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About the Conception and Objectives of the Seminar

In the 19th century an assortment of factors played a vital role in arousing the national sentiment among the Bharatiya subjects of the British Raj. The national struggle for the attainment of Swaraj and Swadharm was not therefore monolithic or one-dimensional. Within the 'mainstream' political nationalism, as espoused by the then political leaderships, there have been varied ideological sub-streams represented by its array of leaders belonging to diverse backgrounds. The national movement therefore came with varying denominators.

of which, some have been heavily explored while the others were summarily ignored or were less delved upon. Importantly however, all the denominators have hinged themselves around the Sva factors. On the eve of 75th year of Bharat's independence which the proud nation is celebrating as the Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsay, the academic exploration of these Sva factors is the fundamental aim of this seminar. The factors include the role of ethics of sanatana dharma, cultural mores, civilizational ethos, national art, national literature and not the least the unsung men and women in espousing the cause of independence. In the regional context, case of the Himalayan state of Himachal Pradesh is inquisitive to delve upon. A concerted scrutiny and disquisition is thus needed to be initiated into the unexplored facets of the freedom struggle in state in which the role of different strata including the commoners, who had laid their lives, unheard and unsung. The seminar aims to open new vistas of research in our understanding of the Bharat's national movement in general and its extension as well as its implications in Himachal Pradesh, in particular.

Major Themes of the Seminar

The title of the seminar is all encompassing around varied facets that fueled our anti-colonial struggle. However, for the sake of precision vis-ā-vis the thrust areas, this seminar is divided into different Sub-themes but they are not exclusive and academic liberty can be taken within the broad parameters of the seminar's title. Themes to be deliberated will include the following, but are not limited to

- 1. Ethics of Swaraj, Sarvodya and Swadeshi
- 2. Dharmic Influences on Bharat's National Movement
- 3. Socio-Religious Reform Movements and their Impact on Nationalism
- 4. Literary Nationalism and its Traditions
- 5. Anti Colonial Art Expressions
- 6. Indian Women and Independence

- 7. Reflections on Freedom Struggle in the Himalayas
- 8. Patriots and Patriotism: Freedom Heroes of Himachal Pradesh
- 9. Unheard Narratives of the Unsung : Lore, Tales and Legends

Important Dates

Registration for the Seminar : 30 October, 2021 Submission of Abstracts : 10 October, 2021 Submission of Full Article : 30 October, 2021

Registration Fees

Faculty Members : Rs 500 Research Scholars : Rs 300 PG Students and Others : Rs 100

Bank Account Details for Depositing the Seminar Registration Fees

Acc. No. 11500210001851 UCO Bank, Hamirpur, H.P. IFSC: UCABA000110

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Publication of the Research Articles

The Shodh Sansthan Neri will publish the selected original and high quality research papers of the seminar in the edited volume in both Hindi and English. The articles shall ideally be 4000-6000 worded with proper references and notes. The font of the research papers in Hindi should be **Kruti Dev 010**, size 14 and for the English it should be in **Times New Roman**, size 12. The papers can be emailed to **seminarneri@gmail.com**.