UGC SPONSORED NATIONAL LEVEL SEMINAR ON

RELEVANCE OF VEDANTA IN PRESENT SCENARIO

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Asansol Girls' College, Dr. Anjali Roy Sarani, Asansol, WB

In collaboration with

Triveni Devi Bhalotia College, Raniganj, Asansol, WB



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INVITATION

Dear Sir / Madam,

It is our great pleasure to inform you that a U.G.C. sponsored two-day National Seminar on "RELEVANCE OF VEDANTA IN PRESENT SCENARIO" would be organized by the Department of Sanskrit of our college on 13th & 14th January 2017 in collaboration with Triveni Devi Bhalotia College, Raniganj, Asansol, WB.

I cordially invite all of you as Dignitary / Resource Person / Participant / Paper Presenter to the aforesaid Seminar.

Thanking you.

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Convenor

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Asansol Girls' College At a Glance

Asansol Girls' College was established in 1950 in Asansol to spread the light of higher education for women in this Industrial Belt (Shilpanchal). The college is accredited with 'A' grade (Second Cycle) by NAAC. It always strives to utilize the optimum level of human resource.

Theme of the Seminar

"Relevance of Vedanta in present scenario"

Vedanta as a subject of traditional approach is an excellent intellectual enterprise providing a strong rational substructure of a variety of spiritualistic metaphysics from ancient times. As a theoretical system it is representative of a set of values promoting to the belief in spirituality. Today in the era of alarming erosion of the social and moral values the Vedanta values are allied ideas required to be reviewed explaining their practical bearing upon the social life and thus strike on the possibility of the resurgence of social values. Vedanta in the

contemporary thought, particularly of Rabindra Nath Tagore and Swami Vivekananda full of interpretation of the Upanishads and other Vedanta texts. This seminar is motivated to highlight them along with traditional roots of ancient India. It intends to bring together the recent works on this subject in the light of present value crisis in Indian societies. Vedanta is a traditional literature which helps us to improve our thoughts in modern time as well. Vedanta should be discovered and relocated in the social texture with view to exhibit the divinity in man. Thus the relevance of Vedanta in present scenario is needed to be discussed.

The sub themes for paper presentation

- 1. Relevance of The Upanisada
- 2. Relevance of The Bhagwat Gita
- 3. Brahma Sutra in present scenario
- 4. Vivakananda's notion of Vedanta
- 5. Rabindranath and Vedanta
- 6. Philosophical approach of Vedanta
- 7. Social impact of Vedanta
- 8. Values taught in Vedanta and modern society
- 9. Vedanta and its reflection in different literatures

PRESENTATION OF PAPER

Papers with 2500 words are invited from eminent Academicans, Teachers, Scholars and Students for presentation in the Seminar. An Abstract within 500 words should be submitted on or before 5th January, 2017 positively through email to mail.agcorgin@gmail.com / yinayakmishra81@gmail.com . The full paper should reach on or before 8th January, 2017 in form of a soft copy as well as in hard copy addressed to the Teacher-In-Charge / Convenor whose address for communication are given in the next page. The paper should be computer printed typed in MS Word in A4 size paper in English or Sanskrit or Bengali or Hindi accompanied by author's name, institution, email ID and contact No. Selected papers would be published in a book with ISBN.

LAST DATE OF SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACT – 5th January, 2017 LAST DATE OF SUBMISSION OF FULL PAPER – 8th January, 2017

REGISTRATION

Registration will start on 13th January, 2017 at 9.00 A.M. For Teachers: Rs. 500/-, Scholars: Rs. 300/-, Students: Rs. 200/-

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ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation will be arranged on prior intimation within 10th January, 2017 and on payment basis.

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