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Centre for Study of Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy



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on 26th Feb and 27th Feb 2021

Social Exclusion: Review and Reality

Concept Note

Social exclusion, a European concept that has been inducted into the Indian social research domain, through the creation of 32 Centers to Study Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy, there is a need to understand the pros and cons of the concept as an academic discipline. Social exclusion as an effective social practice has been familiar for centuries, but its academic roots were unveiled recently in the European Union (EU). It is understood that using the language of social exclusion would highlight the multidimensional deprivations that any social problem might cause, and would promote remedies for such problems with an effective social inclusion approach in order to help those who fall under the trap of poverty and allied deprivations. Indeed, social exclusion is a holistic way of understanding any deprivation irrespective of its background. Owing to its significant attribution, currently combating social exclusion has been identified as one of the key objectives of social policy across the globe.

Social exclusion is not new terminology in social sciences discourse in Indian context the term exclusion was used by the Dr. B.R.Ambedkar; he established the first organization "Bhishkrut Hitkarni Sabha". In Marathi language "Bhishkrut" means "Excluded". He had deliberations on forms of social exclusion in the Indian social system reflected in his writing and speeches. In his famous paper "the Indian caste system: mechanism, the genesis and development put an Indian perspective on social Exclusion. After Mahatma Phule Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar had deliberations on social Exclusion in Indian context, Dr. Amartya Sen, Dr. Sukhdev Throat, and other prominent researchers had worked on the Social Exclusion in Indian context. But we find that there is no review as being conducted in Indian context.

In the light of Indian constitution, Social Inclusion process is taking place, but still date the some sections are facing acute exclusions still there are different unheard sections of Society, neglected and rejected peoples among nomadic communities, but the policy failed to socially include the most affected sections of the society Hence, we are organizing a one day workshop on Social Exclusion: review and reality.

The purpose of this webinar is to engage in the debate, explore and analyze some of the literature on the concept argument of social exclusion in the literature overview and its relation with the reality of social cohesion and poverty. Furthermore the webinar distinguishes between social exclusion and the reality

Objectives of the Webinar

1. To initiate the debate, explore, analyze and critically review some of the literature on the concept argument of social exclusion in Indian context.
2. To help scholars, academicians, students, social activists to distinguish between social exclusion and the reality.
3. To generate and create a conceptual understanding on social exclusion in Indian context

Sub themes of Webinar

4. European concept of Social Exclusion: international review of Social Exclusion.
5. Social Reformer's views on Social Exclusion: Indian review of Social Exclusion.
6. Social Exclusion and Indian Caste, class and Gender intersections
7. Social Exclusion and unnoticed sections of the Society i.e. Nomadic communities, excluded communities
8. Social Exclusion and realities in Indian context.



Important date

Abstract submission:
5th Feb 2021

Full paper submission:
15th Feb 2021

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Call for papers

We are cordially inviting research paper on sub themes of webinar. Please submit your abstract before and on 5th Feb 2021 and full length papers on 15th Feb 2021. Please submit your work on csseip@unishivaji.ac.in, csseip.suk@gmail.com

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All papers will be published in online research journal impact factor more than 6.