## NATIONAL CONFERENCE

# 12<sup>th</sup> April, 2016 (Tuesday)

## 'Himalayan Perspectives: People, Land and Resources'

## Department of Geography

## KAMALA NEHRU COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY OF DELHI

| Time             | Program Details   |
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| 9.45 – 10.15 AM  | Invocation- Lamp Lighting ; Welcome note by Convener/ Felicitations   |
| 10.15 AM         | Release of Magazine 'Geo Explorer' & Conference Souvenir  |
| 10.15 – 11.00 AM | Keynote Address by <b>Dr R. S. Tolia</b> -Former Chief Secretary and Chief<br>Information Commissioner, Uttarakhand Govt. Presently NTPC Chair<br>Professor, Centre for Public Policy, Doon University, President IMI<br>(Integrated Mountain Initiative) |
| 11.00 -11.30 AM  | Expert Address by <b>Prof. A. J. Singh</b> - <i>Director, Institute of Integrated</i><br><i>Himalayan Studies (UGC Center of Excellence) Himachal Pradesh</i><br><i>University Shimla.</i>  |
| 11.30 - 11.45 AM | Address by <b>Prof. S. C. Rai</b> – HOD, Geography, Delhi School of Economics, Delhi University   |
| 11.45 – 12.00 PM | COFFEE BREAK  |
| 12.00 – 12.30 PM | Invited talk by Ms. Mridula Paul- Programme Director, IMI   |
| 12.30- 1.30 PM   | TECHNICAL SESSION - I : Paper Presentations   |
|                  | Chair- Mrs. Poonam Behari Co-Chair- Dr Ranjana Gera   |
| 1.30– 2.00 PM    | LUNCH BREAK   |
| 2.00-2.30 PM     | Invited talk by <b>Prof. Shekhar Pathak</b> - <i>Kumaun University, Founder &amp; Editor of People's Association for Himalaya Area Research (PAHAR), Vice President (Asia/Himalaya) of WMPA (World Mountain People Association).</i>                      |
| 2.30 – 3.30 PM   | TECHNICAL SESSION -II : Paper Presentations   |
|                  | Chair- Dr P.K. Parihar Co- Chair- Dr Poonam Sharma  |
| 3.30 – 3.45 PM   | HIGH TEA  |
|                  | VALEDICTORY SESSION   |
| 3.45-4.45 PM     | Special Lecture by (Guest of Honor)Prof. K.S. Valdiya   |
|                  | Padma Bhushan, Hon. Professor at Jawahar Lal Nehru Centre for Advance Scientific Research, Bangaluru.   |
|                  | Valedictory Note by Prof.R.B.Singh, Delhi School of Economics,  |
| 4.45- 5.00 PM    | Vice President, IGU, Co-ordinator- UGC-SAP-DRS III  |
| 5.00 PM          | Vote of Thanks / National Anthem  |