



# Shia P. G. College, Lucknow



## NATIONAL WEBINAR

### On "Inequality of Opportunities and Challenges to Democracy"

by

e-content and e-learning Committee

16-17 May  
2020

### Inaugurated by



**Prof. Alok Kumar Rai**  
Vice Chancellor,  
University of Lucknow

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### Key Speakers

- **Prof. Ravi Srivastava**  
(CSRD, JNU)
- **Mr. Sanat Kumar Singh**  
(Govt. of Uttrakhand)
- **Prof. Ali Mehdi**  
(BHU)
- **Prof. Kameshwar Choudhary**  
(BBAU)
- **Dr. Prashant Kumar Trivedi**  
(GIDS)
- **Dr. Gauhar Raza**  
(Scientist)

### Papers are invited

— For Free Registration —

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### About the Webinar

The most Democracies are failing to provide the conditions in which their citizens can thrive, often by a large margin. As a result, an individual's opportunities in life remain tethered to their socio-economic status at birth, entrenching historical inequalities. This is a major problem not only for the individual, but also society. As a result, anything that undermines the best allocation of talent and impedes the accumulation of human capital may significantly hamper growth. Poor social mobility coupled with inequality of opportunity underpin these frictions, suggesting that if the level of social mobility were increased, it could act as a lever to economic growth. This allows us to enable effective comparisons throughout regions and generations.

### Sub themes of the Webinar

- Globalization, inequality in opportunities and democratic discontent
- Inequality in opportunities: Historical and sociological perspective with special reference to Caste System
- Equal opportunities in Democratic system of India: Constitutional Protection
- Inequalities : Science and Technology



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#### Programme Schedule

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##### Inaugural Session

- 10:30 - Welcome Address by  
**Mr. Abbas Murtaza Shamsi**, Hon'ble Manager
- 10:40 - Inaugural Address by  
**Prof. A. K. Rai**, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor,  
University of Lucknow
- 11:00 - Gratitude Address by  
**Maulana Yasoob Abbas**, Secretary, Majlis-e-Ulema
- 11:15 - Key Note Address by  
**Prof. Ravi Srivastava** (CSR, JNU)
- 11:40 - Address by Panel Expert  
**Mr. Sanat Kumar Singh**, Govt. of Uttarakhand
- 12:05 - Presidential Address by  
**Prof. Aziz Haider**, President (B.O.T)
- 12:15 - Vote of Thanks by **Prof. Talat Husain Naqvi**, Principal

##### Technical Session - 1 (1:30 pm to 2:30 pm)

Panel Experts

- **Prof. Kameshwar Choudhary** (BBAU)  
Globalization, inequality in opportunities  
and democratic discontent

##### Interaction and Paper Presentation

##### Technical Session - 2 (3:00 pm to 4:30 pm)

Panel Experts

- **Prof. Ali Mehdi** (BHU)  
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##### Technical Session-3 (11: 30 am to 1:00 pm)

Panel experts

- **Dr. Gauhar Raza**, Scientist  
Inequalities : Science and Technology

##### Interaction and papers presentation

##### Technical Session-4 (1:30 am to 2:30 pm)

Panel experts

- **Dr. Prashant Kumar Trivedi** (GIDS)  
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perspective with special reference to Caste System

##### Interaction and papers presentation

##### Valedictory Session - 3:30 pm onwards

##### Release of E-Souvenir

Last date for sending Abstract - 14 may 2020

Abstract/Papers can be in English/Hindi

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