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One Day National Webinar on

“ Gandhi Then and Now: Locating the Dynamics of Popular Perception in Historical Perspective”

Date : October 02, 2021 (Saturday)

Entry Time : 11:30 A.M – 03:00 P.M.

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Concept Note

M. K. Gandhi, popularly known as "Bapu" and having epithets such as "Mahatma" and "Rashtrapita", has undoubtedly been the tallest political figure of India in the 20th century. The uniqueness of the tools - ahimsa & satyagraha - adopted by him in order to resist injustice has barely any parallel in the history of human civilization. He had a charismatic appeal which has been proved by his actions first in South Africa and then in India. He had a wholistic view for the all-round development of not only India but also the entire mankind. His writings and speeches bear testimony to it. In fact, he represented the most common individual in external attire/appearance, yet symbolised the highest denominations of courage, self-respect, sensitivity and enlightenment in spirit. As such he became an icon not only in India but also all over the world. Apart from politicians, his ideas and methods left lasting impressions to social workers, litterateur, musicians, scientists, film-makers etc. At many places we find him revered and elevated even to mythical degrees. However, a scrutiny of his biography and works reveal a course of evolutionary shifts in his thoughts. Thus, along with massive popularity and devotional support he had been subjected to criticisms also on several fronts. Even at present we see him projected and presented as a major ingredient of the identity of Indian culture on the one hand and criticised in the harshest terms on the other in our country itself. In this backdrop, the web-seminar intends to dwell upon the nuances of changes over time in the popular perception of Gandhi and his philosophy.

Programme Schedule

Time	Lecture/Hands-on/Slide Lecture/Recorded Video	Speaker
11:30 A.M -11:35 A.M	Beginning of the Webinar	
11:35 A.M -11:45 A.M	Welcome cum Presidential Address	Dr. S. K. Shrivastava, Principal.
11:45 A.M -12:00 P.M	Introduction	Dr. Parth Sarathi, Associate Professor, Department of History, A.M. College, Gaya
12:45 P.M -12:50 P.M	Key Note Address	Mr. Shrikant Kishore Civil Servant, Mumbai
12:50 P.M -1:40 P.M	Plenary Address – 1	Dr. Sudhanshu Kumar Jha, Head, Department of History, Central University of South Bihar, Gaya
01:40 P.M -02:30 P.M	Plenary Address - 2	Dr. Mazahar Kibiriya, Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, A.M. College, Gaya
02:30 P.M -03:00 P.M	Q/A Session	
03:00 P.M -03:10 P.M	Vote of Thanks	Dr. Amritendu Ghosal, Assistant Professor, Department of English, A.M College, Gaya

National Anthem