

Greetings from the Organizing Committee:

Dear friends and colleagues,

You are cordially invited to attend the One Day International Seminar “VALUES AND ETHICS IN 21ST CENTURY: AN EDUCATIONAL AND PHILOSOPHICAL DISCOURSE” on 6th of February, 2020 jointly organized by Department of Education and Department of Philosophy, Acharya Prafulla Chandra College in collaboration with Department of Education and Department of Philosophy, West Bengal State University.

Your active participation is eagerly awaited.

With regards,

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ABOUT ACHARYA PRAFULLA CHANDRA COLLEGE:

Acharya Prafulla Chandra College was established on 16th August 1960 under the ‘Dispersal Scheme’. The college, situated in the outskirts of Kolkata, has secured for itself a niche in the field of UG education in West Bengal. The college offers 26 UG courses and 8 PG courses. The college has been accredited (2nd cycle) grade “A” with CGPA 3.23 by NAAC. In the true spirit of Acharya Prafulla Chandra Roy, the college from its nascent state has tried to propagate the ideals of this great man and motto illustrates this: ‘Service, Knowledge, and Sacrifice’.

ABOUT WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY:

West Bengal State University (WBSU) is a state university situated in outskirts of Barasat city (district headquarter of North 24 Parganas), West Bengal, India, offering various educational programs at the UG, PG and Doctoral level in the field of Arts, Science, Commerce, Education etc. The mission of the University is to create an academic ecosystem catering to the needs and aspirations of young students of the district including many first generation learners, imparting to them man-making education, with skill sets that can be retrofitted with the changing requirements of time, so as to make them competitive within and outside the boundary of the country.

ONE DAY INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR

on

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Date: 6th of February, 2020

Venue: Acharya Prafulla Chandra College,
New Barrackpore

Organized by

Department of Education

and

Department of Philosophy

Acharya Prafulla Chandra College



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ABOUT THE SEMINAR:

Scientific and technological advances, economic and political realities along with pluralistic worldviews have made ethics and values indispensable significant components across the strata of society. It is a known fact that philosophy and Education are interrelated but what roots down to the bedrock across these two fields of knowledge are ethics and values. Ethics is a branch of philosophy that involves systematizing, defending, and recommending concepts of right and wrong conduct. In ethics, value denotes the degree of importance of something or action, with the aim of determining what actions are best to do or what way is best to live, or to describe the significance of different actions. Values affect ethical behavior of a person or are the basis of their intentional activities. In the fast changing, Indian society where every individual is facing ethical confusions and conflicting values, education seems to be the only solution.

RESOURCE PERSONS:

- ❖ Dr. Emile Puig Vilaro, Associate Professor, Faculty of Education and Psychology, University of Girona.
- ❖ Dr. Asheesh Srivastava, Professor, Head & Dean, Department of Educational Studies, Mahatma Gandhi Central University Bihar, Motihari
- ❖ Dr. Debasri Banerjee, Professor, Department of Education, University of Calcutta.
- ❖ Dr. Abhijit Kumar Pal, Professor & Head, Department of Education, West Bengal State University
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CALL FOR ABSTRACTS AND FULL PAPERS:

Original research papers are invited from students, research scholars, teachers and other professionals for oral and poster presentation at the seminar. **Selected papers, after scrutiny by peer review committee, will be published as an edited book with ISBN.**

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES:

Abstract: Title of the paper with Author's name, designation & affiliation, within 300 words and 2 to 8 key words.

Full Paper: Paper should be written in English in MS word with Times New Roman, within 3000 words, font 12 (Text) & referencing style APA 6th edition.

Abstract and Paper submission:

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IMPORTANT DATES:

Last date for submitting the Abstracts: 29.01.2020

Intimation of Acceptance of Abstracts: 01.02.2020

Last date for Registration: 02.02.2020

Last date for submitting Full papers: 03.02.2020

REGISTRATION FEE:

	Participants	Paper Presenters
Students	200	300
Research Scholars	300	500
Teachers	500	700

Registration Link: “**International Seminar on Values and Ethics**” in www.apccollege.ac.in. Link will be open from 14.01.2020 onwards. Late date of registration is 02.02.2020.

BANK DETAILS

Fees can be deposited online through payment gateway of AXIS Bank given in the registration link.

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OBJECTIVES OF THE SEMINAR:

- ❖ To understand the importance of values and ethics in the 21st century.
- ❖ To explore the various dimensions of values and ethics in the field of education.
- ❖ To gather in-depth knowledge of values and ethics from a philosophical perspective.
- ❖ To understand how to inculcate values among the various components of academia.
- ❖ To discuss the various values and ethics related problems in society.

FOCUS AREAS INCLUDE BUT NOT LIMITED:

- Values in transition
- Environmental ethics
- Indian Ethics
- Western Ethics
- Values and ethics in education
- Values in postmodernism
- Values for sustainable development in Education
- Social Philosophy and ethics
- Feminist ethics
- Religion and Ethics
- Traditional values versus modern values
- Role of value oriented education for peace and harmony in society.
- Value management
- Values and ethics in various Educational Reports
- Pragmatic approach in ethics
- Values for wellness
- Career oriented values
- Values in the Indian Constitution
- Value Conflicts
- Research Ethics
- Teachers' professional ethics
- Values in Women Education
- Work Attitudes and Values enhancement
- Values for leadership in Education