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NOTICE

Sir/ Madam,

A meeting of the Ph.D committee in Sociology will be held on 06.12.2022 at 2pm in blended mode to discuss the following agenda

All members are requested to attain the meeting.

Link for external experts will be intimated later on.

All other members of the Ph.D committee and the candidates are requested to remain present in the department.

With regards,

S.A.H. Moinuddin
Prof. S.A.H Moinuddin,
Secretary,
Ph.D committee in Sociology,
V.U

Agenda:

1. To read out and confirm the proceedings of the last Ph.D committee meeting dated 16.06.2022.
2. Conduction of pre submission Ph.D seminar of Pranay Kanti Das, supervisor Prof. S.A.H Moinuddin, dept of Sociology and preparations of adjudicators panel.
3. Conduction of Ph.D pre-registration seminar of Ms. Shrotriya Dash, supervisor Prof. S.A.H Moinuddin, dept of Sociology.
4. Conduction of Ph.D pre-registration seminar of Mr. Himan Kar, supervisor Prof. S.A.H Moinuddin, dept of Sociology.
5. Conduction of Ph.D pre-registration seminar of Ms. Piyali Mondol, supervisor Prof. S.A.H Moinuddin, dept of Sociology.
6. Misc.

Ph. D. Committee Meeting
in Blended Mode.

6.12.2022

Link: <https://meet.google.com/afj-ktwh-fmw>

Members present

1. Tapan Kumar De 6/12/22
2. Ananta Bhattacharyya 6/12/22
3. S.A.H. Mousumi 6/12/22
4. Prof. (Ret.) Sujata Sen K.U. Journal online
5. Prof. Sushra Basu Mukherjee, C.U. Journal online.
6. Prof. (Ret.) Anbarish Mukherjee V.U. Journal online.

Candidates:

1. Ph.D. Pre-submission Pranam Kanti Das 06/02/2022.
2. Shrotriya Dash (Pre-Registration) Shrotriya Dash 6/12/22
3. Himan Kar " Himan Kar 06/12/22
4. Piyali Mondal " Piyali Mondal 6/12/22

6. Professor Tapan Kumar De, The Dean, Faculty of Arts and Commerce, Vidyasagar University took the chair.

Agenda 1. The proceedings of the last meeting dated 16.06.2022 read out and confirmed along with a resolution in Misc. item:

Further resolved that Shrotriya Das, Himan Kar and Piyali Mondal will undertake Ph.D. work under the supervision of Professor S.A.H. Mousumi, Department of Sociology, Vidyasagar University.

Agenda 2: Conduction of 5000 words pre-submission of Pranam Kanti Das.

The Secretary Ph. D. Committee in Sociology, V.U. placed in the meeting the 5000 words pre-submission Ph.D. Research proposal of Pranam Kanti Das on
" Impact of Globalization on Tribal Society: A Case

Study of Paschim Medinipur" for consideration.

The Ph.D. Committee approved the proposal and ask the candidate to deliver a lecture on his research questions, objectives, methods used and the major findings of his research.

Pranay Kanti Das, the Ph.D. scholar, delivered a lecture on his research objectives & major findings and the members of the Ph.D. Committee asked the follow-up questions and gave suggestions to incorporate and improve his final Ph.D. thesis.

Questions/suggestions by the members of the Ph.D. Committee

Professor Sujata Sen, External Member

1. You should have change your objective to whether globalization have transferred ethnic identity to global identity rather than stating the transformation previously.
2. Your table numbering is not correct, should mention the unit of the variable you are measuring.
3. Your findings should be linked with the impact of globalization.
4. In literature review please mention author's names & year.
5. Chapter should be arranged with the consequence of globalization.
6. Reference should be more,
7. Please check punctuation and grammatical errors.

Professor Ambarish Mukherjee Internal Expert.

1. Where is your rationale for choosing two blocks?
2. Why you have chosen only Lodha Phase establish

logically.

3. How do they perceive the transformation of food habits and drinking? Are these transformations vary due to age?

Professor Suresh Kumar Basu Mukherjee, C.U. External Member.

1. Inclusion criteria should be included.
2. What are the differences you find in Lodha as a tribe?
3. You have not linked the ROL with your analysis. Whether it is negotiating or corroborating.
4. You can link to the theory of N.K. Bose Hindu Method of Tribal absorption.
5. Chapters should be arranged chronologically.
6. Relate the impacts of globalization with the age groups, educational qualification, location, usage of internet. content of intersectorality of Methodology would be clear.
7. Mention specific - identity - religion, festivals, food habits, age, educational qualifications and income.
8. Should mention survey method as adopted method.
9. Random sampling is not appropriate, please add purposive sampling.

Dr. Ananta Bhattacharyya

1. Mention the name of your analytical chapters.
2. Which are the factors that mitigate changes?
3. And theoretical explanation.

Mr. Pranay Kant Das tried to answer all the questions asked by the members of the Ph.D. committee in his final Ph.D. thesis.

It is further decided that Mr. Pranay Kant Das will incorporate the suggestion in consultation with his supervisor and he is allowed & permitted to submit his Ph.D. thesis as per UGC/V.U. rules.

Professor Syed Abdul Hafiz Morsomuddin, supervisor of Pranay Kant Das has placed in the Ph.D. committee meeting the adjudicators list for the examination of his Ph.D. thesis for consideration.

Resolved that the Panel of adjudicators submitted by the supervisor is approved and accepted by the members of the Ph.D. committee and the Secretary of the Ph.D. committee in Sociology is requested to do the needful.

3. Conduction of the pre-Registration Seminar of Shrotriya Dast.

The Secretary, Ph.D. committee in Sociology V.U. placed in the meeting the Ph.D. Research Proposal of Ms. ~~Shrotriya~~ Shrotriya Das on "Understanding nature and Socio-cultural factors behind verbal aggression against women in Social networking" for consideration.

The Ph.D. committee approve the proposal for pre-registration of Shrotriya Dast and ask the candidate to deliver a lecture on her research questions, objectives & methods to be used.

Questions / Suggestions

Professor Sujata Sen

1. Objectives should be very specific and precise.
2. Sources of data should be specifically mentioned.
3. Young adults should be clearly defined.
4. Reference should be arranged alphabetically.

Professor Ambarish Mukherjee

1. How will you gather data?
2. You should disclose your identity.
3. There is a doubt about availability of data.

Professor Sushama Basu Mukherjee

1. You may change the title as Digital Social Platform: Self Representation and Aggression among Young Adults
2. Rearrange the objectives
3. Objective 4 should be at 1, 1 should be 3 and 3 should be 4.
4. Define young adults with one prescribed definition.
5. Sample for case study should be the percentage of 300 respondents. You should absolutely snowball sampling.
6. Don't use the word aggressive in objective.
7. Digital ethnography cannot be done for ethical consideration.

The members of the Ph.D. committee have approved and accorded the acceptance of Ph.D. proposal of Shrestiya Dash with a change in the title:

Digital Social Platform: Self Representation and Aggression among young Adults.

It is further surmised that she will undertake her Ph.D. work under the supervision of Professor S.A.H. Moynish.

Agenda 4 Conduction of pre-Registration Seminar of Himan Kar, U.C. fellow.

The Secretary Ph.D. Committee in Sociology placed in the meeting the Ph.D. research proposal of Himan Kar for pre-registration on "Sociology of Youth Participation in Social Media and its impact on Democracy: A Study in Sibpur, West Bengal" for consideration.

The Ph.D. Committee approved the proposal for pre-registration of Himan Kar and ask the Candidate to deliver a lecture on his research problem,

objective & methodology.

The following queries/suggestions have been made by the members of the Ph.D. Committee

Professor Sujata Sen

1. Correct Chopra's gender in literature review.
2. You should do 150 structured interviews & 20 case study.
3. Rationale should be clear.
4. Research gap is confusing.

Professor Sudeshna Basu Mukherjee

1. Define youth in introduction & maintain the same definition through your thesis.
 2. 3 and 4 objectives should be merged.
 3. Please mention 'Siliguri' instead of 'West Bengal'.
 4. 150 Semi structured interviews can be done & 30 case study.
- * DR. Anamita Bhattacharyya

1. Methods and Methodology is not same.
2. Rationalize your theme with literature review.

The members of the Ph.D. have accorded the acceptance of the Ph.D. Research proposal of Himan Kar with a change in the title:

Sociology of Youth Participation in Social Media & its impact on Democracy: A Study in Siliguri, West Bengal.

It is further surmised that Himan Kar will undertake his Ph.D. work under the supervision of Professor S.A.H. Moiroudi, Dept. of Sociology, V.U.

Agenda 5 : Conduction of Pre-Registration Seminar of Piyali Mondal.

The Secretary Ph.D. Committee in Sociology placed in the Ph.D. Committee meeting the Ph.D. Research proposal of Piyali Mondal for Pre-Registration on "Tenacity of Caste in Modern Day life" for consideration.

The Ph.D. Committee approved the proposal and asked the candidate to deliver a lecture on the research questions/objectives and methods to be used.

Piyali Mondal delivered a lecture on her research proposal and the members of the Ph.D. Committee asked the following questions/suggestions.

Questions/Suggestions

Professor Supata Sen

1. Used relevance instead tenacity.
2. Grammatical, typographic mistakes should be checked.
3. Cite newspapers for mentioned incidents.
4. Arrange the chapters properly.
5. Participant observation is not feasible.
6. Don't use many methods.

Professor Sushama Basu Mukherjee

1. Use the word persistence instead tenacity
2. Please add words like understand, explore & assess.
3. Give sociological definition of caste.
4. Many methods cannot be included.
5. Do survey with in depth interviews or narrative analysis.
6. Don't take as large sample considered it as 200.

Professor Anbarish Mukherjee

1. Should change the title as relevance, importance, significance.
2. Methodology is too ambitious.

The suggestions made by members be incorporated.
The Candidate agreed to incorporate all the suggestions.

The members of the Ph.D. Committee
approved the Research proposal of Piyali Mondal with
a change in the title:

Relevance and Significance of Caste in Modern
Day life.

It is further resolved that Piyali Mondal will
undertake her research under the supervision of
Professor Syed Abdul Hafiz Morimul, Dept. of Sociology,
V.B.

The meeting ended with thanks to the chair.

S.A.H. Morimul
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