



National Seminar



On

Sri Aurobindo's Philosophy and Its Future Prospects

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**Department of Philosophy
Tripura University, Suryamaninagar, Tripura**

Venue: **MBB Auditorium, Tripura University**

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Prof. Ganga Prasad Prasain
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Prof. Mohan Debbarma
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The University: Tripura University started its journey in 1976 as the Post Graduate Wing of Calcutta University. In 1987, Tripura University formally came into its existence as a State University. In the year 2007 finally it was converted into a Central University. The University is dedicated to the cause of developing and empowering the people of Tripura and others by imparting quality education and technological innovations in the field of academic and research activities with implementing National Education Policy 2020. The University campus is located near about 18 km away from the Agartala Airport and 5 km from Agartala Railway Station towards the south. Welcome to Tripura University, where tradition meets innovation!

The Department: The Department of Philosophy under Tripura University was established in the year 1994 with a vision for providing value based education to promote the building up of character and positive thinking in youths and prepare them as future Philosophers/Teachers/Researchers etc. for contributing significantly to the development of state and the nation at large. Presently, the department is offering IMD, M.A. and Ph.D. programmes in philosophy.

How to reach: Agartala is well connected with Silchar, Guwahati, Deoghar, Kolkata, Bangalore, Allahabad, Kanpur and Delhi by Train. The City is also connected with Kolkata, Hyderabad, Chennai, Guwahati, Bangalore, Shillong, Lucknow, Varanasi, Patana and Delhi by air.

Concept Note: Sri Aurobindo, the great spiritual teacher, the prophet of nationalism and the lover of humanity was born on the

15th August, 1872 in Calcutta an hour before sunrise. He was well educated and a modern visionary thinker. Sri Aurobindo mentioned the aims for which he was working i.e. *first*, India's freedom and her unity; *second*, the liberation of Asian colonies; *third*, the rise of a new, a greater, brighter and nobler role for mankind; *fourth*, the gift by India of her spiritual knowledge and *fifth*, a new step in the evolution to solve the many problems of existence. His dreams are being fulfilled: India is free; Asia has risen; human race is being unified. The spiritual evolution of mankind is yet a distant goal but here so much progress is being made. Sri Aurobindo wants to solve the challenge of the present age through implementing the spiritual oneness among the society. We can realize love, brotherhood, peace and bliss through it and also the divinity within us. By it we can lead a divine life on earth.

The main **objective of the seminar** is to analyse and strengthen the philosophy of Sri Aurobindo and explore its relevance for today and tomorrow in India and abroad.

Sub-themes: The theme of the seminar is divided into several sub-themes as flows:

- Integral Yoga of Sri Aurobindo.
- Integral Advaitism of Sri Aurobindo.
- Sri Aurobindo's Theory of Evolution.
- Sri Aurobindo's Concept of Humanism.
- Sri Aurobindo towards World Unity.
- Sri Aurobindo and Spirituality.
- Sri Aurobindo and Environment.
- Educational Thought of Sri Aurobindo.
- Spiritual Nationalism of Sri Aurobindo.
- Sri Aurobindo's Concept of Integral Knowledge.
- Relevance of Sri Aurobindo's Philosophy.

Any other topic related to the main theme of the seminar.

Organising Committee (Members):

- Dr. Arup Jyoti Sarma
- Dr. Bhupesh Debbarma
- Dr. Sindhu Poudyal
- Dr. Rakhi Sutradhar

Invitees:

- Chief Guest & Inaugurator:
Prof. Ganga Prasad Prasain, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Tripura University.
- Guest of Honour: Prof. Deepak Sharma, Registrar, Tripura University.
- Guest of Honour: Prof. Sukhendu Debbarma, Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences, Tripura University.
- Special Guest: Prof. Sachchidananda Mishra, Member Secretary, ICPR, New Delhi.
- Keynote Addressee: Prof. Nirmalaya Narayana Chakraborty, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Presidency University, Kolkata.
- Resource Person: Prof. Madhucchanda Sen, Jadavpur University, Kolkata.
- Resource Person: Prof. A. D. Sharma, Dr. H.G.Vishwavidyalaya, Sagar, M.P.
- Resource Person: Prof. Ananda Mishra, BHU, Varanasi, U.P.
- Resource Person: Prof. L. Bishwanath Sharma, Manipur University, Imphal, Manipur.

Accommodation & TA:

All participants (excepting the invited resource persons) will have to bear their travel and accommodation expenses. However, accommodation may be arranged for interested participants on payment basis.

Call for Papers:

Original and unpublished research papers are invited from the Academicians, Research scholars and stakeholders all around the nation focusing on the theme and sub themes of the seminar. Papers are to be written in English/ Sanskrit/ Hindi or Bengali version which has to be submitted in soft copy via E-mail and hard copy at the time of presentation.

Paper style sheet:

The following points should be kept in mind while submitting the full length paper.

- ❖ Abstracts should be limited in 300 words along with Title, Aim and Keywords.
- ❖ Total length of the Full Paper should not be more than 3000 words.
- ❖ Paper must be in A4 size format, 12 font size, 1.5 spacing, and 1.0 margin, MS Word, Times New Roman font.
- ❖ Footnotes should be given at end of the paper in APA style.

E-mail id for sharing the Abstract and Full Length Paper: satyadevamishra@gmail.com

Important Dates:

Last date for submission of Abstract: **20/11/2024.**

Last date for submission of Full Length Paper:

25/11/2024.

Last date for submission of Registration form:

28/11/2024.

Registration Fee: No Registration Fee.

Publication: Selected full length papers will be published with ISBN in the form of book for which author will not hold any copyright. Regarding selection of papers for publishing, decision of Review Committee shall be final and binding.

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