

Conferences held in the department of Sociology

Sr. No	Date	Name Of Speaker (S)	Торіс
1.	15.12.2022 To 16.12.2022	Day -1 Ajay Skaria, Bodhisattva Kar, Dilip Simeon, Gautam Bhadra, Gayatri Chakravorty Spivak, Gyan Prakash, Ishita Banerjee – Dube, Nishant Choksi, Day-2 Partha Chatterjee, Prathama Banerjee , Projit Bihari Mukharji, Raghabendra Chattopadhyay, Rohan deb Roy, Saurabh Dube, Shahid Amin	100 Years of Ranajit Guha. Revisiting his life & works
2.	24.112017 to 25.11.2017	Catharine Mackinnon Speakers: Soni Sori, Shandra Woworuntu (USA), Fatima Khatoon, Mumtaj Begum, John Dayal, Asha Hans, Kumar Rana	Child labour, Sex-trafficking and The Last Girl
3.	20.02.2017 to 21.02.2017	Day-1 Stephanie Lotter (SOAS, London), Michael Hutt (SOAS, London), Sylvie Dominique (Delhi University), Shabnum Tejani (SOAS, London), Jigna Desai (CEPT University, Ahmedabad), Kaustubh Mani Sengupta (Bankura University, West Bengal). Day-2 Manjiri Thakoor (National Gallery of Modern Art, Mumbai), Lopamudra Sengupta (Bangabasi College, Kolkata), Nirmalya Guha (Manipal University, Karnataka), Amit Kisku (Vidyasagar University, West Bengal), Sraman Mukherjee (Nalanda University, Bihar), Reju Matthew (MIT, Academy of Engineering, Pune), Divya Sethi (Delhi University), Navtej Purewal (SOAS, London).	Heritage and History in South Asia



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4.	28.03.2016	Day-1	
	to 29.03.2016	Dr. Suhrita Saha, Dr. Brinda Bose, Anindya Hajra, Sayan Bhattacharya, Dr. Payoshni Mitra, Akhil Kang, Day- 2 Dr. Suhrita Saha, Banhishikha Ghosh, Dr. Santosh Kumar Giri, Swapnamoy Chakraborti, Dr. Santosh Kumar Giri, Naveen Kishore, Chapal Bhaduri, Dr. Brinda Bose, Dr. Nabamita Das,	
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J.	22 nd and 23 rd December 2014	Day -1 Dr. Suhrita Saha, Prof. Prasanta Ray (Presidency University), Prof. T.K Oommen (Jawaharlal Nehru University), Prof. Abhijit Mitra (Burdwan University), Prof. S.S. Jodhka (Jawaharlal Nehru University). Prof. Satish Deshpande (University of Delhi), Prof. Saurabh Dube, Dr. Divya Vaid (Jawaharlal Nehru University), Dr. Rukmini Sen (Ambedkar University), Day -2 Deepak Mehta, Prof. Sanjay Srivastava (JNU),	"Sociological Perspectives: Old And New."
		Dr. Rajarshi Dasgupta (Jawaharlal Nehru University), Dr. Amites Mukhopadhyay (Jadavpur University), Dr. Rajarshi Dasgupta, Dr. Manas Ray (Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Kolkata), Prof .V. Sujatha (Jawaharlal Nehru University), Dr. Upal Chakrabarti (Presidency University).	



Lecture Series held in the Department of Sociology

Sr. No	Date	Name Of Speaker (S)	Topic
	21.08.2023	Professor Sarah Pinto	Public Lecture
1.			Organic Psyche as Anticolonial Medicine? Notes From 20 th Century Indian psychiatry
2.	18.08.2023	Professor Sarah Pinto	Imagining. Creating
3.	11.08.2023	Professor Sarah Pinto	Healing the mind. Feeling the body
4.	04.08.2023	Professor Sarah Pinto	Afflictions of the Body- Mind
5	28.7.2023	Professor Sarah Pinto	Knowing Mind and Body.
6.	07.01.2019, 09.01.2019 & 11.01.2019	Eric Reinhart PhD candidate in the Department of Anthropology at Harvard University	The Ethnographic Subject, Language, and Aesthetic Force
7.	5 th Feb,6 th Feb & 8 th Feb,2018	Sasheej Hegde University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad	Out of Joint : Interventions in the Form of Inquire
8.	2 nd , 3 rd , 5 th & 6 th November, 2015	Prathama Banerjee Centre for Study of Developing Societies, Delhi	Theory Matters
9.	July 18,july 21,july 22,july 23' 2014	Sudipta Kaviraj Columbia University	"Post-colonial thinking & critique of modern social science".
10.	9 th December, 11 th dec, 17 th dec, 19 th dec.2013	Bodhisattva Kar <u>University of Cape Town, Department of Historical Studies</u>	"An Introduction To Texts, Contexts And Concepts."



Book Discussions held in the Department of Sociology

Sr. No	Date	Name Of Speaker (S)	Topic
1.	08.01.2024	Dr.Georgiann Davis Associate Professor, University of New Mexico, USA	Bending the Sex Binary: The Lived Experiences of Intersex People in the USA
2.	06.10.2023	Dr. Rosie Llewellyn-Jones,	Empire Building: the Construction of British India 1690-1860'.
3.	03.10.2023	1.Tapati Guha-Thakurta (formerly Professor and Director, Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta), 2. Rajarshi Dasgupta (Jawaharlal Nehru University) 3.Trina Nileena Banerjee (Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta).	How Secular is Art? On the Politics of Art, History and Religion in South Asia (Cambridge University Press, 2023).
4.	24.07.2023	Rajarshi Ghose (CSSSC) Upal Chakrabarti (Presidency University).	Scripts of Power: Writing language practices, and cultural history in western india
5.	03.07.2023	Swati Bhattacharjee Simantini, Mukhopadhyay, Anita Agnihotri.	মেয়াদের ভোট
6.	06.03.2023	Swati Bhattacharjee Journalist	The Violant Domestic: Law ,Its Practice ,and Strategies of Survival Authors: Madhurima Mukhopadhayay, Nandini Ghosh ,Ruchira Goswami,Supurna Banerjee
7.	22.06.2022	Pika Ghosh Haverford College	Hidden Histories ,Mobile Memories:The Participation of Kantha in the creation of Bengali identity
8.	25.04.2022	Trina Nileena Banerjee Cultural Studies at the Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta	Performing Silence :Women in the Group Theatre Movement in Bengal
9.	13.01.2022	Rochona Majumdar University of Chicago	Art Cinema & its Forgotten Futures : Film & History in the Postcolony



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10.	06.09.2021	Malini Sur Western Sydney University	Jungle Passports : Fences, Mobility & Citizenship at the Northeast India – Bangladesh Border
11.	16.08.2021	Dipesh Chakrabarty University of Chicago Centre in Delhi	The Climate of History in a Planetary Age
12.	02.08.2021	Manan Ahmed Asif Associate Professor ,Dept .of History ,Columbia University	The Loss of Hindustan : The Invention of India
13.	14.04.2021	Dwaipayan Banerjee Massachusetts Institute of Technology	Enduring Cancer : Life, Feath,& Diagnosis in Delhi
14.	18.03.2021	Sugata Ray University of California	Climate Change & the Art of Devotion Geoaesthetics in the Land of Krishna ,1550-1850
15.	25.02.2021	Arkotong Longkumer University of Edinburgh	The Greater India Experiment Hindutva & the Northeast
16.	20.02.2021	Radhika Singha JNU university	The Coolie's Great War Indian Labour in a Global Conflict,1914-1921
17.	11.02.2021	Mubbashir A. Rizvi American University	The Ethics of Staying Social Movements & Land Rights Politics in Pakistan
18.	30.01.2021	Prathama Banerjee Centre for Study of Developing Societies, Delhi	Elementary Aspects of the Political Histories from the Global South
19.	14.12.2020	Prabhu Mohapatra University of Delhi	A Brief History of Commercial Capitalism



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1.	22.04.2024	Gaurav C. Garg Ashoka University	Agents of Urban Inertia: A Business History of Twentieth-Century Calcutta and its Decline
2.	01.04.2024	Professor Anindita Chakrabarti at Dept of Sociology	Many Lives Of Gold In India: Commodity, Communities, And Economic Circuits
3.	08.01.2024	Dr.Georgiann Davis Associate Professor, University of New Mexico, USA	Bending the Sex Binary: The Lived Experiences of Intersex People in the USA
4.	22.12.2023	Dr. Debanuj DasGupta, Assistant Professor Feminist Studies University of California, Santa Barbara	Trans.Religiosities & the paradoxes of recognition in contemporary India
5.	24.07.2023	Dr. Lakshmi Bandlamudi City University of New York	Dharmic Subtleties and Validity and Political Contingencies in The Mahabharata : Confluence of Multiple Temporalities
6.	16.01.2023	Frank Korom Boston University	The Dynamics of Contemporary Hagiographies Concerning Guru Bawa
7.	29.09.2022	Choreography & Performance by Shruti Ghosh	Khol Do Based on a story but Saadat Hasan Manto
8.	29.08.2022	Toorjo Ghose University of Pennsylvania	Infectious Social Movements : Sex Work in the time of Pandemics
9.	17.05.2022	Partha Pratim Shil University of Cambridge	How does constable cognise? Police Workers,Orality and the Colonial State in Bengal ,c .1850-1947
10.	04.12.2019	Reeju Ray O.P. Jindal Global University	Frontier Governance and Customary Authority: The Khashi & Jaintiah Hills
11.	06.11.2019	Nicholas Jaoul French Anthropologist	Sangharsh: Times of Strife
12.	22.10.2019	Joel Bordeaux Stony Brook University	Gopal Holeo Shotti: Historical Reflections Through the Lens of Gopal Bhar
13.	09.08.2019	Katucha Bento University of Leeds	'Hashtags and Social Impact' (the global impact and social change through #metoo campaign, with examples from US, Brazil, India and Japan)
14.	31.07.2019	Karthick Ram Manoharan Centre for Studies in Social Sciences ,Calcutta (CSSSC)	Limits of Blackness: Fanon, Negritude and Multiculturalism.
15.	24.07.2019	Abhishek Ghosh PhD, Chicago.	Contending Universalisms in Colonial India.



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16.	01.07.2019	Rajorshi Das Centre for Women's Studies ,Jawaharlal Nehru University	Many Prides : ruptures and impossibilities
17.	08.04.2019	Anindya Mukherjee Explorer & Writer	An Illustrated Talk on a Backpacking Journey following the Azad Hind Fauj Trail
18.	18.03.2019	Akash Bhattacharya [Junior Research Associate Max Weber Stiftung,]	Indigenous Elementary Schools and Colonial Educational Reforms
19.	25.02.2019	Debaditya Bhatatcharya Kazi Nazrul University	Rethinking The University (Part 1)
20.	12.02.2019	Edward Simpson Department of Anthopology and Sociology ,SOAS Director ,SOAS South Asia Institute	State Highway 31: A road trip through the heart of modern India
21.	06.02.2019	Mr. Atul Khanna Director and Founder ,Tooltech Global Engineering Pvt.Ltd	Igniting Bright Minds: Entrepreneurship in India
22.	16.01.2019	Sourav Sarkar	Documentary film Exhibition "Anoochcharito" & "Nibhritochari"
23.	07.08.2018	Mina Mitreva, Harvard University	Freedom and community in anarchist thought: the political philosophy of Gustav Landauer.
24.	21.03.2018	James Laidlaw University of Edinburgh	The New Anthropology of ethics
25.	29.01.2018	Anjan Chakrabarti (University of Calcutta), Samita Sen (Jadavpur University), Upal Chakrabarti (Presidency University).	'Capital after 150 years': A Roundtable Discussion
26.	25.01.2018	Henrike Donner Urban anthropologist	"The girls are alright? Neoliberal ideology, class and gender in urban India".
27.	16.10.2017	Various Speakers. Panel List-Pawan Dhall, Keith Basu, Raina Roy	Rainbow Journey: Past, Present & Future of Indian Queer Movement.
28.	09.08.2017	Nayanika Mookherjee Durham University	The Spectral Wound .Sexual Violence, Public Memories and the Bangladesh war of 1971
29.	28.07.2017	Utathya Chattapadhyay	The Making of an Imperial Intoxicant: Labour Histories of Bengal Ganja in the Nineteenth Century.
30.	26.07.2017	Arka Chattapadhyay IIT Gandhinagar, India	Collective Logic in Lacan.
31.	09.02.2017	Nobert Peabody Editor of the Cambridge University Press journal Modern Asian Studies	On the Indian origins of Nationalism



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32.	23.09.2016	Rajarshi Dasgupta	Student's politics and the class Question.
33.	12.08.2016	Matthew Shutzer Bard College Aniket De historian of modern South Asia and the British Empire	India Pakistan and the political Economy of Energy after Partition. The Many Lives of Folk culture in colonial Bengal.
34.	22.01.2016	Rachel Moran Author	Apne Aap
35.	24.07.2015	Srirupa Prasad. University of Missouri-Columbia	"Alimentary anxities; affect in food & hunger."
36.	15.07.2015	Sarah Pinto. Tufts University	"Hystria past &present: the translocal history of a medical idea".
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38.	29.06.2015	Projit Bihari Mukherjee. University of Pennsylvania	"Why study history (of science)."
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40.	02.02.2015	Besty Hartman Emerita at Hampshire College	"The current landscape of population politics".
41.	29.06.2015	Projit Bihari Mukherjee. University of Pennsylvania	"Why study history (of science)."
42.	19.12.2014	Simon Schaffer University of Cambridge	Approaches of the study of the sciences ' past
43.	21.03.2014	Bandana Purkayastha University of Connecticut	"Intersectonally in the era of transnationalism".
44.	19.03.2014	A.S.M Atiqur Rahaman University of Dhaka	"The situation of elderly in Bangladesh"
45.	12.02.2014	Delwar Hussain Bangladeshi Islamic scholar	'The sexual lives of border landers; Hijras on the Bangladesh –India border.'
46.	17.01.2014	Anandaroop Sen University of Cape Town	"Locating 'North –East ' The when & where of it "
47.	15.01.2014	Souymabrata Choudhury Jawaharlal Nehru University	"The emancipatory paradox of ambedkar's thought"
48.	13.12.2013	Ranjan Bandopadhyay Bengali writer.	"Rabindranath er dampotya jibon and prem".
49.	04.11.2013	Jon Wilson Fellow of the Royal Historical Society	"The Banality Of Empire: The Chaos Of Conquest & Search For Colonial Order".
50.	29.08.2013	Sugata Bose Harvard University	"Presidency university ;future of its present"
51.	05.05.2013	Rukmini Sen Ambedkar University, Delhi	"Gender & Law; Reflections On Responses To The Rape In Delhi."



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52.	3.05.2013	Suvojit Bagchi	"Revolution in red
		Correspondent & Analyst	Corridor".
53.	19.04.2013	Gennot Saalmans	"Bourdieu in India".
54.	8.3.2013	Lina Fruzzetti	"Akos ostor and lina fruzzetti".
		(Brown University)	
		Akos ostor	
		(Wesleyan University)	
55.	5.04.2013	Urmila Mohan	"Making and going fieldwork".
		University College London	
56.	04.01.2013	Debjani Chakrabarti	"Gender issues across the globe"
		Bluefield State University	
57.	5.12.2012	Dipankar Gupta	"The country –town nexus: India's growth story &
		Centre for the Study of Social Systems,	its political implications".
		Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi.	



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1.	27.06.2023	1. Debarati Bagchi Senior Research, Associate and Deputy Head, Max Weber Stiftung, India branch Office. 2. Priyank Pravin Patel Assistant Professor, Department of Geography. Presidency University. 3. Debanjana Nayek. Assistant Professor, Department of English, Presidency University. 3. Hia Sen Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology. Presidency University.	Panel 1 History of Rivers
1-1.		1.AnweSha Sengupta Assistant Professor Institute of Development Studies, Kolkata 2. Prithviraj Guha (Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Presidency University) 3. Madhura Damle. (Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science. Presidency University) 4.Bijleeraj Patra (PhD scholar, Department of Bengali, Jadavpur University)	Panel 2 History Of Commodity
2.	24.03.2015	Arts forward.	"Workshop"



Web Minor held in the Department of Sociology

Sr. No	Date	Name Of Speaker (S)	Topic
1.	23.02.2024	Prof Azra Abidi	Infertility as a Catalyst of Social Exclusion
		Head of Department	Meeting link- https://meet.google.com.usq-zfoc-
		Department of Sociology	ppo
		Jamia Millia Islamia New Delhi	
2.	20.12.2023	Kunal Ambasta	The Queer Movement in India and Substantive
			Equality
		Assistant Professor of Law at National	
		Law School of India University, Bengaluru	
			Online Link: meet.google.com.pnz-pxak-chx



Campus Recruitment Lead Workshop held in the Department of Sociology

Sr. No	Date	Name Of Speaker (S)	Topic
1.	29.08.2023	Riiei Maia & Althea Khongwir, Recruitment	"What is Educational Inequity in India and why
		Manager, Teach For India	join our movement."