NOTIFICATION

ICSSR SPONSORED

National Seminar
On
WOMEN OF MARGINALISED COMMUNITIES: CONCERNS ABOUT EXCLUSION
(NOVEMBER 14th - 16th, 2018)

Organized by
Centre for Women’s Studies, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh

The Centre for Women’s Studies, Aligarh Muslim University in collaboration with the Indian Council of Social Science Research, New Delhi is going to organize a National Seminar on the theme “Women of Marginalised Communities: Concerns about Exclusion” from November 14th-16th, 2018.

Women as a category have been historically marginalized because of the patriarchal framework of society. They are denied their basic rights and face discrimination in all spheres of life. However, the problems of women belonging to marginalized communities get further complicated as their issues are an amalgamation of many levels of subordination. There can be several strategies for mainstreaming women of marginalized communities. This includes focusing on women’s education, health, livelihood or dealing with issues of Gender based violence etc. At the academic level, a seminar to explore the complex concerns of the women of marginalized communities in India, can provide a significant platform where social scientists and researchers can share their views on the issue. The present seminar intends to identify crucial factors regarding issues of women of marginalized communities and provide important suggestions for policy making.

The following sub themes can be broadly discussed during the discussion:

Subthemes:

- Women of Ethnic Minorities, Minority Religions, North East, Jammu and Kashmir
- Dalit Women and issues of Class, Caste and Race
- Women of Marginalized communities and Access to Education and Health
- Women’s Movement and Women of Marginalized communities
- Politics and Women Leaders from Marginalized Communities
- Women of Marginalized communities and Gender based Violence
- Women of Marginalized communities in Media and Literature
- Strategies for Empowerment of Women of Marginalized communities
- Evaluation of laws and State Policies for Women of Marginalized communities
Call for Abstract: The organizers invite unpublished research works conforming to the subthemes of the seminar by September 15th, 2018 for oral presentation. The abstract mentioning the sub theme and title of the paper (within 500 words written in Times New Roman, font 12) should be communicated by email attachment to cwsamuseminar@gmail.com. Cover page must contain name, email, contact detail, name of the college/university along with the address of the participants. Registration form can also be downloaded from the University website www.amu.ac.in. Advanced copy of application may be send to the Course Coordinators of the Workshop through mail/in hand.

Registration Details:

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Details for submission of Registration fee will be provided to the selected paper presenters through email.

Important Dates:

Submission of Abstract: September 25th, 2018
Notification of Acceptance of Abstract: September 30th, 2018
Submission of Full Paper, Registration form and Fee: October 15th, 2018
Confirmation of Accommodation: October 30th, 2018

Accommodation:

Limited accommodation will be available for participants on first come first served basis. The Registration fee does not include accommodation. The Organizing Committee may help in arranging accommodation of the delegates on receiving request well in advance. Participants should communicate their travel plans and deposit a sum of Rs. 1000/- for advance booking of hotel or guest house rooms through Bank transfer within the stipulated date.

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* Selected papers will be published in *Women and Society*, the in-house journal of Centre for Women’s Studies.*
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REGISTRATION FORM
(Registration form should reach through email by October 15th, 2018)

1. Name (In block letters): ………………………………………………………………

2. Current Position: Professor / Associate Professor / Assistant Professor / PDF / Research Scholar

3. Department & University: …………………………………………………………………………

4. Date of Ph.D. Registration: ………………………………………………… (For existing Researcher Scholars only. Attach Certificate from Head of the Department).

5. Topic of the Paper: ……………………………………………………………………………………

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9. Accommodation required (please tick): Yes/No

If ‘yes’ date and time of arrival: ……………………………………………………………

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Signature of the Participant

Place: _____________
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