, Babes-Bolyai University in Cluj-Napoca, Romania), Jean Boutier (Directeur d'Etudes at the l'École des hautes études en sciences sociales and Head of Centre for Social Sciences, Marseille, France), David Weberman (Department of Philosophy, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary), Robert Goldman and Sally Goldman (Department of South and Southeast Asian Studies, University of California, Berkeley), Dominic Goodall (French Institute, Pondicherry), T.S. Rukmani (University of Concordia, Canada), Archana Venkatesan (Department of South and Southeast Asian Studies, University of California, Berkeley), Mathew McCartney (SOAS, University of London) and Tadd Fernee (Paris).

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- **Batabyal Rakesh**, Prepared a chapter on ‘Social Inclusion’ for the textbook on Peace and Conflict Resolution (Masters Level) published by Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU), New Delhi, 2009.

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- **Ghosh R**, “Memory effects in three-level systems”, Collaborative research project, Indo–French Centre for the Promotion of Advanced Research (IFCPAR)/CEFIPRA under the Indian Department of Science and Technology and the French Ministry of Foreign Affairs, January, 2009 – December, 2011.

Participation in National/International Conferences/Seminars/Workshops

- **Ghosh R**, “Nonclassical Effects in Two-Photon Interference: Before the HOM Dip”, Invited Seminar, Institut de Ciències Fotoniques (The Institute of Photonic Sciences), Castelldefels (Barcelona), Spain, 7 July 2009.
- **Ghosh R**, “Let there be light!... What is light?”, Invited First “Summer Lecture”, Institut de Ciències Fotoniques (The Institute of Photonic Sciences), Castelldefels (Barcelona), Spain, 9 July 2009.
- **Ghosh R**, “Get enLIGHTened!”, Inaugural Lecture, Physics Festival, Kirori Mal College, Delhi University, 11 November 2009.
- **Ghosh R**, “Gender Empowerment: Some Personal Reflections”, Invited talk, *StreeShakti* Seminar on Social Exchange: A Widening Horizon, India International Centre, Delhi, 11 December 2009.
- **Ghosh R**, “The JNU Experience” in the Panel Discussion on Sexual Harassment Issues on Campuses, Sarojini Naidu Centre for Women’s Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, Delhi, 23 February 2010.
- **Ghosh R**, “Prevention and Deterrence of Sexual Harassment at the Workplace: the JNU Experience”, Symposium on Harassment of Women at Work Place, Mewar Institute, Vasundhara, Ghaziabad, 18 March 2010.
- **Batabyal Rakesh**, Presented a paper entitled ‘On Moral History of Politics: the Solidarity Movement (1980 - 1989)’ in the Indo-Polish joint Seminar on “India and Poland: The Democratic Experience” organised in India by Nehru Memorial Museum and Library and Polish Embassy in India, on 25-26 November 2009 at Teen Murti House.
- **Batabyal Rakesh**, Chaired a session in the workshop on ‘The Use of History on the East European Perspectives’ organised by Professor John Boutier at Jawaharlal Nehru Institute of Advance Study, JNU
- **Batabyal Rakesh**, Presented a paper entitled ‘The Concrete Community and the Production of Knowledge—Country, State and the State of Knowledge in post Independent India’ in the UGC sponsored national seminar on “India: The Country and the State – In Historical Perspective” organised by Raja Peary Mohan College, Uttarapara, West Bengal, on 5-6 February 2010.

Awards/Honors/Fellowships

- **Ghosh R**, *Stree Shakti* Science Samman, presented by the Union Minister for Tourism, Urban Development and Poverty Alleviation, Kumari Selja, on 12 December 2009.
- **Ghosh R**, Invited Professor, CNRS Laboratoire Aimé Cotton, Université Paris Sud, Campus d’Orsay, France, June 2009.

- **Batabyal Rakesh**, Nomination as the Inaugural Visiting Professor to ICCR's Short-Term Chair of Modern Indian History at the University of Tokyo, Japan, for one semester starting April 2010.

Lectures Delivered (Outside JNU)

- **Batabyal Rakesh**, Lecture on 'Historians and Their World', for the students of History Department of Kamala Nehru College, New Delhi.
- **Batabyal Rakesh**, "Introducing Indian History", lecture at the Indian Institute of Mass Communication, New Delhi, in its course for the participants of the Non Aligned Countries.

Membership of Boards/Committees (Outside JNU)

- **Ghosh R**, Delhi Coordinator, Kishore Vaigyanik Protsahan Yojana (KVPY), DST, 1999-continuing; Member, Departmental Advisory Board, Department of Education in Science and Mathematics, National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT), 2008

Students' Activities

I. STUDENTS' STRENGTH

The total number of students admitted for the academic year 2009-2010 and the students on the rolls of the University as on 1 September, 2009 are given below:

Statement showing the number of students admitted for the Academic year 2009-2010.

(A). M.Phil/ M. Tech/ MPH./ Ph.D.

School	General	SC	ST	PH	OBC	Total
School of International Studies	76	27	27	5	37	172
School of Social Sciences	130	45	28	9	41	253
School of Language, Lit. and Culture Studies	69	17	8	2	47	143
School of Life Sciences	9	6	1	1	8	25
School of Computer and Systems Sciences	6	6	-	-	8	20
School of Environmental Sciences	4	4	1	1	6	16
School of Biotechnology	3	-	-	-	1	4
School of Physical Sciences	3	1	-	-	7	11
School of Computation and Integrative Sciences	14	6	-	-	4	24
Centre for Molecular Medicines	2	2	-	-	1	5
School of Arts and Aesthetics	14	4	1	-	-	19
Centre for Sanskrit Studies	7	3	1	1	3	15
Centre for the Study of Law and Governance	9	3	4	1	4	21
Total	346	124	71	20	167	728

(B). M.A/M.SC./MCA

School	General	SC	ST	PH	OBC	Total
School of International Studies	62	18	12	1	17	110
School of Social Sciences	177	57	35	5	44	318
School of Language, Literature and Culture Studies	54	16	11	3	43	127
School of Life Sciences	14	3	-	-	5	22
School of Computer and Systems Sciences	16	5	3	-	5	29
School of Environmental Sciences	7	1	2	1	2	13
School of Physical Sciences	4	4	3	-	6	17
School of Arts and Aesthetics	18	3	1	1	-	23
Centre for Sanskrit Studies	6	4	2	1	6	19
Total	358	111	69	12	128	678

C. B.A. (HONS.)

School	General	SC	ST	PH	OBC	Total
School of Language, Lit. And Culture Studies	132	46	29	10	106	323

D. Country-wise Break up of Foreign Nationals Admitted for the Year 2009 – 2010

S. No.	Name of the Country	No. of Students	S. No.	Name of the Contry	No. of Students
1	Afghanistan	04	16	Nigeria	01
2	Bangladesh	06	17	Palestine	01
3	Canada	01	18	Spain	01
4	Chile	01	19	Sri Lanka	04
5	China	08	20	Sudan	02
6	Ethiopia	01	21	Syria	01
7	Indonesia	2	22	Tibet	04
8	Iran	08	23	Thailand	02
9	Italy	02	24	Turkman	01
10	Japan	03	25	Uganda	01
11	Kenia	01	26	Ukraine	01
12	Korea	23	27	U.S.A.	04
13	Mongolia	02	28	Vietnam	02
14	Mauritius	03	29	Yemen	01
15	Nepal	19		Total	110

* – In Absentia Category 87

– Through Entrance Examination 23

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E. Part-Time Programme (School of Language, Literature and Culture Studies)

Programme	General	SC	ST	OBC	PH	Total
COP	63	25	4	32	3	127
DOP	8	1	1	3	-	13
ADOP	15	-	-	4	2	21
TOTAL	86	26	5	39	5	161

F. Total Strength of the Student Community (As on 1.9.2009)

Programme	General	SC	ST	PH	FN	OBC	Total
M.Phil, Ph.D./ M.Tech, Ph.D./Direct Ph.D.	2058	531	316	76	133	554	3668
MA/M.Sc./MCA	955	220	131	39	115	262	1722
B.A. (Hons.)	354	82	48	17	37	207	745
Part Time (Under Graduate Level)	08	04	-	-	-	06	18
Total	3375	837	495	132	285	1029	6153

Abbreviations:

SC #	Scheduled Caste	PH #	Physically Handicapped
ST #	Scheduled Tribe	COP #	Certificate of Proficiency
FN #	Foreign National	DOP #	Diploma of Proficiency

JNU: A Unique Experiment

Jawaharlal Nehru University has taken shape over the last 40 years as an unique experiment in higher education. It has a blend of modern and traditional ethos of Indian education system. An attempt has been made to have a mix of conventional and non-conventional, formal and non-formal and structured. The University, located in a serene locale of hills, valleys and ravines of the Aravali, attracts the attention of the visitor. When we first came to this place, the vegetation was sparse, population thin, and services nearly absent. The same area has now transformed itself into a thickly vegetated campus bustling with activities both academic and co-curricular, where young minds are busy in the pursuit of knowledge along with their senior partners' i.e. teachers.

The generation of teachers, who have witnesses and contributed immensely in the process of development and expansion of the University continue to be informally associated with it, even after their retirement. It is this privilege of continuity with change that has helped the University attain greater academic heights and making its mark as a world class centre of academic and intellectual excellence. The quintessential role played by the students in making this campus attain such high standards - academically, socially, culturally and politically has been equally praiseworthy.

The students are the largest segment in a University system and as they are the target group in academic processes, deserve all necessary intellectual and infrastructural facilities to be able to perform well and harness their energies. The Inter- Hall Administration is geared towards providing a complex of each academic and co-curricular facilities through hostels, sports facilities, healthcare, cultural and recreational services.

The idea and vision of JNU is reflected in the layout of the campus and its architectural design. JNU was indeed an experiment in which the academics and residences of students, faculty and non-teaching members were planned in close vicinity. The academic complex is surrounded by a circular road (proposed as VIDYA PATH). The road from north gate joins the circular road near the administration building, making a T-junction (KALA MARG). The other road from east gate (near VC's Lodge) joining the circular road making a T-junction near the old nursery (VIGYAN MARG). Thus, Kala Marg from one entry point (north gate) and Vigyan Marg from the other entry point (east gate) merge with Vidya Path, which encircles the schools, library and the administrative building.

As planned JNU is a national University in the true sense, attracting students and faculty from all concerns of India and abroad. The role of a University was very succinctly outlined by Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru in his convocation address at the University of Allahabad in 1947 and JNU selected this statement as its motto, which appears on all its document, viz.

“A University stands for humanism, for tolerance, for reason, for the adventure of ideas for the search of truth. It stands for the onward march of the human race towards ever-higher objectives. If the Universities discharge their duties adequately, then it is well with the nation and the people.”

It may be mentioned that the time when JNU was being conceptualized, the Education Commission, 1964-66 had almost completed its deliberations and the basic features of its report were being discussed. The report took note of the rapidly changing scenario of higher education and commented that:

“Universities are undergoing profound changes in their scope, functions, organization and are in a process of rapid evolution. Their tasks are no longer confined to the two traditional functions of teaching and advancement of knowledge. They are assuming new function and older ones are increasing in range, Department and complexity. In road terms, some of the functions of the Universities in the modern world may be said to be:-

- To seek and cultivate new knowledge, to engage vigorously and fearlessly in the pursuit of truth and to interpret old knowledge and beliefs in the light of new needs and discoveries;
- To provide the right kind of leadership in all walks of life, to identify gifted youth and to help them to develop their potential to the full;
- To strive to promote equality and social justice and to reduce social and cultural differences through diffusion of education;
- To foster, in teachers and students, and through them in society generally, the attitude and values needed for developing the ‘good life’ in individuals and society.

While the Education Commission acknowledged the instructional and research functions of higher education, it clearly brought the individual student’s aspirations and well-being into focus. It emphasized the role of higher education in the development of individual and the society. Caring for the students’ physical, psychological, social and intellectual needs and well-being presents the *raison de’tre* for student facilities.

Genuinely Inclusive

JNU, since its inception, prepared an elaborate blueprint for student services and facilities. Being a Central University with an emphasis to reflect the national ethos, its admission policy offered possibilities of admitting students from all the nook and corner of the country. The admission policy has ensured admission to students from economically and socially deprived and regionally underdeveloped backgrounds. Coming from far flung regions, they found it easier to bank upon the services and facilities provided by the University than the facilities offered by the metropolitan Delhi which are prohibitively costly.

Zero Tolerance towards Ragging

JNU, unlike other academic institutions has the distinction of zero tolerance policy towards ragging. Instead, the seniors take all care of the freshers in all possible respects and welcome them with warmth. We at JNU learn to respect all individuals and treat each other with humanity and dignity. We don’t recognize the line dividing the seniors and the junior; man and woman students and karamchari or any such hierarchy or difference that devalues human dignity. Learning together from each other while keeping the motto to achieve new heights of excellence sums up the ethos of JNU and this did not happen in a day

Residential Facilities

The residential facilities have been provided in hostels organised in the Halls of residence known as Khands. Each khand has students’ hostel and teachers’ residences initial philosophy or organizing these hostels emanated from the realization of providing more healthy and intensive interaction among students themselves and between students and the teachers. Each hostel also included the residences of the wardens located a four corners of the two blocks. The University right from the beginning has promoted participation of residents in the management of the hostels through elected representation on hostel and mess committees.

JNU has four Khands. The number of hostels in each Khand varies. The Khands have been named according to the four directional regions of the country and the hostels are named after rivers located in those regions. These Khands are as under:

- **UTTARAKHAND:** It represents northern region and there are three hostels in this Khand: Ganga, Yamuna, Jhelum and, Satluj. Ganga and Yamuna are women hostels and Jhelum and Satluj are for men.
- **DAKSHINAPURAM:** It represents southern region and there are three hostels in this Khand: Kaveri, Periyar and Godvari. Godavari is a women hostel and Kaveri and Periyar are for men.
- **POORVANCHAL:** It represents the eastern region and has four hostels. Brahamaputra a men's hostel, Married Research Scholars Hostel (MRSH) with two blocks named Mahanadi and Subansir and a hostel for the Post Doctoral Fellows. Lohit and Chandrabhaga Hostels are mixed hostels. Koyna is fully double seated girls hostel.
- **PASCHIMABAD:** It represents the western region and initially three hostels were planned viz., Narmada, Sabarmati and Tapti. Mahi/Mandavi, a twin hostel was added. Narmada and Mahi/Mandavi are men's hostel. Sabarmati and Tapti have women and men's wings with common mess facility. Over the years due to space constraints and incessant demand for additional hostels seats Mahi, Mandavi, Lohit and Chandrabhaga hostels were also constructed in this Khand. We have recently commissioned a mega hostel named Koyna which is a women's hostel, while construction of another presumably a mixed one has just begun.

Other Facilities

1. HEALTH SERVICES:

Health services assume special significance in a Campus, where a large number of students live and study. JNU has established a full-fledged Health Centre with diagnostic and treatment facilities. At present these facilities are available from 8.00 a.m. to 2.00 p.m. and 4.00 p.m. to 9.00 p.m. The Health Centre has also arranged for counseling through trained personnel. Emphasis is also laid on prevention and awareness campaigns by organizing lectures, debates and discussions. At present 24 x 7 ambulance service is also provided to the students in emergency

2. LIBRARY SERVICES:

Library is the soul of the academic ambiance in a university. JNU Central Library is a nine storey building. The total Library collection was at 5,55,933 volumes at the end of the year under report. Each student of M.Phil./Ph.D./M.Tech is extended the facility of borrowing six books while each student of MA/MSc/MCA and BA (Hons) can borrow four books from the library. Besides the normal working period each day, the library is open from 9.00 a.m. to 12.00 midnight for one and half month in each semester to facilitate the preparation for end semester examination. This library is one of the state of the art libraries of the country with all modern facilities. Library also houses large number of texts on cassettes/floppies. It has rich collection of Maps and Atlases besides the theses submitted by M.Phil./Ph.D students over time.

Besides the Central Library, Exim Bank Library, History Centre's Library and the documentation facilities in most of the centres also provide consultation services in specialized areas of interest. The university administration has ensured replenishment of books and journals in the library from time to time. The students are properly oriented to use the library. It attracts a large number of research scholars from outside who come for consultation of books and journals. It is always desired that out students make maximum of these facilities. Our library is currently in the process of major renovations. Recently with opening up of cyber section our library perhaps has become the only one to provide cyber facilities to so many at one time.

3. SPORTS

JNU can be proud of its stadium, which attracts activities formally, but a lot of activities go on informally. Sports Office has also organised a number of clubs, which are very active. Some of these are:

- (i). Mountaineering and Adventure Club
- (ii). Weight and Power Lifting Club
- (iii). Football Club

- (iv). Cricket Club
- (v). Tennis Club
- (vi). Athletic Club
- (vii). Judo and Taekwando Club
- (viii). Skating Club
- (ix). Badminton Club

All these clubs invite memberships and elect a convenor for each club who organizes the activities. The inter-hostel competitions are also held every year besides inter-school and the annual sports competitions. Additionally, all the hostels have arrangements for playing table tennis and badminton. All the hostels have a small gym where the students can do exercises at leisure to keep themselves fit. It is aptly said that a sound mind lies in sound body. The indoor badminton court is located in the Students Activity Centre.

The Yoga Kendra has been providing yoga exercises every day to 50 to 60 persons. Though, the space is limited and it requires a more spacious area, its services are available to faculty, staff and students. Short-term crash courses are very popular amongst the students.

4. NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME

National Service Scheme (NSS) has been initiated by MHRD long back in order to sensitize and involve the students in social service. Students have energy and commitment. With the little encouragement and channelization of their energy, they can bring many positive changes in the society. JNU has NSS group whose activities are coordinated by a faculty member. The educational aspect of social service is emphasized. NSS campus is important features of this scheme.

5. CULTURAL ACTIVITIES

Human beings have intense desire to express themselves and fulfill their higher needs. Language is one of the mediums of expression but unfortunately it is an incomplete medium. The cultural Clubs in JNU have been organised to encourage human creativity. Debates, discussions, drama, music, painting etc. provide avenues for the development of various personality traits and induce a sense of achievement. Students' Activity Centre (SAC) building has been constructed for this very purpose. The following clubs have been active in organizing various cultural activities through a membership subscription. The Clubs are helped by a Coordinator, a faculty member who has experience and aptitude to help in organizing the cultural activities. The Clubs are:

- (a) Music Club
- (b) Film Club
- (c) Photography Club
- (d) Drama Club
- (e) Debating Club
- (f) Literary Club
- (g) UNESCO Club
- (h) Nature and Wild Life Club
- (i) Fine Arts Club

The Clubs also coordinate cultural activities with the help of associations in the centres and schools. Each hostel organizes cultural nights once in a year, mostly in the month of March, sometimes other cultural groups in Delhi put up programmes in the Campus. The regional cultural associations in Delhi and outside also sometimes perform and add variety in the Cultural Activities in the Campus. Students have their regional cultural Associations which also organize cultural activities on special occasions.

6. FOREIGN STUDENTS ASSOCIATION

JNU has substantial number of students from foreign countries. They are accommodated within the university hostels along with the Indian students to facilitate better cultural interaction and accelerate the process of learning. These students have formed an association which is managed by their elected representative headed by a President. Their activities are coordinated by an Advisor, who is a faculty member. The Association has its office in the Students Activity Centre. They organize cultural activities in the same way as are organised by different clubs in the University. This provides opportunity to foreign students to familiarize themselves with cultural elements in Indian society which have lot of variations in form and content.

This briefly presents the canvass which is largely covered under the students' facilities. What follows is again brief reports of different facilities coming from the organizers themselves.

DETAILS OF HOSTELS

Name of Hostel	Nature of Hostel	Hostel Capacity
Ganga Hostel	Girls	308
Godavari Hostel	Girls	318
Koyna	Girls	544
Chandrabhaga Hostel	Boys and Girls	348
Lohit Hostel	Boys and Girls	294
Tapti Hostel	Boys and Girls	369
Sabarmati Hostel	Boys and Girls	371
Satluj Hostel	Boys	299
Kaveri Hostel	Boys	308
Narmada Hostel	Boys	204
Brahamaputra Hostel	Boys	384
Mahi Hostel	Boys	170
Mandavi Hostel	Boys	170
Jhelum Hostel	Boys	282
Periyar Hostel	Boys	330
Yamuna Hostel	Working Women	191
Mahanadi(MRSH)	Married Students	86
	Total	4976

Welfare of Weaker Sections

Jawaharlal Nehru University was set up by an Act of Parliament (53 of 1966). It came into existence in 1969. Its objectives, as defined in the First Schedule to the Act, are as follows:-

“The University shall endeavor to promote the principles for which Jawaharlal Nehru worked during his life-time, national integration, social justice, secularism, democratic way of life, international understanding and scientific approach to the problems of society.

Towards this end, the University shall:

- foster the composite culture of India and establish such departments or institutions as may be required for the study and development of the languages, arts and culture of India;
- take special measures to facilitate students and teachers from all over India to join the University and participate in its academic programmes;
- promote in the students and teachers an awareness and understanding of the social needs of the country and prepare them for fulfilling such needs;
- make special provision for integrated courses in humanities, science and technology in the education programmes of the University;
- take appropriate measures for promoting inter-disciplinary studies in the University;
- establish such departments or institutions as may be necessary for the study of languages, literature and life of foreign countries with a view to inculcating in the students a world perspective and international understanding;
- provide facilities for students and teachers from other countries to participate in the academic programmes and life of the University.”

In the light of the above, the approach of the University has been to evolve policies and programmes which will make Jawaharlal Nehru University a distinct addition to the national resources in higher education rather than a mere quantitative expansion for facilities which already exist. The University has identified and is concentrating upon some major academic programmes, which are of relevance to national progress and development.

In order to attract and facilitate students from diverse economic and social backgrounds and different corners of the country, the University conducts Entrance Examination at as many as 51 cities (78 Centres) within India and one abroad, so that students even in the remote areas can participate in the admission process and seek admission to the various programmes of studies. In matters relating to enrolment, steps have been taken to ensure that students from all parts of the country are able to join the University, so that it becomes a national University in the true sense of the word. In line with the affirmative national policy of the Government of India, the University endeavors to ensure representation of persons belonging to SC/STs, OBCs, Persons with Disability, etc. in its teaching, academic programmes and staff strength. Prior to the implementation of reservation policy of Government of India for OBCs in the educational institutions, the University had a policy in place to provide representation to backward classes, by giving deprivation points to OBC candidates in admissions. To this end, the University has undertaken the following initiatives:-

Reservation in Admissions

Reservation of seats in each programme of study is provided at 22.5% (15% for Scheduled Castes and 7.5% for Scheduled Tribes) 3% for PWD categories and 27% for OBCs. However, for the year 2009-10, 18% reservation was provided to candidates belonging to OBC category (creamy layer excluded.)

Number of candidates admitted to various full-time programme of study for the year 2009-2010.

Sr.No.	School	M/PHIL/H.TECH/MPH/PH.D.						M.A/M.S/MCA						B.A (HONS.)						TOTAL																							
		SC	ST	OBC	PC	O	T	SC	ST	OBC	PC	O	T	SC	ST	OBC	PC	O	T	SC	ST	OBC	PC	O	T																		
01	SIS	27	27	37	5	76	172	18	12	17	1	62	110	-	-	-	-	-	-	45	39	54	6	138	282																		
02	SSS	45	28	41	9	130	253	57	35	44	5	177	318	-	-	-	-	-	-	102	63	85	14	307	571																		
03	SL	17	8	47	2	69	143	16	11	43	3	54	127	46	29	106	10	132	323	79	48	196	15	255	593																		
04	SLS	6	1	8	1	9	25	3	-	5	-	14	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	1	13	1	23	47																		
05	SC&SS	6	-	8	-	6	20	5	3	5	-	16	29	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	3	13	-	22	49																		
06	SES	4	1	6	1	4	16	1	2	2	1	7	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	3	8	2	11	29																		
07	SBT	-	-	1	-	3	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	4																		
08	SPS	1	-	7	-	3	11	4	3	6	-	4	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	3	13	-	7	28																		
09	SIT	6	-	4	-	14	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	4	-	14	24																		
10	CMM	2	-	1	-	2	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	2	5																		
11	SAA	4	1	-	-	14	19	3	1	-	1	18	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	2	-	1	32	42																		
12	CSS	3	1	3	1	7	15	4	2	6	1	6	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	3	9	2	13	34																		
13	CLG	3	4	4	1	9	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	4	4	1	9	21																		
	TOTAL	124	71	167	20	346	728	111	69	128	12	358	678	46	29	106	10	132	323	281	169	401	42	836	1729																		
Percentage																					16.47	9.91	23.51	2.46																			

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ABBREVIATION SC # SCHEDULED CASTE
 ST # SCHEDULED TRIBE
 PC # PHYSICALLY CHALLENGED
 OBC # OTHER BACKWARD CLASSES
 O # OTHERS
 T # TOTAL

Reservation in Hostel Accommodation

15% seats are reserved for Scheduled Castes and 7.5% for Scheduled Tribe students and 3% (1% each for VH, HH and OH) for PWD students. In case students belonging to the SC or ST category for which such accommodation is reserved are not available, the reserved seats are interchangeable among SC/ST students. The University has been able to provide hostel accommodation for all SC/ST and PWD students admitted in regular courses.

The total allotment of residents in No. of Hostels 16 and one Married Research Scholars Hostel of the University during the period under report was 1806 seats. These figures include SC/ST/PH and Foreign Nationals. The Hostel-wise break up as was under:

Hostel Allotment During Year 2009-2010

Hostel for	Total Seats as per the hostel capacity	Seats available for allotment during 2009-2010	Seats Allotted as on 31.03.2010				
			UR	SC	ST	PH	Total
Boys	2818	1034	729	173	85	47	1034
Girls	2118	790	545	112	114	19	790
M.R.S.H	86	23	15	5	1	2	23
Total	5022	1847	1289	290	200	68	1847

Details of Hostel wise Allotment

Name of Hostel	Nature of Hostel	Hostel Capacity	Number of Fresh Students allotment during 2009-2010	
			Girls	Boys
Ganga	GIRLS	308	106	N/A
Godavari	GIRLS	318	137	N/A
Yamuna	WORKING WOMEN	191	108	N/A
Chandrabhaga	BOYS and GIRLS	348	80	83
Lohit	BOYS and GIRLS	294	103	41
Tapti	BOYS and GIRLS	369	93	88
Sabarmati	BOYS and GIRLS	371	44	33
Sutlej	BOYS	299	N/A	147
Kaveri	BOYS	308	N/A	161
Narmada	BOYS	204	N/A	138
Brahmaputra	BOYS	384	N/A	03
Mahi Mandavi	BOYS	340	N/A	136
Jhelum	BOYS	282	N/A	137
Periyar	BOYS	330	N/A	138
Mahanadi (MRSH)	Married Students	86	08	12
KOYNA	Girls	544	468	N/A
	Total	4976	1147	1117

Reservation in Teaching Posts

Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (SCs and STs):

The University has already adopted reservation for SCs and STs to the extent of 15% and 7.5% respectively at the level of Assistant Professor. In the recent past, the University has also adopted the reservation for SCs and STs in the teaching posts at the level of Professor and Associate Professor vide E.C. Resolution dated 11.04.2007.

Other Backward Classes (OBCs):

The reservation for OBCs has been adopted in teaching posts at the level of Assistant Professor vide E.C. Resolution dated 11.4.2007.

Persons with Disability (PWD):

The reservation at the level of Assistant Professor was implemented vide E.C. resolution dated 29.11.1999. Further the University has also adopted reservation for Persons with Disability (PWD) in teaching posts at the level of Associate Professor and Professor vide .E.C Resolution dated 11.4.2007.

*Status of Reservation for SC/ST/OBC/PWD in Teaching posts:

Status of Reservation for SC/ST/OBC/PWD in teaching post as on 31.03.2010

Post	Sanctioned	Filled up	Reserved filled up positions					
Professor	165	101	-	-	-	-	-	-
Associate Professor	287	195	-	-	-	-	-	-
Assistant Professor	271	189	21 (11.11%)	09 (4.79 %)	02 (1.05%)	-	-	-
Total	723	485	21 (11.11%)	09 (4.79 %)	02 (1.05%)	-	-	-

Note :- University has advertised a total of 150 teaching posts at the level of Professor, Associate Professor, Assistant Professor, out of which following posts are advertised for reserved Categories.

Post	SC	ST	OBC	PH
Professor	12	04	-	04
Associate Professor	18	09	-	06
Assistant Professor	10	03	15	04

Reservation in Non-Teaching Posts

Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (SCs/STs):

The University introduced reservation for SC/ST candidates in recruitment to Groups C and D post in 1975, and for Groups A and B posts in 1978.

Persons with Disabilities (PWD)

Reservation for Persons with Disabilities in non-teaching posts was introduced vide E.C. Resolution No.6.5 dated 29.11.1999.

Other Backward Classes (OBCs)

The reservation policy of Government. of India for providing reservation to OBCs in non-teaching posts in Groups C and D posts was implemented by the University vide E.C. Resolution No.5.8 dated 17.01.1994, and for Group A and B posts vide E. C. Resolution No.6.5 dated 02.7.1997.

S. No.	Group of Post	Sanctioned Posts	In position				Total	Vacant
			SC	ST	OBC	PH		
1.	Group A	104	14 (20.28 %)	02 (2.89%)	02 (2.89%)	01 (1.44 %)	69	35
2.	Group B	253	29 (15.84 %)	07 (3.82 %)	09 (4.91 %)	09 (4.91 %)	183	70
3.	Group C	558	92 (19.24 %)	18 (3.76 %)	27 (5.64%)	07 (1.46)	478	80
4.	Group D	635	258 (43.65 %)	16 (2.70 %)	46 (7.78 %)	09 (1.52 %)	591	44
	Total	1550	393	43	84	18	1321	229

□ Group wise post filled up during 2009-2010 (1.4.2009-31.3.2010)

Category	UR	SC	ST	OBC	PH
Group A	-	-	-	-	-
Group B	01	-	-	-	-
Group C	03	-	-	-	-
Group D	01	01	-	-	-

Reservation in Staff Houses

Based on Government of India's policy, presently the House Allotment Rules of the University also provide reservation for SCs/STs in the allotment of houses. The 10% houses in type I and Type II are reserved for SCs/STs and 5% in type III and IV houses are reserved. The position of allotment as on 2009-2010 as under:

S.No.	Type	UR	SC	ST
1.	Zero (III)	1	-	-
2.	Zero (IV)	1	-	-
3.	I	14	-	1
4.	II	15	1	-
5.	III	5	-	-
6.	IV (Non-Teaching)	3	-	-
7.	IV (Teaching)	2	-	-
8.	New Transit House	2	-	-
9.	Old Transit House	1	-	-
10.	V-VI	18	-	-

Equal Opportunity Office

The University has an Equal Opportunity Office (E.O.O), perhaps the first of its kind, to advise the SC/ST students and physically challenged students of the University. The Equal Opportunity Office comprises of Chief Advisor (Professor Tulsi Ram); Advisor, (Dr. Milap Chand Sharma). The following are the terms of reference of the E.O.O:-

- to devise suitable Programmes/schemes including Remedial Courses with a improved performance at the undergraduate, post graduate, M.Phil/Ph.D levels and also supervise the implementation of the Programmes/schemes;
- to establish coordination with Government and other funding agencies to mobilize financial and other academic resources to provide Assistant to the SC/ST Students in the University;
- to provide information and act as Counseling Centre with respect to academic, financial and other matter;
- to help create socially congenial atmosphere for the growth of health interpersonal relations among students coming from various social backgrounds.
- to help develop the cordial inter-personal relationship between teachers and SC/ST students for academic interaction; and
- to oversee and help the SC/ST Students to overcome problems relating to discrimination, if any,
- To provide facilities in Day Care Centre of the University.

Disabled Friendly Environment

In order to provide accessibility to the physically disabled persons in the University campus, the University has already constructed several ramps and disabled friendly toilets in most hostels, central library and schools on the ground floors to make University disabled friendly. To meet the special needs of visually challenged students, a separate unit, viz., Helen Keller Unit has been established the ground floor of the Central Library. 20 computers and a scanner have been installed with screen reading and speech software to facilitate visually challenged scholars in their study in this special unit. All schools have been provided with wheelchairs and tape-recorders with chargeable batteries for the use of disabled students.

E.O.O always tries to maintain social harmony among JNU communities, whenever, any case of social discrimination comes before E.O.O, it is thoroughly investigated however, the main aim of E.O.O is to address social discrimination at any level.

Total 5 complaints were made by Students to E.O.O during 2009-2010. Only two complaints were resolved, others are related with Academic matter/grievances and are still pending.

University Administration

The annual meeting of the JNU Court, the supreme authority of the University, was held on 10 February, 2010, under the chairmanship of the Chancellor, Prof. Yash Pal. It received the Report on the working of the University and audited statements of Receipts and Expenditure as well as the Balance Sheet of the University. The Non-plan Maintenance Budget of the University was also presented.

The Executive Council of the University met 03 times during the period under report i.e. 10 July, 2009, 12 October, 2009 and 12 January, 2010 and deliberated upon a number of agenda items and took important decisions on administrative matters.

The Academic Council had its meetings on 21 April, 2009, 25 November, 2009 and 18/31 March, 2010 and took several important decisions, including those to be placed before the Executive Council. The Finance Committee, at its meeting, approved the Revised Estimates for 2009 – 2010 and the Budget Estimates of the University for 2010 – 2011 and some other important financial matters.

A number of Selection Committee meetings were convened for recruitment of teaching and non-teaching staff during the period under report. 07 teaching appointments were made during this period, including 03 Professors, 03 Associate Professors and 01 Assistant Professor. In addition, 26 non-teaching appointments were made in various cadres.

A total of 45 teachers were granted sabbatical leave/EOL/Study leave or extension of leave to complete their doctoral research/accept employment/fellowship elsewhere etc. A total of 15 faculty members and 47 non-teaching employees retired/resigned from services during the period.

Estate Branch

Seven meetings of the House Allotment Committee, Five meetings of Campus Development Committee were held during the period under report. Although no new houses were constructed during the period under report, the houses of various types as and when they fall vacant were allotted by the House Allotment Committee to the eligible faculty and staff members.

Public Relations Office

The Public Relations Office of the University issued a number of press releases on various activities, forwarded press clippings and other reports/information pertaining to JNU appearing in the press, as feedback to the University authorities and issued appropriate clarifications/rejoinders, wherever necessary. It also responded to public queries relating to academic as well as administrative matters and received important visitors and delegations to the University. Replies to written queries were sent to those who sought information regarding various aspects of the University functioning.

A bi-monthly journal 'JNU News', is brought out by the Public Relations Officer. It is edited and published by the PRO on behalf of the University. The journal serves to bridge the information gap and tries to initiate and encourage a constant dialogue between various constituents of the University community as well as with the rest of the academic world. The Annual Report of the University was also prepared and published both in English and Hindi by the PRO Office.

During the year under review, the PRO office assisted the University in organizing the functions regarding felicitation of the retired employees, orientation programme for the newly appointed faculty members and organizing a lecture on the Annual Day of the University.

Guest Houses

JNU's two guest houses Aravali and Aravali International provided accommodation to more than approximately 4200 guests during the year under review. The third Gomti Guest House was under renovation during the above period. They included teachers and research scholars from various universities and educational institution in India and abroad for collection of research material or other academic pursuits. Official guests of the University, guests of faculty/staff, parents of students and UGC guests were also provided with accommodation varying short periods.

Hindi Cell

During the year under report, the Hindi Unit organised a 5-day workshop and imparted training in Hindi Noting and Drafting for the benefit of different categories of the ministerial staff working in the University. The workshop was conducted from 31st August to 04 September 2009 in collaboration with the Central Hindi Institute, New Delhi. Eleven members of the staff participated in it. The participants appeared in a test at the end of the workshop. Vice-Chancellor Professor B.B. Bhattacharya on the eve of the Hindi Divas Samaroh gave away cash prizes to those who secured the first three positions. In addition, 5 consolation cash prizes were prizes were also given away. All the participants were awarded certificates.

A similar workshop was also organised for the officers of the university so as to enable them to lead/guide and motivate their subordinates to work in Hindi. Seven officers took part in it. They were also given away the cash prizes and certificates.

The Unit celebrated Hindi Divas on 22nd September 2009 with Professor Namwar Singh as chief guest and Professor Purushottam Aggarwal as a chief speaker. Vice-Chancellor Professor B.B. Bhattacharya presided over the function. Professor Ramadhikari Kumar, Rector, Professor V.K. Jain, Registrar, Professor Varyam Singh and Dr. Ranjit Kumar Saha, Hindi Advisor also addressed the participants. Many faculty members, students, officers and staff members of the University attended the function.

Hindi Divas celebration was followed by a day long seminar on the topic entitled "BHASHA BANDHAN". The seminar was comprised of 2 sessions in which the eminent scholars from various fields like language and literature, translation and social sciences participated and chaired sessions. Vice Chancellor of the University Professor B.B. Bhattacharya presided over the inaugural session.

On the occasion, a Hindi drama- TIPU SULTAN by Professor H.S. Shiva Prakash, Dean, School of Arts and Aesthetics, was also staged in front of the auditorium of the school in the evening. Drama was witnessed and appreciated by a large gathering of the faculty members, officers, staff members and students of the university.

The Hindi Unit also undertook translation work in respect of the Annual Report, Annual Accounts, Audit Report, Admission Notices, Advertisements for recruitment, Notification/circulars, Press communiqués etc, during the period under report.

Legal Cell

The Legal Cell of JNU was set up to assist the University in the Legal issues that are faced by the University from time to time. It deals with all the litigation pertaining to the University in various courts of law. The internal legal options, advices on varied issues are also provided by the Legal Cell.

There are various litigation matters pending in several judicial for a which need constant supervision. Legal advisory work is now done in the legal cell itself, vetting of legal documents, agreements, MOUs, tenders, Interpretation and analysis of various significant High Court and Supreme Court Judgments, opinion related work etc. takes place in the Legal Cell.

Moreover, The Assistant Registrar (Legal Cell) has also been designated as the Assistant Public Information Officer under the Right to Information.

Chief Proctor

Statute 32 of the Statutes of the University deals with maintenance of discipline among students of the University; all powers relating to discipline and disciplinary action in relation to students shall vest in the Vice-Chancellor. Statute 10 (3) (a) states that there shall be a Chief Proctor appointed by the Executive Council.

The Chief Proctor's Office has been in existence since 1986. The Proctorial Team consists at present of one Chief Proctor assisted by two Proctors (of which one is a lady Proctor). The Chief Proctor's office is responsible for maintaining discipline among the students of the University. In the execution of its duty of maintaining peace and harmony on the campus, it relies, by and large, on the philosophy of taking reformative measures rather than punitive steps. In cases involving violation of disciplinary norms, however, appropriate disciplinary action is taken.

Security Office

During the period under review, the following important steps were taken by the Security Department for strengthening the Security system in the JNU Campus.

1. Successful conduct of the visit by Hon'ble Shri Mukul Wasnik (Union Minister of Social Justice and Empowerment) to JNU on 12 February 2010.
2. JNU security was proud to have successfully conducted the Visit of H.E. Dr. Otafur Raigur Grimson, President of Republic of Iceland to JNU on 15 January, 2010.
3. Successful conduct during the visit of Shri Veerappa Moly, Minister of Law and Justice to JNU on 10 February, 2010 for a public talk.
4. Shri R.P.N. Singh, Minister of State for Highways and former Shri Mahaweer Prasad visit to JNU on 05 February 2010.
5. Ms. D. Puramdeshwari, Minister of State and Minister of HRD visited to JNU on 4 March, 2010.
6. Successful control and extinguishing of 14 no. fire calls at different locations in the campus. Out of these 14 were 'A' class fire and great loss of life, property and flora and fauna was prevented due to timely action.

Under process and will be procured very shortly

1. Excess controlling systems of all Schools Buildings.
2. CCTV cameras systems in all Schools and all entrance gate of JNU campus.
3. Fire training classes in JNU Campus.

University Finance

The Budget Estimates of the University are prepared in five parts:-

MAINTENANCE (NON-PLAN) BUDGET	Dealing with Receipts and Expenditure connected with the Maintenance (Non-Plan) Budget of the University
DEVELOPMENT (PLAN) BUDGET (OTHER SCHEMES)	Dealing with expenditure on the development of the University out of the Five Year Plan provisions sanctioned by the University Grants Commission and other approved Plan allocation
EARMARKED SPECIAL FUND BUDGET	Dealing with grants from the Government. of India, UGC, Foreign Bodies, State Government, Chairs, Endowments, Trust Funds, etc. for specific purposes and the unassigned grant from the UGC. The fund has now been bifurcated into three accounts, namely (i) sponsored Projects (ii) sponsored fellowship and (iii) endowments and chairs (iv) Cultural Exchange Programme and (v) Academic Development Fund
DEBT, DEPOSITS HEADS BUDGET, ETC.	Dealing with receipts and outgoings under Debt, Deposits etc. heads.
FELLOWSHIPS BUDGET	Dealing with grants and expenditure in connection with Research Fellowships under "At any one given time" basis scheme and Rajiv Gandhi National Fellowships for SC/ST Students

Balance Sheet As at March 31, 2010

	Amount in Rs.
Liabilities	
Capital / Corpus Fund and Liabilities	
Capital Fund	
Corpus Fund	14,17,93,787.00
Earmarked / Endowment Funds	68,15,42,791.00
Current Liabilities and Provisions	5,22,20,21,178.00
Total	6,04,53,57,756.00

Assets	
Fixed Assets (Net Block)	2,16,44,13,145.00
Investments – Earmarked / Endowment Funds	63,27,58,056.00
Current Assets, Loans and Advances	2,25,76,38,405.00
Capital Fund	99,05,48,150.00
Total	6,04,53,57,756.00

Income And Expenditure Account For The Year Ended 31 March 2010

				Amount in Rs.
		Plan	Non-Plan	Total
A.	Income			
	Grants in aid / subsidies	25,54,55,649	1,83,53,44,901	2,09,08,00,550
	Academic receipts	1,48,00,002	1,76,71,907	3,24,71,909
	Income from Investments	2,28,28,870	27,69,640	2,55,98,510
	Income from Royalty, Publications		4,23,752	4,23,752
	Interest earned	46,60,521	21,50,619	68,11,140
	Other Income	15,36,410	3,22,78,697	3,38,15,107
	Prior Period Income		12,49,802	12,49,802
	Total (A)	29,92,81,452	1,89,18,89,318	2,19,11,70,770

				Amount in Rs.
		Plan	Non-Plan	Total
B.	Expenditure			
	Establishment expenses	80,23,700	1,66,62,03,764	1,67,42,27,464
	Academic expenses	15,84,32,873	6,52,40,269	22,36,73,142
	Administrative expenses	7,61,94,872	38,94,31,073	46,56,25,945
	Repairs and Maintenance	1,12,35,912	3,54,65,952	4,67,01,864
	Depreciation		11,32,92,156	11,32,92,156
	Prior Period expenditure	15,68,292	57,95,215	73,63,507
	Total (B)	25,54,55,649	2,27,54,28,429	2,53,08,84,078
Balance being surplus / (Deficit) carried to Capital Fund (A-B)				(339,713,308)

Further details are as under:

	Amount in Rs.	
	Income	Expenditure
Earmarked/Endowment Funds	23,55,15,226	17,18,01,170
Corpus Fund	1,56,74,072	34,80,176
Sponsored Projects	35,72,04,901	32,63,89,050
Sponsored Fellowship	8,68,15,226	7,42,21,475

Capital Expenditure		
Plan		67,61,34,078
Non-Plan		1,43,53,099
Total		69,04,87,177

*Annual Accounts of the University are maintained on Accrual System of Accounting.

II. BUDGET

Summarised Budget Estimates, Revised Estimates and Actuals for Receipts and Expenditure for 2009-2010 are given in Table 1 and 2 below:

**TABLE – 1
(RECEIPTS)**

S.No.	Head of Account	Budget Estimates 2009-2010	Revised Estimates 2009-2010	Actuals for 2009-2010
		(Rupees in lakhs)		
1.	Maintenance (Non-Plan) Account	15651.13	21439.75	19482.92
2.	Development Plan Account	10067.80	8401.78	87.66.33
3.	Earmarked (Special) Fund Account	3469.52	3930.89	3792.35
4.	Debt., Deposit etc. Account	5401.05	4369.57	4644.64
5.	Fellowship Account	2105.47	1985.96	2188.90

**TABLE - 2
(EXPENDITURE)**

S.No.	Head of Account	Budget Estimates 2009-2010	Revised Estimates 2009-2010	Actuals for 2009-2010
		(Rupees in lakhs)		
1.	Maintenance (Non-Plan) Account	15641.13	21439.75	#20242.12
2.	Development Plan Account	10067.80	8401.78	8717.54
3.	Earmarked (Special) Fund Account	2120.30	3290.50	3236.68
4.	Debt., Deposit etc. Account	5334.54	4764.52	5037.03
5.	Fellowship Account	2105.47	1985.96	1407.96

Excess Expenditure partly met from Infrastructure Development Account and other receipts.

Co-Curricular Activities

Gender Sensitization Committee against Sexual Harassment

The GSCASH was constituted by JNU on the Supreme Court guidelines of Vishakha vs. State of Rajasthan case in 1997. Honbl'e Supreme Court had laid down the guidelines for the prevention and deterrence of sexual harassment at workplace. Following the recommendation of the Supreme Court, the Gender Sensitization Committee Against Sexual Harassment was constituted in 1999 by the Jawaharlal Nehru University to implement these guidelines.

The primary functions of GSCASH include a redressal of complaints of sexual harassment through a formal process of screening of complaints and conducting enquiries. Secondly GSCASH tries to create awareness about the role of gender in our lives with the aim to address the issue of Gender sensitization and sexual harassment in order to safe guard and expand the culture of gender sensitivity, equality and tolerance on the campus.

☐ **Public Meetings**

Public Meetings were organised by the students in various hostels in the campus to debate the issues pertaining to sexual harassment and gender sensitivity in the light of an incident that occurred during hostel night celebration.

☐ **Workshop**

☐ A Workshop conducted in Koyna Hostel by student to discuss various issues related to combating sexual harassment in the campus.

☐ GSCASH conducted a National Seminar in November, 2009. The seminar was attended by eminent persons from various places.

☐ **Preparation and Distribution of Hand-Outs for Gender Sensitization**

GSCASH prepared two types of hand-outs for sensitizing students and other sections of the JNU community regarding GSCASH and its activities for wide distribution

☐ **Sensitization Posters**

In order to disseminate the messages against "sexual harassment; and also to publicize the institution of GSCASH among the JNU community, various kinds of posters were distributed at various places in the campus.

☐ **Essay and Poster Competition for Students**

GSCASH conducted Essay and Poster Competition for Students in the month of October 2009, on the theme of Gender sensitization.

☐ **Stage Play/ Women's Day March**

☐ GSCASH organised a stage play on the occasion of Women's Day on 8 March, 2010. The play, "**Silence! The Court is in Session**" written by Vijay Tendulkar was performed by *Mirrors*, the Dramatics Society of Deshbandu College, and University of Delhi.

☐ GSCASH student representatives organised a women's day march for students to disseminate the message of empowerment of women.

Crisis Management and Mediation

☐ **Meeting with Volunteers**

GSCASH Students Representatives invited volunteers to register with it in assisting gender sensitization activities and to impart awareness and sensitization programmes and publicizing GSCASH and JNU policy against sexual harassment.

□ Nature of Complaints:

Following are the nature of allegations found in various complaints filed in GSCASH during 2009-2010: Sexual exploitation, physical abuse, spreading rumors, physical assault, lewd gestures, slapping on cheeks, bullying, using slang language, staring, attempts of character assassination, false promise of marriage and forged marriage certificate leading to cheating and sexual exploitation, threat of framing in sexual harassment case, humiliation and torture, domestic violence, cyber sexual harassment, verbal abuse, making sexual advances, molestation and pressurizing for sexual favors over the phone.

GSCASH looks at the complaints from different perspectives: feminist, legal and psychological. Therefore, it takes into consideration, the power relations in terms of occupational hierarchy and social gender hierarchy and other uneven gender biases at the work place. GSCASH considers it extremely important to recognize the level of trauma and damage on the complainants affecting their mental well being and productivity at work place.

Formal Enquiry and Complaint Redressal (Complaints filed In GSCASH for the period under review)

Category of Complaints during 2009-2010

Sl.No.	Student (Female) Vs Student (Male)	Student (Male) Vs Student (female)	Student (Male) Vs Student (Male)	Student (Female) Vs Student (Female and Male)	Student (Female) Vs Faculty (Male)	Outsider (Female) Vs Student (Male)	Student (Female) Vs Worker (Male)	Student (Female) Vs Staff's Son	Student (Female) Vs Student (Male)
2009-2010	14	5	1	2	2	2	1	1	1
Percentage	35.89	12.82	2.56	5.13	5.13	5.13	2.56	2.56	2.56

Sl.No.	Faculty (Female) Vs Staff (Male)	Staff (Female) Vs Staff (Male)	Faculty (Male) Vs Faculty (Male)	Faculty (Female) Vs Faculty (Male)	Staff (Female) Vs Faculty (Male)	Domestic Violence	Public Cases/ Collective complaint	Student (Female) Vs (cyber-related complaint)
2009-2010	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1
Percentage	2.56	2.56	2.56	2.56	2.56	2.56	7.69	2.56

GSCASH interaction with Institutions Abroad

Two international delegations visited GSCASH to know more about the functioning of JNU GSCASH model of prevention and redressal of sexual harassment issues.

□ Interaction of Judges from Bangladesh with GSCASH JNU on 29 September, 2009

GSCASH organised an interactive meeting between the Hon'ble judges from Bangladesh and GSCASH members, volunteers, former chairpersons and other concerned faculty members on 29 September, 2009. Hon'ble Justices: Syed Mahmud Hussain, Supreme Court of Bangladesh and Mr. Islam Siddiqui participated as delegates for Bangladesh National Woman Lawyer's Association (BNWLA). Occured

□ **Interaction of Take Back the Night Foundation Activists from Columbia and Princeton Universities.**

Take Back the Night Foundation (TBTN) activists and faculty members from Columbia and Princeton Universities in USA interacted with the members of the Gender Sensitization Committee Against Sexual Harassment.

Proposal for amending GSCASH Rules and Procedures

The GSCASH initiated a process of providing recommendations for amending the GSCASH Rules and Procedures after evaluating it in the context of practical difficulties and gray areas reported by various Screening and Enquiry Committee.

Constraints and Challenges

- GSCASH is functioning amidst a lot of constraints especially related to infrastructural facilities. GSCASH urgently requires additional space for its multipurpose functions and activities. At present, the facility for conducting enquiries in a full confidential manner is not available.
- The taboo related to GSCASH and its various functioning just because it is dealing with matters related sexuality and sexual offences is an important challenge.
- Finding people for participating in GSCASH activities, especially for enquiries is a tough task. This is because those who voluntarily accept a role in the enquiry committees come under undue pressure from various quarters.
- Delay in processing of GSCASH bills and other papers from the supporting staff in the JNU administration severely hamper the day to day functioning of GSCASH.
- Given the autonomous nature of the GSCASH and the responsibility of maintaining confidentiality, the staff working in GSCASH office should be under the full control of GSCASH, as the GSCASH needs to maintain strict confidentiality in matters pertaining to enquiries.
- The number of complaints related to cyber crime of sexual orientation filed with GSCASH has been on the increase. Such complaints are sent to Cyber Crime Cell of Delhi Police (Economic Offences Wing) for further assistance without which GSCASH cannot proceed with the enquiry process.
- RTI and the issues related to RTI queries disposal creates a conflict of interest with relation to the confidentiality of the complainants and the witnesses. While RTI may supersede other rules, in many cases RTI is filed with some degree of *mala fide* intent by the defendant. Its implication when related to many GSCASH cases leads to a situation where the complainant and the witnesses' security could be threatened.

Alumni Affairs and Placements

Reaching out to University Alumni: JNU is proud to have as its alumni a collective of more than 80,000 social scientists, scientist's civil servants, literary critics, media experts, foreign language experts, journalists, political leaders, social activists, technologists, managers and entrepreneurs over the last 35 years and more. This number will continue to grow. The University has established a Standing committee for Alumni Relations and International Linkages (SCRAIL) under the chairmanship of the Vice-Chancellor since 2003. Currently, Prof. Anand Kumar is the Chief Advisor, Alumni and Placements.

SCARIL aims to foster stronger relations between its alumni and others connected with the University. JNU recognizes its alumni as important stakeholders in its continuing quest to provide excellent education. It realises the enormous benefits that can come from the engagement and support of its alumni who have considerable expertise in many areas and can help identify strategic directions for JNU in the 21st century.

The alumni can provide opportunities for community service, act as goodwill ambassadors for JNU, serve as effective interlocutors, provide advice and support to the university, suggest frontline research areas, offer career advice and also provide financial assistance. There can also be academic and technical collaboration in research and projects.

Through this office links have been established with JNU alumni and several JNU alumni associations in different parts of India and abroad and have already produced a directory of nearly 5000 alumni which is available online. But we have to expedite the process to cover the remaining alumni as soon as possible. Any alumna can get included in this directory by sending us details at **alumnus@mail.jnu.ac.in**

The AandP office of the JNU is also committed to help establish links between various prospective employers and JNU students through their respective schools and centres. Various placement agencies and universities have already contacted us for this purpose.

The Alumni office has organised a number of activities during the year, to develop Alumni Network of JNU. It included the following:

- 1) Annual get-together JNU Alumni Meet on November 9-13, 2009.
- 2) The publication of Souvenir 2009.
- 3) Creating a data base of JNU Alumni.
- 4) Creating a Alumni Website in the JNU Website.

It also organised the following activities regarding placement and Career Counseling and Guidance in JNU. Two days workshop of Career Counseling in Alumni Affairs was conducted:

- a). The first Annual Workshop for Career Counseling and Guidance for JNU students was held from 4-6 May 2009 and was attended by 155 students.
- b). The Second Annual Workshop for Career Counseling and Guidance for JNU students was held from 26-28 August 2009 and was attended by 123 students.

Jawaharlal Nehru Institute of Advanced Study

The Advisory-cum-Selection Committee of the Jawaharlal Nehru Institute of Advanced Study (JNIAS) met on 30.4.2009, 26.8.2009 and 11.12.2009 It considered and selected a number of Visiting Fellows from foreign universities and other academic and research institutions in the light of the objectives of the JNIAS.

Out of the selected Fellows, the following Fellows joined the JNIAS for various durations during the period under report:

- Prof. Olutayo Charles Adesina, Department of History, University of Ibadan, Ibadan, Nigeria, 01.06.2009 – 31.07.2009
- Prof. Stefan Borbely, Department of Universal and Comparative Literature, The Faculty of Letters, Babes-Bolyai University in Cluj-Napoca, Romania. 02.07.2009 – 31.08.2009
- Dr. Antti Ruotsala, Department of History, University of Helsinki, Finland, 03.07.2009 – 28.12.2009
- Prof. Jean Boutier, Directeur d'Etudes at the Ecole des Hautes en Sciences Sociales, and Head of the Centre for Social Sciences, Marseille, France. 05.07.2009 – 31.08.2009
- Dr. Michael Dusche, University of Erfurt, Germany, 26.07.2009 – 21.07.2010
- Dr. Jozsef Borocz, Department of Sociology, Rutgers University, USA, 13.08.2009 – 12.08.2010
- Dr. Helen Susanna Lambert, Department of Social Medicine, University of Bristol, USA, 24.08.2009 – 09.07.2010
- Dr. Dare Clubb, Department of Theatre Arts, University of Iowa, USA, 31.08.2009 – 02.01.2010
- Prof. Veneeta Dayal, Acting Dean of Humanities and Professor of Linguistics, The State University of New Jersey, USA, 03.09.2009 – 02.09.2010
- Prof. William S. Sax, Head, Department of Ethnology, South Asia Institute, Heidelberg, Germany. 04.09.2009 – 30.03.2010
- Prof. Marta Dvorak, Professor of World Literatures, Institut du Monde Anglophone, University of Paris, France, 01.09.2009 – 31.8.2010

- Prof. Brian Roger Tomlinson, Dean and Professor of Economics, School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London, England, 25.09.2009 – 24.03.2010
- Prof. Maria Cristina Marcuzzo, Dipartimento de Study Sociali, Economici, Attuarialli e demografici, University of Rome, Italy, 01.11.2009 – 29.11.2010
- Dr. Tadd Fernee, Research Scholar, 37, Rue Arthur Rozier, Paris, France, 14.12.2009 – 13.12.2010
- Dr. Sunil Sharma, Department of Modern Languages and Comparative Literature, Harvard University, USA, 04.01.2010 – 20.04.2010
- Prof. Hans Henrich Hock, Professor Linguistics and Sanskrit, Department of Linguistics, University of Illinois, USA, 01.02.2010 – 31.03.2010
- Dr. Jayati Lal, Assistant Professor of Sociology and Women’s Studies, Centre for South Asian Studies, University of Michigan, USA., 02.02.2010 – 01. 10. 2010
- Prof. Silke Schicktanz, University Medical Centre, Department of Medical Ethics and History of Medicine, University of Goettingen, Germany, 28.02.2010 – 06.04.2010
- Dr. Ruhi Saith, Senior Scientist, Department of Public Health, University of Oxford, UK, 01.02.2010 – 31.01.2011
- Prof. Kumaraswamy Velupillai, Department of Economics, University of Trento, Italy, 01-03-2010 – 31-03-2010
- Dr. Yuko Nikaido, Associate Professor, Faculty of Economics, Musashi University, Tokyo, Japan, 28.03.2010 – 27.03.2011

The above scholars delivered lectures and participated in seminars/conferences within and outside the university.

The following scholars have been selected as Fellow and will be joining from July 2010 onwards.

- Prof. Issa G. Shivji, University of Dar e Salaam, Tanzania.
- Prof. Roy M. McLeod, University of Sydney, Sydney, Australia
- Prof. James G. Manor, University of London, England
- Dr. Emma Elizabeth Mawdsley, Cambridge University, UK
- Prof. Peter Alexandar, University of Johannesburg, South Africa
- Prof. Paul Greenough, University of Iowa, USA
- Prof. Rajani K. Kanth, Harvard University, USA
- Dr. Moti Lerner, Tel Aviv University, Israel.
- Dr. Gunnel Cederlof, Department of History, JLU University, Giessen, Germany
- Dr. Bhoendradatt Tewarie, Pro-Vice-Chancellor, University of West Indies, West Indies
- Prof. Shen Han, Department of History, Nanjing University, Nanjing, China.
- Dr. Margarita Olivera, Research Fellow, Department of Public Economics, University of Pavia, Pavia, Italy
- Dr. Andres Lazzarini, Research Fellow, Department of Economics and Quantitative Methods, University of Pavia, Pavia, Italy.
- Dr. Proshot Kalami, Department of English and Drama, Loughborough University, Loughborough, UK
- Dr. Sudipto Chatterjee, Subject Leader of Drama, Loughborough University, Loughborough UK
- Prof. Tess Onwueme, Professor of Cultural Diversity, University of Winconsin, USA
- Dr. Fabrizio Speciale, Post-doctoral Fellow, University of Heidelberg, Germany.
- Dr. Razvan Paraianu, University of Petru Maior, Romania
- Dr. Evangelos Venetis, TCMO Institute, University of Leiden, Netherlands.

During the period under report, the Institute organised the following seminars/workshops/dialogues in collaboration with other institutions:

- Developing a Cultural Political Economy: Connecting Discourses and Materialities – A Lecture by Dr. Ngai Ling Sum, JNIAS Fellow, was organised in collaboration with the Nehru Memorial Museum and Library (NMML) on 2 April, 2009.
- What Made Humans Modern? A Look at Human Evolution through the Eyes of a Science Journalist – A Talk by Dr. Michael Boulton, renowned Science Journalist, was organised in association with Prof. R. Ramaswamy, School of Physical Sciences, JNU, on 3 April, 2009.
- The Return of the National State in the Global Crises – Jawaharlal Nehru Memorial Foundation Day Lecture by Prof. Robert Douglass Jessop, JNIAS Fellow, was organised in collaboration with the NMML at the Teen Murti House, on 6 April, 2009.
- The Rhythm of Speech – A Talk by Prof. Dafydd Gibbon, former JNIAS Fellow, was organised in association with Prof. P.K.S. Pandey, Centre of Linguistics, JNU, on 8 April, 2009.
- Troubling the Family – A two-day Inter-disciplinary Workshop on Investments and Consequences to the Family as a system of Cultural Production, was organised in collaboration with the NMML on 15-16 April, 2009. The Workshop was co-ordinated by Dr. Allaine Cerwonka, JNIAS Fellow, and Dr. R. Mahalaxmi, Centre for Historical Studies, JNU.
- 'How Economists Underdeveloped The Third World', a seminar by Dr. Olutayo Adesina, JNIAS Fellow, was organised in collaboration with the UGC Academic Staff College, JNU, on 28 July, 2009.
- 'Did European Intellectuals Build a Common Cultural Space in Early Modern Europe?' a talk given by Prof. Jean Boutier, JNIAS Fellow, at the NMML on 24 August, 2009
- 'Traditionalism and Modernism in the 20th Century Romanian Society and Culture' a lecture delivered by Prof. Stefan Borbely, JNIAS Fellow, at the School of Languages, JNU, on 25 August, 2009.
- 'Romanian Society Today: A Post-Totalitarian Perspective' a lecture delivered by Prof. Stefan Borbely, JNIAS Fellow, at the Academic Staff College, JNU, on 26 August, 2009.
- 'Representing Europe: Cartography and Political Symbols, from the Middle Ages to the Enlightenment', a seminar by Prof. Jean Boutier, JNIAS Fellow, was organised in collaboration with the Centre for Historical Studies, JNU, on 26 August, 2009.
- 'Do We Need Historian's Expertise and Historical Knowledge for Contemporary Policies?' a day-long international workshop was organised at the JNIAS on 28 August 2009. The workshop was coordinated by Prof. Jean Boutier and Dr. Michael Dusche, JNIAS Fellows.
- 'South Asian Economy and Environment' a two-day Indo-Japanese workshop was organised by the JNIAS in collaboration with the Tokyo University, Japan, and NMML on 5-6 September, 2009.
- 'God and Globalization in India: The Emergence of the State-Temple – Corporate Complex' Professor Meera Nanda, JNIAS Fellow, at the JNIAS Fellows' colloquium on 4 November, 2009
- 'Keynes and the Current Economic Crisis', Prof. Maria Christina Marcuzzo, JNIAS Fellow, at the JNIAS Fellows' colloquium on 11 November, 2009.
- 'Roger Bacon Comparative Theory of Religions' Dr. Antti Ruotsala, JNIAS Fellow, at the JNIAS Fellows' colloquium on 18 November, 2009
- 'Re-thinking Economic Ideas in the Context of Current Global Crisis', a one-day workshop was organised by the JNIAS on 27 November 2009. The workshop was inaugurated by the Vice-Chancellor. The Workshop was co-ordinated by Prof. Sunanda Sen.
- 'Intertextuality: A Colloquium on Transcultural and Intermedial Influence' a day-long colloquium was organised by the JNIAS in collaboration with the French Embassy, New Delhi, on 10 December, 2009. The colloquium

was coordinated by Prof. Marta Dvorak, JNIAS Fellow, and Prof. GJV Prasad, Chairperson, Centre of English Studies, SLLandCS, JNU.

- 'The Transformation of the International Order of Asia in the 1950s and 1960s' an Indo-Japanese workshop was organised by the JNIAS in collaboration with Osaka University, Japan, on 28 December, 2009. The Workshop was attended by six scholars from Japanese universities, JNIAS fellows and several distinguished scholars from various departments of JNU. All the Japanese scholars presented papers at the workshop.
- Lord Cornwallis: the Making of a Colonial Icon –Prof. Brian Roger Tomlinson, JNIAS fellow, at the JNIAS Fellows' colloquium on 21 January 2010.
- 'Orient-Occident Interactions' a joint conference with scholars from University of Warwick and JNIAS/JNU was held on 25 January, 2010. Early this year JNIAS had organised a meeting with the delegation from the University of Warwick as a follow up to the MoU that had been signed between the two universities. One of the activities that had been announced at that meeting was a joint seminar/conference on the theme 'Orient-Occident Interactions' in the hope that it will lead to larger research collaboration on this subject.
- 'Dimensions of Secularism and Revolt: Loss of Belief in the Past, Changing Ideas of Nature, and the Return of History' Dr. Tadd Graham Fernee, JNIAS fellow, at the JNIAS Fellows' colloquium on 4 February, 2010.
- "'If There is a Paradise on Earth, it is Here": Urban Ethnography in Indo-Persian Poetic and Historical Texts' Dr. Sunil Sharma, JNIAS fellow, at the JNIAS Fellows' colloquium on 11 February, 2010.
- 'Appropriating the Past: Language, Archaeology, and Ideology in South Asia and the Diaspora' Prof. Hans Henrich Hock, JNIAS Fellow at the JNIAS Fellows' colloquium on 25 February, 2010
- 'Bioethics and Biomedicine: Understanding Local and Global Interactions' Dr. Silke Schick Tanz, JNIAS Fellow at the JNIAS Fellows' colloquium on 4 March, 2010.

Events (JNIAS Fellows invited to speak at the JNU level)

- 'From the Knowledge Based Economy to a Wisdom Based Society' Distinguished Lecture by Prof. Robert Douglass Jessop, JNIAS Fellow, at the JNU Distinguished Lecture series on 30 April, 2009.
- 'The Aryan Invasion Controversy: Linguistic, Archaeological, and Genetic Perspectives' Distinguished Lecture by Prof. Hans Henrich Hock, JNIAS Fellow, at the JNU Distinguished Lecture series on 15 March, 2010.

MoU/Lol signed:

The following MoU/Lol were signed by the JNIAS:

1. With The Fondation Maison des Sciences de l'Homme (FMSH), Paris, France. The MoU provides for exchange of two scholars/fellows on reciprocal basis, that is, two scholars/fellows from France, to be identified by FMSH to come and spend two months at JNIAS per year. The JNIAS will meet international travel cost (by economy class) and extend financial assistance for sustenance in Delhi and also provide furnished accommodation at JNU. Similarly, FMSH will provide such facilities to JNU scholars as JNIAS extends to FMSH scholars on a reciprocal basis. Initially, the tenability of the MoU will be for a period of three years extendable further on mutual consent.
2. With the South Asian Institute, University of Heidelberg, Germany under which a number of areas of cooperation have been identified such as exchange of faculty members, joint academic activities etc.
3. Letter of Intent for Cooperation between the Institute of the Malay World and Civilization (ATMA), University of Kebangsaan, Malaysia and JNIAS, JNU, under which it has been agreed by both the universities to exercise their best efforts to develop the following forms of cooperation:
 - a) joint research activities and academic programme
 - b) exchange of information, including exchange of library materials and research publications
 - c) exchange of faculty members for the development of both institutions

- d) placement of graduate students for study and research and
- e) exchange of community services, including exchange of social-cultural activities

International Collaborations

Outside the gamut of Cultural Exchange Programmes, existing between the Government of India and various foreign governments, the University has received offers from foreign universities/institutions expressing their interest in establishing academic linkages involving exchange programmes and bilateral agreements as well as collaborative ventures. The University is also continuously searching for foreign universities/institutions of repute with which academic collaboration is possible. Proposals of academic collaborations with many foreign universities/institutions are under active consideration of the University and are being finalised. There are two types of agreements: Agreement of Cooperation (AoC) is at the School level and Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is at the University level i.e., where more than one School is involved in cooperation.

Areas of Cooperation under the MoUs cover the following areas and are subject to availability of funds:

- a) Exchange of faculty members;
- b) Exchange of students;
- c) Joint research activities;
- d) Participation in seminars and academic meetings;
- e) Exchange of academic materials and other information;
- f) Special short-term academic programmes;
- g) Exchange of Administrative Managers/Coordinators; and
- h) Joint cultural programmes.

JNU has signed 114 MoUs, 39 AoCs and 5 Student Exchange Agreements with different National/International University/Institutes till 31 March, 2010. Memorandum of Understanding (MoUs) signed with various foreign University/Institutions during the period 1 April, 2009 – 31 March, 2010 are:

- a) University of Riee – 20.1.2010
- b) Korea National University of art (KNUA) – 20.1.2010
- c) The Academy of Korean Studies, Republic of Korea – 22.1.2010
- d) Essex University, U.K., 30.2.2010

Agreement of Cooperation signed with various foreign Universities Institutions during the period 1 April, 2009 – 31 March, 2010

- a) Faculty of Political Science and Law of Burapha University, Thailand, 18.7.2009
- b) University of Western Ontario London 15.3.2009, AHCES, SSS

Student Exchange Agreement signed with various foreign University Institutions during the period 1 April, 2009 – 31 March, 2010

- a) Stockholm University (Sweden) – 22.10.2009

Central Facilities

University Library

The University Library is a Knowledge Centre which has rich resources mainly in Social Sciences, Humanities and Sciences. It is a nine storey tower building and has a carpet area of about 1 lakh sq. ft. It is situated in the midst of the academic complex of the University and is the hub of all academic activities of the University. All the reading halls are air conditioned with full power backup support. Most of the operations of the library have been computerized and rest of the operations are in the process of computerization. The library remains open from 9.00 a.m. to 8.00 p.m. throughout the year and during the examination days, the working hours are extended upto 12 midnight for 45 days each semester. However, the Reading Room and Textbook Section remains open upto 12 midnight on all working days except Sundays. The General Reading Hall is being kept open round the clock throughout the year.

To meet the special needs of the visually impaired students of the University, a special unit named after Helen Keller, has been established in the newly renovated Reading Hall at the Ground Floor. Twenty four computers have been installed exclusively for the use of visually impaired students for OPAC and Internet Browsing. The Library has also created Information Browsing Unit for the Faculty Members and Physically Challenged Students in the newly renovated Reading Hall at the Ground Floor. The Library has established a Cyber Library with 200 Computers for the students and research scholars to access the available online resources at the Ground Floor. The faculty publications have also been placed at the Ground Floor.

Readers' Services

A total number of 9462 students, faculty members and scholars from other Universities/Institutions both within and outside the country, used the library facilities as under:

Resource Sharing

The library is a member of Developing Library Network (DELNET) and Information and Library Network Centre (INFLIBNET). Under the Document Delivery Service initiated by INFLIBNET, the library has been providing journal articles on request. The Library borrowed 371 documents and loaned 390 documents to other libraries through Delnet. Photocopies and online transfer of articles from books and journals were also provided on request.

Acquisition Programme

The Library acquired 3443 volumes during the year. Of these, 3220 were received as gift from eminent persons and organizations. The total Library collection was 5,55,933 volumes at the end of the year under review. The expenditure on purchase of books was Rs. 5.46 lakhs, while a sum of Rs 192 lakhs was spent on subscriptions to journals.

The Library subscribed to 933 journals and received 105 by way of gifts and exchange.

During the period under report, the Library subscribed to the following 20 e-Journals/ Online Databases:

American Society for Microbiology (ASM); BBC Monitoring online; Blackwell Geography Backfiles; EBSCO; Elsevier/ Science Direct (Backfiles); Emerald; Henry Stewart Talk Collection; InterScience; Indest; Indiastat.com; Inter-Science Wiley Backfiles; Journal of Indian Law Institute; Manupatra; Nature Publishing Group (Archives); Prowess Database; Sage (Backfiles); Science online; Scopus; LNCS (Springer Link); and Wiley-Interscience (Back Files)

The total expenditure on subscription to the above mentioned Online Databases was Rs.533 lakhs. Under the UGC-Infonet E-Journals Consortium, about 3500 full text scholarly journals, 19 databases and 2 portals from 25 publishers across the globe can be accessed.

J-STOR – an online archival journals database for accessing back files of journals is available on the campus network. The Library has become a member of the INDEST Consortium also and subscribed to IEEE Electronic Library and ACM Digital Library through INDEST.

The Library exchanged 45 academic journals with our quarterly journal "International Studies", brought out by the School of International Studies.

Humanities Division (Afro-Asian and European Languages)

The library has some rare and unique holdings in French, German, Portuguese, Russian, and Spanish languages. Oriental Languages collection like Urdu, Arabic, Persian and other Indian Languages is also quite rich and in demand. Scholars from India and abroad make use of this unique collection.

Exim Bank – JNU Economics Library

The Exim Bank – JNU Economics Library specializing in the discipline of Economics, was opened in July 2000 as a part of JNU Library system. The library is located near the turning to Paschimabad in the Mini Academic Complex in quiet natural surroundings. The library has a collection of over 9365 books and 2270 back volumes of 56 journals in the field of Economics for the use of the research scholars and faculty members of the School of Social Sciences and International Studies.

Automation and Networking

The Virtua, Integrated Library Management Software (VTLS) has been installed and all the Library functions are being carried out using the same. Catalogues of books, theses, periodicals and selected periodical articles are available online. Many journal publishers entitle their print subscribers with free full text online access to the contents of the journals. The Periodicals Section has obtained Site License and has set up IP enabled access to these journals. The whole Library is connected internally through a LAN, which is a part of the University Wide Area Network. All the Schools and Centres and important offices of the University are connected to Library Server through the network.

Library is using computers in all the Sections of the Library, viz., Processing Section, Periodicals Section, Documentation Section, Readers' Services Section, Humanities Division and Science Division for data inputs as well as data access. Two hundred computers have been placed in the CyberLibrary / Reading Hall exclusively for the readers to access the online resources of the Library including the Library Catalogue, CD ROM Databases and International Online Databases subscribed by JNU. The Library has geared itself for full-scale automation by planning the procedures for acquisition, circulation and reference services. The initial steps for full-scale automation, i.e., retro-conversion of books and periodicals, bar coding of documents and membership numbers have already been initiated. However, the Library has started online issue/return of those documents which are in the computerized database of the library.

WEB-OPAC

The Library is adopting Digital Library Technology in its operations. It has launched its WEB-OPAC (Online Library Catalogue) which can be accessed through web. The entire collection of JNU Library including language books - French, German, Spanish, Arabic, Persian, Urdu and Hindi etc can be searched through WEB-OPAC of JNU Library. WEB-OPAC is placed on the library page of the JNU website:

Seminars/Conferences attended by the Library Staff

- Smt. Shyamala Moorthy, Asstt. Librarian and Smt. Neena Kapoor, Asstt. Librarian attended the International Conference on Academic Libraries (ICAL, 2009), organised by University of Delhi, Delhi from 5-8 October, 2009.
- Shri Mahesh Chand, Asstt. Librarian participated in the IFLA International Newspapers Conference, organised by IGNCA at New Delhi, and presented a paper "Press Clippings Information Service of JNU Library: A case study", from 26-28 February, 2010

University Science Instrumentation Centre (USIC)

During the period of report the centre executed 257 jobs of design, fabrication and repair of scientific equipment/instruments of various science schools. Most of these jobs were related to mechanical, electrical, carpentry and electronics areas.

Fabrication of Instruments

The facility of design and fabrication of USIC was used by the researchers of various science schools and a number of instrument parts and attachments of equipment were fabricated.

Maintenance of Computers of the University

The Computer Maintenance Cell of the centre has been providing the service of looking after the hardware maintenance of more than 3000 computers and related peripherals such as printers, UPS's and scanners supplied by the University to the offices and the faculty. The administration of antivirus to the computers of the university is also done by the centre. The RAM of some old PC's were upgraded so that new software can run smoothly.

Invited Talks/ Guest lectures

- **Shatendra K. Sharma**, Scanning Electron Microscopy - At CSIO CSIR NPL complex New Delhi to the participants of CSIR International workshop on April 6, 2009.
- **Shatendra K. Sharma**, X-ray Fluorescence Spectroscopy - At CSIO CSIR NPL complex New Delhi to the participants of CSIR International workshop on April 6, 2009.
- **Shatendra K. Sharma**, Delivered a guest lecture on "Nanotechnology and its applications" at Bharti Vidyapeeth College of Engineering and Technology New Delhi on March 18, 2010.

Conferences and Seminars

- **Shatendra K. Sharma**, 41st European Group on Atomic Systems Conference Gdansk Poland organised by European Physical Society, 8-11 July, 2009
- **Shatendra K. Sharma**, Summer School of Electron Microscopy, University of Leeds, organised by the Royal Microscopical Society U.K., 22 – 26 June, 2009

The Scanning Electron Microscope image taken by Shatendra K Sharma was selected and published in the annual calendar 2010 of the Royal Microscopical Society UK. The micrograph by Prof. Shatendra Sharma was selected out of 1200 best electron microscope images that were received from all over the world.

Advanced Instrumentation Research Facility (AIRF)

Advanced Instrumentation Facility (AIF) has been renamed as Advanced Instrumentation Research Facility (AIRF). There is a Technical Committee of Experts from the different prestigious research Institutes/ Universities in India whose inputs are incorporated during the entire process starting from discussion to the complete setting up of new facilities which include the recent 4 facilities, namely, Mass Spectrometry Laboratory, Live Imaging Laboratory, Physical Property Measurement System (PPMS) and Femtosecond Laser Laboratory.

As a specialized research laboratory facility, AIRF now houses 20 sophisticated State of Art instruments. It is an expanding central facility of latest and Advanced Analytical Instruments for research in the application areas of physical, environmental, biological, allied and interdisciplinary sciences. AIRF caters to the interdisciplinary applications in research to all the Science Schools and also for some research of School of Social Sciences (in the field of material research) at JNU as well as to the academic research institutes and the private Companies/ Industries in and outside Delhi. This research laboratory facility is common to all Science Schools in JNU and therefore, AIRF serves as an academic, research and scientific service provider and helps in the inter-disciplinary academic and research programmes.

Currently AIRF houses the following instruments:

1. Transmission Electron Microscope (TEM) - JEOL 2100F
2. Scanning Electron Microscope (SEM) - Zeiss EVO40
3. Gas Chromatograph Mass Spectrometer (GCMS) - Shimadzu QP-2010 Plus with Thermal Desorption System TD 20
4. Laser Confocal Microscope with Fluorescence Correlation Spectroscopy (FCS) - Olympus FluoView™ FV1000 with FLIP, FRAP, FRET, FLIM and FCS (PicoQuant)
5. Time Resolved Fluorescence Spectrometer (TRFS) - Edinburgh FL920 Fluorescence Life Time Spectrometer
6. Flow Cytometer and Cell Sorter - Dako (now Beckman Coulter) MoFlo™ Cytomation (Modular Flow Cytometer)
7. Circular Dichroism (CD) Spectrometer with Stop Flow - Applied PhotoPhysics Chirascan
8. FT-IR/ Raman Spectrometer with Microscope - Varian 7000 FTIR, Varian FT-Raman and Varian 600 UMA
9. Wavelength Dispersive X-ray Fluorescence (WDXRF) Spectrometer - Bruker S4 PIONEER
10. Energy Dispersive X-ray Fluorescence (EDXRF) Spectrometer - PANalytical Epsilon 5
11. X-ray Diffraction (XRD) System for Powder/ Thin Films with low temperature attachment - PANalytical X'pert PRO
12. X-ray Diffractometer (XRD) for Macromolecules and Protein Crystallography - Bruker AXS Microstar™
13. Surface Plasmon Resonance (SPR) Spectrometer - Autolab ESPRIT
14. XRD Protein Crystallization Laboratory - Mosquito (TTP Labtech) and MICROLAB STARLET (Hamilton Robotics)
15. TEM and SEM Sample Preparation Laboratory –Leica EM UC 6 Ultramicrotome
16. Capillary Electrophoresis System - Agilent 3D
17. Liquid Nitrogen Plant - Stirling StirLIN-1 Compact
18. 500 MHz Nuclear Magnetic Resonance (NMR) Spectrometer with solid state attachment (CP-MAS) - Bruker Avance III

Supporting basic instruments/ facilities at AIRF

19. XRD Protein Crystallization Laboratory - Mosquito (TTP Labtech) and MICROLAB STARLET (Hamilton Robotics)
20. TEM and SEM Sample Preparation Laboratory - Leica EM UC 6 Ultramicrotome and Nikon Trinocular Microscope (anti fungus type) with digital camera system – Model E200
21. Inverted Research Fluorescence Microscope - OLYMPUS IX71
22. Two Sample Preparation Laboratories with some Basic Facilities
23. Manual Hydraulic Press for FTIR - Spectrachrom Instruments CAP-15T
24. Semi Automatic 40Ton Hydraulic Press for XRF sample preparation - Insmart Systems INSMART XRF 40
25. Muffle Furnace (1400 0C working temperature; size: 200x200x300 mm) - International Scientific Instruments Co.
26. Mixed Signal Oscilloscope 2 + 16 CH 350 MHZ - Agilent Technologies Ltd MS07032A
27. Critical point Dryer - Quorum Technologies K850X
28. Turbo Freeze Dryer with liquid nitrogen fed cold stage - Quorum Technologies K775X

Of special mention is that AIRF functions efficiently essentially taking the technical and intellectual inputs from the respective JNU faculty member in-charges from the JNU Science Schools who are having specialized expertise in existing and upcoming AIRF facilities.

AIRF faculty members facilitate the following:

Technical and intellectual support

- i) Providing technical support to the users of this facility by facilitating their analysis on these instruments.
- ii) Providing intellectual support/ inputs as per their expertise for analysis of the data produced as a result of usage of AIRF and designing future experiments for the users.
- iii) Facilitating the day today smooth running of AIRF and conducting/ organizing seminars/ trainings/ workshops for all users.

Academic Activities

- i) Training summer trainees on the techniques and the applications of existing AIRF facilities.
- ii) Supervising research students.
- iii) Carrying research work with their own research grants and awards.
- iv) Providing theoretical and practical training on AIRF related topics to graduate and postgraduate (B.Sc./ M. Sc./ M.Phil./ Ph.D.) students/ researchers of Science schools of JNU and outside JNU.

Currently AIRF is involved in providing technical and intellectual support to the AIF users as well as two major activities of training:

1. Providing technical services to the users of this facility by facilitating their analysis on these instruments and also giving intellectual support/ inputs for analysis of the data produced as a result of usage of AIF and designing future experiments for the users.
2. Putting efforts to produce trained/ skilled manpower for the instruments housed at AIRF. For this short term courses/ workshops/ seminars/ talks/ tutorials/ hands on training etc. on the applications of these instruments are conducted at AIRF for the training of the research scholars/ students, teachers and personnel from other laboratories, universities and industries.
3. To train the existing in house staff members of AIRF in the latest developments and updates on the applications of these instruments.

Therefore AIRF serves as academic, research and scientific service providers and helps in the inter-disciplinary academic and research programmes etc.

Future Plans

AIRF should contribute to the intellectual input in research in a creative manner such that AIRF can aid the process development/ scientific skills which can lead to patents/ publications/ international scientific recognition. AIRF should be used maximally so that it can aid to produce trained/ skilled manpower expert in instrument/ facilities similar to AIRF. AIRF should be developed in such a way that it can cater to all scientific community of JNU and therefore can become an integral part of scientific research and development of the University.

Seminars/ Conferences/ Symposium organised by AIRF

- “Hands on” Training on “Fluorescence Correlation Spectroscopy” by Mr. Uwe Ortmann, M/s Picoquant Germany on 23 April, 2009 at Confocal Imaging Laboratory, AIRF, JNU.
- Seminar and live demonstration on “Time Resolved Fluorescence Spectroscopy” by Dr. Dirk U. Nather, Edinburgh Instruments, UK on 1 May, 2009 at AIRF, JNU.
- Class room theoretical and practical training on the use of TRFS housed at AIRF for summer trainees between 25 May - 10 July, 2009 at AIRF by Dr. Sobhan Sen, SPS, JNU.

- Class room theoretical and practical training on the use of XRD Protein housed at AIRF for summer trainees between 25 May - 10 July, 2009 at AIRF by Dr. Samudrala Gowrinath, SLS, JNU.
- Summer training project titled “An overview of the Principles and Techniques in Advanced Analytical Instrumentation” for Ms. Priyanka Manoj Kumar, student of VI semester B. Tech./ M. Tech. (Dual Degree) Biotechnology, Jaypee Institute of Information Technology University, Noida between 25 May - 10 July, 2009 at AIRF by Dr. Tulika Prasad, AIRF, JNU.
- Summer training project titled “Handling of Various Analytical Instruments” for Ms. Purva Chopra, student of IV semester B. Tech./ M. Tech. (Dual Degree) Biotechnology, Jaypee Institute of Information Technology University, Noida between 25 May - 10 July, 2009 at AIRF by Dr. Tulika Prasad, AIRF, JNU.
- Summer training project titled “An overview of the Techniques in Advanced Analytical Instrumentation” for Mr. Mohit Chaudhary, student of II year B. Tech. Biotechnology, Amity University, Noida between 8 June - 8 July, 2009 at AIRF by Dr. Tulika Prasad, AIRF, JNU.
- Seminar and Live demonstration of Olympus Bio Imaging Navigator - FSX100 by DSS Imagetech, India between 13 - 17 July, 2009 at AIRF, JNU.
- Seminar and Live Demonstration of Surface Plasmon Resonance Spectrometer (Autolab) on 27 July, 2009 at AIRF, JNU by Mr. Santosh Kulkarni, Product Manager, Metrohm India Ltd.
- Seminar and Live demonstration conducted by DSS Imagetech of Olympus Self Contained Confocal Laser Scanning Microscope - FV10i by Dr. K. N. Ganesh, Application Specialist, DSS Imagetech Pvt. Ltd., India between 5 - 7 August, 2009 at AIRF, JNU.
- “NMR studies on the structure and function of Plasmodium falciparum acyl carrier protein and inclusions involving β -cyclodextrin” on 10 August, 2009 at AIRF Committee room, lecture delivered by Dr. Santosh Kumar Upadhyay, National Institute of Immunology, New Delhi, India.
- Interactive Workshop with Seminar, Group Discussion and Live demonstration of Olympus FV1000 at AIRF, JNU on the “Basic Fundamentals and Advanced Applications of Existing AIRF Confocal Microscope Facility” between 29 September - 1 October, 2009 conducted by DSS Imagetech, India.
- Interactive workshop with seminar and applications Demonstration on Neoscope JCM-5000 bench top Scanning Electron Microscope (SEM) on 22 October, 2009 by Mr. Norihide Nagashima and Mr. Edsel Goh, Applications Specialists, NIKON INSTRUMENTS INC., USA.
- Class room theoretical and practical training on the use of GCMS and introduction on other instruments housed at AIRF for M. Sc. students of School of Life Sciences on 27 October, 2008 at AIRF by Dr. Tulika Prasad and Mr. Ajai Kumar, AIRF, JNU.
- Training with demonstration on the use of GCMS Headspace Sampling at AIRF on 28 October, 2009 by Ms. Deepti Ranadive, Senior Application Chemist, Shimadzu Analytical (India) Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai, India.
- Class room theoretical and practical training on the use of XRD Protein housed at AIRF for 11 member team from Sikkim University on 3 November, 2009 at AIRF by Dr. Samudrala Gowrinath, SLS, JNU.
- Class room theoretical and practical training on the use of TRFS housed at AIRF for 11 member team from Sikkim University on 4 November, 2009 at AIRF by Dr. Sobhan Sen, SPS, JNU.
- Interactive Workshop with Seminar, Group Discussion and Live demonstration with class room theoretical and practical hands on training of instruments housed at AIRF for 11 member team from Sikkim University between 1 - 8 November, 2009 by all AIRF members.
- Interactive Training with Group Discussion and Live demonstration with class room theoretical and practical hands on training of instruments housed at AIRF for M. Tech Nano Science and Technology, University School of Basic and Applied Sciences, GGS Indraprastha University, New Delhi, on 17 November, 2009 by all AIRF members.

- Training with demonstration and seminar on the use of FTIR - RAMAN at AIRF on 26 November, 2009. “Basic FTIR, Microscope and Raman Spectroscopy” lecture delivered by Mr. Prasenjit Kar, Spectroscopy Specialist, Varian India Pvt. Ltd, New Delhi, India.
- Interactive Training with Group Discussion and Live demonstration with class room theoretical and practical hands on training of instruments housed at AIRF for students of Department of Physics, GGS Indraprastha University, New Delhi, on 26 November, 2009 by all AIRF members.
- “Confocal live imaging world: How to apply to the various biological researches” and “Advanced Fluorescence Technology: Basics and applications of FRET” on 27 November, 2009 at AIRF Committee room, lecture delivered by Dr. Hisashi Okugawa (Confocal expert and Manager, Bio-science section, Nikon Corporation, Japan).
- “Nanomaterials for Renewable Energy; Electron Microscopy and Surface Spectroscopy Studies” on 3 December, 2009 at AIRF Committee room, lecture delivered by Dr. Biswapriya Deb, Research Scientist (Industrial), Institute for the Advanced Materials and Renewable Energy (IAMRE), University of Louisville, Louisville, KY-40292, USA.
- Interactive Programme with Group Discussion and Live demonstration with class room theoretical and practical training of instruments housed at AIRF for teachers who are participating in the 15th Refresher Course in Life Sciences organised by the Academic Staff College of the University Grants Commission in association with the School of Life Sciences; JNU, on 12 January, 2010 by Dr. Tulika Prasad, Dr. Manoj Pratap Singh, Mr. Ajai Kumar and Ms. Charu Tanwar, AIRF, JNU.
- Interactive Training with Group Discussion and Live demonstration with class room theoretical and practical training of instruments housed at AIRF for students of second semester Microbial Technology from Amity Institute of Microbial technology, Amity University, Noida, UP on 14 January, 2010 by all AIRF members.
- Interactive Programme with Group Discussion and Live demonstration with class room theoretical and practical training of instruments housed at AIRF for teachers who are participating in the 9th Refresher Course in Physics organised by the Academic Staff College of the University Grants Commission in association with the School of Physical Sciences; J.N.U. on 10 February, 2010 by Dr. Tulika Prasad, Dr. Manoj Pratap Singh, Dr. Gajender Saini and Mr. Ajai Kumar, AIRF, JNU.
- Interactive Training with Group Discussion and Live demonstration with class room theoretical and practical hands on training on “Basics of Confocal Microscopy” followed by brief objective and subjective examination at AIRF for Pre-Ph. D. students of School of Biotechnology on 15 and 16 March, 2010 by Ms. Charu Tanwar, AIRF.
- “Identification and validation of novel therapeutic targets in Mycobacterium tuberculosis: molecular genetics to chemical biology” on 17 March, 2010 at AIRF Committee room, lecture delivered by AIRF-JNU Guest Faculty, Dr. Sanjib Bhakta, Senior Lecturer in Microbiology, Fellow of the Higher Education Academy, ISMB/ Birkbeck College, University of London, UK.
- “A) Mosquito Nano litre Robot for Hanging drop and sitting drop experiments; B) Hamilton ML STARLET Robot for the preparation of crystallization screen” on 19 March, 2010 at AIRF Committee room, lecture delivered by Dr. Arshad Javed, Product Manager, RFCL, India followed by Interactive Training with Group Discussion and Live demonstration with class room theoretical and practical hands on training on XRD Crystallization Unit installed at AIRF.

Visitors to AIRF

AIRF has been visited by many dignitaries in India and abroad and they have widely appreciated the set up. Some of them have been eager to use this facility in future and have given new ideas for further improvement of this facility to maximize its usage. Some of these distinguished guests include:

University of Hyderabad, India (Dr. Irfan A. Ghazi), Director ICGEB, New Delhi, India (Dr. V. S. Chauhan), Director NIPGER, New Delhi, India (Dr. Sudip Chattopadhyay), Director NII, New Delhi, India (Dr. A. Surolia), Vice President-DFG (Dr. Heinz Wirth) (German Research Foundation), Stockholm University, Sweden (Dr. Henning Rodhe), SBRI

Seattle, USA (Dr. David Sherman), University Pittsburgh Cancer Institute, USA (Prof. Shivender Singh), Chairman UGC, India (Prof. S. K.Thorat), Secretary DBT, India (Dr. M. K.Bhan), IIT Kharagpur, India (Prof. D. Das), University of Colorado, Denver, USA (Dr. Rajesh Aggarwal), Chairman University Hospital Freiburg, Germany (Prof. H. E. Blum), University of Wurzburg, Germany (Prof. Jurgen Kreft), Waters, Mass Spectrometry (Dr. John Gebler), BIOCON Bangaluru, India (Dr. Laxmi Adhikary), NEHU Shillong, India (Prof. B. K. Tiwari), Director Biotech Anna University Coimbatore, India (Prof. N. M. Ramaswary), JNCASR, Bangaluru, India (Prof. Hemlatha Balaram), UNSW/SMSE Sydney, Australia (Prof. S.B.I. Bandopadhyay), Vice President and Managing Director Waters Mass Spectrometry, USA (Dr. Tim Riley), AllMS New Delhi , India (Dr. A. K.Dinda), Case Western University USA (Dr. Neena Singh), Vice President Bruker Mass Spectrometry (Dr. Ian Sanders), IRSHA, BVU, Pune, India (Prof. Abhay Harsulkar), MSD, IGCAR, Kalpakkam, India (Dr. A. Bharathi), University of UTAH, USA (Prof. Ashutosh Tiwari), Secretary DG-ICMR, India (Dr. V. M. Katoch), DG-CISR, India (Prof. S. K. Brahmachari), Uppsala University Sweden (Dr. Santanu Dasgupta), Missouri, USA (Dr. Jerry L. Warkman), UK (Prof. Martin Henson), Secretary DST, Government Of India (Dr. T. Ramasami), General Manager, Nikkon, Japan (Dr. Hideaki Okamoto), European Director Waters Mass Spectrometry, UK (Dr. John Rontree), LVEPI- Hyderabad, India (Prof. D. Balasubramanian), Director - Indian Institute of Science, Bangaluru, India (Prof. P. Balaram), President/ CEO Easy Energy Systems Inc, USA (Mark Gaalswyk), Business Development Advisor to President/ CEO Easy Energy Systems Inc, USA (Sam Roy), CEO Atter Recycling, Noida, India (Nitin Gupta), Professor of Virology, LSHTM, United Kingdom (Prof. Pally Roy), Head Systems and Synthetic Biology Group, Helmholtz Centre for Infection Research, Braunschweig, Germany (Prof. Vitor Martins Dos Santos), Honorary Professor/ Distinguished Biotechnologist, Molecular Biophysics Unit, Indian Institute of Science, Bangaluru, India (Prof. M. Vijayan), Professor, Department of Pathobiology, Department of Medical Education and Biomedical Informatics BIOMED, Seattle, USA (Prof. Peter Myler), Director of Scientific Operations and Full Member Seattle Biomedical Research Institute, Seattle and Professor, Department of Global Health, University of Washington, USA (Prof. Marilyn Parsons), President and Chief Operating Officer, Vaccines and Biopharmaceuticals, Panacea Biotec, Ltd., India (Dr. Lallan Giri), Senior Lecturer in Microbiology, Department of Biological Sciences, Birbeck, University of London (Dr. Sanjib Bhakta).

Publications from JNU Schools resulting from AIRF Usage

School of Physical Sciences (SPS)

- M. R. Ajayakumar, Sarita Yadav, **Subhasis Ghosh** and **Pritam Mukhopadhyay**. Single-Electron Transfer Driven Cyanide Sensing: A New Multimodal Approach. *Org. Lett.* (2010), 12(11): 2646-9.
- S. J. Singh, J. Prakash, A. K. Ganguli, and **S. Patnaik**. Superconductivity at 11.3 K induced by cobalt doping in CeOFeAs. *Solid State Communication* (2009), 149: 189.
- J. Prakash, S. J. Singh, **S. Patnaik** and A. K. Ganguli. Superconductivity at 42.7 K in CeO_{1-x}F_xFeAs with upper critical field of 94 T. *Physica C* (2009), 82: 469.
- S. J. Singh, J. Prakash, **S. Patnaik**, and A. K. Ganguli. Enhancement in superconducting transition temperature and upper critical field of LaO_{0.8}F_{0.2}FeAs with antimony doping. *Superconductor Science and Technology* (2009), 22: 045017.
- Prakash J, Singh S J, **S. Patnaik** and Ganguli A K. Compositionally controlled semimetal to superconducting transition in NaF- doped LaOFeAs: Enhancement in T_c due to Na-doping. *Physica C* (2009), 469: 300.
- Prakash J, Singh S J, **S. Patnaik** and Ganguli A K. Upper critical field, superconducting energy gaps, and Seebeck coefficient in La_{0.8}Th_{0.2}OFeAs. *J. Phys. Cond. Mat.* (2009), 21: 175705.

School of Life Sciences (SLS)

- Shiteshu Shrimal, Sudha Bhattacharya, **Alok Bhattacharya**. Serum-Dependent Selective Expression of EhTMKB1-9, a Member of Entamoeba histolytica B1 Family of Transmembrane Kinases. *PLoS Pathog.* (2010), In Press.

- Ashutosh Singh, **Tulika Prasad**, Khyati Kapoor, Ajeet Mandal, Ruth Welti and **Rajendra Prasad**. Phospholipidome of *Candida*: Each species of *Candida* has distinctive phospholipids molecular species. *OMICS: A Journal of Integrative Biology* (2010), In Press.
- Vibhor Gupta, Ponnusamy Kalaiarasan, Mohammad Faheem, Nishant Singh, Mohammad Askandar Iqbal and **Rameshwar N. K. Bamezai**. Dominant Negative Mutations Affect Oligomerization of Human Pyruvate Kinase M2 Isozyme and Promote Cellular Growth and Polyploidy. *J Biol Chem.* (2010), 285(22): 16864-73.
- Shivesh Kumar, Ejaz Ahmad, M. Shahid Mansuri, Sanjeev Kumar, Ruchi Jain, Rizwan Hasan Khan and **S. Gourinath**. Crystal structure and trimer-monomer transition of N-terminal domain of EhCaBP1 from *Entamoeba histolytica*. *Biophys. J.* (2010), In press.
- Jain R, Kumar S, Gourinath S, Bhattacharya **S, Bhattacharya A**. N- and C-terminal domains of the calcium binding protein EhCaBP1 of the parasite *Entamoeba histolytica* display distinct functions. *PLoS One* (2009), 4(4): e5269.
- Monika Sharma, Raman Manoharlal Chugh, Suneet Shukla, Sanjeevini Dhamgaye, Tulika Prasad, Suresh V. Ambudkar and **Rajendra Prasad**. Curcumin modulates efflux by yeast ABC multidrug transporters and is synergistic to antifungals. *Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy* (2009), 53(8): 3256-3265.

Special Centre for Molecular Medicine (SCMM)

- Dar MA, Prusty D, Mondal N and **Dhar SK**. A Unique 45 Amino Acid Region in the Toprim Domain of *Plasmodium falciparum* Gyrase B is Essential for DNA Binding, DNA dependent ATPase Stimulation and DNA Cleavage. *Eukaryotic Cell* (2009), 8(11): 1759-69.

Advanced Instrumentation Research Facility (AIRF)

- **Tulika Prasad**, Saif Hameed, Raman Manoharlal Chugh, Sudipta Biswas, Chinmay K. Mukhopadhyay, Shyamal K. Goswami and Rajendra Prasad. Morphogenic Regulator EFG1 Affects Drug Susceptibilities of Pathogenic *Candida albicans*. *FEMS YEAST RESEARCH* (2010), In Press.
- Sudhanshu Shukla, **Tulika Prasad** and Rajendra Prasad. Book Chapter-“Molecular mechanism of antifungal drug resistance” contributed in “Antimicrobial Resistance- The Modern Epidemic. Current Status and Research Issues”; Book on Proceedings for Microbial Resistance IXth Sir Dorabji Tata Symposium held at Bangaluru on “Fungal infection in India: Molecular mechanism of emerging antifungal resistance”, Macmillan Publishers (2009), Chapter VI- Basic Research; pp 213-228.
- Monika Sharma, Raman Manoharlal Chugh, Suneet Shukla, Sanjeevini Dhamgaye, **Tulika Prasad**, Suresh V. Ambudkar and Rajendra Prasad. Curcumin modulates efflux by yeast ABC multidrug transporters and is synergistic to antifungals. *Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy* (2009), 53(8): 3256-3265.
- Singh R., Prasad R., Sumana G., **Arora K.**, Sood S., Gupta R. K. and Malhotra B. D. “STD sensor based on nucleic acid functionalized nanostructured polyaniline”. *Biosensors and Bioelectronics* 24, 2232–2238, 2009.
- **Ajai Kumar**, G. R. Singh, Neelam Chauhan and S. S. Chhokar. Secondary metabolites of *Carum copticum* and their biological activities. *Journal of Medicinal and Aromatic Plant Science* (2010), In Press.

National Institute of Immunology (NII), New Delhi

- Rohit Jain¹, Angana Ghoshal², Chitra Mandal² and Chandrima Shaha¹. Leishmania Cell surface Prohibitin: role in host-parasite interaction. *Cell Microbiol* (2010), 12(4): 432-52. – ¹ Cell Death and Differentiation Research Laboratory, National Institute of Immunology, New Delhi, India and ² Department of Infectious Diseases and Immunology, Indian Institute of Chemical Biology, Kolkata, India.

Department of Chemistry, University of Delhi, New Delhi

- Pankaj Attri¹, **Pannuru Venkatesu**¹ and Ming-Jer Lee². Influence of osmolytes and denaturants on the structure and enzyme activity of alpha-chymotrypsin. *J Phys Chem B* (2010), 114(3): 1471-8. – ¹ Department of Chemistry,

University of Delhi, New Delhi ² and Department of Chemical Engineering, National Taiwan University of Science and Technology, Taiwan.

Trainings/Accomplishments of AIRF Collaborative Research Students/ Staff Members

- **Ajai Kumar** (AIRF staff member) attended training programme on “Operation of liquid Nitrogen Plant” conducted by Stirling Cryogenics Ltd. (India) from 21 - 24 April 2009 at Kolkata.
- **Ashutosh Singh** (AIRF collaborative student) presented Poster titled “Fattyome analysis of isogenic azole resistant and sensitive clinical isolates of pathogenic *Candida albicans*” by at 9th Yeast Lipid Conference held in Berlin, Germany between 21 - 23 May 2009.
- **Ashutosh Singh** (AIRF collaborative student) received corpus fund fellowship from Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, to attend 9th Yeast Lipid Conference held in Berlin, Germany, 21 - 23 May 2009.
- **Ashutosh Singh** (AIRF collaborative student) has been a recipient of ASM Student Scholarship for working for 3 months at Kansas Lipidomics Research Centre, Kansas State University, USA between May - August, 2009.
- **Ajai Kumar** (AIRF staff member) attended training programme on “Fundamental of GC-MS and Software operation” conducted by Shimadzu Analytical (India) Pvt. Ltd. from 3 - 4 August, 2009 at CSC, Delhi.
- **Ashutosh Singh** (AIRF collaborative student) presented Poster titled “Lipidome of *Candida* species” at SBC meeting held in NCCS, Pune between 30 October - 1 November, 2009.
- **Ashutosh Singh** (AIRF collaborative student) worked for 3 months at Kansas Lipidomics Research Centre, Kansas State University, USA **with Ruth Welti** (Lipid Signaling/ Lipidomics Group) between May - August, 2009 to develop and coordinating mass spectrometry-based lipid profiling for *Candida albicans*.
- **Gajender Saini** (AIRF Systems Analyst) attended “XXV National Training Programme in Electron Microscopy for Scientific Investigators” conducted by AIIMS, New Delhi between 25 November - 6 December, 2009.
- **Charu Tanwar** (AIRF Imaging Specialist) attended Workshop in “Software Analysis for Confocal Microscopy” conducted by 100X Imaging Company at SLS, JNU between 16 - 18 November, 2009.
- **Sandeep Sarpal** (Technical Officer) attended the NCBM Cement Seminar 2009 at Hotel Ashok conducted by PANalytical, Spectris Technologies Pvt. Ltd, Gurgaon between 17 - 20 November, 2009.
- **Charu Tanwar** (AIRF Imaging Specialist) attended Course on Advanced Confocal Microscopy and Imaging with hands on training, consisting of Z Optical Sectioning, Co-localization, Real Time Spectral Un mixing, FRET and Photo Bleaching conducted by ICGEB in collaboration with Nikon Corp, Japan and Towa Optics, New Delhi at International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology (ICGEB), New Delhi between 23 - 24 November, 2009.

Publications

Book Chapters

- Sudhanshu Shukla, **Tulika Prasad** and Rajendra Prasad. Book Chapter-“Molecular mechanism of antifungal drug resistance” contributed in “Antimicrobial Resistance- The Modern Epidemic. Current Status and Research Issues”; Book on Proceedings for Microbial Resistance IXth Sir Dorabji Tata Symposium held at Bangaluru on “Fungal infection in India: Molecular mechanism of emerging antifungal resistance”, Macmillan Publishers (2009), Chapter VI- Basic Research; pp 213-228.

Research Papers/ Book Chapters/ Research Articles

- **Tulika Prasad**, Saif Hameed, Raman Manoharlal Chugh, Sudipta Biswas, Chinmay Mukhopadhyay, Shyamal K. Goswami and Rajendra Prasad. Morphogenic Regulator EFG1 Affects Drug Susceptibilities of Pathogenic *Candida albicans*. FEMS YEAST RESEARCH (2010), IN PRESS.

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Conference/ Seminar Papers

- **Tulika Prasad**, Poster presentation titled “Morphogenic regulator Efg1p affects drug susceptibilities in *Candida albicans*” at 10th American Society for Microbiology (ASM) conference on *Candida* and Candidiasis held at Miami, Florida, USA between 22-26 March, 2010.
- **Tulika Prasad**, Presented Poster titled “Lipidome of *Candida* species” at SBC meeting held in NCCS, Pune between 30 October - 1 November, 2009 by one of my collaborative Ph.D. students.
- **Tulika Prasad**, Poster presentation titled “Fattyome analysis of isogenic azole resistant and sensitive clinical isolates of pathogenic *Candida albicans*” at 9th Yeast Lipid Conference held in Berlin, Germany, 21-23 May, 2009 by one of my collaborative Ph.D. students.
- **Tulika Prasad**, Poster presentation titled “Morphogenic regulator Efg1p of *Candida albicans* affects drug susceptibilities independent of drug efflux pumps” at Third FEBS Advanced Lecture Course on Molecular Mechanisms of Host-Pathogen Interactions and Virulence held in La Colle sur Loup, France between 2-9 May, 2009.
- **Arora K.** “Application of Surface Plasmon Resonance for Detection of Salmonella” in India - Japan Workshop on 'Biomolecular Electronics and Organic Nanotechnology for Environment Preservation' (IJWBONEP) at NPL, New Delhi during 17-20 December, 2009.

Training programmes attended

- **Tulika Prasad.** 65th Orientation Course at Academic Staff College, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi between April 6 - May 1, 2009.
- **Tulika Prasad.** Third FEBS Advanced Lecture Course on Molecular Mechanisms of Host-Pathogen Interactions and Virulence held in La Colle sur Loup, France between 2-9 May, 2009.
- **Tulika Prasad.** Live Imaging training at Curie Institute, France organised by Nikon Imaging Centre between 12-16 May, 2009.
- **Tulika Prasad.** Course on Advanced Confocal Microscopy and Imaging with hands on training, consisting of Z Optical Sectioning, Co-localization, Real Time Spectral Un mixing, FRET and Photo Bleaching conducted by ICGEB in collaboration with Nikon Corp, Japan and Towa Optics, New Delhi at International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology (ICGEB), New Delhi between 23 - 24 November, 2009.

Summer Trainings Imparted

- **Tulika Prasad.** “An overview of the Principles and Techniques in Advanced Analytical Instrumentation” for Ms. Priyanka Manoj Kumar, student of VI semester B. Tech./M. Tech. (Dual Degree) Biotechnology, Jaypee Institute of Information Technology University, Noida, UP between 25 May - 10 July, 2009.

- **Tulika Prasad.** “Handling of Various Analytical Instruments” for Ms. Purva Chopra, student of IV semester B. Tech./ M. Tech. (Dual Degree) Biotechnology, Jaypee Institute of Information Technology University, Noida, UP between 25 May - 10 July, 2009.
- **Tulika Prasad.** “An overview of the Techniques in Advanced Analytical Instrumentation” for Mr. Mohit Chaudhary, student of II year B. Tech. Biotechnology, Amity University, Noida, UP between 8 June to 8 July, 2009.

Research Projects

- **Tulika Prasad.** “Characterization of novel mechanism of drug resistance Mediated by EFG1, a morphogenic regulator in *Candida albicans*, a pathogenic yeast” - IYBA 2008 research grant awarded by DBT to carry out research for three years (2009-2012).
- **Arora K.** “Development of Genosensor for early detection of *Salmonella*” Department of Biotechnology 2009-2010.
- **Arora K.** and Singh M.P. “Development of Multi-analyte Immunosensor for Pesticide Detection” Department of Biotechnology 2009-2010.

Participation in National/ International Conferences/ Meetings/ Workshops

- **Tulika Prasad.** 10th ASM Meeting on *Candida* and Candidiasis. Miami, Florida, USA. 22 - 26 March, 2009.
- **Tulika Prasad.** JNU SCIENCE FESTIVAL 2010 at JNU. 22 - 23 February, 2009.
- **Tulika Prasad.** “CCP4 Workshop on Computational Crystallography” at AIIMS and JNU, New Delhi between 15 - 19 February, 2010.
- **Tulika Prasad.** “International Symposium on Endocrinology and Reproduction: Molecular Mechanisms to Molecular Medicine and 28th Meeting of the Society for Reproductive Biology and Comparative Endocrinology (SBRCE-2010)” at JNU, New Delhi between 4 - 5 February, 2010.
- **Tulika Prasad.** Course on Advanced Confocal Microscopy and Imaging with hands on training, consisting of Z Optical Sectioning, Co-localization, Real Time Spectral Un mixing, FRET and Photo Bleaching conducted by ICGEB in collaboration with Nikon Corp, Japan and Towa Optics, New Delhi at International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology (ICGEB), New Delhi between 23 - 24 November, 2009.
- **Tulika Prasad.** Annual Symposium on “Emerging Frontiers in immunogenomics of Infectious Diseases” and Award Presentation Ceremony held at National Institute of Immunology (NII), New Delhi on 4 November, 2009.
- **Tulika Prasad.** Live Imaging training at Nikon Imaging Centre, Curie Institute, France. 12 - 16 May, 2009.
- **Tulika Prasad.** Third FEBS Advanced Lecture Course on Molecular Mechanisms of Host-Pathogen Interactions and Virulence. La Colle sur Loup, France. 2 - 9 May, 2009.
- **Tulika Prasad.** Scientific visit between 16 - 18 May, 2009 for collaboration for AIRF with Unit of Biochemistry, Department of Medicine, Faculty of Science, University of Fribourg, Switzerland.
- **Tulika Prasad.** Scientific visit between 8 - 12 May, 2009 for collaboration for AIRF with Max Planck Institute for Biophysical Chemistry, Goettingen, Germany.
- **Tulika Prasad.** Scientific visit between 8 - 12 May, 2009 for collaboration for AIRF with Max Planck Institute of Molecular Cell Biology and Genetics, Dresden, Germany for AIRF.
- **Tulika Prasad.** 65th Orientation Course at Academic Staff College, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi. 6 April - 1 May, 2009.
- **Tulika Prasad.** “A New Frontier in Flow Cytometry” at Sheraton New Delhi. 13 April, 2009.
- **Arora K.** Participated in India - Japan Workshop on 'Biomolecular Electronics and Organic Nanotechnology for Environment Preservation' (IJWBEONEP) at NPL, New Delhi during 17-20 December 2009.

Lectures Delivered (Outside JNU)

- **Arora K.** Invited lecture on “Applications of Surface Plasmon Resonance for Detection of Salmonella” in India-Japan Workshop on 'Biomolecular Electronics and Organic Nanotechnology for Environment Preservation' (IJWBEONEP) at NPL, New Delhi during 17-20 December 2009.

Memberships of Boards/ Committees (Outside JNU)

- **Tulika Prasad.** Member of American Society for Microbiology

Other Contributions

- **Arora K.** Reviewed six research papers from Analytica Chimica Acta (Impact factor 3.146), Journal of Physical Chemistry (Impact factor 4.189), The Open Nano-medicine Journal (Impact factor 1.642) and Sensors (Impact factor 1.573).
- Guidance to trainees /research scholars/junior research fellows etc:

	Trainees	M. Sc. Interns	Research Scholar	Junior Research Fellow
No. and duration	02 (11 June-13 July, 2009 and November, 2008-May, 2009)	01 (17 March till date)	01 (May, 2009 to November, 2009)	01 (1 January, 2010 till date)

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- **Ray, Amit Shovon** and Saha, Sabyasachi; *Patenting Public Funded Research: International Experience and an Indian Perspective*, seminar at the Indian Council for Research in International Economic Relations (ICRIER), New Delhi, 29 October, 2009.
- **Sawhney, Aparna** "Significance of Trade Facilitation: International Experience and Estimation", South Asia Trade Facilitation Experts Partnership Inception Workshop, organised by ICRIER, IHC, 26 June, 2009.
- **Sawhney, Aparna** "Environmental Sustainability and the Account of Genuine Wealth in India", presented in the CIGI-JNU-NIPFP Conference on Economic Theory, Markets and Institutions for Governance, New Delhi, 24 March, 2010.

- **Sen Gupta A.**, “Managing Growth in the Midst of Global Slowdown”, 1st DAAD Network Workshop on Money, Finance, Trade and Development, HTW-University of Applied Sciences, Berlin, Germany,
- **Sen Gupta A.**, “Challenges to Integration: Financial and Monetary Institutions”, paper for a conference on Inter Regionalism between East Asia and SAARC, University of Delhi, Delhi, November, 2009.
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- **Choedon, Yeshi**, Presented a paper entitled “India Factor in China’s Approach to East Asia Regionalism” at and international seminar on India and East Asia Prospects of Cooperation and Problems of Integration at the Centre for Southeast Asian and Pacific Studies, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati, 7-9 October, 2009.
- **Choedon, Yeshi**, Presented a paper entitled “Recent Events in Tibet and Their Impact on India-China Relations” at a seminar on The Current Status of India-China Relations organised by the M.L. Sondhi Institute for Asia Pacific Affairs and Tibetan Parliamentary and Policy Research Centre at India International Centre, New Delhi, 30 October 2009.
- **Choedon, Yeshi**, Presented a paper entitled “The United Nations and Nuclear Disarmament” at the International Studies Association Conference held at New Orleans, 15-20 February, 2010.
- **Negi, Archna**, Presented a paper on “India and Climate Change” at a workshop on The EU and the Emerging Powers organised by the Institute for European Studies, Brussels, Belgium, 22-23 March 2010.
- **Negi, Archna**, Presented a paper on “Rights and the World Trade Organization: Revisiting the Human Rights-International Trade Interface” at a workshop on Rights in Economics and Law organised by the Centre for Economic Studies and Planning, SSS, JNU, New Delhi, 4-5 February 2010.
- **Negi, Archna**, Presented a paper on “Climate Change, India and the European Union: Perspectives, Perceptions and Policies” at an international conference on Connections and Dialogues – The European Union and the Asia Pacific: Perceptions, Policies, Perspectives organised by the European Union Studies Association – Asia Pacific, Centre for European Studies, JNU, Indian Association for European Union Studies and India-EU Study Centre Programme, JNU, New Delhi, 8-9 January 2010.
- **Negi, Archna**, Presented a paper on “Effective Multilateralism, Climate Change and Trade: Prospects for Conflict and Cooperation between the Trade and Environmental Governance Systems” at an international conference on Effective Multilateralisms: Cross-Regional Perspectives organised by the Centre for International Studies, The Department of Politics and International Relations, University of Oxford, United Kingdom, 17-19 December 2009.
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- **Rajagopalan, Rajesh**, “Indian Nuclear Policy”, presentation at an international symposium on Major Powers’ Nuclear Policies and International Order in the 21st Century, organised by the National Institute for Defense Studies (NIDS), Tokyo, 19 November, 2009.
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- **Rajagopalan, Rajesh** “Moving the Centre of Gravity from the Atlantic to the Pacific”, presentation at the 75th Anniversary Conference of the South African Institute of International Affairs on Africa in a New World: Geopolitics, Interdependence and Leverage, Johannesburg, 17 September, 2009.

- **Rajagopalan, Rajesh** “In Search for a Common Vision: Universal Ban, Reformed NPT or Counterproliferation,” presentation at a conference on New Momentum for Nuclear Disarmament? organised by the Friedrich-Ebert Foundation, in Berlin, Germany, 21-22 April, 2009
- **Singh, Swaran**, Made a presentation on “Anti-Terrorism Cooperation” at an international conference on ‘Building more propitious confidence building measure in China-India relations’ held jointly by the Institute for Peace and Conflict Resolution (New Delhi) and China Association for Arms Control and Disarmament (Beijing) at Beijing 27 March, 2010.
- **Singh, Swaran**, Made a presentation on “Non-proliferation Regime and the NPT” at a conference on ‘The Future of Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty: Implications for India’ held at Institute for Defence Studies and Analysis, New Delhi during 22-23 March, 2010.
- **Singh, Swaran**, Made a presentation on “India’s Nuclear Disarmament Policy” at the Foreign Service Institute, New Delhi, 18 March, 2010.
- **Singh, Swaran**, Presented a paper on “Multiculturalism in the Era of Globalization” at the Academy of Third World Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia’s international conference on ‘Central Asia and its Neighborhood’ held in New Delhi 17-18 March, 2010.
- **Singh, Swaran**, Made a presentation on “Deconstructing Eurasia: Perspectives in New Geopolitics” at an international seminar on ‘Communities, Institutions and Transition’ in post-1991 Eurasia’ organised by the Maulana Abul Kalam Azad Institute of Asian Studies, Kolkata, 23-24 February, 2010.
- **Singh, Swaran**, Made a presentation on “India and Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty” at the International Studies Association Convention 2010 at New Orleans, United States, 16-19 February, 2010.
- **Singh, Swaran**, Made a presentation on “China and India: Friends or Foes” at the Center for East Asian Studies, Baccnell University, Pennsylvania, United States, 11 February, 2010.
- **Singh, Swaran**, Made a presentation on “India’s Evolving Stance on CTBT” at a programme on Science and Global Security, Princeton University, New Jersey, United States, 9 February, 2010.
- **Singh, Swaran**, Made a presentation on “Future of Kunming Initiative Cooperation” at a conference on ‘China (Yunnan)-India Cooperation Forum’ held at the Institute of South Asian Studies, Yunnan Academy of Social Sciences, Kunming, China, 14-15 January, 2010.
- **Singh, Swaran**, Made a presentation on “China-Pakistan and other countries in SAARC region including Afghanistan” at the Observer Research Foundation’s conference on ‘China’s Foreign Policy and Foreign Relations’ held in New Delhi, 4 December, 2009.
- **Singh, Swaran**, Presented a paper on “Pakistan and Regional Security in Southern Asia: Policy Options for China and India” at the Academy of Third World Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia’s conference on ‘India-China Experts Dialogue on Pakistan and Regional Security’ held in New Delhi, 24-25 November, 2009.
- **Singh, Swaran**, Presented a paper on “Climate Change Debate: Chinese Perspectives”, at the Vth Indian Ocean Research Group Conference on ‘Climate Change in the Indian Ocean Region: Geopolitics, Energy and Security’ held at Hyderabad (India) 16-18 November, 2009.
- **Singh, Swaran**, Made a presentation on “China and South Asia”, at the Institute for Defence Studies and Analysis (IDSA) annual conference titled ‘South Asia 2020: Moving Towards Cooperation or Conflict?’ held in New Delhi 4 – 5 November, 2009.
- **Singh, Swaran**, Made a presentation on “Sino-Indian Relations: Looking Ahead” at an international conference on ‘China-India Relations: between Cooperation and Competition’ organised by the Institute of International Studies, Fudan University, Shanghai, China, 22-23 October, 2009.
- **Singh, Swaran**, Presented a paper on “Afghan Factor in Reviving Sino-Pak Axis” at an international conference on ‘Central Asia as the emerging area of competition between India and China’ jointly organised by the Center de Sciences Humaines and the India International Center at New Delhi, 14-15 October, 2009.

- **Singh, Swaran**, Presented a paper on “India’s Nuclear Doctrine: Ten Years since the Kargil War” at an International Conference on ‘After the First Decade: The Politics of Nuclear Weapons on South Asia” organised by the Department of Politics and International Studies (DPIS), Hull University at Hull City (UK), 26-28 August, 2009.
- **Singh, Swaran**, Made a presentation on “Resurgence of China: A Realty Check” to 49th Course on ‘National Security and Strategic Studies’ at the National Defence College (NDC), Ministry of Defence, New Delhi, 12 August, 2009.
- **Singh, Swaran**, Made a presentation on “Diplomacy in the Emerging New World Order” to the special training session for diplomats from the Maldives, the Foreign Services Institute (FSI), New Delhi, 20 July, 2009.
- **Singh, Swaran**, Made a presentation on “Rising Chindia: It is Critical to Stay on Course”, at the College of Humanities, Xiamen University, Xiamen, Fujian, China, 10 July, 2009.
- **Singh, Swaran**, Participated in a Panel Discussion on “Fissile Material Cut-off Treaty” at a conference on ‘Revisiting CTBT and FMCT: Challenges and Opportunities for an NSG-Exceptionalized India” organised by the Center for Air Power Studies (CAPS) at India International Center (IIC), New Delhi, 17 June, 2009
- **Singh, Swaran**, Participated in a panel discussion on “Geopolitics of 21st Century Eurasia” at the Faculty of Law, Chuo University, Tokyo, 12 June, 2009.
- **Singh, Swaran**, Made a Presentation on “India’s Look East Policy” at the Faculty of Law, Chuo University, Tokyo, 4 June, 2009.
- **Singh, Swaran**, Delivered a lecture on “Examining Command and Control in Southern Asia” Senior Officers’ Study Period at College of Air Warfare (CAW), Secunderabad, Andhra Pradesh, India, 22 April, 2009.
- **Singh, Swaran**, Presented a paper on “State of International Relations Studies in India”, at an international conference on “State of International Relations in South Asia’ organised by the Department of International Relations, Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad (Pakistan), 7-8 April, 2009.

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- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, “Indian Perspectives on China: Concerns and Prospects”, paper presented at a conference on “China’s Peaceful Development: Challenges and Opportunities” Macau Polytechnic Institute 11-14 May, 2009.
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Paper presented on “China’s Evolving Military Doctrine and Strategy” at a seminar on “Joint Air Land Operations” at Headquarters Army Regional Training Command Shimla, 19 May, 2009.
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Paper presented on “Indian Northeast and Southeast Asia: China’s Interests and Strategies”, Institute for Peace and Conflict Studies (IPCS), 29 May, 2009.
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, Paper presented on “China’s Role in Central Asia”, at the Centre for Policy Alternatives organised seminar at India Habitat Centre, 15 July, 2009.
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, “China’s Water Security Issues and South Asia”, paper presented at the Bangladesh Centre for International Studies, Dhaka organised international seminar, 19 August, 2009.
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, “PLA Strategy and India”, paper presented at an international seminar “Regional Security Cooperation’ organised by the Ministry of National Defense, Taipei 26-27 August, 2009.
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, “China’s Space Programme and Asia”, paper presented at the European Space Policy Institute, Vienna, 16-17 September, 2009.

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- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, “China’s Naval Power Projection”, paper presented at the 8th Prospective Seminar on China organised by the Ministry of Defense, Paris, 18 November, 2009.
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- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, “China as a Factor in India-Iran relations”, paper presented at the Jamia Millia Islamia University, Delhi 3 December, 2009.
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, “Shanghai Cooperation Organisation”, paper presented at a seminare organised at SIS, “Regional Cooperation and Security in Central Asia”, JNU, 6 December, 2009.
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, “Impact of China on India’s Look East Policy”, paper presented at the Society for Indian Ocean Studies, Kolkata organised seminar at the University of Calcutta, 19 December, 2009.
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, “China and the European Union: Perceptions and Policies”, at a seminar on “Connections and Dialogues: The European Union and the Asia Pacific: Perceptions, Policies, Perspectives” SIS, JNU, New Delhi, 8 – 9 January, 2010.
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, “China and Eurasia”, paper presented at the Mumbai University, 10-11 February, 2010.
- **Kondapalli Srikanth**, “India-China Nuclear CBMs” paper presented at IPCS organised seminar at Beijing, 27-28 March, 2010.

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- **Debata Mahesh Ranjan**, International seminar on “Xinjiang in the 21st Century”, International Response to Uyghur Separatism in Xinjiang, 3 – 4 March, 2010.
- **Debata Mahesh Ranjan**, Regional Cooperation and Security in Central, Central Asia China Energy Cooperation, 5 – 6 December, 2009.
- **Paswan N. K.**, Presented a paper on “Intra-Regional Trade and Investment Cooperation in Central Asia: An Empirical Assessment” in an international conference on Regional Cooperation and Security in Central Asia at SIS Conference Room, organised by the Central Asia Study Programme, SIS/JNU, New Delhi, 7-8 December, 2009.
- **Paswan N. K.**, Delivered the keynote speech on “South Asia: An Overview” in a South Asia Youth Peace Meet (SAYPM) 2009 at Symbiosis International University, Pune (Maharashtra), 21-23 September, 2009.
- **Kharat Rajesh S.**, “India’s Myanmar Policy”, paper presented at a national seminar on India’s Foreign Policy: Continuity and Change, organised by the Department of Studies and Research in Political Science, Gulbarga University, Gulbarga, 8-9 September 2009.
- **Kharat Rajesh S.**, Chaired a session on “Cross Border Terrorism and Human Rights in South Asia” at a national seminar on International Terrorism organised by Dayanand Arts College, Latur, Maharashtra, 19-20 December, 2009.
- **Kharat Rajesh S.**, Invited to deliver Lecture Series on its MA Course ‘Asia in World Politics’ at the Department of Civics and Politics, University of Mumbai, Mumbai, 18-22 January 2010.
- **Kharat Rajesh S.**, Invited to deliver lectures on India and South Asia and Indo-US Relations at Ahmednagar College of Arts and Science, Nagar, Maharashtra, 15–16 February 2010.
- **Amita Batra**, Reviewer for the Agriculture Economics journal, published by the International Associations of Agriculture Economists.

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- **Upadhyay Archana**, “Negotiating Peace in Ethnic Conflicts”, paper presented at the national seminar on ‘Current Scenes of Conflict: Gandhian Perspectives for Resolution’ organised by the Centre for Gandhian Studies, Gitam University, Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh, 19-21 March, 2010.
- **Upadhyay Archana**, “Prevention of Sexual Harassment in Academic Places – the JNU Experience”, paper presented at a national seminar on Sexual Harassment in Academic Places: Socio, Cultural, Legal and Ethical Issues, organised by GSCASH, 10 November, 2009.
- **Das Preeti D.**, Casestudy and the Construction of Theories in Social Sciences, Kunjuru Memorial Lecture organised by SIS, JNU, February, 2010.
- **Das Preeti D.**, Shanghai Cooperation Organization” Multilateralsim or Countering US Influence?, University of Mumbai, February, 2010.

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- **Chenoy Kamal Mitra**, “The Case for Unilateral Disarmament: India” paper accepted by the 51st ISA Annual Convention organised by the International Studies Association, New Orleans, USA, 19 February, 2010.
- **Menon Nivedita**, Presented a paper “Science in the Laboratory of Politics”, at Critical Studies in Politics workshop, IAS, Shimla, 4-6 March, 2010.
- **Menon Nivedita**, Presented a paper titled, “Outlawing the Law: Towards an Anarchist-feminist Practice of Justice”, Westminster Conference on Law and Gender, London, 2-4 April, 2009.

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- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, ‘India’s Foreign Policy in the Regional Context’ at an international conference on Emerging Powers: India, Brazil, and South Africa (IBSA) and the Future of South-South Cooperation, organised by the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Washington, D.C, USA, 22 May, 2009.
- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, Multilateralism in Crisis: Causes and Consequences’ at 8th FES- SWP North South Dialogue on Global Governance for Global Markets: Moving Beyond G8? Berlin, Germany, 16- 17 June, 2009.
- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, “Reform of the International System – The Quest for Democratization” in India-Eu Forum on Effective Multilateralism organised by the Indian Council of World Affairs and the EU Institute of Security Studies, New Delhi, 8-9 October, 2009.
- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, “The EU as a Normative Foreign Policy Actor: Bridging Norms and Realism” in Connections and Dialogue: The European Union and the Asia Pacific Perceptions, Policies, Perspectives organised by the European Union Studies Association – Asia Pacific Centre for European Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University Indian Association for European Union Studies in association with India-EU Study Centre Programme, School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India, 8-9 January, 2010.
- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, “**Emerging Global Players: EU and The BRICS**” on the theme Contemporary Debates in World Politics and India under the Pandit Hriday Nath Kunzru Memorial Lectures, organised by the SIS, JNU, New Delhi, India, 22 January, 2010.
- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, EU-India Relations in the Twenty-first Century in Theory Vs. Policy? Connecting Scholars and Practitioners, organised by the International Studies Association, New Orleans, USA, 17-20 February, 2010.
- **Bava, Ummu Salma**, ‘Perceptions on Global Governance’ in The EU and the Emerging Powers, organised by the Institute for European Studies, Vrije University Brussels, Belgium, 22-23 March, 2010.
- **Jain, Rajendra K.**, Contemporary Indian Perspectives on the European Union and its Role in South Asia and the World, paper presented at an international conference on “The External Relations of the European Union: Historical and Contemporary Perspectives,” organised by Monash Europe and EU Centre, the Monash Asia

Institute, the National Centre for Research on Europe, University of Canterbury, the University of New South Wales, the European Studies Centre, Sichuan University, and the Machiavelli Centre for Cold War Studies, University of Florence, at Monash University, Melbourne, 24-25 September, 2009.

- **Jain, Rajendra K.**, India and the European Union: A Reality Check?, paper presented at the India-EU Forum for Effective Multilateralism organised by the European Union Institute of Security Studies and the Indian Council of World Affairs, New Delhi, 8-9 October, 2009.
- **Jain, Rajendra K.**, India and the European Union, paper presented at “European Policy in Asia: China and India as Strategic Partners,” European Policy Centre, Brussels, 25 November, 2009.
- **Jain, Rajendra K.**, Teaching the EU in India, paper presented at the international conference on “Connections and Dialogues: The European Union and the Asia-Pacific, Perceptions, Policies, Perspectives,” organised by the Indian Association for European Union Studies, European Union Studies Association – Asia-Pacific, Centre for European Studies, JNU and the India-EU Study Centre Study Programme, New Delhi, 8-9 January, 2010.
- **Jain, Rajendra K.**, India and the European Union, paper presented at “The EU and the Emerging Powers,” Institute of European Studies, Vrije Universiteit Brussels, Brussels, 22-23 March, 2010.
- **Sachdeva, Gulshan**, Presented a paper on “Preparing the Northeast for ASEAN Linkage”, at an international seminar “Exploring ASEAN Markets for India’s Northeast Products”, organised by UNCTAD and Mizoram University at Aizawl, 28-29 May, 2009.
- **Sachdeva, Gulshan**, Presented a paper on “Economic Growth; The Uzbek Way” at the international round table on Economic and Political Reforms in Modern Uzbekistan: Current Status and Perspectives, organised by the Institute for Studies of the Civil Society and OSCE, Tashkent, 20 -21 July, 2009.
- **Sachdeva, Gulshan**, Presented a paper on “Costs of Conflict and Non-Cooperation” at the international seminar India-Pakistan Peace Process: Reviving the Dialogue, organised by the Friedrich Ebert Stiftung, Singapore, 24-25 November, 2009.
- **Sachdeva, Gulshan**, Presented a paper “India-Russia Economic Cooperation: Impact of Global Economic and Financial Crises at MGIMO, Moscow, 10 December, 2009.
- **Sachdeva, Gulshan**, Presented a paper “The EU and Afghanistan” at EUSA-AP Conference JNU, 8 January, 2010.
- **Sachdeva, Gulshan**, Presented a paper on “India’s Role in a New Regional Strategy on Afghanistan” at the international conference “Stabilization in Afghanistan-After the London Conference: European Strategies and the Role of Regional Powers”, organised by the Hans Seidel Foundation and German Institute for International and Security Affairs, Brussels, 16-17 March, 2010.
- **Sachdeva, Gulshan**, Presented a paper on “India: Development Challenges” at an international workshop on EU and BRICs organised by the Institute of European Studies, Brussels, 23 March, 2010.
- **Sharma, Sheetal**, Presented a paper, “Creating an Inclusive World: Transcending Limitations of Socio-Cultural Identities in the Age of Globalization”, at the ‘Creative Communities: Sustainable Solutions to Social Inclusion Conference’, organised by the Centre for Public Culture and Ideas, Griffith University in association with the Innovative Universities European Union Centre (IUEU) Gold Coast, Queensland, Australia, 15 – 17 April, 2009.
- **Sharma, Sheetal**, Presented a paper titled ‘Social Construction of Europe’ at the 39th UACES International Conference on “Exchanging Ideas on Europe: Views from France, Views Beyond the Mainstream”, at Angers, France, 3 – 5 September, 2009.
- **Sharma, Sheetal**, Presented a paper titled ‘Discourse and Challenges of Social Integration in Multicultural Societies: A Comparative Study of India and Europe’, at the global conference, “Connections and Dialogues: The European Union as a Global Actor: Asia-Pacific: Perceptions, Policies and Perspectives”, organised by the European Union Studies Association Asia Pacific in association with the Centre for European Studies, JNU, the Indian Association for European Union Studies, and the Delegation of the European Commission, at JNU, New Delhi, 8 – 9 January, 2010.

- **Sharma, Sheetal**, Presented a paper titled 'Managing Global Challenges: Migration in India', at the two-day EU-BRICs workshop on 'The EU and the Emerging Powers: Addressing Global Challenges and Improving the EU's Global Standing', conducted by the Institute for European Studies, Vrije, Universiteit Brussels, Belgium, 22 – 23 March, 2010.

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- **Prasad G.J.V.** “Tamil in Translation: Language and Identity”, at the international workshop on Colonialism and Translation in South Asia, organised by the Leverhulme Research Network in ‘Postcolonial Translation: The Case of South Asia’, at Newcastle University, UK, 1-5 June, 2009.

- **Prasad G.J.V.** “The Anthology Debate” (with N Kamala), and “Theories of Translation”, at the international workshop on Translation and Nation Building in South Asia: 1947-1977, organised by the Leverhulme Research Network in ‘Postcolonial Translation: The Case of South Asia’, Newcastle University, UK, at JNU, and University of Delhi, New Delhi, 8-11 January, 2010.
- **Prasad G.J.V.** “India, English and Postcolonialism”, at a seminar at the International College for Girls, Jaipur, 30 January, 2010.
- **Bhaduri Saugata**, “Colonial Translation and the Genesis of Modern Bengali Language and Literature”, at the international workshop on Colonialism and Translation in South Asia, organised by the Leverhulme Research Network in ‘Postcolonial Translation: The Case of South Asia’, at Newcastle University, UK, 1-5 June, 2009.
- **Bhaduri Saugata**, “Colonial Contact, Translation, and the Case of Modern Bengali: Towards a Cosmopolitics of Culture”, at the international seminar on Diversité des langues et politique de l’histoire, organised by the Department of English Literature Studies, University of Paris 8, Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique, Paris, and New York University, at University of Paris 8, Paris, France, 19 June, 2009.
- **Bhaduri Saugata**, “Indo-Canadian Diaspora: The Iberian Connection”, at the annual conference on ‘India in Canada, Canada in India: Managing Diversity’, organised by the Spanish Association for Interdisciplinary India Studies, at the Universidad de Córdoba, Córdoba, Spain, 29 June - 2 July, 2009.
- **Bhaduri Saugata**, “Feminism and Marxism: Lines of Solidarity”, at a seminar on Women in Modern Political and Social Thought, organised by the Centre for Women’s Studies, Aligarh Muslim University, 3-5 October, 2009.
- **Bhaduri Saugata**, “On Terror and Forgivability”, at a seminar on the 5th Death Anniversary of Jacques Derrida, organised by the Centre for Linguistics, JNU, New Delhi, 9 October, 2009.
- **Bhaduri Saugata**, “The Official Public Sphere and the Subaltern Counterpublics of Folklore”, at the 33rd Indian Folklore Congress, organised by Manipur University, Imphal, 16-18 November, 2009.
- **Bhaduri Saugata**, “Anuvada-Tarjama-Bhashantar: Translation in the Indian Context”, at the international workshop on Translation and Nation Building in South Asia: 1947-1977, organised by the Leverhulme Research Network in ‘Postcolonial Translation: The Case of South Asia’, Newcastle University, UK, at JNU, and University of Delhi, New Delhi, 8-11 January, 2010.
- **Bhaduri Saugata**, “Interface between Contemporary Social Theory and Religion”, at the international conference on Envisioning Postcolonial Theologies to Decolonizing the Body of Christ, organised by United Theological College, Bengaluru, the Society of Biblical Studies in India, and the Lincoln Theological Institute, University of Manchester, at Bengaluru, 21-23 January, 2010.
- **Bhaduri Saugata**, “The Relevance of Lévi-Strauss to Contemporary Cultural Analysis”, at a seminar on Rethinking Lévi-Strauss in the 21st Century, organised by the Department of English, Jamia Millia Islamia, at New Delhi, 19 March, 2010.
- **Mongia Padmini**, “India’s Booker in The New York Times”, at a conference on “What’s in a Booker?”, at Osmania University, Hyderabad, 15-17 September, 2009.
- **Mongia Padmini**, “The Emergence of Indian Literature in the US Academy”, at the international conference on Indian and Cross-cultural Approaches to Marginality, organised by the Centre for English Studies (CES), JNU, New Delhi, 22-24 March, 2010.

- **Sethi Navneet**, “Dissident bodies, demystified nations: a post-colonial reading of disability in the novels of Toni Morrison”, at a national seminar on Disability and Disenchantment: New Challenges and Evolving Directions, organised by Equal Opportunities Office, JNU, New Delhi, 2-3 March, 2009.
- **Sethi Navneet**, “Disabling Centres, Enabling Margins: A Reading of Disability in the Fiction (s) of Toni Morrison”, at the international conference on Indian and Cross-cultural Approaches to Marginality, organised by the CES, JNU, New Delhi, 22-24 March, 2010.
- **Singh Dhananjay**, “The Sweet Bitterness of Poetry: The Fusion of the Aesthetic with the Political in Robin S. Ngangom’s *Desire of Roots*,” at the national conference on Indian English Poetry: The Last Twenty Five Years, organised by the Indian Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies and North Eastern Hill University (NEHU), Shillong, 29-31 October, 2009.
- **Singh Dhananjay** “Revisiting Ranajit Guha’s *On Some Aspects of the Historiography of Colonial India*”, at the national seminar on Writing Subaltern: Across Histories, Cultures, Geographies, organised by the Department of English, Punjabi University, Patiala, at Patiala, 25-26 February, 2010.
- **Singh Dhananjay** “The Buddha’s Karma Yogic Beasts: Philosophy, Fantasy, and Narrative in the Jataka-s”, at the national seminar on Imagined Worlds: Fantasy, Science Fiction, and Other Forms of the Marvelous in Indian Literature, organised by Sahitya Akademi, at Goa University, Goa, 6-9 March, 2010.
- **Singh Dhananjay** “Gender and Buddhism: Reading the Women Poets of the Therigatha”, at the International Conference on Indian and Cross-cultural Approaches to Marginality, organised by the CES, JNU, New Delhi, 22-24 March, 2010.

Centre for French and Francophone Studies

- **Madavane K.**, “Indian Tango (s): créer avec /des identités multiples – A reflexion on Ananda Devi’s works”, at the international conference on INDICITIES / INDICES / INDÍCIOS: Hybridity in Indian Ocean Literature, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Barcelona, 23-25 April, 2009.
- **Chaudhry Kiran**, “Lectures interactives des textes québécois en salle de classe: défis et délices”, at the 1^{er} Congrès International de l’AIQS, Quebec: Transition, translation, transgression, organised by the Indian Association of Quebec Studies, AITF, and Pondicherry University, 17-20 February, 2010.
- **Chaudhry Kiran**, “Evaluating written comprehension and expression in a Foreign language”, at a seminar organised by the Centre for European and Latin American Studies, Jamia Milia Islamia, New Delhi, March, 2010.
- **Chaudhry Kiran**, “Lecture plurielle de *Ces enfants de ma vie*”, at a National Roundtable Seminar on Lire le roman québécois en Inde, CFFS, SLLandCS, JNU, 3 March, 2010.
- **Kamala N.**, “L’espace de la traduction et la traduction de l’espace : Etude d’un roman montréalais en anglais”, at the 1^{er} Congrès International de l’AIQS, Quebec: Transition, translation, transgression, organised by the Indian Association of Quebec Studies, AITF, and Pondicherry University, 17-20 February, 2010.
- **Kamala N.**, “Toru Dutt: écrivaine et traductrice francophile et francophone”, at the Echange bilatéral entre l’Université Paris IV) et l’Université Jawaharlal Nehru (Bilateral Exchange between l’Université Paris IV) and Jawaharlal Nehru University), CFFS, SLLandCS, JNU, 23-25 February, 2010.
- **Rao Vijayalakshmi**, “A la découverte d’une nouvelles francophonie littéraire: l’écriture indienne d’expression française”, at the Congrès international d’études francophones, New Orleans, USA, 21-28 June, 2009.
- **Rao Vijayalakshmi**, “Vignettes pour des images rémanentes et réfractaires de l’Inde”, at the Echange bilatéral entre l’Université Paris-Sorbonne (Paris IV) et l’Université Jawaharlal Nehru (Bilateral Exchange between l’Université Paris-Sorbonne (Paris IV) and Jawaharlal Nehru University), CFFS, SLLandCS, JNU, 23-25 February, 2010.

- **Rao Vijayalakshmi**, “Parallélisme de la quête spirituelle dans Journey to Ithaca (Anita Desai) et les Silences du Corbeau (Yvon Rivard)”, at a National Roundtable Seminar on Lire le roman québécois en Inde, CFFS, SLLandCS, JNU, 3 March, 2010.
- **Karkun Abhijit**, “Vulgariser le développement durable en Inde : Utilisation d’une méthodologie interculturelle” (Popularising Sustainable Development in India: Utilisation of an Intercultural Methodology), at the XIIth Congress of Intercultural Research Association (Association pour la recherche interculturelle - ARIC), on Intercultural Dialogue: Decolonising Knowledge and Power, at the Federal University of Santa Catarina, Florianópolis, Brazil, 29 June - 3 July, 2009.
- **Karkun Abhijit**, “Littérature: de la périphérie vers le centre” (Literature: From Periphery to centre) at the Echange bilatéral entre l’Université Paris IV) et l’Université Jawaharlal Nehru (Bilateral Exchange between l’Université ParisIV) and Jawaharlal Nehru University, CFFS, SLLandCS, JNU, 23-25 February, 2010.
- **Karkun Abhijit**, “An Innovative Writer: Jacques Godbout”, at a National Roundtable Seminar on Lire le roman québécois en Inde, CFFS, SLLandCS, JNU, 3 March, 2010.
- **Agnihotri Ashish**, “Indian cinema: Intertextual musings”, in Intertextuality: a Colloquium on Transcultural and Intermedial Influence, organised by the JNIAS, JNU and Embassy of France in India, New Delhi, 10 December, 2009.
- **Agnihotri Ashish**, “Le traducteur au théâtre: entre auteur, acteur et spectateur. Cas d’étude: Encore 5 minutes (1967) de Françoise Loranger”, at the 1^{er} Congrès International de l’AIQS, Quebec: Transition, translation, transgression, organised by the Indian Association of Quebec Studies, AITF, and Pondicherry University, 17-20 February, 2010.
- **Agnihotri Ashish**, “Seeing the invisible: Satyajit Ray’s Devi through the prism of Œdipus”, at a Workshop on Gender Relations in Indian Cinema, organised by the Academic Staff College, JNU, New Delhi, 8 March, 2010.

Centre of German Studies

- **Rajan Rekha V.**, “Indien in der deutschen Imagination,” at an International Conference organised by the the German Studies Association of Australia, University of Western Australia, Perth, Australia, 18-20 November, 2009.
- **Rajan Rekha V.**, “Orientalism in Missionary Reports?” at a seminar organised by the University of Delhi, 24-26 January, 2010.
- **Dengle Rajendra**, “The Role of Literature in the Teaching of FLT,” at an International Conference organised by the the German Studies Association of Australia, University of Western Australia, Perth, Australia, 18-20 November, 2009.
- **Dengle Rajendra**, “Die Rolle der Literatur im DAF Unterricht: Einiger Zur Literatur und den Neuen Medien”, at an international seminar at the University of Rajasthan, Jaipur, 11 December, 2009.
- **Sahni Madhu**, “The Impact of Globalization on the Teaching and Acquisition of Foreign Languages at the JNU, New Delhi” at the conference Foreign Languages in India: Towards a Glocal World, University of Hyderabad, September, 2009.
- **Gupta R.C.**, presented a translation of a story by Heinrich Böll into Hindi at the Seminar cum workshop Translation of German Texts into Indian Languages, School of Germanic Studies, EFL University, Hyderabad, 1-3 March, 2010.
- **Naithani Sadhana**, “The Big Nation and The Humble Narrator”, at the National Folklore Seminar, Kuppam University, 25 – 27 February, 2010.
- **Naithani Sadhana**, “Time, Space and Lutz Roehrich”, at the Congress of the ISFNR in Hellenic Academy, Athens, Greece, 21 – 26 June, 2009.

- **Chirmuley Parnal**, “‘Because You’re Worth It’: The New Woman in post Liberalisation Women’s Magazines in India”, at the 38th Annual Conference on South Asia, organised by the Centre for South Asia, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Wisconsin, USA, 23 – 25 October, 2009.
- **Schwarz Thomas**, “Die Tropen als Transferzone”, at Ost-West: DFG, Meeting of the Postkolonialismus-Netzwerks, Universität Basel, Germany, May, 2009.
- **Schwarz Thomas**, “Imaginary Cartography of Guayana, Robert Müller’s Amazonian Novel Tropics: The Myth of Travel (1915)”, at the Fifth Humboldt Conference on Travels between Europe and the Americas, Freie Universität Berlin.
- **Schwarz Thomas**, “Germanistik in Indien”, at a Seminar on Erinnerungskultur (Cultural Memory), organised by der Lektorenvereinigung Korea, at Chungang University, Korea, November, 2009.
- **Schwarz Thomas**, “Wie verfasst man eine Rezension?”, at a Workshop organised by the Department of Germanic and Romance Languages, University of Delhi, December, 2009.

Centre of Indian Languages

- **Nachimuthu K.**, “Negotiating Tamil Sanskrit Contact: The Engagements by Tamil Grammarians”, at the Workshop on Bilingual Discourse and Cross-cultural Fertilisation: Sanskrit and Tamil in Mediaeval India, organised by the Faculty of Asian Studies, Wolfson College, Cambridge University, Cambridge, 22 – 23 May, 2009.
- **Nachimuthu K.**, “Definition of Verb in Traditional Grammars”, at the 37th All India Seminar of Dravidian Linguists, at Thiruvananthapuram, 18 – 20 June, 2009.
- **Nachimuthu K.**, “The Tamil Adaptations of Madinathu Nuhas in the Arabian Nights”, at the international seminar on The Reception of Arabian Nights in World Literature, organised by CAAS, JNU, 21 – 23 February, 2010.
- **Nachimuthu K.**, “Devotion and Struggle for Social Justice among Oppressed Classes of Kerala: Narayana Guru, Ayyankali and Others”, at the a seminar on Devotion and Dissent in Indian History, organised by the Centre for Historical Studies, School of Social Sciences, JNU, New Delhi, 11 – 13 March, 2010.
- **Nachimuthu K.**, “Sanga Ilakkiya Mozhiyil Tolkappiya Uriyiyal collum Proulum”, at the symposium on Sangam Literature and Tolkappiyam, organised by the Department of Tamil, Periyar University, Salem, 1 February, 2010.
- **Jat Ram Bux**, “Folk cultures and globalization”, at a seminar organised by the Publications Division, Information and Broadcasting Ministry, Government of India, at the World Book Fair, New Delhi, 5 February, 2010.
- **Jat Ram Bux**, “Bharat Ki Bhasha Samasya Aur Mahatma Gandhi”, at a seminar at Motilal Nehru College, New Delhi, 24 February, 2010.
- **Jat Ram Bux**, “Pathyakram Nirman: Naveen Vishay Aur Chunoutiyan”, at a seminar at Vardhaman Kota Khula Vishvavidyalaya, Kota, 27 February, 2010.
- **Jat Ram Bux**, “Adhunik Bharat Mein Premchand Ki Prasangikata”, at a seminar organised by SSE India, New Delhi, 24 March, 2010.
- **Jat Ram Bux**, “Badalte Parivesh Mein Hindi Ki Dasa Aur Disha”, at a seminar at Maharaja Agrasen College, New Dehli, 27 March, 2010.
- **Saha Ranjit Kr.**, Paper at a seminar on Mahamati Prannath, at India International Centre, New Delhi, 2 April, 2009.
- **Saha Ranjit Kr.**, “Mahamati and his Sundar Sath”, at a national seminar on Mahamati Prannath, Bhivani, Haryana, 27 September, 2009.
- **Saha Ranjit Kr.**, “Bazar Se Guzarta Sahitya”, at a national seminar on Samkalin Kavita aur Bazarvad, organised by UGC and Hindi Department, Meera Kanya PG College, Sangaria, Rajasthan, 19 – 20 November, 2009.

- **Saha Ranjit Kr.**, “Alochak Ki Akal-Paripakwata”, at a national seminar on Nand Dulare Vajpeyi, organised by Sahitya Akademi and Bhartiya Bhasha Parishad, Kolkata, 5 – 6 September, 2009.
- **Choubey Devendra Kr.**, presented a paper on 1857 and Hindi Samaj, at a seminar organised by the Indian Diaspora Centre (Mauritius) and Vishwa Bhojpuri Sammelan (International), in collaboration with the Indira Gandhi Centre for Indian Culture and Socio-Cultural Organisations (Mauritius), at the Indira Gandhi Centre for Indian Culture, Mauritius, 29 – 30 August, 2009.
- **Choubey Devendra Kr.**, Presented a paper on the History of Dalit Literature, at a national seminar on History of Dalit Literature, organised by the Department of Hindi, Cochin University of Science and Technology, Kochi, 16 – 17 December, 2009.
- **Segaran N. Chandra**, “The language of Kalapriya’s new poetry”, at the 40th conference of All India University Tamil Teachers Association, Madurai Kamaraj University, 23 – 24 May, 2009.
- **Segaran N. Chandra**, “Inferential Meanings of Tamil Words and Phrases”, at the IJDL Conference, Trivandrum, 18 – 20 June, 2009.
- **Segaran N. Chandra**, “Diglossia in payanam, a short story of Imayam”, at the international conference on Dravidian Linguistics, Annamalai University, 19 – 21 August, 2009.
- **Segaran N. Chandra**, “Virali Arruppatai in Sangam Literature”, at the UGC National Seminar on Sangam Literature, Kandar College of Arts, Namakkal, Tamilnadu, 18 – 19 December, 2009.
- **Segaran N. Chandra**, “AAtruppatai in Puranaanuuru”, at a seminar in Vivekananda College, Chennai, 18-20 January, 2010.
- **Segaran N. Chandra**, “Ouvaiyaar in Puranaanuuru”, at a seminar in Government Arts College, Nanthanam, Chennai, 26 March, 2010.

Centre for Japanese, Korean and North East Asian Studies

- **Jain Sushama**, “Relativisation in Japanese and Hindi”, at an international seminar on Language Education: A Bridge between Language and Culture, organised by CJKNEAS, JNU, Japan Foundation, New Delhi, and the Waseda University, Tokyo, at SLLCS, JNU, New Delhi, 12-13 March, 2010.
- **Khanna Anita**, “Attractions of Classical Japanese Literature”, at the 16th Overseas Symposium on Changing Perceptions of Japan in South Asia in the New Asian Era: The State of Japanese Studies in India and Other SAARC Countries, organised by the International Research Centre for Japanese Studies and CJKNEAS, at JNU, 4 November, 2009.
- **Khanna Anita**, “Konjaku Monogatari, Some Observations on Vol.5 with Focus on ‘India, Before Buddha’”, at the 33th International Conference on Japanese Literature, at the National Institute of Japanese Literature, Tokyo, 28-29 November, 2009.
- **Khanna Anita**, “The Role of Icons in Japanese Language Acquisition”, at an Indo-Japanese seminar on Literature and Paintings (Bungaku to Kaiga), supported by the National Institute of Japanese Literature, Tokyo, CJKNEAS and Japan Foundation New Delhi, at Japan Foundation, New Delhi, 13 February, 2010.
- **Chauhan Manjushree**, “Problems of translating Japanese literary text”, at the international conference on Issues of Japanese Language Education and Role of Teachers’ Associations in Japanese Language Education, organised by the Japanese Language Teachers’ Association of India, supported by and at Japan Foundation, New Delhi, 19 – 20 December, 2009.
- **Chauhan Manjushree**, “The Phad paintings of Rajasthan and the art of story telling”, at the Indo-Japanese literature seminar on Literature and Paintings (Bungaku to Kaiga), supported by the National Institute of Japanese Literature, Tokyo, CJKNEAS and Japan Foundation, New Delhi, at Japan Foundation New Delhi, 13 February, 2010.

- **Chauhan Manjushree**, “Reading between the lines – The cultural context of literary texts “, at the international seminar on Language Education as a Bridge between Language and Culture, organised by JNU, The Japan Foundation New Delhi and the Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan, at JNU, New Delhi, 12 – 13 March, 2010.
- **George P.A.**, “Malayalam Translation of ‘Ichiaku no suna’: Difficulty of Takuboku’s Tanka seen from Cross-cultural Perspective” (‘Ichiaku no suna’ no marayaramugo yaku: ibunka no kanten kara mita takuboku tanka no muzukashisa), at the Hakodate International Takuboku Conference, Hakodate City Central Library, Hokkaido, Japan, 5 – 9 September, 2009.
- **George P.A.**, “Indian Translation of Modern/Contemporary Japanese Literary Works: An Appraisal” (Indo ni okeru nihon kindai bungaku sakuhin no honyaku to kansho), at the 16th Overseas Symposium on Changing Perceptions of Japan in South Asia in the New Asian Era: The State of Japanese Studies in India and Other SAARC Countries, organised by the International Research Centre for Japanese Studies and CJKNEAS, at JNU, 4 November, 2009.
- **George P.A.**, “Nihon Jijo Topics in Advance Level of Japanese Language Teaching and Methodology” (Jokyu nihon jijo kamoku ni okeru bunsho-shido kenkyu), at an international seminar on Language Education: A Bridge between Language and Culture, organised by CJKNEAS, JNU, Japan Foundation, New Delhi, and the Waseda University, Tokyo, at New Delhi, 12 – 13 March, 2010.
- **Raghavan Vyjayanti**, “Northeast Asia and South Asia: Comparative Security Dynamics”, at the Institute of Peace and Conflict Studies Seminar, held at IIC, New Delhi, 1 April, 2009.
- **Raghavan Vyjayanti**, “Strategic Relationship in Northeast and South Asia: The Case of South- North Korea and India – Pakistan”, at the World Congress for Korean Politics and Society, Coex Convention Centre, Seoul, 20-22 August, 2009.
- **Raghavan Vyjayanti**, “Korean Language Teaching and Error Analysis”, at the 4th All India Korean Language Educators’ Workshop on Teaching Methodology of Korean Language Education for Indian Learners, at SLLCS, JNU, 26-27 February, 2010.
- **Ravikesh**, “Teaching Korean Culture through Literature”, at the 4th All India Korean Language Educators’ Workshop on Teaching Methodology of Korean Language Education for Indian Learners, at SLLCS, JNU, 26-27 February, 2010.
- **Ravikesh**, “Teaching Korean Culture to the Indian Learners”, at an international seminar on Language Education: A Bridge between Language and Culture, organised by CJKNEAS, JNU, Japan Foundation, New Delhi, and the Waseda University, Tokyo, at New Delhi, 12 – 13 March, 2010.
- **Ravikesh**, “Translating Jeong Ji Yong’s Poetry: Some Reflections”, at the national conference on East Asian Languages and Translation Techniques, Department of East Asian Studies, University of Delhi, March 29, 2010.
- **Lakshmi M.V.**, “Translating Cultures: Impact of Texts on Perception of Target Culture”, at an international seminar on Language Education: A Bridge between Language and Culture, organised by CJKNEAS, JNU, Japan Foundation, New Delhi, and the Waseda University, Tokyo, at New Delhi, 12-13 March, 2010.
- **Chandra Janashruti** “Indono gakushuushaga machigaeru joshino ‘kara’ ni tsuite”, at the Osaka University Forum 2009 on The 21st Century Approach to Japanese Studies Programmes in Southeast Asia, organised by the Osaka University and Ministry of Education Malaysia IPBA campus, Kuala Lumpur, 3-4 November, 2009
- **Chandra Janashruti**, “Error analysis of particle usage in compositions by Indian students-with focus on ‘kara’”, Japanese Language Teachers Association of India seminar, 18-19 December, 2009.
- **Chandra Janashruti**, “Magic Carpet to Japan – Arabian Nights in Japan”, at the international symposium on Reception of Arabian Nights in World Literature, organised by CAAS, SLLandCS, JNU, 21-23 February, 2010

- **Chandra Janashruti**, “Fear and Anxiety of Public Speaking: A Study of Japanese Language Learners at Intermediate Level in India”, at an international seminar on Language Education: A Bridge between Language and Culture, organised by CJKNEAS, JNU, Japan Foundation, New Delhi, and the Waseda University, Tokyo, at New Delhi, 12 – 13 March, 2010.
- **Chandra Janashruti**, “Tackling English to Japanese Translation in the Classroom”, National Conference on East Asian Languages and Translation Techniques, Department of East Asian Studies, DU, 29 March, 2010
- **Singh Rupa**, “Role of language in learning culture through literature”, at an international seminar on Language Education: A Bridge between Language and Culture, organised by CJKNEAS, JNU, Japan Foundation, New Delhi, and the Waseda University, Tokyo, at New Delhi, 12 – 13 March, 2010.
- **Kumar Kaushal**, “Introduction of Korea: Aspect other than Korean Language”, at the 4th All India Korean Language Educators’ Workshop on Teaching Methodology of Korean Language Education for Indian Learners, at SLLCS, JNU, 26 – 27 February, 2010.

Centre for Linguistics

- **Narang Vaishna**, Saxena Mohit, Kumaran S. Senthil, Singh Sumit, Behari Madhuri, “Effect of Dopaminergic drugs on motor and speech tasks in PD: An fMRI study”, at the ISMRM 17th scientific meeting and exhibition, 18 – 24 April, 2009.
- **Manjali Franson**, “Globalization of English the Indian Context,” at the national seminar on Towards a Glocal World: The Role of Foreign Languages in India, at the Centre for the Study of Foreign languages, University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad, 10 – 11 September, 2009.
- **Manjali Franson**, “Embodiment of Mind and Meaning – Phenomenology and Beyond,” at the national seminar on Theorizing the Body: Problems and Perspectives, organised by the Department of Philosophy, University of Calicut, Calicut, 27 – 29 February, 2010.
- **Manjali Franson**, “Language and Conversation,” at the national seminar on Language as Conversation, organised by the Department of Philosophy, Rabindra Bharati University, Calcutta, 26 March, 2010.
- **Manjali Franson**, “Kafka: Literature, Law and Literature,” at the national seminar on Society and Literature: Interdisciplinary Transactions, organised by the Department of English, North-Eastern Hill University, Shillong, March, 2010.

Centre of Persian and Central Asian Studies

- **Niazmand M.S.**, “Abu-al-Hasan Ali Hejweri’s Contribution to the Field of Education”, at an international seminar on Ali Hejweri, at Kabul, Afganistan March, 2010.
- **Ansari Akhlaque Ahmad**, “Literature and its cultural significance”, at an international seminar titled Conventions India, organised by India Convention Promotion Bureau, Hyderabad, 30 April - 2 May, 2009.
- **Ansari Akhlaque Ahmad**, “Iran mein Bedil-shenasi” (in absentia), at a seminar on Bedil, Khuda Bakhsh Library, Patna, 25 October, 2009.
- **Ansari Akhlaque Ahmad**, “Madan Didi and contemporary Urdu poetry in Punjab”, at a seminar at the Prachin Sanskriti Bhavan, Chandigarh, 20 March, 2010.

Centre of Russian Studies

- **Basu Sankar**, “Problems and Perspectives of Russian Language in India and CIS Countries”, at the international conference on The Role of Russian Language in CIS Countries, organised by the Kyrgyz Russian Slavic University, Bishkek, Kyrgyz Republic, 25 – 27 September, 2009.
- **Basu Sankar**, “The Rule of Religion in the War in Chechnya”, at the international and inter-disciplinary conference on Spirituality, Art and Social Justice, organised by Davis and Elkins College, Elkins, West Virginia, USA, 13 – 14 November, 2009.

- **Basu Sankar**, “Russian Icons” at the Indo-Japanese literature seminar on Literature and Painting, organised jointly by CJKNEAS, SLLandCS, JNU and The Japan Foundation, New Delhi, at Tagore Hall, Japan Foundation, 12 February, 2010.
- **Singh Charanjit**, “Directions of potential collaboration between CRS, JNU and the Kyrgyz Russian Slavic University”, at the international conference on The Role of Russian Language in CIS Countries, organised by the Kyrgyz Russian Slavic University, Bishkek, Kyrgyz Republic, 25 – 27 September, 2009.
- **Singh Charanjit**, “The Status and Issues of Teaching Russian in India Today”, at the international conference on The Russian-Indian Public Dialogue, Cosmos Hotel, Moscow, 18 – 19 November, 2009.
- **Roomi N.S.**, “Mother”, at the conference Russia Today: Russian Language and Culture, at the English and Foreign Language University, Hyderabad, 2009.
- **Roomi N.S.**, “Reception of Arabian Nights in Russia”, at the international seminar on The Reception of Arabian Nights in World Literature, organised by CAAS, JNU, 21-23 February, 2010.
- **Narain Meeta**, “Role of Foreign Languages in the Scenario of Education in 21st Century”, at the national seminar on Scenario of Education in 21st Century, organised by Sri Balaji Academy, Moradabad (UP), 28 – 29 November, 2009.
- **Banerjee Ranjana**, “‘Ñâîé èëè ÷óæîé? An analysis of Andrei Volos’s novel ‘Hurramabad’”, at the international seminar of INDAPRYAL on Window into Russia: Art And Society in the XXI Century, 10-12 December, 2009.
- **Karnati Ajay K.**, “Socio-Structural Changes and their Impact on Russian Language Structure”, at the international conference on Language, Society and Culture in Asian Contexts, organised by the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, Mahasarakam University, Thailand and Centre for Study of Foreign Languages, School of Humanities, University of Hyderabad, India, 6-7 January, 2010. (Also published in Proceedings of the Conference, pp. 317-326).
- **Anand Ashutosh**, “Production and Comprehension of Speech of a Hindi-speaking Patient Suffering from Aphasia”, at the Fifth International Scientific Conference on Language, Culture and Society, organised by the Presidium of the Russian Academy of Sciences and the Moscow Institute of Foreign Languages, Moscow, Russia, 24-27 September, 2009.

Centre of Spanish, Portuguese, Italian and Latin American Studies

- **Dhingra Anil K.**, “Algunas consideraciones teorico practicas en torno a la formacion de interpretes en la India”, at the IV AIETI International Congress on Translating at the Frontier, University of Vigo, Spain, 15-17 October, 2009.
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Faculty Research Projects

School of Arts and Aesthetics

- **Singh Kavita**, Appointed Head of Parntergroup, between School of Arts and Aesthetics and Max Planck Institut – Kunsthistorisches Institut, Florence, to run a five year project titled 'The Temple and the Museum: Cross Cultural Sites of Art.' Euro 100,000
- **Dutt Bishnupriya**, Professional and Semi Professional Women Performers in Indian popular performances. (UGC major project, 2007-2010)
- **Sawant Shukla**, Solo Exhibition "Outside the Fold" at Anant Art Gallery, Lado Sarai, New Delhi, 18 August – 18 September, 2009

School of Biotechnology

- **Bhatnagar R.**, Research grant from the Department of Biotechnology, New Delhi, "Development of Mycobacterial Antigen Delivery System using Anthrax adenylate cyclase." (2006-2010)
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- **Bhatnagar R.**, Research grant from the Department of Biotechnology, New Delhi, "Development of DNA vaccine against anthrax" (2008-2010).
- **Bhatnagar R.**, Research grant from Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), "Characterization of DNA Gyrase from *Bacillus anthracis*: A potential target for new drugs" (2008-2011)
- **Bhatnagar R.**, Research grant from Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), "Cloning expression and molecular characterization of alanine racemase of *Bacillus anthracis*" (2009-2012).
- **Bhatnagar R.**, Research grant from Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), "Genome wide reconstruction and analysis of *Bacillus anthracis* metabolic network and its transcriptional regulation" (2009-2011).
- **Bhatnagar R.**, Research grant from Department of Science and Technology (DST), "Development of a bispecific single chain antibody neutralizing edema toxin and lethal toxin of anthrax" (2008-2011).
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- **Bhat R.**, High Precision microcalorimetry facility for monitoring biomolecular stability and interactions, Department of Biotechnology, Duration: (2006-2010)
- **Bhat R.**, Stability, folding, and aggregation studies of recombinant human α -, β -, and γ -synucleins and the effect of metal ions and organic solutes on aggregation. (Un-sponsored)
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- **Bhat R.**, Understanding the mechanism of folding and aggregation of recombinant human α D- crystallin and bovine carbonic anhydrase II and its prevention by organic solutes. (Un-sponsored)
- **Dixit A.**, Research grant from the Department of Biotechnology, New Delhi on "Development of DNA based vaccine against *Aeromonas* spp. employing conserved outer membrane porin gene (*lamB*)", 2 June, 2008 – 1 June, 2011.
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- **Dixit A.**, Research grant from the Department of Biotechnology, New Delhi on “Development of oral vaccine against *Clostridium perfringens* employing translational fusion of immunodominant epitopes of beta toxin with heat labile enterotoxin B”. 26 February, 2010 –25 February, 2013.
- **Dixit A.**, Differentiation inducing ability of *M. charantia*. (Un-sponsored)
- **Dixit A.**, To understand the regulation of c-jun gene expression in normal and proliferating liver cells. Purification and characterization of transcription factor(s) involved in regulating the expression of c-jun gene in regenerating rat liver and cloning of their genes. (Un-sponsored)
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- **Mukherjee K.J.**, Transcriptomic profiling and structured modeling of recombinant *E.coli* high cell density cultures for the design of improved host strains, Department of Biotechnology (DBT) February, 2008 – January, 2011.
- **Mukherjee K.J.**, Scale up and optimization of a mammalian cell system for the over expression of therapeutic monoclonal antibodies with specific reference to Rituximab, Department of Science and Technology (DST), January, 2010 – January, 2013.
- **Rajala M.S.**, Research grant from the Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), “EGFR mutations in lung carcinoma”.
- **Tiwari S.** “Characterization of ubiquitin-proteasome pathway in protozoan parasite *E. histolytica*”. Department of Science and Technology 2006-2009.
- **Tiwari S.** “Analysis of ubiquitin-proteasome mediated quality control of membrane and secretory proteins in *Entamoeba histolytica*”. Defence Research and Development Organisation 2008-2011.
- **Arya R.**, “Expression and characterization of bifunctional enzyme UDP – N acetylglucosamine 2 – epimerase/N – acetylmannosamine kinase I *Dictyostelium discoideum*”. Department of Science and Technology 2009-2012.

School of Environmental Sciences

- **Behari J.** CSIR project entitled “Millimeter Wave field Effects on Development of Rat Brain- Phase II (w.e.f. 2007- (Aug, 2009) (completed).
- **Behari J.** ICMR Project entitled “Effect of microwaves on reproductive patterns in male rats- Phase II” January 2010 to December 2011.
- **Bhattacharya S.** ‘Post-transcriptional regulation of ribosomal RNA levels in *Entamoeba histolytica*’ funded by the DBT, June 2009 – 2012.
- **Bhattacharya S.** ‘Genomic localization of retrotransposons in *Entamoeba histolytica* and *Entamoeba dispar*’ funded by the Indian Council of Medical Research, April 2007 – 2010.
- **Garkoti S. C.** ‘Vegetation Carbon Pool Assessment’ funded by the Indian Institute of Remote Sensing, Dehradun, for the period of one and half years.
- **Jain V. K.** and Kumar K. ‘An Investigation of Interdependence among NO_x , O_3 and VOC_s in the urban atmosphere of Delhi’. Council of Scientific and Industrial Research, 2008 – 2011.
- **Jain V.K.** and Kumar K. ‘A comparative study of the spectral characteristics of dawn chorus in different soundscapes in the ridge forest in Delhi’ funded by UGC, 2008 – 2011.
- **Jain V.K.**, and Kumar K. ‘A study of the urban heat island formation and its relationship with aerosols in Delhi’ funded by the Department of Environment, the Government of NCT of Delhi, 2008 – 2010.
- **Jain V.K.**, and Kumar K. ‘Spatial and temporal dynamics of urban heat island in Delhi and its implication for the air quality of Delhi’ funded by DST, 2009 – 2012.

- **Kulshrestha U C.**, Indo-Swedish project on 'Monitoring network of aerosol and precipitation chemistry measurements in south Asia' under 'Atmospheric Brown Cloud' project funded by Stockholm University Sweden, 2005 – 2009.
- **Kulshrestha U.C.**, 'Co-PI project Surya' (Pilot phase) in collaboration with Prof. V Ramanathan (PI), USA.
- **Mohan D.** 'Development of novel magnetic carbons for the remediation of micro pollutants from water' funded by UGC, 2009 – 2012.
- **Mukherjee, S.** 'Delineation of thematic layers using IRS-1D LISS III satellite Data for Delhi, Punjab, M.P, Bihar and W.B.', NIC, Department of Information Technology, Government of India (Ongoing).
- **Mukherjee, S.**, 'Influence of Sun and other cosmic factors on environment of the space around Earth'. Asian Office (JAPAN) of Aerospace Research and Development Unit (NASA) USA (Ongoing)
- **Raju N J.** UGC sponsored major research project entitled 'Potential fluorosis problems in parts of Sonbhadra district, Uttar Pradesh: its geochemistry, genesis and health implications', 2008 – 2011.
- **Ramanathan A. L.** 'Targeting safe aquifers for drinking water in Arsenic affected region in Ballia and Ghazipur and Assam' funded by SIDA, Sweden, 2007 – 2010.
- **Ramanathan A.L.** DST Project on 'Monitoring Chotta Shigri Glacier, Himalayas', 2009 – 2012
- **Ramanathan A.L.** 'Impact of subsurface groundwater discharge on the coastal waters of India and Russia –A comparative study'. A combined project of CES, JNU, India and Pacific institute of Oceanology, Vladivostok, Russia funded by Department of Science and Technology, Government of India. (2009 – 2010).
- **Ramanathan A.L.** MoEn and F project on 'Fluoride removal using natural materials' (2008 – 2010).
- **Ramanathan A.L.** UGC project on 'Methane and Nitrous oxide emission from Landfill sites of NCR' (2010 to 2013).
- **Saxena K G.** 'Conservation and sustainable management of belowground diversity' sponsored by the Global Environmental Facility (GEF), United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) and Tropical Soil Biology and Fertility Institute of CIAT (TSBF-CIAT) (ongoing).
- **Saxena K G.** 'Cultural Landscapes: The Basis for Linking Biodiversity Conservation with Sustainable Development of North-Eastern Hill Region' funded by UNESCO, New Delhi/MacArthur Foundation (ongoing).
- **Saxena K G.** 'Global Change and Mountain Ecosystems (GLOCHAMOST)' sponsored by UNESCO, Paris (ongoing).
- **Saxena K G.** 'Promoting sustainable land management in marginal regions of Indian Himalaya and comparable regions of Asia' (Completed).
- **Thakur I.S.** 'In-vivo recruitment of bacteria and its characterization for removal of CO₂ from thermal power plant' funded by DBT, Government of India, 2010-2013.
- **Thakur I.S.** 'Molecular characterization of alkalophilic bacterial consortium for degradation of dioxin-like compounds in the environment' funded by CSIR, Government of India April, 2006 – October, 2009.
- **Thakur I.S.** 'Optimization of process parameters for decolourization and detoxification of medium scale pulp and paper mill effluent' funded by DBT, October 2006 – September, 2010.
- **Thakur I.S.** 'Optimization of biopulping and biobleaching processes for removal of colour and organic compounds from pulp and paper mill effluent' funded by UGC, April 2006 – October, 2009.
- **Tripathi J K.** DBT supported project on 'Integrated Transcriptomics, Proteomics, Metabolomics and Ionomics approach to understand response of rice under salinity stress'. A network of projects (Coordinator: Ashwani Pareek) among School of Life Sciences (PI for Proteomics and Metabolomics: Ashwani Pareek), School of Environmental Sciences (PI for Ionomics: Jayant K. Tripathi), School of Information Technology (PI for Computation: Indira Ghosh) of JNU and ICgeb New Delhi (PI for Transcriptomics: Snehlata Singla Pareek). Awarded in principle, not commenced yet.

School of International Studies

Centre for International Trade and Development

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172	Sh. Bhubaneswar Kalita, M.P.	-	w.e.f. 4.5.2009
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178	Dr. Ramdas M. Pai	-	w.e.f. 24.8.2009
179	Sh. A.V. Gokak	-	w.e.f. 24.8.2009
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181	Professor C. Lal	-	w.e.f. 24.8.2009
182	Professor Prem Vrat	-	w.e.f. 24.8.2009
183	Professor Subhas Chandra Saha	-	w.e.f. 24.8.2009
184	Professor Syeda Akhtar	-	w.e.f. 24.8.2009
185	Dr. S.B. Singh	-	w.e.f. 24.8.2009
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187	Dr. Amit Mitra	-	w.e.f. 24.8.2009
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06	Professor Rupamanjari Ghosh	-	upto 5.12.2009
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09	Professor K.G. Saxena	-	w.e.f. 24.7.2009
10	Professor Indira Ghosh	-	
11	Shri P. Sainath	-	
12	Professor H.S. Shiva Prakash	-	
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11	Professor Parimala, N.	-	upto 23.7.2009
12	Professor Sonajharia Minz	-	w.e.f. 24.7.2009
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17	Professor Aparna Dixit	-	upto 24.4.2009
18	Professor Rajiv Bhat	-	w.e.f. 25.4.2009
19	Professor H.B. Bohidar	-	
20	Professor Ajay Kumar Dubey	-	upto 9.12.2009
21	Professor P.R. Kumaraswamy	-	w.e.f. 10.12.2009
22	Dr. Sachidanand Sinha	-	upto 2.10.2009
23	Professor Shyamal Goswami	-	w.e.f. 3.10.2009
24	Dr. S. Chandrasekaran (Acting Librarian)	-	upto 28.6.2009
25	Professor Chintamani Mahapatra	-	
26	Dr. Sangeeta Bansal	-	
27	Professor Srikanth Kondapalli	-	upto 31.1.2010
28	Professor Lalima Verma	-	w.e.f. 1.2.2010
29	Professor Rajesh Rajagopalan	-	
30	Professor Anuradha Mitra Chenoy	-	
31	Professor S.N. Malakar	-	w.e.f. 10.12.2009
32	Professor P. Sahadevan	-	upto 10.4.2009
33	Professor Ganganath Jha	-	w.e.f. 11.4.2009
34	Professor R.K. Jain	-	upto 27.7.2009
35	Professor Ummu Salma Bava	-	w.e.f. 28.7.2009
36	Professor Bharat H. Desai	-	
37	Professor Kamal Mitra Chenoy	-	w.e.f. 17.2.2010
38	Professor Akhtar Mahdi	-	upto 30.11.2009
39	Professor M.S. Niazmand	-	w.e.f. 1.12.2009
40	Professor Anita Khanna	-	upto 10.7.2009
41	Professor Manjushree Chauhan	-	w.e.f. 11.7.2009
42	Professor Priyadarsi Mukherji	-	

43	Professor S.A. Rahman	-	
44	Professor Rajendra Dingle	-	
45	Professor Charanjit Singh	-	
46	Professor N. Kamala	-	upto 5.12.2009
47	Professor Vijayalakshmi Rao	-	w.e.f. 6.12.2009
48	Professor S.K. Sareen	-	upto 31.7.2009
49	Professor G.J.V. Prasad	-	w.e.f. 1.8.2009
50	Professor Anvita Abbi	-	upto 15.2.2010
51	Professor F.D. Manjali	-	w.e.f. 16.2.2010
52	Professor Chaman Lal	-	
53	Professor C.P. Chandrasekhar	-	
54	Professor V. Rodrigues	-	upto 6.1.2010
55	Professor Gopal Narayan Guru	-	w.e.f. 7.1.2010
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57	Professor Mohan Rao	-	upto 21.1.2010
58	Professor Rama V. Baru	-	w.e.f. 22.1.2010
59	Professor Geetha B. Nambissan	-	upto 12.5.2009
60	Professor Dhruv Raina	-	w.e.f. 13.5.2009
61	Professor Neeladri Bhattacharya	-	upto 15.8.2009
62	Professor Kunal Chakraborti	-	w.e.f. 16.8.2009
63	Professor Tiplut Nongbri	-	upto 28.9.2009
64	Professor Susan Viswanathan	-	w.e.f. 29.9.2009
65	Professor R.K. Sharma	-	upto 31.7.2009
66	Professor R.S. Srivastava	-	w.e.f. 1.8.2009
67	Professor Bhagat Oinam	-	
68	Dr. R.K. Tyagi	-	
69	Professor G. Mukhopadhyay	-	
70	Professor Amita Singh	-	w.e.f. 1.9.2009
71	Professor Niraja Gopal Jayal	-	upto 31.8.2009
72	Professor Shashi Kant Jha	-	
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74	Professor Alokesh Barua	-	
75	Dr. Tahir Asghar	-	upto 23.10.2009
76	Dr. Gurbachan Singh	-	24.10.2009 to 13.1.2010
77	Dr. Alka Acharya	-	w.e.f. 14.1.2010
78	Dr. K.P. Vijaylakshmi	-	upto 7.1.2010
79	Dr. Aswani K. Mohapatra	-	w.e.f. 11.1.2010
80	Prof. Savita Pande	-	upto 14.4.2009
81	Dr. Gulshan Sachdeva	-	w.e.f. 15.4.2009
82	Dr. S.K. Bhardwaj	-	upto 31.1.2010
83	Dr. Archana Negi	-	w.e.f. 1.2.2010
84	Dr. Ambrish Dhaka	-	
85	Dr. Siddarth Mallavarapu	-	
86	Professor S.K. Jain	-	upto 10.3.2010

87	Professor Harjit Singh	-	w.e.f. 10.3.2010
88	Professor Amitabh Kundu	-	
89	Professor Atiya Habeeb Kidwai	-	
90	Dr. P.K. Jha	-	
91	Dr. Atul Sood	-	
92	Dr. Radhika Singha	-	upto 6.1.2010
93	Dr. Renuka Singh	-	w.e.f. 11.1.2010
94	Dr. A.K. Sharma	-	upto 11.3.2010
95	Dr. T.G. Suresh	-	w.e.f. 12.3.2010
96	Ms. Jyoti Atwal	-	
97	Dr. Heeraman Tiwari	-	
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100	Professor Rekha V. Rajan	-	
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102	Dr. Hemant Kumar Adlakha	-	
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104	Dr. S. Shobha	-	
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106	Dr. Rizwanur Rahman	-	
107	Dr. Y.S. Alone	-	upto 19.2.2010
108	Dr. Ranjani Majumdar	-	w.e.f. 20.2.2010
109	Professor Parul Dave Mukherji	-	w.e.f. 1.9.2009
110	Professor R.N.K. Bamezai	-	upto 21.1.2010
111	Professor B.N. Mallick	-	w.e.f. 23.1.2010
112	Dr. Ashish Kumar Nandi	-	upto 30.9.2009
113	Dr. Supriya Chakraborty	-	w.e.f. 1.10.2009
114	Dr. S. Gourinath	-	upto 17.2.2010
115	Dr. Neelima Mondal	-	w.e.f. 20.2.2010
116	Professor Arun K. Attri	-	
117	Dr. Kasturi Mukhopadhyay	-	
118	Dr. J.K. Tripathi	-	
119	Dr. D.P. Vidyarthi	-	
120	Professor S. Balasundaram	-	
121	Dr. Brijesh Kumar	-	upto 23.4.2009
122	Dr. Tanuja Mohanty	-	w.e.f. 24.4.2009
123	Professor Sanjay Puri	-	upto 5.12.2009
124	Professor S.S.N. Murthy	-	w.e.f. 6.12.2009
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131	Dr. Kondaswamy Subramanian	-	w.e.f. 11.3.2010
132	Professor Maheswar Roy	-	upto 30.7.2009 & again w.e.f. 6.10.2009
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134	Brig. Sunil Chandra	-	w.e.f. 6.11.2009
135	Professor K. Narayanan Nair	-	upto 1.8.2009 & again w.e.f. 11.9.2009
136	Dr. Swapan K. Ghosh	-	upto 2.3.2010
137	Shri U.P. Raibole	-	upto 31.7.2009
138	Shri D.L. Siddalingaiah	-	16.10.2009 to 29.1.2010
139	Captain Assem Anand	-	3.9.2009 to 15.10.2009
140	Brig. R. Subramaniam	-	
141	Dr. Lalit C. Garg	-	
142	Brig. Ramesh Prakash Attri	-	
143	Dr. N. Madhusudhana Rao	-	upto 16.7.2009 & again w.e.f. 3.9.2009
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151	Professor Pankaj Sharan	-	upto 12.3.2010
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154	Professor Subrata Lahiri	-	
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156	Professor Malini Bhattacharya	-	upto 7.10.2009
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159	Professor T.P. Singh	-	upto 26.3.2010
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5	P. Sahadevan			5.	Mahesh Ranjan Debata
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