



# NATIONAL SEMINAR ON “AUTONOMY OF EDUCATION: CHALLENGES AND SOLUTIONS”

**23-24 February (Friday and Saturday), 2018**

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Jawaharlal Nehru University, Convention Centre, Auditorium-II



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# **DR. BHIM RAO AMBEDKAR COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY OF DELHI**

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Dr. Bhim Rao Ambedkar College (BRAC) came into existence on 8th Feb. 1991 during the birth centenary year of Bharat Ratna Baba Saheb Dr. Bhim Rao Ambedkar. It is a constituent co-educational college of the University of Delhi and is 100 % funded by Delhi Government. Since its inception, it has maintained its incessant momentum on the path of progress, both in academics and extra-curricular fields. The Principal, teaching & non-teaching staff have dedicated themselves to build an environment of holistic and inclusive learning, inspiring the youth to create a fruitful and responsible future. The college completed its Silver Jubilee (25th year) in 2016 and the year was celebrated with a number of academic events, workshops and conferences. The college has a unique combination of academic and professional courses under the three year Bachelor Degree Programmes. The prominent academic programmes include B.Com & B.Com (Hons.), B.A. (Hons.) Geography, B.A. (Hons.) History and the evergreen B.A. (Programme). The college holds the unique distinction of being the forerunner in launching four professional courses of the University namely B.A. (Hons.) Hindi Journalism and Mass Communication which were introduced in 1994-95, B.A. (Hons.) Social Work and B.A. (Hons.) Business Economics which were started in 1995-96 and B.A. (Hons.) Applied Psychology which was introduced in 2007- 08. The college has a distinction of offering some Commerce based courses like Human Resource Management and Office Management and Secretarial Practice besides the Vocational Course like Functional Hindi to the students of BA (Programme). The college is privileged to have WUS Health Centre, SOL study centre (University of Delhi). The college is also one of the Centres for teaching to the girl students under Non Collegiate Women Education Board, University of Delhi. Our College has also been selected as a centre for RGN. Institute of Youth Development, which offers one year P.G. Diploma in Youth Development.



## **Shiksha Sanskriti Utthan Nyas, New Delhi**

This Seminar is being organized in Collaboration with Shiksha Sanskriti Utthan Nyas who works in the field of education and culture in India and it was established on 2nd July 2004. Its Founder Shree Dinanath Batra started it with the help of other organizations like Shiksha Bachao Andolan and further facilitated by Shri. Atul Kothari (Secretary), Shri Durga Prasad Aggarwal (National Convenor) and Shri. Sanjay Swami (Delhi State Convenor). This organization is working to change and improve the education system. Different courses of education in the country are employed in text books on Indian languages, culture, religion, traditions and systems. In this connection, the Nyas has started an effort to give a new alternative to the education of the country, and in this view, it is to be done in accordance with the education, culture, nature and progress of India and the overall development of the country through character building and personality development of students.

## **AUTONOMY OF EDUCATION: CHALLENGES AND SOLUTIONS**

The importance of education has been accepted since ancient times and its nature has been changing throughout the history. A good example of ancient Indian education is Gurukul system. Today, the direct relationship of education is often considered between the teacher and the student only, While its relations has been with society, government, other social institutions, operators and guardians etc. Complaints about educational quality and system have been continuously being registered by students, parents and society. Everyone has his/her own role to play, because education is the only instrument which has direct relationship with social, economic, political, cultural, demographic and technological upliftment and change. There is a direct connection with the upliftment and change.

Since the independence of India, discussions have been going on regarding the autonomy of education and some efforts have also been made from time to time for the betterment of quality education.

Many educational committes and commissions have been constituted for the purpose in hand i.e. Kaka Kakelkar, Radhakrishnan Commission, Mudaliar and Kothari Commission, etc. Many great scholars have also strongly recommended for



bringing autonomy of education for quality education. There is a need to make a clear and factual format today on autonomy.

National Seminar entitled as 'Autonomy of education: Challenges and Solutions' is multidimensional. Hence for the purpose in hand, it is essential to understand the connotation of autonomy and education at the level of concept. There is no denying the fact that the objective of education is autonomy, which explains the power to determine what to do and think in the light of what there is, reason to do and think.

Hence, it is an exigency of situation to discuss the autonomy of education and related challenges and their solutions. Keeping in view the fact, the need for a national dialogue is being felt, so this national seminar is going to be organized.

### **Sub-themes are:**

1. प्राचीन शिक्षा में स्वायत्तता (Autonomy in ancient education system)
2. स्वायत्तता की अवधारणा (Conceptualization of Autonomy)
3. विभिन्न शिक्षा आयोग की स्वायत्तता सम्बन्धी संस्तुतियां एवं महापुरुषों के विचार (Recommendations of various commissions and experts on education systems)
4. विभिन्न शिक्षण संस्थानों, महाविद्यालयों तथा विश्वविद्यालयों की स्वायत्तता (Autonomy for educational Institutions, Colleges and Universities)
5. शिक्षा की स्वायत्तता के संदर्भ सरकारों की भूमिका (Role of Governments in Autonomy of Education)
6. स्वायत्तता तथा उत्तरदायिता (Autonomy and Accountability)
7. स्वायत्तता हेतु राष्ट्रीय स्वायत्तता आयोग की संकल्पना (Establishment of National Autonomy Authority for Autonomous Education)

**Note :** The article should be focused only on academic and administration related challenges and their solutions.

An abstract of around 300 words, on any of the above written sub-themes can be sent till 30<sup>th</sup> January 2018. Please send the complete article by 15<sup>th</sup> February 2018 on the e-mail given below:

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The articles will be published in an edited book with ISBN number after the recommendation of review committee of the seminar.



Kruti Dev (10 font size) should be used for Hindi script and Times New Roman (12 Font size) for English script.

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## Important Dates

- Abstract submission 30 January, 2018.
- Acceptance of abstract 8 February, 2018.
- Submission of complete article 15 February, 2018.
- Registration date 10 February, 2018.
- Venue registration date 23 February, 2018.

**Note:** The word limit for the abstract is around 300 words and for complete article maximum 2000 words.

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