

**INDIA FROM PREHISTORY TO MEDIEVAL:
SOURCES AND METHODS**

**THREE DAY
ONLINE WORKSHOP
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WORKSHOP THEME

Indian Subcontinent is geographically extensive and has various cultural traits spanning from 1.5 million years with regional diversities. Ecology, climate and subsistence factors have made predominance in the line of cultural evolution signalled in the form of cultural materials such as tools, art, architecture and literature. Hence, archaeological and historical sources and the research methods employed are critical to cyclical reviews for new findings that can assist in the systematic reconstruction of the past for future prospects. In this process, advancing on suitable methods and tapering primary sources becomes a useful tool to access data on past demographic features. Such as tools production, animal and plant farming, economy, trade, architecture, urbanisation, coinages, epigraphs, literature and historiographies are indeed imperative of this workshop aimed for the students of history and archaeology.

WORKSHOP OBJECTIVES

- To introduce and update the students and researchers on primary sources and methods developed in the field of history and archaeology, and to help them to identify current research problems in Indian studies.
- To provide a platform for early-career researchers/faculties to interface with expert scholars.

TOPICS & RESOURCE PERSONS

Historiographical Schools and their Applications: Annales Historiography and Reconstruction of Cultural History of Medieval Deccan

Dr Varsha Shirgaonkar

Professor (retd.)
Department of History, Former Head
S.N.D.T. Women's University, Mumbai

Research Methodology in History

Dr Rekha Pande

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Role of Inscriptions and Coins in Reconstructing India's Past

Dr Abhijit Dandekar

Associate Professor, Dept. of AIHC & Archaeology
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Museums in Education: New Dynamics and Significances

Dr Vishi Upadhyay

Curatorial Associate, Bihar Museum, Patna
Department of Art, Culture and Youth
Government of Bihar, Bihar

**Architectural Motifs in Pala-Sena Art of Bengal
(c. 8th -13th century CE)**

Prof. Sudipa Ray Bandyopadhyay

Dept. of Ancient History and Culture
University of Calcutta, Kolkata

**Veeragals (hero stones): Methodological Insights
into reconstructing their Identities**

Dr Vrushab Mahesh and Dr Rohitha Eswer

Assistant Professor
Dept. of Archaeology and Ancient History
The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda, Baroda

Early Historic Economy in Tamizhagam

Dr V Selvakumar

Associate Professor
Dept. of Maritime History and Marine Archaeology
Tamil University, Thanjavur

**Reconstructing Indian Past Using Stone Tools
and Rock Art**

Dr Parth Chauhan

Assistant Professor
Dept. of Humanities & Social Sciences
Indian Institute of Science Education & Research,
Mohali

**Archaeology of the Neolithic Northeast India:
Daojali Hading and Beyond**

Dr Manjil Hazarika

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Department of Archaeology
Cotton University, Guwahati

Human and Animal Interactions in the Indus Valley Civilization: Recent Studies and New Insights

Dr Arati Deshpande - Mukherjee

Assistant Professor, Dept. of AIHC & Archaeology
Deccan College Post Graduate and Research Institute,
Pune

Registration is open from June 08-12, 2020

REGISTRATION DETAILS

Fill the Google Form on the link below or scan QR code. The workshop has limited seats (max. 90) and shortlisted based on slots available for students, PhD students/ researchers and faculty. Keep the screenshot/copy of your ID to attach with the registration form.



<https://forms.gle/HDvho4GUUoyziERs6>

MODE OF WORKSHOP

On Google Meet, log in details and links will be sent on 15 June 2020. Abstracts and reading materials will be accessed on Google Cloud/ Google Drive. E-certificates shall be issued, followed by the submission of FeedBack form after the successful completion of the workshop.

Programme schedule, abstracts, login credentials are sent only to the shortlisted participants.

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