















19th IUAES- WAU World Anthropology Pre-Congress 2023

2 Day Online International Conference

on

ANTHROPOLOGY IN/OF THE FUTURE

2 and 3 August 2023
Organised by the Discipline of Anthropology,
School of Social Sciences
Indira Gandhi National Open University, Delhi, India

# Original contributions are invited on eight broad themes:

- 1. Anthropology of Well-Being
- 2. Indigenous Knowledge System
- 3. Shifting Terrains of Anthropological Fieldwork
- 4. Exploring Virtual/Digital Spaces
- 5. Anthropocene of the Present and Future
- 6. Intersections of Inequality
- 7. Indian Heritage and Culture
- 8. Biopolitics and the Covid-19 Pandemic: Lives of People in South Asia and South-east Asia (Proposed by: IUAES Commission on Anthropology, Public Policy and Development Practice)

Submit your abstract here (click to open your Google Form)

Length of abstract: 250 words; Keywords: 5

Last date for sending in abstracts: 5 July 2023

Registration: FREE

## Conference Brief:

The conference intends to (re)-visit how we, humans have evolved, what we are doing and where we would be in the future from an anthropological perspective, a curiosity that initiated the beginning of anthropological pursuits, studying the 'other' and the 'self' to build a better future. Anthropology, characterised by its holistic ideal concerns human beings all around the world and through time, examining the present geographical, cultural and psychological distribution, with a belief that an understanding of human nature requires drawing together and relating information from all aspects of the human condition. It explores both the origin and changes in human biology and human society. The Faculty of Anthropology in IGNOU endeavours to carve out a unique position through this Two Day International Conference to understand and deliberate, how anthropological studies and interventions would show the way forward and manifest itself in the future.

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