A One-Day National Level Seminar (Multidisciplinary) on Reconstructing Teacher Education in the Light of NEP 2020 and WBSEP 2023

6th December, Wednesday, 2023

Venue: College Premises, Room No. 107

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Organized by

Department of B.Ed.

In collaboration with

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Acharya Jagadish Chandra Bose College

Affiliated to University of Calcutta and Recognized by NCTE

NAAC Accredited

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A Short Profile of the College and the Department of B.Ed.

Acharya Jagadish Chandra Bose College, founded on 10th August, 1968, had its root in the form of the twin colleges—Birla College of Science & Birla College of Education, actually as Birla School of Education (Teacher’s Training College) set up together under the management of Birla Group in the name of Vidyamandir Society, simultaneously affiliated to the University of Calcutta in 1969 with effect from the session 1968-1969. The two Institutions were amalgamated into one college under the name of Birla College of Science and Education in the same year. It was renamed as Acharya Jagadish Chandra Bose College with effect from 1st July, 1987. The college was affiliated by the U.G.C. under Act 2f and 12(B) in the year 1968 and also recognized by National Council for Teacher Education [N.C.T.E.] for its B.Ed. course since 1995. In the year 2009, the College has been accredited by National Assessment & Accreditation Council (NAAC).

The Dept. of B.Ed. of the college is one of the eldest and prestigious departments of Teacher Education in the state. Throughout the state of West Bengal, other states of India as well as several countries all over the world its alumni have been gracing as teachers or administrators. At present the department itself has three such alumni as teachers, besides others belonging to other departments of the college.
About the Seminar

Achievement of everything depends upon proper policy framework and its implementation at the right earnest. Achievement of right type of education also cannot ignore this perspective. After the introduction of the concept of universalization of education during the British period education policies have been framed and reframed as per the need of the concerned times. National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 is such a policy basically having its precedence in the first National Policy on Education (NPE) of India 1968, the second NPE 1986, Programme of Action (PoA) 1992. The transition from NPE to NEP has to be studied objectively to see if the rechristening is a mere ploy to enjoy political hegemony or NEP 2020 is something extraordinary ensuring its drastic impact upon the education of India that is required to keep pace with the educational pace of the world at large in relation to the changes taking place in the society, economy, polity and technology in consonance with the aspiration of the emerging India. The suggestions and recommendations of NEP 2020 are intended to realise massive reshuffling of Indian education system at all levels. But everything depends upon how school education delivers itself. And, due to a significant correlation between school education and teacher education indirectly teacher education ultimately becomes the deciding factor in ensuring the implementation of whatever is suggested in NEP 2020. If Human Resource Development (HRD) index is deemed to be the main indicator of the developmental index of a nation then teachers form the base of HRD. Then axiomatically enough teacher education forms the pivot of every educational system. Hence, the analysis of NEP should start with its prospective impact upon teacher education and the role of teacher education in enabling us realizing the prospects and aspiration as reflected in NEP 2020. The seminar is intended to elaborate upon different dimensions of NEP 2020 concerning teacher education with the ultimate objective of ensuring the prevalence of constitutional provisions of JUSTICE, LIBERTY, EQUALITY, FRATERNITY in relation to the prevailing global concept of sustainable development. Hence, though, the title of the seminar seems to exclusively relate to Teacher Education in the context of NEP 2020 and WBSEP 2023 it is going to be basically multidisciplinary or inclusive in nature as to be verified with the proposed sub-themes below with a view to ensuring participation from varying disciplines and domains.

Objectives of the Seminar

- In relation to the topic of the seminar it is intended to:
  - Enlighten about the objectives behind NEP ‘20 & WBSEP ‘23
  - Encourage discourse on New Education Policy
  - Elaborate upon the impact of NEP ‘20 on Teacher Education
  - Answer questions regarding the implications of NEP on Teacher Education
  - Discuss the challenges ahead in implementing NEP at all levels of education
  - Update the relevance of NEP ‘20 with teacher education
  - Empower the stakeholders with the innovative ideas and best practices being followed in teaching-learning and teacher education
  - Realise a complementary relationship between School Education and Teacher Education
  - Realise a complementary relationship between Teacher Education and Higher Education of other areas
  - Enlighten about the strategies to develop human resources
Theme: Reconstructing Teacher Education in the Light of NEP 2020 and WBSEP 2023

Subthemes:
1. Innovative Teaching Strategies and Student Engagement.
2. Use of ICT in Teacher Education
4. Transforming School Education through ITEP
5. Introduction to Curriculum and Pedagogy in Schools
6. Impact of Teacher Education in Ensuring Equity and Inclusion
7. Re-imagining Vocational Education and Role of Teachers
8. Quality Enhancement in Teacher Education
10. Role & Responsibilities of NCTE in Implementing NEP ‘20
11. Professional Ethics in Teacher Education.
12. Role & Responsibilities of IQAC of TEIs as Per NEP ‘20.
13. Rethinking School Internship
14. Personality Development through Teacher Education Programme.
15. Promoting Multilingualism & Language Teaching
16. Role of Teachers in Transforming Society.
17. Pre-Service and In-service Teacher Education Programme
18. NEP ‘20 & NAAC accreditation of TEIs
19. Discipline Specific Concepts of Curriculum
20. Discipline Specific Teaching Strategies
21. Relation between School Education and Teacher Education
22. Relation between Teacher Education and Higher Education
23. New Research Areas in Teacher Education
24. Influence of Language Policy on Curriculum Construction
25. Role of the Composite Institutes in Enhancing Teacher Education
26. NEP ’20: A Continuation of or Segregation from Previous Educational Committees and Commissions
27. Rethinking Early Childhood Education
28. Rethinking Primary and Upper Primary Education
29. Rethinking Secondary and Higher Secondary Education
30. Rethinking Higher Education

Any other topic related to the seminar theme with reference to NEP 2020 & WBSEP 2023 and educational policies of the other states or union territories of India.
Chief Patron
Dr. Purna Chandra Maity
Principal
Acharya Jagadish Chandra Bose College

Keynote Speaker
Prof. Marmar Mukhopadhyay,
Director,
Educational Technology and Management Academy, New Delhi

Guest Speaker
Dr. Bijan Sarkar
Professor,
Dept. of Education, University of Kalyani

Chairperson Technical Session I
Dr. Debasri Banerjee
Professor
Dept. of Education, University of Calcutta

Chairperson Technical Session II
Dr. Sudeshna Lahiri
Professor
Head, Dept. of Education, University of Calcutta
Target Groups

Teachers, research scholars, students of colleges & universities, educational administrators etc.

Fees to be paid as per the following table:

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* Poster presentation will be done offline only.

Details will be provided on WhatsApp groups provided at the end of google registration form. E-certificates for Online Participants and Hardcopy for Offline Participants will be issued only after the payment of the requisite fees wherever applicable and also after filling in the feedback form after completion of the Seminar.

Participants can proceed to Register themselves only after payment of requisite fees whichever is applicable. The screenshot or receipt has to be attached at the end of registration form.

Registration Link: [https://forms.gle/fUW6JQUXXwGETacF8](https://forms.gle/fUW6JQUXXwGETacF8)

For more updates join our WhatsApp groups accordingly. You will get the links after successful registration and payment of requisite fees. Responding positively to the requests of the would be participants, the seminar related events are rescheduled as mentioned below:

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Note: Those participating under the category of ‘Participation, Presentation and Publication’ shall be required to pay an initial amount of Rs. 500/- for Online Participation and Rs. 800/- for Offline Participation however the due amount for publication has to be paid after the acceptance of full paper. Intimation for the same will be given later on.

Payment Details

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Your valued paper will be published with ISBN. To be eligible for publication the manuscript should be prepared maintaining the following suggested format:

• Title of the paper, Name, Designation, Affiliation/College/Uni./Industry, Contact Number and Email address.
• Name of the author should be in font size of 12 and affiliation in font size 11.
• Title of the paper should be in font size of 14 and should be centrally aligned.
• Abstract of approximately 250-300 words with 3-5 keywords at the end of the abstract. The word limit for final paper is 3000 including abstract. The abstract has to be attached with the Registration Form on or before 10th November, 2023, 04:00 P.M. The full paper is to be sent on or before 06th December, 2023, 04:00 P.M. through the Email ID nat.seminar2023@gmail.com.
• The paper will be reviewed critically by the editorial board and the authors will be intimated through email regarding eligibility of the publication of their articles in the book with ISBN.
• Papers can be submitted in English, Bengali and Hindi—the only languages being dealt with in the department.
• Font for English: font size 12, Font-Times New Roman, for Bengali and Hindi Font-Kalpurush, Unicode (Avro) and Krutidev 10 respectively.
• Line spacing should be 1.5.
• Paper should be submitted in MS-Word Format.
• All the tables and diagrams should be appropriate in number and to be provided at the end of the paper.
• All reference should follow latest APA style.
* Submission of declaration form is compulsory for publication. (Download, print, fill in, sign, scan and send).

Link for downloading the Declaration form:
https://drive.google.com/file/d/13fDUCFs762mA123rnYMxxZSVdiTE_iUE/view?usp=drive_link

Guidelines for Paper/ Poster Presentation

Presenters will have to present their paper within the time to be fixed at the time of presentation. If the numbers of presenters reach to a certain extent, multiple platforms may be used for parallel sessions. Links will be sent to the concerned emails/WhatsApp Groups for the online presenters. Poster presenters will also have to submit Abstract. They will have to demonstrate the theme through poster and have to explain the same, if required. The full paper, if any, will has to relate to the theme of the poster.

Specification of the Poster:
Size: 16”x20”; Word Limit: Maximum 100 Words; Font: Times New Roman

Organizing Committee

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*Any changes in any item, as stated earlier, will be intimated accordingly.*

**Tentative Programme Schedule**

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<td>Speech by IQAC coordinator, Dr. Shampa Khasnobis</td>
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---11.15 a.m.-11.30 a.m. **Tea Break**---

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<td>Key Note address, 'Reconstructing Teacher Education' by honourable speaker Prof. (Dr.) Marmar Mukhopadhyay</td>
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**4.30 p.m.-5.00 p.m. Valedictory Session**

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<td>Vote of thanks by Dr. Satyajit Dhara, Convener of the Seminar</td>
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