

Three-Day International Webinar: Multidisciplinary Perspective on COVID-19 Pandemic



Date: 8th, 9th and 10th June 2020

Time: IST 12 noon to 2 pm

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DAY1: 8th JUNE 2020; 12-2PM

PANEL-1: BIOMEDICAL ASPECTS OF COVID-19 PANDEMIC

Inauguration: 12 PM

□ **Key note address by Prof. Nimai Chandra Saha, Vice-Chancellor, The University of Burdwan**

□ **Prof. Partha P. Majumder, Professor and Founding Director, National Institute of Biomedical Genomics, Kalyani**

Title of Lecture: The evolution and spread of SARS-CoV-2

□ **Dr. Abhijit Chowdhury, Member, Experts Committee to combat Covid-19, Govt. of West Bengal, Institute of Post Graduate Medical Education & Research, Kolkata**

Title of Lecture: COVID 19- Virus , human being and the health sector Response

□ **Prof. Dhrubajyoti Chattopadhyay, Vice-Chancellor, Sister Nivedita University, Kolkata**

Title of Lecture: Approach towards combating corona virus infection

Moderator: Prof Anupam Basu, Department of Zoology, BU

DAY2: 9TH JUNE 2020; 12-2 PM

PANEL-2: IMPACT OF COVID-19 ON ECONOMY AND SOCIETY

□ **Prof. Kuntala Lahiri-Dutt**, Professor, Crawford School of Public Policy, Australian National University, Canberra, Australia

Title of Lecture: Intersectional Impacts: Women experiencing COVID-19

□ **Kumar Rana**, Research Director, Pratichi Trust of India, Kolkata

Title of Lecture: COVID-19 and Complex Inequalities

□ **Prof. Tathagata Chatterjee**, Professor, Urban Management and Planning, Xavier University, Bhubaneswar, Odisha

Title of Lecture: COVID-19 and City Economy

Moderator: Dr. Bhaskar Goswami, Associate Professor, Department of Economics, BU

DAY3: 10th JUNE 2020; 12-2 PM

PANEL-3: COVID-19 AND EXPERIENCES FROM DEVELOPED AND DEVELOPING COUNTRIES

□ **Dr. Binayak Sen**, Research Director of the Bangladesh Institute of Development Studies (BIDS)—the premier public think-tank of Bangladesh

Title of Lecture: Poverty in the Time of Corona: Pre-existing Vulnerabilities, New Challenges and Possible Policy Responses in the context of Bangladesh

□ **Dr. Sylvie Fanchette**, Director Research, Institute of Research for Development (IRD), University Paris Diderot, France

Title of Lecture: COVID-19 Management in Vietnam: Under the Shadow of China, the Success Story of a Low-Cost Preventive and Tracking policy

□ **Dr. Christophe Z. Guilmoto**, Director Research, CEPED/Institute of Research for Development, University de Paris, France

Title of Lecture: The Age and Sex factors in COVID Mortality: What Available Data Tell us

□ **Vishnu Prasad**, Staff Member, UN Habitat, Myanmar

Title of Lecture: COVID-19 and the right to housing: Perspectives from Myanmar

Moderator: Dr. Anjan Chakrabarti, Associate Professor, HRDC-BU