

Sunday, 01 February

9:00 - 09:30	Tea
09:30 - 10:30	Valedictory Lecture - "Archaeology and the Study of the Indian Past Challenges and Possibilities" Dr. Nayanjot Lahiri, University of Delhi
10:30 - 12:00	Round Table Discussion and Wrapping Up
12:00 - 14:00	Closing Lunch
14:00 - 16:00	Gandhi Ashram Visit

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IIT Gandhinagar Archaeological Sciences Centre

A-Block Auditorium January 30 - February 1, 2015







Friday, 30 January

9:30 - 10:00	Welcome and Introduction to Workshop Dr. S.P. Mehrotra, Dean External Relatons, IITGN Dr. Michel Danino, Guest Professor, IITGN
10:00 - 11:00	Inaugural Lecture — "Dissatisfaction and the Writing of History" Dr. Upinder Singh, University of Delhi
11:00 - 11:30	Tea Break
11:30 - 13:00	Graduate Student Presentations with Discussion - Session 1 (Buddhism)
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch at IITGN
14:00 - 15:30	Graduate Student Presentations with Discussion - Session 2 (Himalaya)
15:30 - 17:00	Graduate Student Presentations with Discussion - Session 3 (Misc)
17:00 - 17:30	tea Break
17:30 - 20:00	Trip to Adalaj
20:00	Dinner at IITGN (open to all faculty)



Saturday, 31 January

Tea
Graduate Student Presentations with Discussion - Session 4 (Materials)
Tea Break
Graduate Student Presentations with Discussion - Session 5 (Landscapes)
Lunch
Graduate Student Presentations with Discussion - Session 6 (Culture)
Tea Break
Visit to Sarkhej
Dinner at Vishalla



HISTORY and ARCHAEOLOGY of ANCIENT INDIA Graduate Student Workshop

SESSIONS AND PAPERS

Session 1: Buddhism

Reading Buddhist Sites: Decoding Multiple Identities

Diwakar Singh, University of Delhi | samparkdev@gmail.com

Shared Presence: Serpent Imagery in the Sacred Landscape of Barhut Duli Ete, University of Delhi | etedulee@gmail.com

Architecture of Buddhist Structures in Bengal (c.650 C.E. to 13th Century C.E.)
Palas Kumar Saha, Visva-Bharati | 86palas@gmail.com

Bodhgaya and Beyond: The Tibetan Approach (11th-13th Centuries CE) Sanjukta Datta, University of Delhi | sanjuktadatta d@rediffmail.com

Session 2: Himalaya

Metal Technology in Trans Himalayan Region: New Geographical Frontier Amita Gupta, VHNB Garhwal University | amita.guptamdi@gmail.com

3DVisualization of Medieval Defense Structure: A Case Study of Chandpur Garh (Fort) in Garhwal

Nagendra Singh Rawat, HNB Garhwal (Central) University | nagendra.rawat957@gmail.com

Semthan – A Site Catchment Analysis Abdul Rashid Lone, University of Delhi | rashidlone2000@gmail.com

Session 3: Miscellanea

Degenerative Joint Diseases: Observations of Three Skeletal Assemblages from India Dhwani Gudka, Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Vastu Sangrahalaya | dhwanigudka@gmail.com

Anarta Tradition and the Ahar Culture: Following the Footsteps Backwards
Pranjal Garg, Janardan Rai Nagar Rajasthan Vidyapeeth (Deemed-to-be) University
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Beyond the Glittering Eye: Tiger Tales from the Harappan Civilization Shibani Bose, University of Delhi | shib31@gmail.com

Session 4: Materials

Roman Coins in India and their Impact

Kanchan Ganguly, University of Burdwan | kanchanganguly9@gmail.com

The Epics in the Kadamba Ideal of Kingship: An Inscriptional Analysis

Prachi Sharma, University of Delhi | prachee@hotmail.com

Pottery, Production Processes and Past: A micro study of the Brahmaputra Valley (7th-17th Centure CE)

Preetee Sharma, Jawaharlal Nehru University | preetee.chs@gmail.com

A Petrographic Study of West Asian Transport Vessels in India

Ritvik G. Balvally, The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda | ritvikbalvally@gmail.com

Session 5: Landscapes

Spatial Distribution Pattern of Megalithic Sites of Periyar River Basin, Kerala

Jaseera C. M., Tamil University, Thanjavur | jassiarc@gmail.com

Early Historic Settlements of Western Odisha

Lokesh Kumar Durga, Hyderabad Central University | lokeshdurga13@gmail.com

Archaeologies of Landscapes: An Exploration of Some Aspects of Pre-Christian Beliefs and Societal Practices of the Nagas of Northeast India

Rammathot Khongreiwo, University of Delhi | athot naga@yahoo.co.in

Session 6: Culture

The Āyāgapaṭas and Śilāpaṭas of Mathura

Kanika Kishore, University of Delhi | kanikakishore16@gmail.com

Ethnoarchaeological Documentation of Select Handicraft Traditions in Udaipur and their Archaeological Implications for Understanding Protohistoric Evidence

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Round and Round the Wheel Goes: Theoretical and Practical Snares in Making Gender Archaeology Archaeological in the Indian Subcontinent

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Reflection of Malabar Jews History in the Archaeological Sources: A Study of Copper Plates, Synagogues, and Monuments

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