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Faculty of Arts & Social Sciences

Two Day Online National Conference

on

Migrant Labour: A Political - Economic – Social - Cultural Perspective

26th – 27th June, 2020

Invitation

The Aloysian Fraternity cordially invites and welcomes you to the Two Day Online National Conference on “**Migrant Labour: A Political- Economic – Social - Cultural Perspective**” on 26th & 27th June, 2020.

About the College

St. Aloysius' College (Autonomous) established in the year 1951 by the Catholic Diocese of Jabalpur stands as an epitome of success, with its qualitative teaching and holistic development. Being one of the premier educational institutes in Madhya Pradesh, it has been Reaccredited 'A+' Grade by NAAC with CGPA of 3.68/4.00. It has carved a niche for itself by being the only college in the state, to have been awarded the highest CGPA in all three cycles of NAAC accreditation. Situated in sylvan surroundings, the college with its art of the state infrastructure and rich academic ambience provides excellence in education and character building proving its motto “Virtus in Arduo”.

About the Conference

The migrant conundrum is a culmination of prolonged structural denial of basic economic rights by neoliberal state machinery in concurrent with the social and moral apathy towards the marginalized sections who constitute majority of the migrant workers in India. The perennial problems of migrant workers entail lack of proper accommodation, low standard of living, low wages, inaccessibility to state given services due to lack of identity proof and other documents. The social aspect of the migrant workers pinpoints the fact that most of them belong to the marginalized communities. Their plight is not only the reverberation of the neoliberal nature of the state but also the prolonged historical social oppression and exploitation by those at the top of the social ladder. The change in the discriminatory social behavior and inclusion of affirmative policies and a transformation in the nature of state from a neoliberal establishment to a more welfare entity can advance an egalitarian social and economic realm in which rights; dignity and respect of the workers from socially marginalized sections are assured and protected.

The two day Online National Conference aims:

- To understand and analyze strategies to empower and support migrants.
- To promote migrant rights and strengthen social cohesion
- To advocate policies and practice that promotes rights, equality and dignity of migrants.
- To enhance understanding of migration issues.
- To create awareness of migration issues so as to build a society which is knowledgeable and competent in meeting the needs of migrants.
- To advocate support for migrants to reduce social exclusion.

Subthemes:

- Perception, Legality and Politics of Migrant Worker Crisis
- Labour Codes and Labour Migration: Contemporary Issues
- Migration, Labour, and the International Political Economy
- Migrant Labour: State Policies and Contractor Strategies
- Labour Rights and Labour Standards for Migrant Labour in India
- Inclusion of Migrant Workers in India: Perceptions, Realities and Challenges

- **Registration :** Upto 23rd June, 2020
- **Deadline for Abstract Submission:** 18th June, 2020
- **Confirmation of Acceptance for Presentation :** 20th June, 2020
- **Full paper submission for publication in book:** 20th July 2020 (with ISBN)

- Contribution of migrant labour to Indian economy
- Impact of Migrant Labour on Development in India
- Industrial clusters, migrant workers and labour markets in India
- Labour Migration and Inclusive Development
- Mass Migration, Cheap Labor, and Innovation
- Language and culture as drivers of migration
- Linguistic Human Rights of Migrant Workers in India
- The Role of Language in Shaping International Migration
- Migrant labour: Information Structuring from a Cross-linguistic Perspective
- Barriers of Culture, Networks, and Language in International Migration
- The Implications of Migrant Labour for Urban Social Systems
- Migrant workers as builders of Modern India.
- The Rise of Social Movements among Migrant Workers
- Patterns of labour migration: Historical and cultural perspectives

Instructions for participants

1. Abstracts should be within 250 words and should carry the title of the paper and affiliation address.
2. Only selected participants will be allowed to present their papers.
3. Due to time constraints, participants will get only 5 minutes for
4. presentation. Hence, kindly prepare a short presentation.
5. E-certificates will be issued to paper presenters and participants.
6. Attendance is compulsory on both days.
7. All correspondence should be sent to nc.sac2020@gmail.com

Eminent Speakers

- **Prof. Kanhaiya Ahuja**, School of Economics, DAVV, Indore.
- **Prof. A. Rangareddy**, UGC Emeritus Fellow, Department of Economics, Sri Venkateshwara University Tirupati.
- **Prof. S. Victor Babu**, Dean School of Social Sciences & Head, Dept. of History, Baba Bhimrao Ambedkar Central University, Lucknow.
- **Dr. A. K. Verma**, Director Centre for Study of Society and Politics, Kanpur
- **Dr. Nutan Pandey**, Former Second Secretary (Language & Culture), High Commission of India Mauritius, Assistant Director, Central Directorate for Hindi, MHRD, New Delhi.

Program Schedule

Day 1: Friday 26 th June, 2020		
Inaugural Session 10.30 am -11 am	Technical Session# 1 11 am -12 noon	Technical Session# 2 12 noon to 1.30 pm
Welcome Note Objectives of the conference by Address by Principal Address by Chief Guest: Rt. Rev. Gerald Almeida Vote of thanks by	Speaker: Prof. Kanhaiya Ahuja Topic: Impact of Migrant Labour on Development in India Question and Answer Session Vote of thanks	Speaker: Dr. Nutan Pandey Topic: Language and Culture as Drivers of Migration Question and Answer Session Paper Presentation Vote of thanks
Day 2: Saturday 27 th June, 2020		
Technical Session# 3 10.30 am -11.30 am	Technical Session# 4 11.30 am -12.15 pm	Technical Session# 5 12.15 pm -1.00 pm
Speaker: Prof. A. Rangareddy Topic: Industrial and Construction labourers. Vote of thanks	Speaker: Prof. S. Victor Babu Topic: Patterns of Labour Migration: Historical and Cultural Perspectives Question and Answer Session Vote of thanks	Speaker: Dr. A.K. Verma Topic: Migrant Labour: Socio-Cultural Perspective Question and Answer Session Vote of thanks
Valedictory 1.00 pm – 1.30 pm	Welcome Note Report of the Conference Feedback by Participants Address by Principal Address by Chief Guest Vote of thanks	

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