

## Philosophy Department 2021

The Philosophy Association of Kamala Nehru College organised an informal open session on 20 th January via online platform i.e. google meet. The session was aimed at clearing queries and confusions of the freshers. An Open session for the batch of 2020-2023 was organised by The Philosophy Association on 3 rd February ,2021 to address their issues via online platform google meet. An Open session for the batch of 2020-2023 was organised by The Philosophy Association on 10th April,2021 to address their issues via online platform google meet. The Philosophy Department of Kamala Nehru College released its “Annual Magazine- REFLECTION 2019-2020 ” on 23 rd April 2021: a magazine with stirring philosophical journey with attempts to answer many questions. An Open session for the batch of 2020-2023 was organised by The Philosophy Association on 24th June,2021 via online platform google meet. It was an interactive session with seniors. Farewell- 2021 Department of Philosophy organised a formal Farewell on 28 th July, 2021, via google platform to bid adieu to the batch of 2018-2021. On 29 th July, 2021 The Philosophy Association for the year 2021-22 was formed with new members formally taking the charge to carry the legacy forward. Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan Memorial Lecture Series- 2021 On September 6,2021 The Philosophy Department of Kamla Nehru college organized the ‘Dr.Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan Memorial Lecture’ on 6 th September,2021 to commemorate 133rd birth anniversary of ‘Dr.Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan. This was a formal session and a philosophical interaction with the chief guest Prof. Sundar Sarukkai, held virtually via zoom at 11:30 am The event started by the introduction of the chief guest by the president- Karmita Pandey and vice president- Gunjan Choudhary of the philosophy association afterwards Prof. Sarukkai gave an insight on the various aspects of philosophy and further attended to the questions raised by the audience present. The event ended with a vote of thanks by the Head of department Dr. Geetesh Nirban. “Tete-a-tete” Peer mentoring session – 2021 The Philosophy Department of Kamala Nehru College organised an event ‘Tete-a Tete’ a peer mentoring session from 6 th -7 th oct 2021, via google meet. On the first day of the session our alumni Ms. Aradhana Nayar and Ms Mrinal Sharma gave an insight about the important role that philosophy played in

their respective career and answered the questions that were raised by the students. The second day Ms. Sonam Yangzom joined us for an interactive session and the documentary “becoming Ata Yeshi” was also screened. The sessions ended with a vote of thanks by Dr. Geetesh Nirban.

Orientation Day- 2021 For the Batch of 2021-2024 a formal session was held via zoom on 25 th November,2021to welcome them to the philosophy department, Kamala Nehru college and to introduce the professors and the course to them. Open Session- 2021 An informal ice-breaking session was hosted by the Philosophy Association on December,14,2021. via online platform google meet. It was an effort to answer all the queries of the freshers. The philosophy association held another informal open session with the freshers on Wednesday January 5,2020. Via the platform of google meet at 1pm. The association members cleared doubts that the students were facing. The upcoming activity for the month of January “REFLECTION” was also announced in the session.

Apart from these under the SPARC Project following Lectures were organised by Dr. Geetesh Nirban

Three Bhārata Heroes: Karṇa ~ Bhīṣma ~ Kṛṣṇa in Epic Mahābhārata(Webinar under SPARC project 'Yoga Consciousnessin Mahābhārata and Bhagavadgītā: The Ethical Value for Societal/Political Well-Being')	1/16/2021
From the Lens of Anthropological Archaeology: Mahābhārata, the Present Past in the Western Himalayas (Webinar under SPARC project 'Yoga Consciousnessin Mahābhārata and Bhagavadgītā: The Ethical Value for Societal/Political Well-Being')	23/01/2021
The Narrative of Kṛṣṇa in Mahābhārata and Beyond (Webinar under SPARC project 'Yoga Consciousnessin Mahābhārata and Bhagavadgītā: The Ethical Value for Societal/Political Well-Being')	06/02/2021
The Mahābhārata and Bhagavadgītā in the Teachings of Sri Ramakrishna and Swami Vivekananda(Webinar under SPARC project 'Yoga Consciousnessin Mahābhārata and Bhagavadgītā: The Ethical Value for Societal/Political Well-Being')	09/01/2021
Arjuna's Conflict, Duryodhana's Pain and Krishna's Smile: How Bhagavadgītā and Mahābhārata Contextualises Layered Psychological States Within a Transformative Philosophy of Enlightenment (Webinar under SPARC project 'Yoga Consciousnessin Mahābhārata and Bhagavadgītā: The Ethical Value for Societal/Political Well-Being')	23/01/2021
The Mahābhārata and the Dharmic Double Helix: Epic Wisdom for Modern Life(Webinar under SPARC project 'Yoga Consciousnessin Mahābhārata and Bhagavadgītā: The Ethical Value for Societal/Political Well-Being')	27/02/2021
Stories of Curses and Boons: The Base for the Big Story ‘The Mahābhārata(Webinar under SPARC project 'Yoga Consciousnessin Mahābhārata and Bhagavadgītā: The Ethical Value for Societal/Political Well-Being')	22/03/2021
"Mahābhārata Traditions of Tamil Nadu: Textures of Memory, Textures of Time" in SPARC Webinar titled Yoga Consciousnessin Mahābhārata and Bhagavadgītā: The	10/04/2021

Ethical Value for Societal/Political Well-Being, Philosophy	
Archaeological Investigations at Dwarka and Dvaravati of Mahābhārata (Webinar under SPARC project 'Yoga Consciousness in Mahābhārata and Bhagavadgītā: The Ethical Value for Societal/Political Well-Being')	17/04/2021
Glorifying Kṛṣṇa: A Study of Selected Episodes from Kāśīrāma's Mahābhārata (Webinar under SPARC project 'Yoga Consciousness in Mahābhārata and Bhagavadgītā: The Ethical Value for Societal/Political Well-Being')	01/05/2021
The Universal Applicability of Yoga through the teachings of Paramahansa Yogananda (Webinar under SPARC project 'Yoga Consciousness in Mahābhārata and Bhagavadgītā: The Ethical Value for Societal/Political Well-Being'), Philosophy	19/06/2021
Ethical Values in Mahābhārata in the light of Yoga (Webinar under SPARC project 'Yoga Consciousness in Mahābhārata and Bhagavadgītā: The Ethical Value for Societal/Political Well-Being'), Philosophy	19/06/2021
"Prathama Adhyāya" in SPARC Webinar SAṂJAYA UVĀCA Through the lens of Ganesha, Philosophy	27/06/2021
"Story Session 1- The Myth of Partiality" in SPARC Webinar SAṂJAYA UVĀCA Through the lens of Ganesha, Philosophy	17/07/2021
Sāvitrī: The Timeless Traveler (Webinar under SPARC project 'Yoga Consciousness in Mahābhārata and Bhagavadgītā: The Ethical Value for Societal/Political Well-Being'), Philosophy	04/09/2021
"Philosophical Interaction" in Radhakrishnana Memorial Lecture 2021 Session, Philosophy	06/09/2021