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ANTHROPOLOGY AND HEALTH: RESPONSES TO COVID-19

March 10-11, 2022

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10th March, 2022
Inauguration | 10:00 am - 11:00 am
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**Welcome Address
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About the Department**

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About the Seminar

Dr. J.S. Sehrawat
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Guest of Honour

Dr. V. Bhalla
Formerly Professor
Department of Anthropology
Panjab University, Chandigarh

Address by Chief Guest

Dr. Vipin K. Koushal
Medical Superintendent
PGIMER, Chandigarh

Vote of Thanks

Professor Abhik Ghosh
Coordinator UGC CAS-II
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Invited Talk

Date: 10th March, 2022 | Time: 11:30 am - 1:30 pm

Link: <https://meet.google.com/nrx-mguj-fvw>

Chair:

Prof. V. Bhalla

Co-Chair:

Prof. A.K. Sinha

Moderator:

Shalvi

Anthropology and COVID-19 Pandemic

Professor P.C. Joshi

Former Vice-Chancellor, University of Delhi, Delhi
(Formerly Senior Professor of Social Anthropology)

Outbreak Readiness: What we have learnt from Past and Present Pandemics

Dr. Bal Nagorao Rakshase

Associate Professor, School of Health Systems Studies, TISS, Mumbai

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Date: 10th March, 2022 | Time: 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm

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Chair:	Prof. V.S. Sahay
Co-Chair:	Prof. Abhik Ghosh
Moderator:	Jagriti Mehta

Entangled Narratives of COVID-19 Pandemic

Dr. (Mrs.) Shalina Mehta

Formerly Senior Professor of Social Anthropology,
Department of Anthropology, Panjab University, Chandigarh

Unfolding the idea of being well: an exploration during COVID Times

Professor Geetika Ranjan

Department of Anthropology, North Eastern Hill University, Shillong

Parallel Presentation Session I

Health Care and COVID-19

Date: 10th March, 2022 | Time: 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm

Link: <https://meet.google.com/wsh-ktht-nwk>

Chair: Prof. A.K. Sinha
Co-Chair: Dr. Maninder Kaur
Moderator: Shubham Thakur

- **Jay Kumar Ramteke**

Alien ailment: understanding Baiga's perception on covid-19 and vaccine hesitancy

- **Sushil Bhatt**

Impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic on Retinopathy of Prematurity Practice: An Indian Perspective

- **Kawaljit Kaur**

Impact of COVID-19 on adolescent mental health

- **Akshit Katoch**

Perceived Stress And Quality Of Life among working women during COVID-19

- **Sourabh Dwivedi**

Impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on rural communities: A study in the Umuri village of Koraput district, Odisha

- **Dr. Prabudha S. Kamble**

A study of life in the time of COVID-19 in rural and urban settings of Karnataka state, India

Parallel Presentation Session II

Anthropology and Health

Date: 10th March, 2022 | Time: 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm

Link: <https://meet.google.com/rtw-odye-nkf>

Chair: Prof. A.K. Sahani
Co-Chair: Dr. J.S. Sehrawat
Moderator: Jatinder Kaur

- **Divesh Dik**

Association of the anthropometric parameters with the vitamin D level among the adult females of Chandigarh, India

- **Mankamal kaur**

Assessment of menopausal experiences in postmenopausal rural women with respect to their cognitive status

- **Robin Choudhary**

Tribal health in India: A Need for a community-based health care structure

- **Shalvi**

Impact of development on water resources and subsequently on health of people

- **Irfan Ali Banka**

Stigmatization and Skin Disease among the residents near the bank of River Ferozpora, District Baramulla, J&K

- **Shivanshi Nehria**

Traditional use of wild medicinal plants by the Gaddi tribe of Kangra districts, Himachal Pradesh

- **Dinesha KD**

Socio-cultural Anthropology

11th March, 2022

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Link: <https://meet.google.com/mhp-rhso-szx>

Invited Talk

Time: 10:00 am - 12:00 noon

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Chair:

Prof. Suraksha Aggarwal

Moderator:

Aeti Arora

The host susceptibility for SARS-CoV-2 in India

Dr. Gyaneshwer Chaubey

Department of Zoology, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi

Dr. Niraj Rai

Scientist, Birbal Sahni Institute of Palaeosciences, Lucknow

Parallel Presentation Session I
Impact of COVID-19 on Human Health

Date: 11th March, 2022 | Time: 12:00 noon - 1:30 pm

Link: <https://meet.google.com/pyz-hajz-kzs>

Chair:

Prof. Narendra Singh

Co-Chair:

Prof. Kewal Krishan

Moderator:

Ankita

- **Dr. Ramesh Sahani**

Mild Covid -19 Experience as a patient

- **Arpna Rattu**

Impact of COVID – 19 on Mental Health of Institutionalised Children –
A Social Work Perspective

- **Kiran Jyoti Kaur**

Impact of COVID-19 on International student mobility from India

- **Muzamil Rashid**

Impact of Covid-19 on Tribal Health: A case study of Gujjar and
Bakerwal tribe in Srinagar Jammu and Kashmir

- **Dr. Nibedita Nath**

A study on knowledge, attitude and perception of people on COVID -19

- **Mehak Preet Kaur Nagi**

Effects of COVID-19 on women suffering from Polycystic Ovary
Syndrome

Parallel Presentation Session II

Anthropology of Well-being

Date: 11th March, 2022 | Time: 12:00 noon - 1:30 pm

Link: <https://meet.google.com/otk-cxyo-frf>

Chair:

Prof. Rajesh Gautam

Co-Chair:

Dr. Ramesh Sahani

Moderator:

Mankamal Kaur

- **Jagriti Mehta**

Health implications of Anthrogenic climate change

- **Dr. Ramandeep Bawa**

Home health care workers- Challenges faced by Nurses and General duty Assistants at workplace- the major workforce of the health care system

- **Tanya Vats**

Anthropology and Disability: A convergence

- **Shubham Thakur**

Anthropology of well-being: The problems related to internet overuse among children and adolescents

- **Raminder Kaur**

Clinical presentation and Variability among Phenotypes of women with Polycystic Ovary Syndrome

- **Jatinder Kaur**

Age changes in bone mineral density at various skeletal sites among postmenopausal women of North India

- **Aeti Arora**

Design Anthropology: An exploratory study

Invited Talk

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Chair:

Prof. R. Siva Prasad

Co-Chair:

Dr. Gayathiri Pathmanathan

Moderator:

Mehak Preet Kaur Nagi

**Pattern of Nutrition, Physical activity and
Neuroanthropological dynamics during COVID-19
lockdown**

Professor A.K. Kapoor

Department of Anthropology, University of Delhi, Delhi

**Anthropology and health: responses to COVID-19 with
reference to tribes of Chhattisgarh**

Professor Mitashree Mitra

Former Chairperson, School of Studies in Anthropology, PRSU, Raipur

**Anthropometry based nutritional status of adult
tribal populations in India: past, present and future**

Professor Kaushik Bose

Department of Anthropology, Vidyasagar University, West Bengal

Valedictory Function

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Overview of the Seminar

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Department of Anthropology
Kannur University, Kerala

Address by Chief Guest

Professor Deepak K. Behera
Vice-Chancellor
KISS University, Odisha

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