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Day 1: Wednesday, October 4 | 8:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. EDT

Opening Session | 8:00 a.m. – 8:15 a.m. EDT | 5:30 p.m. – 5:45 p.m. IST

- Welcome: Vinay Kanetkar, Director, CIRCLE
- Opening Remarks: Charlotte Yates, President, University of Guelph

Keynote | 8:15 a.m. – 8:50 a.m. EDT | 5:45 p.m. – 6:20 p.m. IST

Moderator: Prof. Vinay Kanetkar, Director, CIRCLE

Understanding India: The Classical Political Economy Approach, **Alex M. Thomas, Assistant Professor, Azim Premji University, India**

Session 1 | Agrarian and Climate Issues | 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. EDT | 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. IST

Moderator: Ben Bradshaw, Associate Vice-President Graduate Studies, University of Guelph

1. Aarif Sultan, Weather Hazards and Zone-Wise Impact on Apple Farming in Baramulla District, Kashmir, India, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai
2. Tripti Singh, Practicing Sustainability-Exploring Middle-Class Engagements with The Environment: A Case Study of Lucknow City of Uttar Pradesh, India, Tata Institute of Social Sciences Mumbai
3. Kiran Kumar, Caste, Gender and Entrepreneurship: Gowda Saraswat Brahmins in South India, Indian Institute of Technology, Madras
4. Aswathi K R, The Global Strategies of Non-Government Organizations for Disability Inclusive Disaster Risk Reduction: The Indian Context, Central University of Tamil Nadu
5. Shounak Baidya, Climate Change and Forests: A Critical Analysis Of India's National REDD+ Strategy, South Asian University

Session 2 | Gender and Caste | 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. EDT | 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. IST

Moderator: Sharada Srinivasan, Associate Professor, University of Guelph

1. Vrishali, 'Where Are the Modern Jajmans?': A Study In Caste, Census, Crises And Common Spheres, TISS, Mumbai
2. Rincy Mariya. N, Gender Based Inclusion: Dalit Women and Rural Economy, University of Delhi
3. Bimala Thami, Evaluation of Caste, Gender Norm Beliefs, And Neighborhood Influences on The Educational Attainment in Nepal, South Asian University, New Delhi
4. Narmatha K, Women in The Public Sphere: Challenges and Opportunities, Bharathiar University
5. Annie Mariya Simon, Family and Friendship: The Making and Breaking of Female Subjects, IISER Bhopal

Session 3 | Child Studies | 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. EDT | 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. IST

Moderator: Margaret Walton-Roberts, Professor, Wilfred Laurier University

1. Afrin Khan, *Between the Lines: Identifying Critical Gaps and Limitations Under the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012.*, Christ University
2. Vineeth Koshy, *Assessing the Access to Education of Children in Migration in The Context Of COVID-19 Pandemic*, Tata Institute of Social Sciences
3. Priya Ranjan, *Public Policy, Public Spending, And Nutritional Status of Children Under-5 In Indian States: An Analysis*, Pondicherry University
4. Ankita Sharma, *Understanding Mead's Concept of Self and Exploring The Lives Of Children In Child Care Institutions*, Thompson Rivers University

Session 4 | Spiritual Traditions and Cultural Hybridity | 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. EDT | 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. IST

Moderator: Saba Safdar, Professor, University of Guelph

1. Habeeb T, *Spirituality and Public Sphere: Exploring the Sufi Tradition in Kerala*, Central University of Tamil Nādu
2. Swathi Chintala, *Re-visiting Azad Hind Fauj: Ecohes of Patriotism and Indian Diaspora in East Asia*, Tripura University
3. Fathima Rajlia KV, *Feeding Gods/Feeding Brahmins: Food, Religion and People in Early Medieval Kerala Temples (Circa. 9th – 13th Century)*, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi
4. MD Nasir Hossain, *Caste, Class, and Gender in India: An Intersectional Reading of Sanjoy Ganguly's Sarama*, Maulana Azad National Urdu University

Break | 10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. | 8:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. IST

Session 5 | South Asian Art History and Critique | 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. EDT | 8:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. IST

Moderator: Stuart McCook, Associate Vice-President International, University of Guelph

1. Alessandro Giudice, *The Political Role of Marriage in The Mahābhārata. An Analysis of Arjuna's Weddings Described in The Ādiparvan Of The Mahābhārata Based On The Artha- And Dharmaśāstra*, University Of Cagliari
2. Parijat Pandya, *To Remember the Meme*, Central University of Gujarat
3. Fiana Kawane, *South Asian Lyric Futures: Agha Shahid Ali's Ghazals*, University of British Columbia
4. Sai Rathakrishna, *Counter-Extractive Thinking Through the Kolam: An Art-Based Reflection*, McMaster University
5. Ashish Krishna, *From Triumph to Decline: A Historical Exploration of Women's Football in Goa (1975-1991)*, BITS Pilani, K.K. Birla Goa Campus

**Session 6 | Political and Electoral Processes | 11:00 A.M. – 12:30 P.M. EDT | 8:30 P.M. – 10:00 P.M. IST **

Moderator: Reddi Yalamala, Research Associate, Dalhousie University

1. Ritika Khatri, *How Do Farmers Vote? - A Case Study of Punjab's Electoral Politics*, Indian Institute of Technology, Guwahati

2. Somingam PS, Institutional Exclusion, Forest Bureaucracy and The Varied Responses of Tribes in Manipur State, North East India, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai
3. Navneet Khan, New Religious-Political Movements: Taliban as Contemporary Political Force in Afghanistan, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, India.
4. Garima Sarkar, Candidate-Selection and Limitations for Women in Indian National Party Politics: A Comparative Study, McMaster University
5. Aman Mishra, Representation of Kashi as An Urban Centre: An Analysis of Skanda Purana, Indian Institute of Technology Mandi

Session 7 | Narratives and Discourses | 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. EDT | 8:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. IST

Moderator: Mandeep Kaur Mucina, Associate Professor, University of Victoria

1. Meghna Gangadharan, Food Memoir as A Site of Autobiographical Performance: Reading Madhur Jaffrey's Climbing the Mango Trees (2005), Indian Institute of Technology Indore
2. Jerin Jacob, Human Icons, Sacred Stories: A Study of Narratives and Aesthetics in The Works of Francoise Bosteels, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai Campus
3. Medhavi Gulati, Risk and Commercialization of Mountaineering: An Insight into Sherpa Climbers' Lifeworld, Panjab University
4. Nisha Susan, The Intimate Translator: Bye-Bye to All That Foreign-Foreign, University of Calgary
5. Shariq Khan, Trash as Objective Correlative for Muslim Life in Shaunak Sen's All That Breathes (2022), University of Allahabad
6. Saloni Walia, Navigating The Trans Narrative In Saim Akhtar's Joyland (2022), Indian Institute of Technology, Jammu

Session 8 | Science Research | 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. EDT | 8:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. IST

Moderator: Alice Marciniak, Assistant Professor, University of Guelph

1. Colin Gibson, High-Performance Advanced Septic System Using Multi-Soil Layering in Kakinada, India, University of Guelph
2. Dr. Ishita Auddy, Development of Biosensor for Urea and Melamine Detection in Milk, Jain University
3. Azizur Rahman, Forecasting Hourly Ozone Concentration Using Functional Time Series Model-A Case Study in The Coastal Area of Bangladesh, University of Manitoba
4. Dhananjaya Panda, Double-Turn Piezoresistive Analogous and Cascaded based MEMS Pressure Sensor: Analysis and Design, University of Delhi

Day 2: Thursday, October 5 | 8:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. EDT

Session 9 | Regulation and Inclusive Growth | 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. EDT | 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. IST

Moderator: Pavitra R, Research Scholar, Bharathiar University

1. Praveena K V, Unveiling the Truth: Introspecting the Implementation of Transgender Policy in Kerala, India, Tata Institute of Social Sciences
2. Alyas Ahmed, Marketing of Financial Products and Services in Jammu & Kashmir: A Study on The Public and Private Sector Banks, Maulana Azad National Urdu University Hyderabad
3. Saket Vats, India's Rise as A Leader of Global South: Political, Social and Economic Future of South Asia., Central University of Tamil Nādu
4. Emeraude Lapointe, The Day Domino's Pizza Served a Sabudana Pizza: Marketing Rituals in the Indian Context, Université du Québec à Montréal
5. Aboobacker T P, Political and Macroeconomic Determinants of Income Inequalities in India: A Dynamic Panel Data Analysis, Institute for Social and Economic Change (ISEC), Bangalore

Session 10 | Sexual Diversity and Gender Rights | 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. EDT | 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. IST

Moderator: Chris Tatham, Assistant Professor, University of Guelph

1. Nimisha John, Queer Mobilities in the Context of a 'Parivar' In South India, Indian Institute of Technology, Gandhinagar
2. Anu Mishra, A Study on the Right to Health of the Transgender Persons in India with Specific Reference to the City of Mumbai: The Barriers and Solutions Thereof, Christ University
3. Rupsa Ghosh, Measuring Financial Inclusion for South Asia's Young Adults – A Cross-Country Analysis with Special Reference to India, ISEC
4. Nikita Gagneja, How Do I Come Out to My Desi Elders? An Exploration of Representation of Queerness in Indian Regional Languages, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai
5. Sandhya Chandrasekharan, Sex Tech and Consent: A Mixed Bag for The Modern Indian Cis-Het Woman, Tata Institute of Social Sciences
6. Neha Katoch, Evaluating Women's Health Care Policies in Himachal Pradesh through the Lens of Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), Panjab University, Chandigarh

Session 11 | Rethinking Education Systems | 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. EDT | 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. IST

Moderator: Kamini Khosla, Lab Manager, University of Guelph

1. Manish Dhakad, Relevance of Mindfulness in Social Work Education in India, The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda, Gujarat, India.
2. Kunal Mishra, Rethinking Student Agency: A Study of The Entrepreneurial Mindset Curriculum in India, McGill University
3. Soudh Ismail, Construction of Collective Identity through Intersectional Solidarity: Engagements between Anti-Caste, Feminist, and Minority Student Collectives during Protest Campaigns at Three Indian Universities, University of Hyderabad
4. Tanisha Yadav, Homogenous Spaces - Heterogenising Experiences, Tata Institute of Social Sciences

Session 12 | Governance | 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. EDT | 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. IST

Moderator: Zabeen Khamisa, PhD Candidate, University of Waterloo

1. Deepak Kumar, Power Subsidy Policy and Its Impact on The Groundwater Access in Haryana, Tata Institute of Social Sciences Mumbai
2. Riona Basu, Wealth, Cities and Communities: Reproduction Among Wealth Elites of Kolkata, Jawaharlal Nehru University
3. Chitresh Shrivastva, Governance of High-Speed Railways in India: A Study of Mumbai-Ahmedabad Region, JAIN (Deemed to be University)
4. Illesinghe Kankanamge Kasuni Sachithra, Facebook for Supporting Knowledge Sharing and Learning among Virtual Agri-Food Communities of Practices in Sri Lanka., University of Guelph

Break | 10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. | 8:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. IST

Session 13 | Diasporas, Partitions, and Cities | 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. EDT | 8:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. IST

Moderator: Shreyashi Ganguly, PhD Candidate, York University

1. Amrita Guring, 'Growing Pains' Like No Other: An Emotional Portal into Lived and Everyday Experience of Nepali Students in Canada, Concordia University
2. Mahashewta Bhattacharya, Eating Culture, Making Home: Sensory Negotiations as A Part of Transcultural Emplacement Among the Bengali Diaspora, University of British Columbia
3. Rajib Das, Unfurled Memories: Looking at The Bengal Partition Histories in Divided: Partition Memories from Two Bengals by Angshuman Kar, Bankura University
4. Bijendra Singh, Death, Data and Differentials: A Comparative Study of Covid-19 Deaths and Mortality Data in Delhi and European Cities, Jawaharlal Nehru University
5. Jitendra Kumar, Partition and Citizenship in India since 1947., Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi

Session 14 | Food Insecurity and Local Knowledges | 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. EDT | 8:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. IST

Moderator: Alice Marcianiak, Assistant Professor, University of Guelph

1. Ranjoy Gupta, Local Food Health Knowledge Framework Within Landscape Based Food System; A Study on North Indian Region of Jammu, Central University of Jammu

2. Hanish Sharma, Water Footprints of Milk Processing Sector of Punjab (India), Guru Angad Dev Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Ludhiana
3. Milind Bharambe, Food Insecurity and Child Nutrition in Nandurbar District of Maharashtra, Tata Institute of Social Sciences
4. Mrinal Borah, From the Highways to The Fishing Ponds: Fishing in The Indian Hill-State of Meghalaya, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi
5. Md Rezaul Karim, Participatory Governance for The Diffusion of Climate Smart Agricultural (CSA) Innovations In The Northern Bangladesh, University of Kassel, Germany

Session 15 | Social Movements | 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. EDT | 8:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. IST

Moderator: Khashaya Ghandi, Associate Professor, University of Guelph

1. Manju Saxena, Conscientization Is an Emancipation: A Revolutionary Humanistic Approach of Education with Ref. To Psulo Freire, Indian Institution of Education Pune Maharashtra, India
2. Hisham Jameel Siddiqui, Tehreek-E-Shaheedain and Making of Muslim Consciousness in Colonial and Post-Colonial India, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi
3. Paras Ratna, Transnational Diaspora Activism and Its Implications for Kin State Diplomacy- A Case Study of Sikh Diaspora Activism in Canada., National University of Singapore
4. Asma Farooq, Women's Marches in Pakistan - What's At Stake? University of Ottawa
5. Satish Macwan, Impact of MGNREGA in Building Climate Change Resilience, Tata Institute of Social Sciences

Session 16 | Violence | 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. EDT | 8:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. IST

Moderator: Khondokar Kabir, Postdoctoral Fellow, University of Guelph

1. Avantika Johari, Forensic Victimology in Cases of Sexual Assault, National Forensic Sciences University
2. Sunanda Das, Health, Inequality, Democracy, Decriminalizing Abortion, Differences Between Health Law and Civil Law, Tata Institute of Social Sciences
3. Jayaprakash Jogi Kadri, Trauma Experiences while Growing up and Non-suicidal Self-injury (NSSI): A Study among Young Adults in Mumbai, India, Tata Institute of Social Sciences
4. Anu Susan Abraham, Analyzing the Representation of Children's Disability, Trauma and Memory of Conflict in Bapsi Sidhwa's Ice-Candy-Man (1988), Indian Institute of Science Education and Research, Bhopal
5. Swapnil Chaudhary, RSS Activities in an Ayurveda College, Indian Institute of Science Education and Research Mohali

Day 3: Friday, October 6 | 8:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. EDT

Keynote | 8:00 a.m. – 8:45 a.m. EDT | 5:30 p.m. – 5:45 p.m. IST

Moderator: Vinay Kanetkar, Director, CIRCLE

Water Sustainability for Everyone? The Implications for Climate Change, E. McBean, Professor of Water Resources Engineering, University of Guelph, Canada

Session 17 | Marriage, Vulnerability, and Gender | 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. EDT | 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. IST

Moderator: Nalini Persram, Associate Professor, York University

1. Niranjana Sahu, Women in Contemporary India: A Critical Analysis, Sambalpur University, Odisha, India
2. Mohamed Salihu M, Gender Politics and Religious Identity in The Domestic Sphere: A Case Study on Islamic Ritual, Bharathiar University
3. Arijit Nandi, Claiming Spaces: Femininity, Domesticity and Urbanism in Post-colonial Calcutta, McMaster University
4. Akhila Johnson, Marital Satisfaction among Mothers Caring for their Child with Autism: A Mixed Methods Study, Bharathiar University, Coimbatore
5. Bincy Mariya N, Muted Voice and Gendered Body: A Study on the Post-Conversion Dilemmas and Alternative Epistemologies of Dalit Christian Women in Kerala, Indian Institute of Science Education and Research

Session 18 | Human Rights Issues | 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. EDT | 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. IST

Moderator: Vinay Kanetkar, Director, CIRCLE, University of Guelph

1. Maneesh Thakkar, The Role of The Right to Services in Establishing Good Governance: An Analysis of The Madhya Pradesh Public Service Guarantee Act 2010, Panjab University Chandigarh
2. Saima Riaz, Freedom of Expression in Pakistan on Religious Grounds: Balancing Rights and Challenges, Government College University of Faisalabad
3. Jithin Joseph, Revisiting Colonial Modernity: Unveiling the Euro-Centric Slave Discourse of Caste In 19th Century Kerala, Central University of Tamil Nādu
4. Jagdish Khobragade, The International Human Rights Courts in South Asia with Special Reference to India, Maharashtra National Law University Nagpur
5. Jenisha T, Mapping the Displaced Bodies: Refugee as the 'Subaltern Subject' in Jacques Audiard's Dheepan and Sharon Bala's The Boat People, Central University of Tamil Nadu

Session 19 | Belonging, Identity, and Gender | 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. EDT | 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. IST

Moderator: Heena Mistry, Director, Equity, Diversity and Inclusion, Wilfred Laurier University

1. Disha Sharma, Belongingness Among Students in A Public University in India, Dr B R Ambedkar University Delhi
2. Akansha Singh, Narrativizing Afghan Identity and Legitimacy: Representational Struggles in Eighteenth-Century South Asia, Ashoka University
3. Maria Thomas, Sari: Inscribing Nation and Femininity on The Female Body in the 21st Century, St Thomas' College (Autonomous), Thrissur, Kerala
4. Harshita Tiwari, The Impure: Gender Identity and Labor in Jeo Baby's The Great Indian Kitchen, Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur
5. Deepalatha R Shetty, "If We Are Legal, Then Why Not Acceptable...?" Voices of Gay and Bisexual Men from India, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai

Session 20 | Social Conditions of Health | 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. EDT | 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. IST

Moderator: Guneet Kaur, Assistant Professor, University of Guelph

1. Manikchandra Tiwari, Accreditation process in India - Perception of Accredited and Non-Accredited Medical Laboratories, Himgiri Zee University
2. Maryanne Pais, Sociocultural Factors Influencing Mental Health Knowledge and Help-Seeking Behaviours among College Students in South India, Christ University
3. Sreeparvathy S, Standardization and Integration in the Globalized Era: Experiences from Ayurveda and Traditional Chinese Medicine, Indian Institute of Technology, Delhi
4. Smriti Mishra, Exploring the Gut-Brain-skin axis: Interconnection and Implications for Health and Therapeutic Interventions, UPES, Dehradun
5. Archana Kumari, Psychological Effects of Internet Shutdowns Harmfulness to the Psychological Well-Being, Patliputra University, Patna
6. Kalidass K, Knowledge and Awareness Towards Cervical Cancer Among Reproductive Aged Tribal Women: Understanding on Social Work Perspective, Bharathiar University

Break | 10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. | 8:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. IST

Session 21 | Socio-Legal Issues | 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. EDT | 8:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. IST

Moderator: Reddi Yalamala, Research Associate, Dalhousie University

1. Rajarshi Chakraborty, India's International Refugee Law Conundrum: A Case Study of Afghan Refugees in India, Jawaharlal Nehru University
2. Khyati Nayak, Real Estate Insolvencies and Development of Indian Corporate Insolvency Regime Under IBC, 2016: A Tale of Insolvency Courts Experiments Ad Libitum, Maharashtra National Law University, Aurangabad

3. Reshma Suresh, The Intersectionality Between Cultural Violence and Post-Partum Psychosis: A Critical Exploration from the Indian Legal Scenario, Indian Law institute
4. Pallabi Chattopadhyay, The Structural and Functional Aspects of Visual Linguistics: An Analysis through Speech Act Theory, Kathmandu University
5. Vrinda Bhatia, Breaking Down the Healthcare Bill: In-Depth Analysis of Health Expenditure in India., Centre for Research in Rural and Industrial Development, Panjab University

Session 22 | Migration | 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. EDT | 8:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. IST

Moderator: Jiban K. Pal, Indian Statistical Institution

1. Ahsan Ahmed, Migrant Workers in Conflict Hit Kashmir Valley: Livelihood vs Security, Gundu Amritsar
2. Rashid Muhammad, "Trends and Challenges in International Migration from East and West Punjab 1947-1974, The Islamia University of Bahawalpur
3. P Lalpekhui, Citizenship on The Borderland: An Ethnographic Exploration of Belongingness in Indo-Myanmar Borderland, Tata Institute of Social Sciences
4. Harleen Gill, Potentiality and Migration Aspiration: A Case Study of Indian Punjab, Centre for Research in Rural and Industrial Development, Panjab University

Session 23 | Precarity, Gender, and Work | 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. EDT | 8:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. IST

Moderator: Prachi Kaul, Director, Shastri Indo-Canadian Institute

1. Suhani Jalota, What Works for Her? How Work-from-Home Digital Jobs Affect Female Labor Force Participation, Stanford University
2. Abhishek Dwivedi, Negotiated Space And (De)Romanticizing the Resistance: A Case of Informal Workers in Kanpur Leather Industry, South Asian University, New Delhi
3. Bonna Chakraborti, Everyday Resistance in Bangladesh's Garment Industry: Unveiling the Plight of Unsung Heroes, South Asian University
4. Deepti Verma, "Measuring the Impact of Brand Image and Perceived Value for The Products Sold and Endorsed by Spiritual Gurus in India", GLA University,
5. Barsha Nayak, Plagued by Pleasure: Reading De-Mothered Desires and the 'Womb-less' Female Body in Bani Basu's The Fifth Man, Tezpur University

