

Department of History

Session 2021-22

EVENTS & PROGRAMMES

LECTURES/SEMINARS/WORKSHOPS

1. Seven days National Workshop : [Link](#)

Topic- Historiography: Understanding Perspectives

•Day 1 [Date: 05/10/2021]

E-lecture

Topic : Inauguration

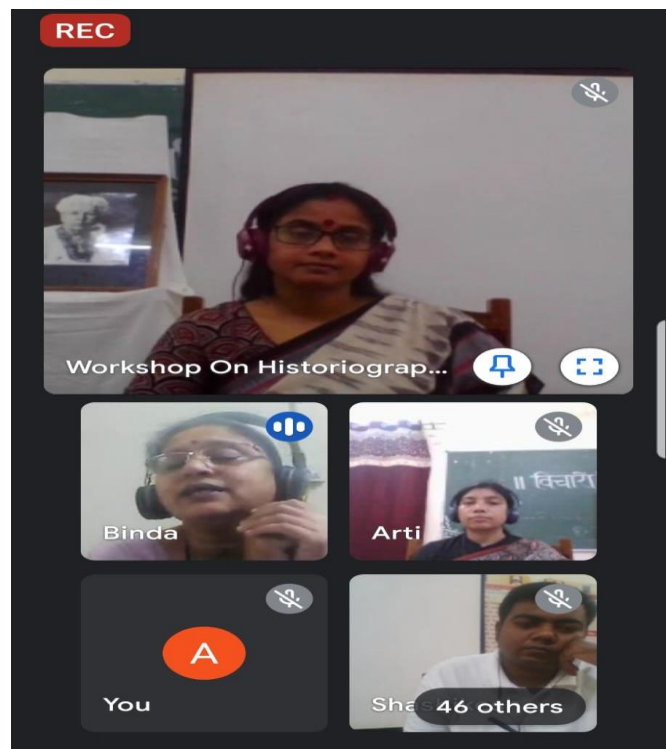
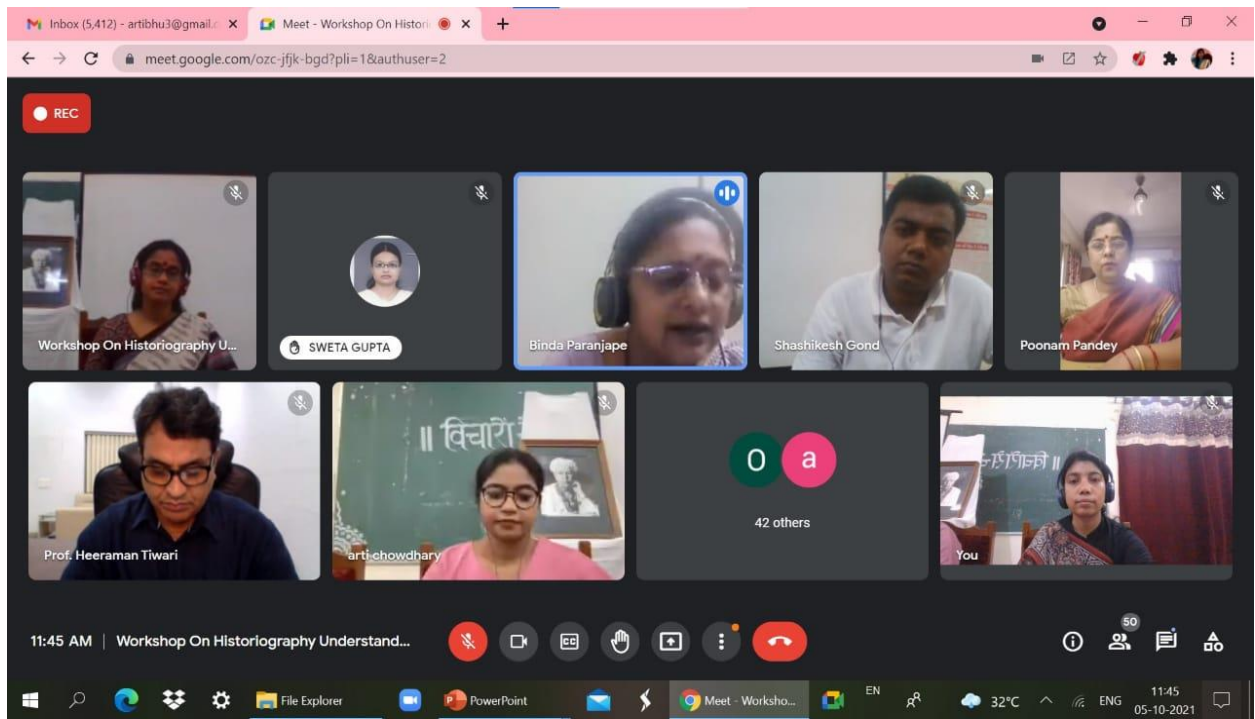
Speaker: Prof. O.N. Singh (Department of AIHC & Archaeology, BHU)

Prof. Keshav Mishra (Head, Department of History, BHU)

Prof. Heeraman Tiwari (Centre of Historical studies, JNU)

Venue: Google Meet

Objective: The department organised a national e- workshop on 'Historiography: Understanding perspective'. Prof. Omkar Nath Singh(Dept. Of AIHC & Arch., BHU), Prof. Heeraman Tiwari of Centre for Historical Studies, JNU) and Prof. Keshav Mishra(Dept. Of History, BHU) inaugurated the session.



•Day 2 [Date: 06/10/2021]

E-lecture

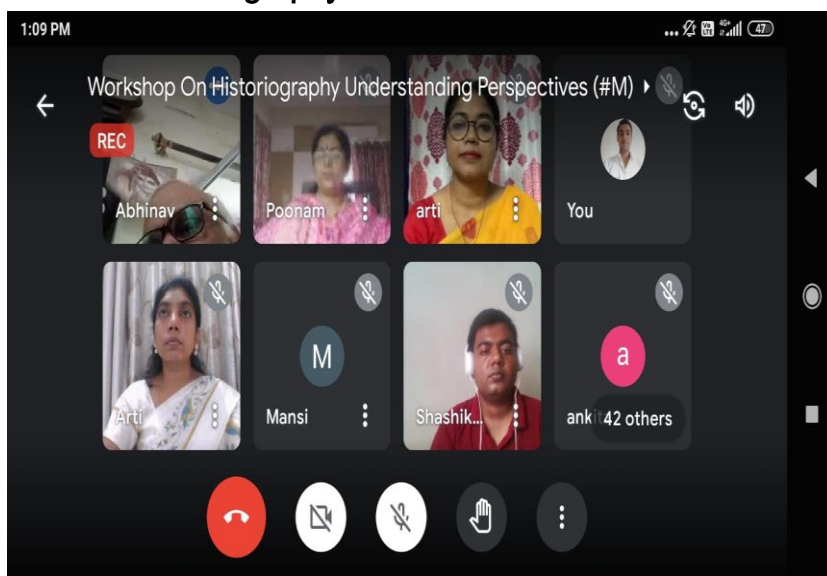
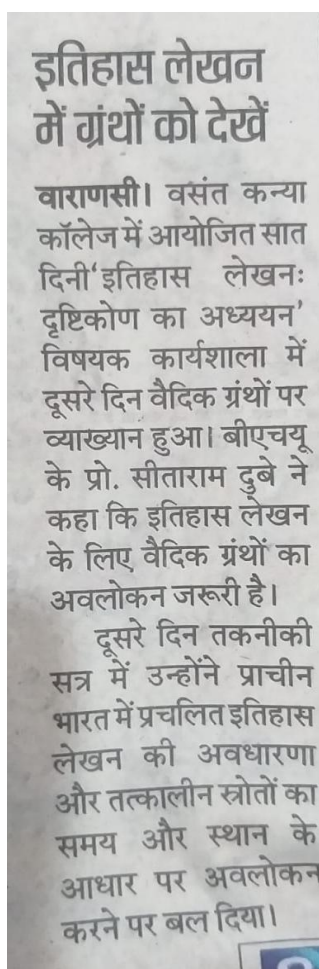
Topic : Ancient Indian Historiography

Speaker: Prof. Sitaram Dubey (Department of AIHC & Archaeology ,BHU)

Prof. Brinda Paranjape (Department of History, BHU)

Venue: Google Meet

Objective: In this session Prof. Sitaram Dubey and Prof. Brinda Paranjape highlighted the importance of ancient historiography of India and listed down some valuable historians of ancient times. Also they explained about the significant contribution of Kalhana and his writing Rajtarangini in ancient Indian historiography.



•Day 3 [Date: 07/10/2021]

E-lecture

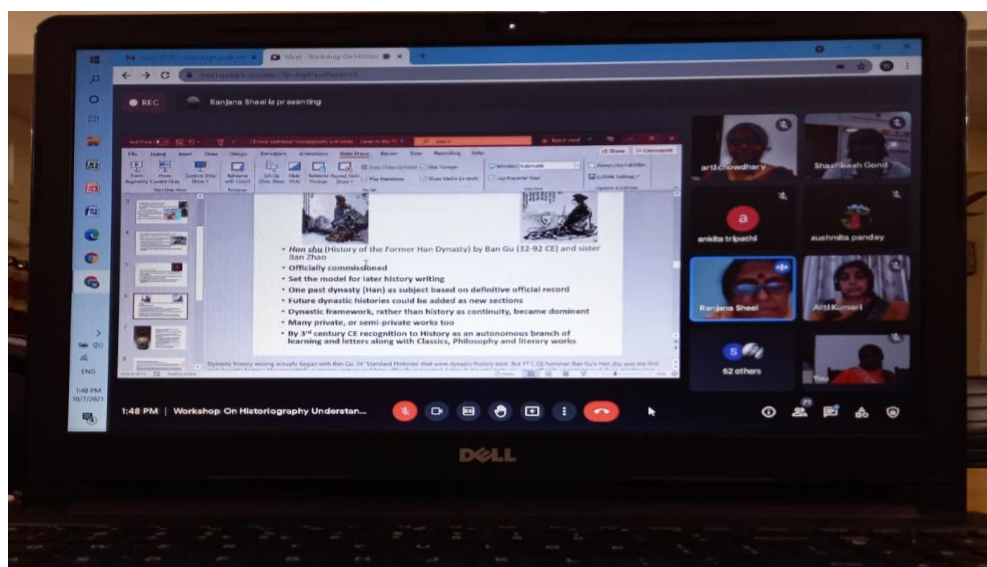
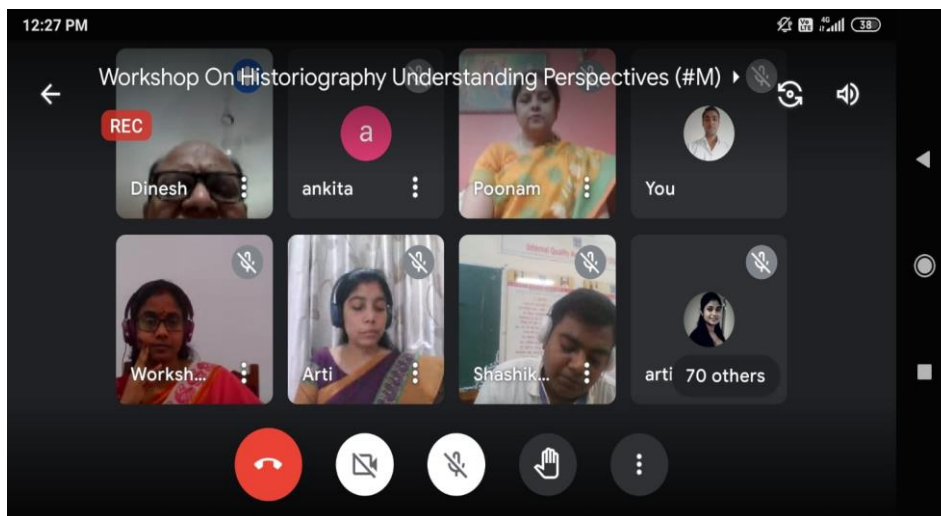
Topic: Greco Roman Historiography & Chinese historiography

Speaker: Prof. Dinesh Kumar Ojha (Department of AIHC & Archaeology, BHU)

Prof. Ranjana Sheel (Department of History, BHU)

Venue: Google Meet

Objective: In this session Prof. Dinesh Kumar and Prof. Ranjana Sheel discussed about the historiographical significance of Greco- Roman historians. They also highlighted the historical techniques and substantial nature of Greco- Roman historians.



•Day 4 [Date: 08/10/2021]

E-lecture

Topic: Medieval Historiography

Speaker: Prof. Tabir Kalam (Department of History, BHU)

Venue: Google Meet

Objective: In this session Prof. Tabir Kalam discussed the most prominent historians of medieval Indian history. He also put light on how historiography of Indian history started taking a turn during medieval period. From mythological phase of history writing in ancient India, it emerged into more rational phase under Muslim rule.



•Day 5 [Date:09/10/2021]

E-lecture

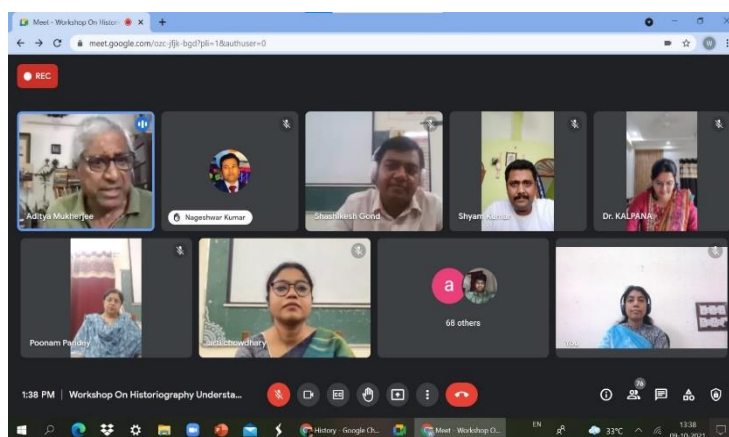
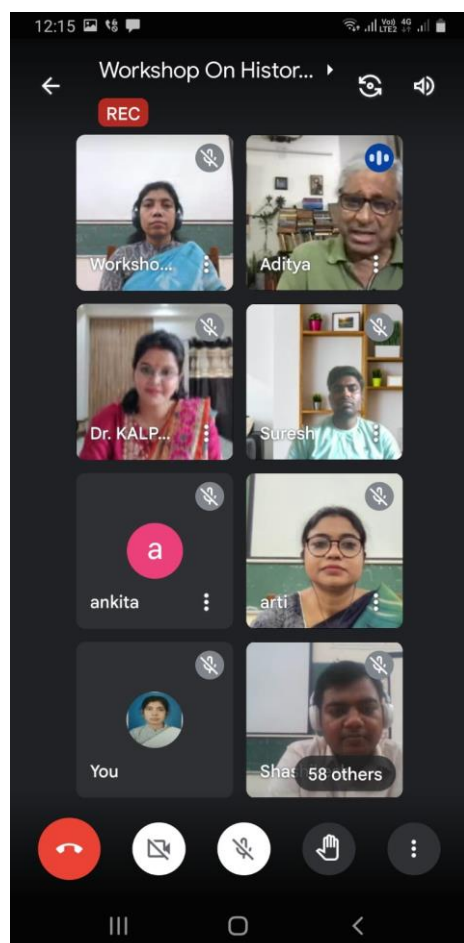
Topic: Modern Historiography

Speaker: Prof. Aditya Mukherjee (Centre of Historical studies, JNU)

Prof. Dhruv Kumar Singh (Department of History, BHU)

Venue: Google Meet

Objective: Prof. Aditya Mukherjee and Prof. Dhruv Kumar Singh thoroughly discussed about modern historiography in India which began in 19th century. The debate about whether the colonial rule was beneficial for India or it pushed India in a derogatory condition was comprehensively discussed in this session.



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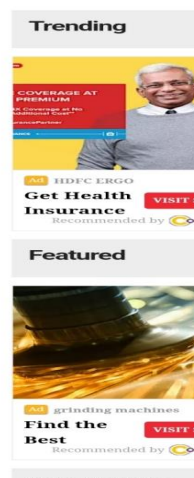
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वाराणसी। वसंत कन्या महाविद्यालय, कमच्छा के इतिहास एवं प्राचीन इतिहास विभाग के संयुक्त तत्वाधान में आयोजित राष्ट्रीय इतिहास लेखन कार्यशाला के पाँचवें दिन प्रख्यात इतिहासकार प्रोफ़ेसर आदित्य मुखर्जी ने व्याख्यान दिया। इस दौरान उन्होंने तीर्थंकर राय, लार्ड मेघनाद देसाई आदि की कृतियों की आलोचना करते हुए ये स्पष्ट किया कि कैसे औपनिवेशिक सत्ता द्वारा आयातित रेल, तार एवं अन्य आधुनिकता के वाहक (तथाकथित) संसाधन, आधुनिकता के नाम पर भारतीयों और भारतीयता को लाभ पहुँचाने के स्थान पर हानि पहुँचा रहे थे।



•Day 6 [Date: 10/10/2021]

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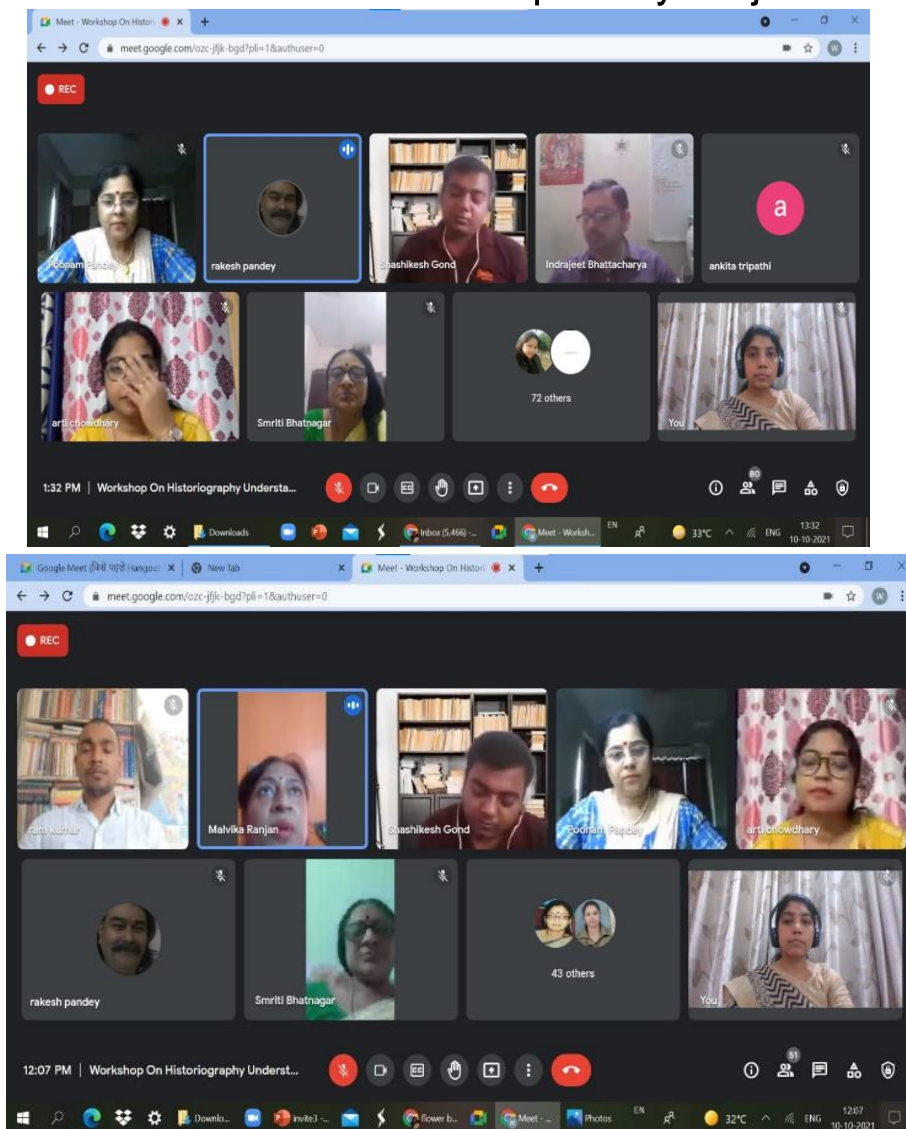
Topic: Post modern and Contemporary Historiography

Speaker: Prof. Rakesh Pandey (Department of History, BHU)

Prof. Malvika Ranjan (Department of History, BHU)

Venue: Google Meet

Objective: In this session Prof. Rakesh Pandey and Prof. Malvika Ranjan described different schools of post- modern historiography and contemporary historiography. They explained that Postmodernist historiography is a subjective way of writing history that rejects the idea of historical realism and the possibility of objective history.



•Day 7 [Date: 11/10/2021]

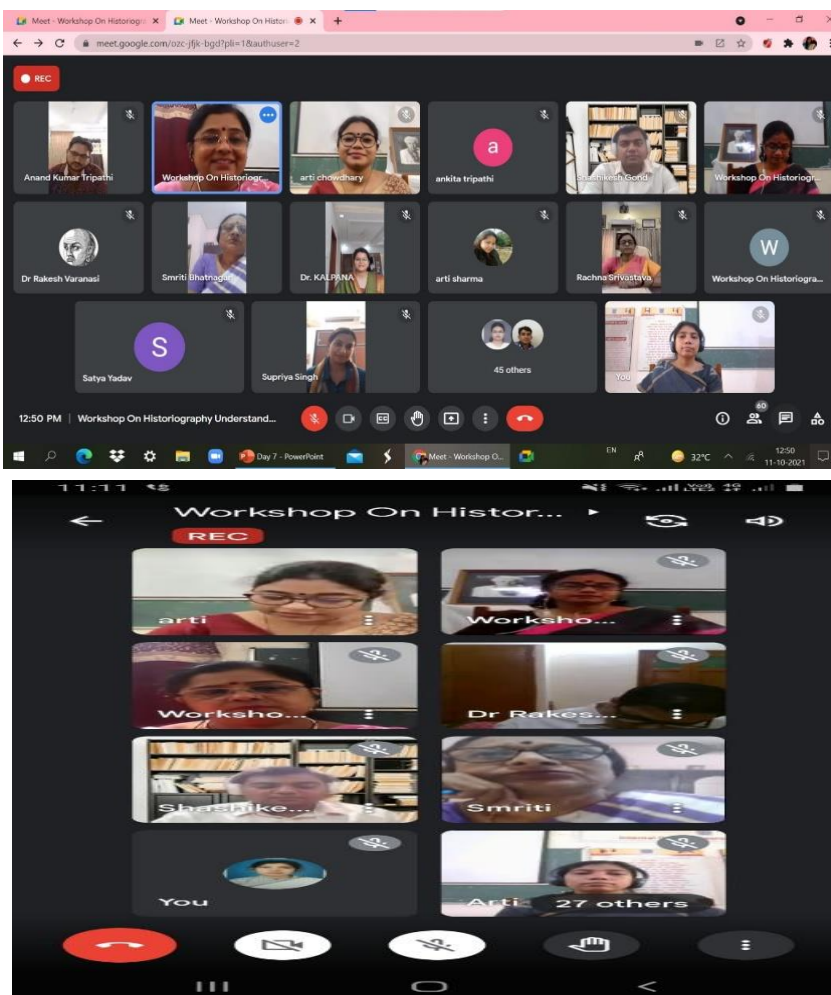
E-lecture

Topic: Valedictory

Speaker: Prof. Rakesh Upadhyay (Department of Bharat Adhyayan Kendra, BHU)

Prof. Aruna Sinha (Department of History, BHU)

Venue: Google Meet



2. E- lecture series Program

Topic- Research Methodology In History and Historical Investigation

•Day 1 [Date: 06/03/2022] : [Link](https://meet.google.com/cap-rkhu-paz)

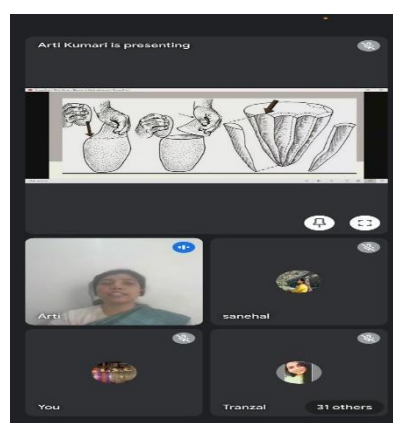
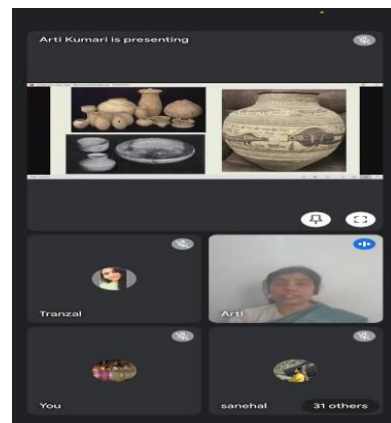
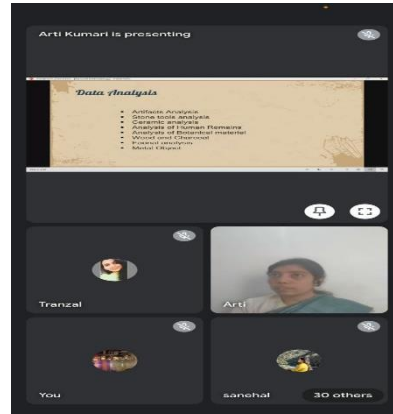
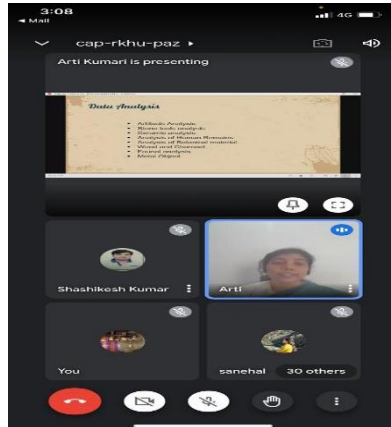
Topic: Problems in Archaeology

Speaker: Dr. Arti Kumari (Department of AIHC & Archaeology, VKMPG)

Venue: Google Meet

(<https://meet.google.com/cap-rkhu-paz>)

Objective: The problems in Archaeology was thoroughly described by Dr. Arti Kumari in which problems faced by historians and archaeologist while analysing the data was widely explained .



•Day 2 [Date: 07/03/2022] : [Link](#)

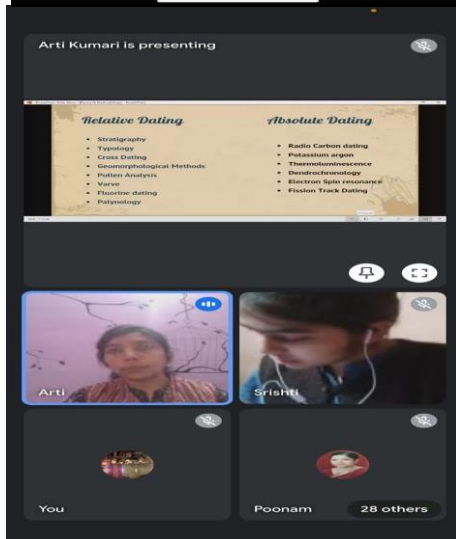
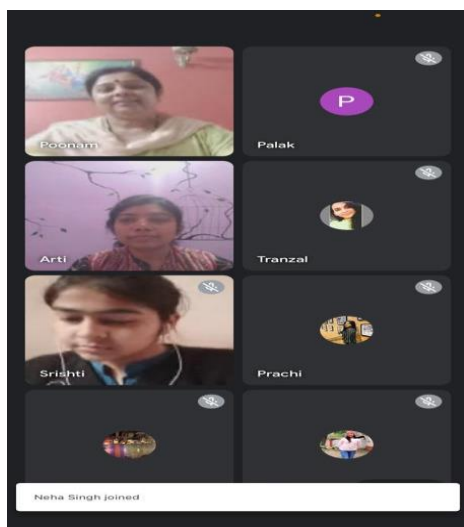
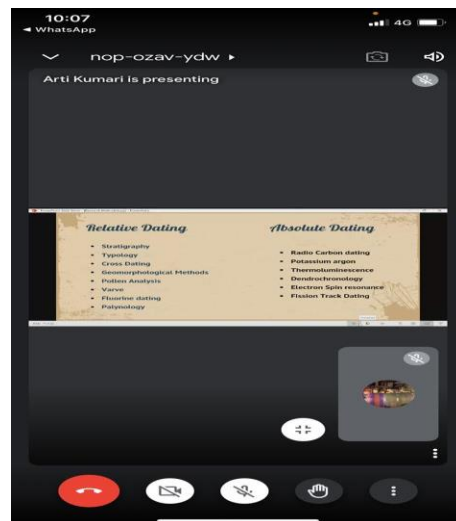
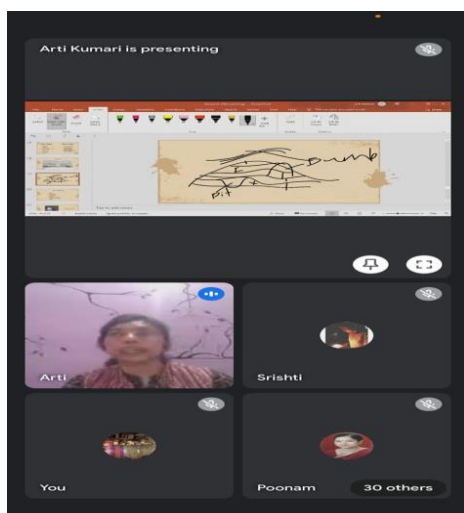
Topic: New Archaeology

Speaker: Dr. Arti Kumari (Department of AIHC and Archaeology, VKMPG)

Venue: Google Meet

<https://meet.google.com/nop-ozav-ydw>

Objective: In this session Dr. Arti Kumari explained about New Archaeology, a scientific approach to archaeology that uses scientific methods to study and explain human behaviour and cultural processes in the past.



•Day 3 [Date: 10/03/2022] : [Link](#)

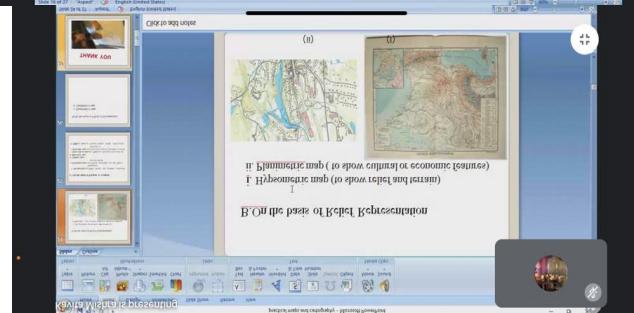
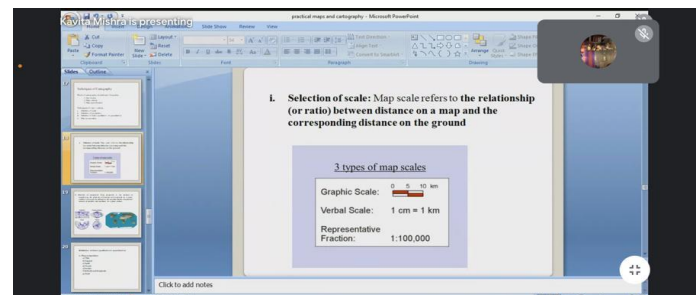
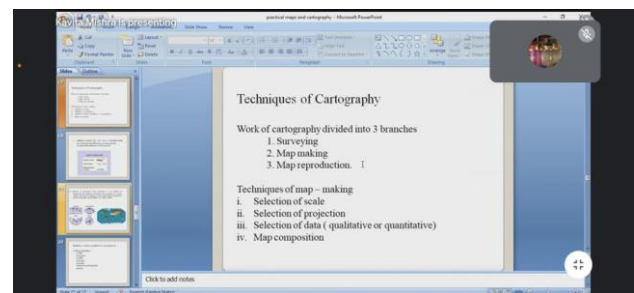
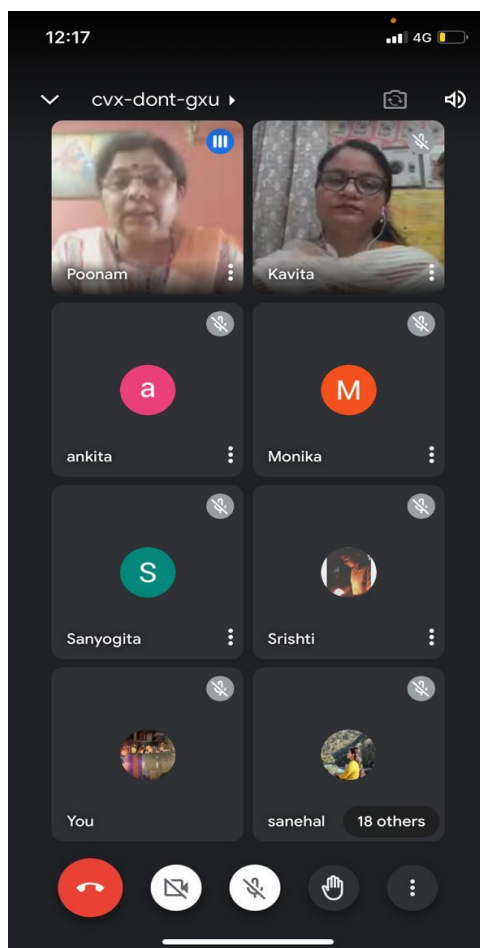
Topic: Application of Mapping and Cartography Techniques

Speaker: Dr. Kavita Mishra (Department of Geography, VKMPG)

Venue: Google Meet

<https://meet.google.com/cvx-dont-gxu>

Objective: In this lecture session Dr. Kavita Mishra gave detailed explanation about Mapping and Cartographic Techniques. There was also description about mapping aesthetics and methodology to create a visual representation of a geographical area.



•Day 4 [Date: 26/03/2022] : [Link](#)

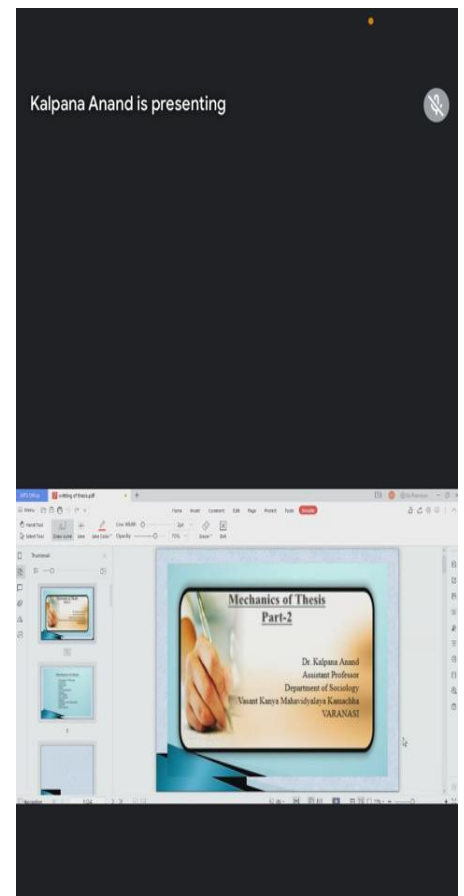
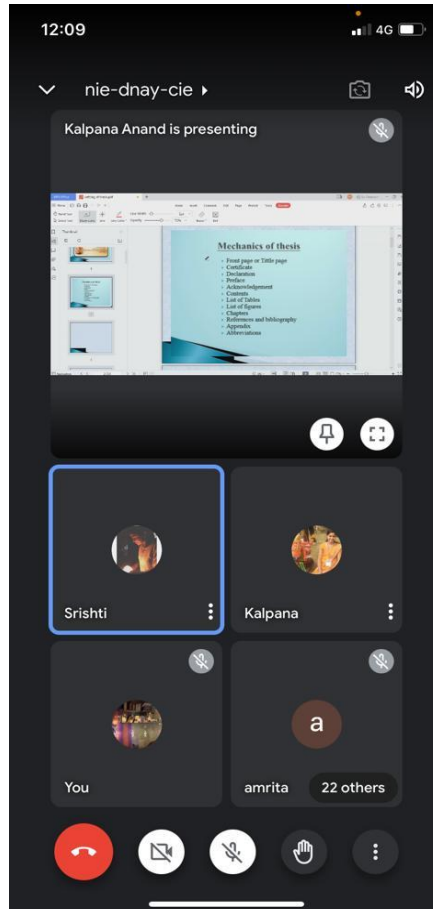
Topic: Mechanics of thesis

Speaker: Dr. Kalpana Anand (Department of Sociology, VKMPG)

Venue: Google Meet

<https://meet.google.com/jax-bdqw-ipa>

Objective: This lecture was presided by Dr. Kalpana Anand in which mechanics of writing a thesis that includes the research process, the structure of the thesis, and the presentation of the work was thoroughly explained.



•Day 5 [Date: 27/03/2022] : [Link](#)

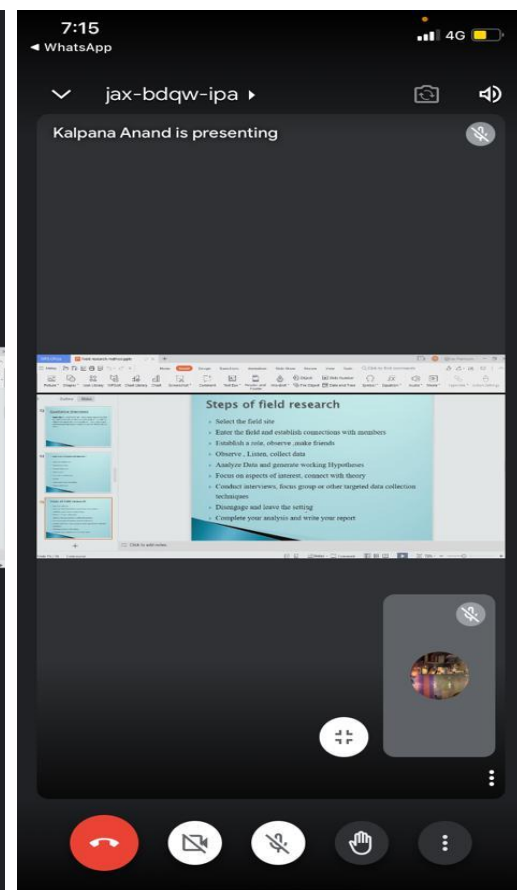
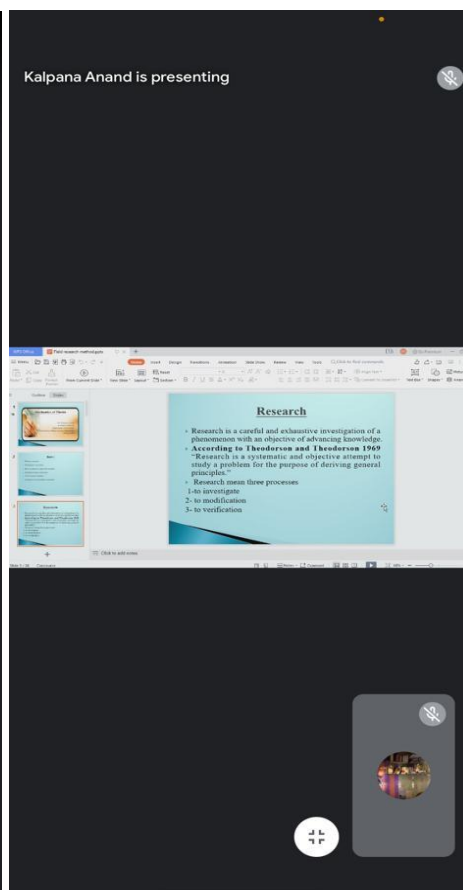
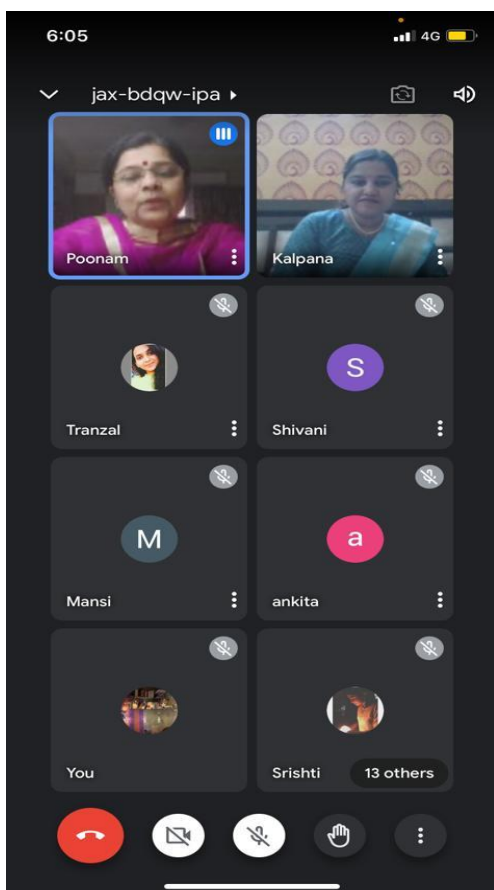
Topic: Citation and Referencing

Speaker: Dr. Kalpana Anand (Department of Sociology, VKMPG)

Venue: Google Meet

<https://meet.google.com/nie-dnay-cie>

Objective: In this session Dr. Kalpana Anand elaborated different type of citations and referencing in research papers. Further the topic was widely explained including APA and MLA and also there was a detailed description of reference list that is list of all the citations in a written work.



•Day 6 [Date: 16/04/2022] : [Link](#)

Topic: History of Indian Diaspora

Speaker: Prof. Ghanshyam (Head, Department of History, BHU)

Venue: Seminar Hall , VKMPG

Objective: In this session Prof. Ghanshyam discussed about history of indian diaspora including earlier ancient times , colonial era and also the condition pf migrants after post independence era.



S.N	Religion	Percentage
1	Hindu	85
2	Other (Muslim, Christian & Sikhs)	15

S.N.	Caste	Percentage
1	Upper Castes	12-13
2	Agricultural Castes	35
3	Artisans	6
4	Lower Castes	32

3. Educational Visit

Organiser: Department of History, VKMPG

Objective: There was a educational visit to Bharat Kala Bhawan, BHU organised by Department of History, VKMPG . The objective of this visit to museum was to let student experience their enriched culture and let them delve into past, learn about different culture, and appreciate the beauty of art and history.

