

Department of English
P.G.D.A.V. College

Trajectories of Popular Culture and Globalization

A Report

The Department of English organized a short-term online course on "Trajectories of Popular Culture and Globalization" which was open for students, research scholars and teachers from colleges and universities of India. This course was designed to create critical literacy about new expressions of popular culture. The course enabled the participants to understand the shifts in the imaginations amongst the youth in India, particularly in relation to gender, nation, culture and the category of otherness. The objective of the course was to create smart and critical consumers, creators and participants of popular culture. The course equipped the participants with domain knowledge and skills to go in for film appreciation, advertising industry, media and journalism. We covered all the major aspects and forms of popular culture.

Duration

The certificate course was of 30-hours duration. There were 3-hours of live online sessions every day for 10 days over Google Meet. The sessions were held from 27th September 2021- 8th October, 2021. The inaugural session was addressed by Professor Raj Kumar, Our principal. Professor Krishna Sharma, addressed the participants in the valedictory session. Six students shared their experiences of attending the course in the valedictory session.

Course Fee

A registration fee of Rs. 300/- was taken from each participant. Sixty participants registered for the course.

Resource Persons

Names	Affiliation	Hours
Prof. Raj Kumar	Professor, Department of English, University of Delhi	1.30
Prof. Christel Devadawson	Professor, Department of English, University of Delhi	1.30

Dr. Saroj Kumar Mahamanda	Associate Professor, Department of English, Jamia Millia Islamia Delhi	1.30
Mr. Amit Bharadwaj	Journalist, India Today	1.30
Dr. Parmod Mehta	Professor, IGNOU New Delhi	
Dr. Ved Prakash	Assistant Professor, Department of English, Central University of Rajasthan, Rajasthan.	1.30
Dr. Sanjib Kumar Baishya	Associate Professor, Department of English, Zakir Hussain College (Evening)	1.30
Dr. Gianjali Chawla	Associate Professor, Department of English, Maharaja Agrasen College	1.30
Dr. Mithuraj Dhusya	Associate Professor, Department of English, Hansraj College	1.30
Dr. Sanjay Kumar	Associate Professor, Department of English, Hansraj College	1.30
Sh. Sachin Nirmala Narayan	Associate Professor, Department of English, Dyal Singh College	1.30
Dr. Vinod Verma	Associate Professor, Department of English, Maharaja Agrasen College	3
Dr. Rituparna Sengupta	Ph.D. Scholar Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, IIT Delhi	1.30

Internal Resource Persons

Name	Affiliation	Hours
Dr. Urvashi Sabu	Associate Professor, Department of English, PGDAV College	1.30
Dr. Mukesh Kumar Bairwa	Associate Professor, Department of English, PGDAV College	1.30
Dr. Vishal Chauhan	Associate Professor, Department of History, PGDAV College	1.30
Dr. Rimjhim Sharma	Associate Professor, Department of History, PGDAV College	1.30