



TEACHING LEARNING CENTRE

Ramanujan College
(Accredited Grade 'A++' by NAAC)
University of Delhi

under the aegis of

PANDIT MADAN MOHAN MALAVIYA NATIONAL
MISSION ON TEACHERS AND TEACHING
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

is organising an

Online Two-week Interdisciplinary
Refresher Course

**Social Structures and
Cultural Boundaries in India**
An Interdisciplinary Understanding
10 - 24 November 2022

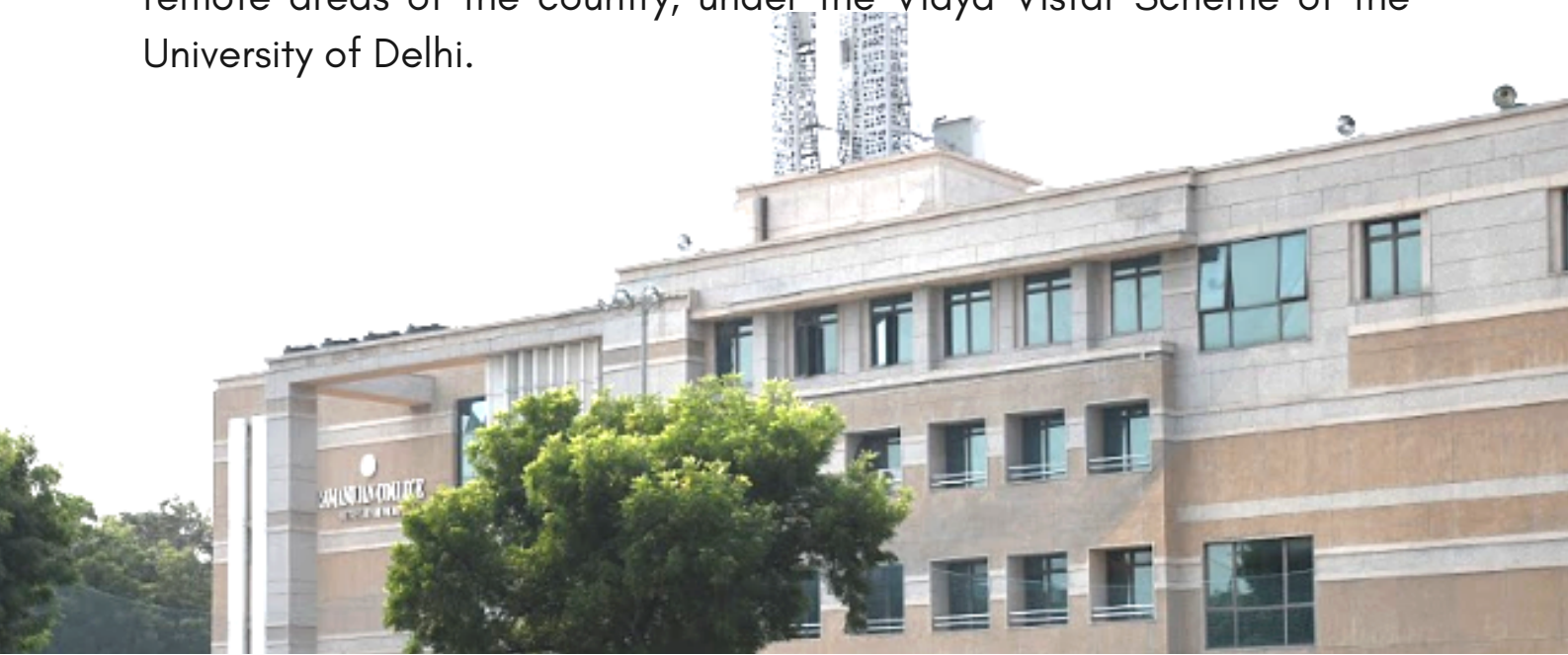
Call for Registration & Participation

RAMANUJAN COLLEGE

Ramanujan College, a constituent College of the University of Delhi was established in 1958 as an evening college. The College has been accredited Grade “A++” by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) in its Second Cycle.

At present, Ramanujan College offers sixteen undergraduate programmes in different disciplines. Besides this, the college has been awarded the DDU KAUSHAL (Deen Dayal Upadhyay - Knowledge Acquisition and Upgradation of Skilled Human Abilities and Livelihood) Kendra (2016) by UGC and Teaching Learning Centre (2017) by the Ministry of Education. The College also offers short-term diploma, certificate, and executive development programmes on contemporary and skill-oriented themes to complement the regular graduation courses. It is also the Study Centre of School of Open Learning (SOL), Non-Collegiate Women Education Board (NCWEB) and Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU) for various courses.

In 2018, the College conducted a Course on Human Rights, Environment and Ethics through its National Resource Centre (NRC), under the Annual Refresher Programme in Teaching (ARPIT) scheme of MoE. The College has also entered into Memorandum of Understanding(s) with foreign universities. It is also working for collaboration with other higher education institutions located in remote areas of the country, under the Vidya Vistar Scheme of the University of Delhi.



TEACHING LEARNING CENTRE RAMANUJAN COLLEGE

Teaching Learning Centre (TLC) is mandated by the Ministry of Education (MoE) to organise Faculty Development Programmes (FDPs), Faculty Orientation and Induction Programmes (FIPs), discipline specific and interdisciplinary Refresher Courses, conferences, workshops, through offline and online modes. These programmes are based on indepth subject knowledge, quantitative and qualitative research methodologies, and on an interdisciplinary approach as is envisaged in the National Education Policy (NEP), 2020.

The TLC, Ramanujan College has been set up with the aim of "Reaching the Unreached" teachers in terms of regional diversity and geographically remote areas of the country. It has successfully conducted more than hundred learner-centric programmes since October 2017 and trained over one lakh teachers across the country in various discipline specific and interdisciplinary programmes.

In the TLC Programmes distinguished and internationally acclaimed resource persons deliver lectures and conduct sessions on wide ranging disciplines/topics of relevance in the contemporary and ever evolving global scenario to benefit the teaching fraternity, corporates and researchers. The sessions are also uploaded for larger audiences on the official YouTube Channel of the College.

Ramanujan College is a pioneer in offering offline/online courses for faculty members of higher education institutions and research scholars through the customised Learning Management System (LMS), designed by the College's Research Development and Services Cell. It is predominantly participant-friendly and incorporates evaluation methods and comprehensive feedback systems to judge learning outcomes. The LMS is hosted on CLOUD with high scalability and reliability. The College has installed its own Cloud Infrastructure to host its servers for research and data analysis

CONCEPT NOTE

Social structures and cultural hegemonies have long been essential components of the social sciences. The teaching and learning of historical traditions through a variety of techniques is a tremendous endeavour that ultimately leads to a greater comprehension of the past and its institutions. Societies have social structures independent of their ethos, history, or cultural diversity. As an external occurrence, it determines the exterior characteristics of society. Important characteristics of the Indian social structure include a complex society, racial and linguistic diversity, casteism, multiculturalism, regionalism, and a traditional culture, among others. India is the most diverse region in the world in terms of religion, caste, language, culture, tradition, and eating habits, among others. Each of these pieces corresponds to a unique set of social relationships, which collectively constitute a social structure. Cultural Boundaries are frequently unbounded and must be redefined through various approaches. This course will attempt to cover new information and sources as they emerge from new viewpoints and needs. In this two-week Refresher Course, you will examine selected issues from the rich social and cultural history of our nation, with a particular emphasis on recent research and perspectives.

THEMATICS

- How is History done?
- Changing narratives & shifting terrains of the early medieval times
- Art & history in ancient and early medieval India: a contextual analysis
- Historiography of cultural and religious interventions in medieval India
- Bhakti in medieval & early modern South Indian history
- Society & culture in a north Indian village, circa 1780- 2000
- The widening domain of environmental history
- Modern technology & the social experience of railways in colonial India
- Writing 1947: historical writing on Independence and Partition of India
- Cine India Radio and *deshbhakt*
- Writing gender history

REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT PROCESS

ELIGIBILITY

Faculty members (regular/adhoc/temporary) in teaching profession, research scholars and postgraduate students from the disciplines of social sciences and humanities and allied disciplines are eligible to apply for this programme.

All those who meet the eligibility criterion are required to register and pay a **Non-Refundable fee of INR 1450/- by visiting**

rcmoocs.in

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: 09 November 2022

After successful registration & payment, the participants will receive a confirmation via email. Please keep checking the spam folder of the email as the bulk email sent may end up in the spam folder.

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IMPORTANT:

- Registration is mandatory for participation.
- Attempting and submitting all the quizzes and assignments are mandatory, and each participant should score a **minimum of 50% in total** to avail of the programme completion certificate.

- Graded certificates on the basis of performance will be awarded to the participants.
- As part of the Ministry of Education's requirement under the PMMMNMTT scheme, all participants need to submit online feedback for each session.
- **No Objection Certificate (NOC) or Leave is NOT REQUIRED to participate in the Programme. However, participants are expected to inform their authorities about their participation.**
- Failing to meet any of the above conditions will result in the denial of completion certificate.

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