ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES DURING THE SESSION (2008-2009)

1. Special Lecture Series

We started special lecture series since the academic session 2008-2009, where the experts from different parts of India are invited to deliver lectures related to myriad issues of social exclusion with a view to not only promoting academic discourses but also sensitizing the common masses alongwith the teaching community with the issues connected with various sites of exclusion such as Gender, Minorities, Caste, Tribes, Aged people and Disabled groups. Following lectures was organized during the academic session 2008-2009.

S.No.	Name of Scholars	Topic	Venue
1.	Prof. Hetukar Jha, Patna	Hindu Liberalism vs. Hindu orthodoxy: Review of Ideological Disputation regarding Social Exclusion	7 th Feb. 2009 H.N. Tripathi Hall, BHU
2.	Prof. Susan Vishwanathan, New Delhi	Peasantry and Questions of Exclusion and Inclusion	13 th Feb. 2009 H.N. Tripathi Hall, BHU
3.	Prof. T.K. Oommen, New Delhi	Historicity of Exclusion and the Imperative of Inclusion	30 th March 2009 K.N. Udupa Hall, BHU

2. Orientation Programme

S.No.	Name of Scholars	Topic	Date and Venue
1.	Prof. E. Rodrigues University of Mumbai, Mumbai	Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy: Gender perspectives	23 rd Feb. 2009
2.	Dr. Anil K. Verma D.A.V College, Kanpur	Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy: Dalit perspectives	CWSD Hall, BHU

Participants: Postgraduate and research scholars from various faculties of BHU and out side

3. Workshop: For framing the syllabus of M. Phil in Subaltern Studies (24th to 26th February 2009) Venue Dept. of Psychology, BHU Participants

Prof. Rakesh Chandra, Institute of Women Studies, Lucknow University, Lucknow

Prof. S.N. Jha, CPS, JNU, New Delhi

Prof. A.K. Kaul, Dept. of Sociology, BHU

Prof. R.P. Pathak, Dept. of Political Science, BHU

Prof. A.B. Singh, Dept. of Sociology, BHU, VNS

Prof. R.R.Jha, Dept. of Political Science, BHU

Dr. M. Govind, Centre for Study of Science Policy, JNU, New Delhi

Dr. Nisha Srivastava, Dept. of Economics, Allahabad Univeristy, Allahabad

Dr. Divya Pandey, Dept. of English, Lucknow University, Lucknow

Dr. Smita Verma, Dept. of Sociology, I.T. College, Lucknow University, Lucknow

Dr. Binda Paranjape, Dept. of History, BHU

Dr. B.K. Chaudhary, Dept. of Geography, MMV, BHU

Dr. V.N. Pandey, PRO, BHU

Dr. N.K. Mishra, Dept. of Economics, BHU

Dr. Ranjana Sheel, Dept. of History, BHU

Dr. Sanjay Srivastava, Dept. of Political Science, BHU

Dr. A Gangatharan, Dept. of History, BHU

Dr. Rakesh Raman, Dept. of Economics, BHU

4. Unstructured Dialogue on Issues of Social Exclusion (23rd to 25th March 2009, IT Electronic Seminar Hall, BHU).

This was organized in order to have the different view points from myriad cultural, social, political-legal, economic and academic background. These view points provided us a powerful conceptual framework to explain and analyse critically the various issues related to social exclusion experienced in developing countries.

Resource persons

Prof. K.L. Sharma, VC, Jaipur National University, Jaipur.

Prof. A.K. Jain, Dean, FSS, BHU presided the Inaugural Session.

Prof. Imtiaz Ahmad, CPS, JNU, New Delhi

Prof. Om Gupta, J. N. Institute of Management Sciences, New Delhi.

Prof. R.P. Singh, Dept. of Rural Development, IGNOU, New Delhi.

Prof. Y. China Rao, Programme for Studies in Discrimination & Exclusion, JNU, New Delhi

Prof. A. Ramaiha, TATA, CSSEIP, TISS, Mumbai

Prof. S.N. Upadhyaya, Director, I.T. BHU chair the valedictory session

Prof. RP Singh, Sagar University, M.P.

Dr. B.S. Butola, CRD, JNU, New Delhi

Dr. T.N. Jha, General Manager, NABARD, Patna

Dr. Rahul Ramagundam, Dr. K.R. Narayanan Centre for Dalit Minorities Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia University, New Delhi

Dr. Ashok Pankaj, Institute for Human Development, New Delhi

Shri Rakesh Mittal, IAS delivered the Valedictory Session

Participants: Teachers, students, media persons, NGOs, police, bureaucrats and social workers.



Prof. Hetukar Jha, Patna in a special lecture on 7th Feb. 2009



Prof. E. Rodrigues & Dr. Anil K. Verma in an Orientation Programme on dated 23.02.2009



Unstructured Dialogue on Issues of Social Exclusion (23rd to 25th March 2009, IT Electronic Seminar Hall, BHU).



Prof. T.K. Oommen, JNU, New Delhi in a special lecture on 30th March 2009
