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Webinar on

Pandemics and Their Socio-Economic Impacts

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Organized By

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REPORT

Date: 27.05.2020

The IQAC of College organized a Webinar on "Pandemics and their Socio-Economic Impacts" on 25.05.2020. More than 700 participants attended the webinar, from across India and abroad. Dr. Bernard D Sami, Director, Loyola Institute of Social Science Training and Research, Chennai, Mr. Jose Abraham, Advocate on Records, Supreme Court of India, Dr. Timo Myllyntaus, Professor of Finnish History, University of Turku, Finland and Prof. S. Jesudoss Arokiam, Assistant Professor of History, L.N. Government College, Ponneri were the resource persons.

Dr. Bernard D Sami highlighted the plights of interstate migrants in the lockdown situation, he emphasized that despite we have many legal, financial safeguard measures to assure the welfare of migrant laborers and the triple benefits they produce are left to face life threatening challenges at present situation. Advocate Jose Abraham highlighted the plights of Indian immigrants working in various countries due to this Pandemic containment measures. He stressed that the offshore jobseekers should not be discouraged but Indian government should provide them all necessary supports and guarantees so that the huge remittances and MNC investment in India can be sustained. He quoted some of the existing legal provisions pertaining to immigrant rights. Prof. Timo Myllyntaus from Finland had comprehensively narrated the entire situation caused by Covid-19 in Finland. He covered economic impacts like slowdown in imports. The cultural issues like social distancing which Finland people regularly practice even in normal situation has been mentioned in his speech. Prof. Jesudoss Arokiam had proposed a new idea, Universalisation of Production and Consumption as a viable economic reconstruction policy for the present world. He touched an analysis of previous world economic cycles wherein all economic factors and resources were optimally exploited but concomitantly widening income disparity particularly among rural and urban labourers.

Participants include Principals, administrators and faculty from Government Colleges, Govt – Aided Colleges and the Self Financing colleges from Tamilnadu and various other states. The participants of the webinar were issued with an e-certificate.

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