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About the University

Mahatma Gandhi Central University was established under the Central Universities (Amendment) Act 2014 [No. 35 of 2014] enacted by the Parliament. The University is fully funded and regulated by the University Grants Commission (UGC). The University became functional on 3rd February 2016. The First Academic Session of the University started from 17th October 2016. The University is running various Undergraduate, Postgraduate, M. Phil. and Ph.D. Programmes in 20 Departments across 7 School of Studies.

About the Department of Political Science

The Department of the Political Science at Mahatma Gandhi Central University, Bihar, India is a centre of excellence for teaching and research. The department's research areas cover current global issues, globalisation and economic uncertainty, inequality, immigration, global environment issues, tribal studies, unemployment, international relations and diplomacy etc. and thus, enhance the understanding of the global society.

The department encourages innovative, indigenous and empirical studies at faculty level and similarly engages the research scholars. Our goal is to conduct empirical researches with theoretical models, sharing and communicating Political Science studies with others at global level. Our intention is also to explore University surrounding areas and become facilitator in its development.

Today, the whole world has been heavily influenced by market economy and capitalism, which encourage people to think big and pursue dreams. The Department of Political Science of MGCUB highlights Indian values, universalism of Hindu culture values, ancient Indian political thoughts and the role of State established by Hindu Scriptures in establishing security, stability, justice and good governance so that human beings can reach the highest terms of excellence in the political, economic and social sectors.

About the Theme

The internal, regional & global factors are shaping India's status in the early 21st century. These transformations demonstrate India's vision and ambitions in more assertive manner. The debates on democracy, upliftment of poor, India's indigenous growth model, nationalism, corporate nationalism, patriotism, self reliance, local is vocal, one ration card one nation etc issues are being aggressively discussed. The present government at Centre has reviewed federal tax infrastructure, distribution of tax income between the Centre and States, and placed a goal of making India a \$5 trillion economy by 2024-25, however, challenged by the situation emerged due to COVID-19. The Centre has taken drastic non-conventional steps in internal governance promoting e-governance, rapid digitalisation i.e. Aadhaar Enabled Payment System (AEPS); Digidhan Abhiyaan; Mygov; National Mission on Education Using ICT; Openforge; Pahal (DBTL); Paygov India; Pradhan Mantri Gramin Digital Saksharta Abhiyaan (PMGDISHA); Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY); Targeted Public Distribution System (TPDS); Accessible India Campaign And Mobile App; Beti Bachao Beti Padhao; E-Panchayat; ENAM etc. Similarly, the Central government has taken revolutionary steps in external affairs.

After the surgical strike and Balakot air strike, India has joined the list of countries along with the United States and Israel, who can strike deep inside the enemy territory and avenge the death of soldiers. The Doklam and Ladakh standoff with China has demonstrated Indian Policy's new aptitude. The Indian Prime Minister has also announced that the days of policy of expansion is over. Thus, the nation is striving to develop and establish herself at status position in the world. Therefore, the social welfare policies are launched on the one side with digital support to make them more efficient so that they can empower the vulnerable or marginalised segments including women, children and tribal communities. On the other, India is adopting active policies in the global affairs.

Despite development strides of the government aiming to lift people out of poverty, soaring inequality and exclusion continue to pose challenges not only domestic spheres but around the globe. Rising inequality and exclusion of large sections of the society are the concerns to be discussed at different forums

Contemporary Polity and Governance in India

The National Conference will be an amalgamation of various different research fields as listed below:

- ★ Indian Constitution: Features Relevance and Importance in Governance
- ★ Bureaucracy: Demands for inclusive representation
- ★ Center - State Relations: Migrant issues
- ★ Emerging Socio-Political Challenges to Governance in India
- ★ Social Welfare in India: Present Needs and future perspectives
- ★ Coalition Government : Emerging trends
- ★ Ethical Governance and Role of Citizen Charters
- ★ Issues and Challenges to Inclusive Governance in India
- ★ Electoral Reforms and Inclusive Politics
- ★ Women Empowerment and Rights in Indian Politics and Governance
- ★ Governance, Digital divide and Exclusion in Indian Context

Registration

The registration fee Rs. 200 is payable through NEFT/RTGS/UPI in favour of 'Mahatma Gandhi Central University, Bihar'. The details given below :

Name : Mahatma Gandhi Central University Bihar
A/c No. : 3558579240
BankBranch : Central Bank of India, Luthaha, Motihari
IFSC Code : CBIN0280030

Interested participants/delegates can register themselves at the link:

<https://forms.gle/p43ep4Kg7BBXEixN6>

The number of participants/delegates will be limited due to the limitations of the tools (Google Meet, Zoom and Conference Apps) which will be used for this National Conference. All registered Participants and Delegates will be shared the Meeting ID's, passwords and other modalities on their respective Email IDs.

Call for Papers

Renowned Resource Academicians around the globe are expected to present their valuable thoughts on the various themes in National Conference. The presentations facility will be provided to all the Registered Participants through Google Meet/ Zoom and other Conference Apps. In addition, the Organization Desk of the National Conference invites Delegates/Academicians/Students/Research Scholars/Faculty Members to contribute their original papers for presentation. All interested participants are requested to register themselves first and then can send an abstract (Around 300 words) and Full Paper (Minimum 5000 words) in MS Word [in English (Times New Roman Font, Size 12) and in Hindi (Kurti Dev 010 Font, Size, 14)] to :- headpoliticalscience@mgcub.ac.in. All the Participants who will send their abstracts will be awarded E-Certificate of Participation and Presentation of Paper after completion of the Conference. Selected Full Length Papers submitted at the same Email Id will be published in the ISBN Editing Book and included in the proceeding report of the Conference.

Key Dates :

Abstract Submission 18th July 2020
Full Paper Submission 20th July 2020



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