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Philosophy Association Notice

02/12/20

The Philosophy Association will be holding a meeting on 5th December 2019 in the Committee Room at 2.30 pm under the guidance of the Principal and Head of the Dept. of Philosophy Dr. Kiran Save to discuss and plan a National Conference on Gandhian Philosophy. The purpose of this meeting is to decide on the theme of the conference and outline the necessary steps to make it a successful event. Administrative supervisor Asst. Prof. Mahesh Deshmukh, Sr. Professor Dr. Tanaji Pol, and Head of the Departments of all subjects in Humanities are requested to remain present for the meeting.

Agenda:

- Welcome and Introduction
- Discussion on the National Conference on Gandhi Philosophy
- Deciding the Theme for the Conference
- Planning the Conference Logistics and Timeline
- Assigning Roles and Responsibilities
- Any other subject with permission of the chair

Thanking you.

Your Sincerely,

Asst. Prof. Anagha A. Padhye
(Chairman, Philosophy Association)

Minutes of Meeting

The Philosophy Association meeting was called by Asst. Prof. Anagha Padhye, Chairman of Philosophy Association, on behalf of Principal and Head of The Dept of Philosophy Dr. Kiran Save. Asst. Prof. Anagha Padhye welcomed all attendees and thanked them for their participation.

The purpose of the meeting was reiterated, which was to discuss and plan a National Conference on Gandhian Philosophy.

1. Discussion on the National Conference on Gandhi Philosophy:

- The attendees engaged in a discussion regarding the significance and objectives of organizing a national conference on Gandhian Philosophy.
- It was unanimously agreed that a multidisciplinary conference would provide a comprehensive and holistic platform to explore and reinterpret Mahatma Gandhi's philosophy in the present context.
- The attendees recognized the need to rethink Mahatma Gandhi's principles and teachings in light of contemporary challenges and opportunities.
- The attendees unanimously agreed on a date of conference, 29th February 2020.

2. The theme for the Conference:

- After a thorough discussion, the attendees finalized the central theme of the conference as "Rethinking Mahatma Gandhi in the Present Context." And decided to come up with subthemes related to the central theme.
- The chosen theme reflects the intention to critically analyze and reinterpret Gandhi's philosophy in the context of current societal, political, and environmental issues.
- The theme also aims to encourage innovative and multidisciplinary approaches to understanding and applying Gandhi's principles.
- Attendees discussed potential guest speakers and experts who could be invited to the conference.

3. Planning the Conference Logistics and Timeline:

- It was agreed upon to form a separate organizing committee responsible for the logistics, venue selection, and budget planning for the conference.
- The committee would be formed by volunteers from the Philosophy Association, and interested members were invited to express their willingness to contribute.

4. Assigning Roles and Responsibilities:

- The attendees discussed the need to assign specific roles and responsibilities to ensure a smooth and efficient organization of the conference.
- A core committee and subcommittee were formed under the guidance of Prof. Mahesh Deshmukh to determine the roles and responsibilities of each member based on their areas of expertise and interest.
- The subcommittee was tasked with presenting the proposed roles and responsibilities in the next meeting for finalization.

The meeting concluded with a summary of the discussed points and decisions made. The attendees agreed to reconvene in three weeks to review the progress made by the subcommittee and further discuss the conference's planning and implementation.

Asst. Prof. Anagha Padhye thanked all attendees for their active participation and for contributing their ideas and efforts towards the successful organization of the National Conference on Gandhi Philosophy.

Proposal of program

To,
Principal,
Sonopant Dandekar College Arts, V.S. Apte Commerce & M.H. Mehta Science
College, Palghar

Sub: Conference Proposal

Program Name: National Conference on Rethinking Mahatma In Present
Context.

Organizer: Dept. of Philosophy in collaboration with other Departments of
Humanities.

Proposed Date of Program: 29th February 2020.

Objectives of the Program: To critically analyze and reinterpret Mahatma
Gandhi's philosophy

- To provide a platform for scholars, researchers, and practitioners to share their research findings, case studies, and best practices related to the reinterpretation of Gandhi's philosophy.
- To foster interdisciplinary dialogue and collaboration among experts and participants from diverse academic disciplines, including philosophy, social sciences, humanities, and political science.
- To encourage interdisciplinary dialogue and collaboration to explore different perspectives on Gandhi's philosophy and its relevance in the present context.
- To promote innovative and contextual applications of Gandhi's principles in addressing present-day societal, political, and environmental issues.
- To facilitate knowledge sharing and dissemination: The conference provides a platform for researchers, scholars, and practitioners.
- To encourage reflection and dialogue on Gandhian ethics and values to stimulate reflection and dialogue on the ethical and moral values propagated by Mahatma Gandhi.

Chief Guest of Inauguration of the conference: Dr. Kumar Saptarshi,
President, Gandhi Peace Foundation, New Delhi.

Venue of Program: Kai. Devidin Tiwari Auditorium and Ganesh Neelkanth
Dandekar Seminar Hall.

Proposal Presented by



Asst.Prof. Anagha Padhye
Chairman, Philosophy Association



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Ref. No.: Con.Phil./2019-20/A-1

Date:4thFebruary, 2020

To
Dr. Kumar Prashant
Chairman
Gandhi Peace Foundation

**Subject: An invitation as Chief Guest & Keynote Speaker in Inaugural
Session of A Multidisciplinary National Conference on
“Rethinking Mahatma Gandhi in Present Context”**

Respected Sir,

As per the telephonic conversation with you regarding your talk as a Chief Guest and Key Note speaker in the Inaugural Session of A Multidisciplinary National Conference, I would like to extend my invitation for the same on 29th February, 2020.

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Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

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To

Dr. Kumar Saptarshi

President,

Maharashtra Gandhi Samarak Nidhi

**Subject: An invitation as an Expert Speaker in Plenary session- I of
A Multidisciplinary National Conference on "Rethinking Mahatma
Gandhi in Present Context".**

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To

Dr. Lokesh Jain

Associate Professor,

Centre for Studies in Rural Management

Gujarath Vidyapith

**Subject : An invitation as an Expert Speaker in Plenary session- II of
A Multidisciplinary National Conference on "Rethinking Mahatma
Gandhi in Present Context".**

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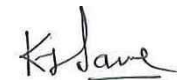
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To

Dr. TS Grishkumar

Member

Indian Council of Philosophical Research

Vadodara, Gujarat

**Subject : An invitation as a Chief Guest in Valedictory Function at
A Multidisciplinary National Conference on “Rethinking Mahatma
Gandhi in Present Context”.**

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To

Mr. Chandrakant Wankhade

Senior Journalist

Nagpur

**Subject : An invitation as an Expert Speaker for Plenary session- III at
A Multidisciplinary National Conference on "Rethinking Mahatma
Gandhi in Present Context".**

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To

Mr. Vivek Tambe

Social Activist

Subject : An invitation as a Guest in Inaugural Session and Resource person of A Multidisciplinary National Conference on "Rethinking Mahatma Gandhi in Present Context".

Respected Sir,

I would like to extend my invitation for a Guest in Inaugural Session of A Multidisciplinary National Conference and Resource Person for a technical session on 29th February, 2020.

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To

Mr. Pradeep Khedulkar

Social Activist

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Ref. No. : Conf/Adv.com/293/2019-20

Date : 26/02/2020

To,
Dr. Geeta Ramanna
Professor & Head
Department of Philosophy
University of Mumbai
Kalina

**Subject: Invitation as a Member of Advisory Committee & Chief Guest of
Valedictory function of Multidisciplinary National Conference
on "Rethinking Mahatma Gandhi in Present Context".**

Respected Madam,

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Waiting for your positive reply.

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Principal
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Ref. No. : Conf./Arts/292/2020-20

Date : 26/02/2020

To,
Dr. Harsha Badkar
Vice Principal & Head
Department of Philosophy
Wilson College,
Charni Road

Subject: Invitation For Chairing Technical Session In A Multidisciplinary National Conference on "Rethinking Mahatma Gandhi in Present Context".

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Hereby I request you to accept the Invitation as a chairman of technical session for the said Multidisciplinary National Conference.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

(Dr. Kiran Save)

PRINCIPAL Principal
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Ref. No. : conf/Adv com/293/2019-20

Date : 26/02/2020

To,
Dr. Minal Kataranikar
Professor,
Department of Philosophy
University of Mumbai
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Dr. Namita Nimbalkar
professor
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JOURNAL AND PUBLICATION DETAILS	
All Accepted papers will be published in Our Heritage (UGC CARE Listed Journal, Arts and Humanities, Sr.No.188), which will be released during the valedictory session of the conference.	
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Registration	(Rs.)
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Last Date of Abstract Submission	: February 10, 2020
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ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

The "National Conference on Rethinking Mahatma Gandhi in Present Context" is being organized by Department of Philosophy, Sonopant Dandekar Shikshan Mandal's, Sonopant Dandekar College, Palghar (Maharashtra), on 29, February 2020 to mark the 150th Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi. The conference aims at analyzing the philosophy of Mahatma Gandhi and bring out its relevance in contemporary world. The conference will be covering crucial and major aspects of Gandhian Philosophy and its applicability to contemporary global problems appears timely and necessary. The conference also aims at pointing out whether today's youth can connect to Gandhian Philosophy, values and way of life. It will try to give clear, transparent and real picture of Gandhian Philosophy to coming generations as they are the determinants of future nation.

THEME OF THE CONFERENCE

"Rethinking Mahatma Gandhi in Present Context"

SUBTHEMES

- Gandhi's political ideal in present world
- Gandhi's concept of economic decentralization in the era of liberalization
- Relevance of Gandhian Philosophy of non-violence in current world
- Relevance of Gandhi's concept of trusteeship
- Relevance of concept of Swadeshi in globalized world
- Gandhi – A National Hero
- Portrayal of Gandhi in Cinemas and Plays
- Gandhi and his thoughts on women empowerment
- Gandhism – An Universally accepted philosophy
- Gandhi's Philosophy of Sarvodaya in present context
- Gandhi's experiments of practicing celibacy
- Gandhi's thoughts on dignity of labour
- Impact of Gandhi on world thinkers
- Gandhi on environmental ethics
- Relevance of Gandhi's thoughts on education in era of privatization

Any other topic related to the theme.

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

Saturday, 29th February, 2020

Time	Event
08.30 am to 09.30 am	Registration & Breakfast
09.45 am to 10.30 am	Inauguration
10.30 am to 11.30 am	Keynote Address
11.30 am to 11.45 am	Tea Break
11.45 am to 12.30 pm	Plenary Session-I
12.30 pm to 01.15 pm	Plenary Session-II
01.15 pm to 02.00 pm	Lunch
02.00 pm to 03.15 pm	Paper Reading-I
03.15 pm to 03.30 pm	Tea Break
03.30 pm to 04.30 pm	Paper Reading-II
04.30 pm to 05.30 pm	Valedictory Function

GUEST SPEAKERS

Dr. Kumar Prashant : Chairman, Gandhi Peace Foundation, Kumar Prashant of Gandhi Peace Foundation is a noted Gandhian ideologue.

Dr. Kumar Saptarshi : President, Maharashtra Gandhi Smarak Nidhi, A noted Gandhian and Social Activist Dr. Kumar Saptarshi was member of Maharashtra Legislative Assembly. He is associated with Yuvak Kranti Dal since its inception.

Dr. TS Grishkumar : Member, Indian Council of Philosophical Research, The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda, Professor and Director, School of Social Sciences, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala. He is a noted Gandhian ideologue.

Dr. Lokesh Jain : Associate Professor, Centre for Studies in Rural Management, Gujarat Vidyapith. His area of specialization is Rural Development, Traditional wisdom about resource management, Sustainable Development Management, Cooperative Management & Tribal Development.

Mr. Chandrakant Wankhede : Well known Senior Journalist from Nagpur. A strong follower of Gandhian Ideology written books on farmer suicide and Mahatma Gandhi.

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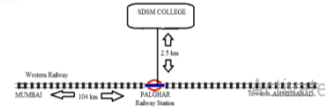
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We are seeking enthusiastic and dedicated students from all departments of the Humanities to participate as volunteers during the conference. This is a valuable opportunity to actively engage in the event, gain practical experience, and contribute to the success of this significant academic gathering. Students interested to volunteer should meet the following teachers during 9 am to 3 pm.

1. Asst. Prof. Anagha Padhye
2. Asst. Prof. Rohit Gaikwad
3. Asst. Prof. Ramdas Yede
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We cordially invite all students of the Humanities to attend the inaugural session at Kai. Devidin Tewari Auditorium, 9.45am and participate in the events that follow. This is an excellent opportunity to expand your knowledge, engage in intellectual discussions, and gain insights from renowned speakers and scholars in the field.

Students are instructed to remain present well before time in the auditorium.

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**National Conference on
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February 29th, 2020

PROGRAMME (Dated : 29th February, 2020)

09.00 a.m. : Arrival of the Guests
09.00 a.m. to 09.30.a.m. : Fellowship and Tea

INAUGURATION (09:45 to 10.30 am)

In Chair (Chief Guest)

Dr. Kumar Prashant,
Chairman, Gandhi Peace Foundation, New Delhi.

Guest of Honour

Dr. Kumar Saptarshi,
President, Maharashtra Gandhi Smarak Nidhi.

Dr. T S Grishkumar,
Member, Indian Council of Philosophical Research.

Dr. Lokesh Jain,
Professor, Centre for Studies in Rural Management, Gujrat Vidyapith.

Mr. Chandrakant Wankhede,
Senior Journalist & Writer, Nagpur

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09.45 a.m. to 09.50.a.m. : Introduction of the Programme MOC
09.50 a.m. to 09.55.a.m. : Lighting of Lamp All the Guest
09.55 a.m. to 10.00.a.m. : Welcome Speech Principal Dr. Kiran Save

Technical Session I

	Session	Charperson	Veune
		Dr. Minal Katarnikar Professor, Department of Philosophy, University of Mumbai.	Seminar Hall
02.15 p.m. to 03.15 p.m.	Paper Presentation	Dr. Shivaji Sarger Professor, Department of English, University of Mumbai.	BMS Library
		Dr. Suchitra Naik Principal, Joshi Bedekar College, Thane.	BMS-08
		Dr. Sangita Pande Head, Department of Philosophy, Adarsh College, Badlapur.	BMS-06
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Technical Session II

	Session	Charperson	Veune
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		Dr. Namita Nimbalkar Department of Philosophy, University of Mumbai.	BMS Library
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		Dr. Namita Nimbalkar Department of Philosophy, University of Mumbai.	1) Dr. Balasaheb Rahane 2) Yado Morey 3) Dipak Chaudhari 4) Anjana Vijan	BMS Library
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To,

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Appreciation Letter

Respected Sir,

I express my sincere gratitude for accepting my invitation as a member of the advisory committee for a Multidisciplinary National Conference on "**Rethinking Mahatma Gandhi in Present Context**" organized by the Department of Philosophy on 29th February 2020. I am grateful for valuable guidance which contributed to enrich the conference.

I thank you with my eternal gratitude for sparing your valuable time and I look forward to your cooperation in the future too.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

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Appreciation Letter

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Thanking you,

G. Ramanna
Received

Yours sincerely,

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M. Kataranikar
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EVENT REPORT

Name of the Event –National conference on Rethinking Mahatma In Present Context

Date – 29th February 2020

Time – 9.45 am

No. of Students Participated – more than 400

Event Objectives –

- To provide a platform for scholars, researchers, and practitioners to share their research findings, case studies, and best practices related to the reinterpretation of Gandhi's philosophy.
- To foster interdisciplinary dialogue and collaboration among experts and participants from diverse academic disciplines, including philosophy, social sciences, humanities, and political science.
- To encourage interdisciplinary dialogue and collaboration to explore different perspectives on Gandhi's philosophy and its relevance in the present context.
- To promote innovative and contextual applications of Gandhi's principles in addressing present-day societal, political, and environmental issues.
- To facilitate knowledge sharing and dissemination: The conference provides a platform for researchers, scholars, and practitioners.
- To encourage reflection and dialogue on Gandhian ethics and values to stimulate reflection and dialogue on the ethical and moral values propagated by Mahatma Gandhi.

Brief description of the Event –

National Conference on 'Rethinking Mahatma Gandhi in Present Context' was held at Sonopant Dandekar College, Palghar. The conference was jointly organized by the Department of Philosophy and other Humanities departments.

Dr. Kumar Prashant, President of Gandhi Peace Foundation, New Delhi in his inaugural address expressed that, as long as we live in the hope of an ideal country, an ideal education system, and an ideal citizen, Gandhi is alive; Gandhi never dies. When we study Gandhi, every time we get different futuristic perspectives about him. Kumar Prashant also mentioned that beauty is hidden in simplicity. We should use resources sparingly, every person should become productive, should inculcate non-violence, and give new symbolic meaning to Gandhian thoughts, and concepts, only

and only then Gandhi will continue to survive. Researchers, scholars, and students from various states participated in the conference.

The conference was organized with the aim of rediscovering Gandhian philosophy in the present context and attracting students towards Gandhian philosophy. On this occasion, a special program 'Gandhi Ko Gali Maro' was organized for students from various colleges in Palghar vicinity and other colleges with the objective of dispelling the misconceptions about Gandhi in the minds of youth. In this session journalist and social activists Vijay Tambe and Pradip Khelurkar answered various doubts and questions of students about Gandhi.

In the inaugural session, Kumar Saptarshi, president of the Maharashtra Gandhi Memorial Nidhi, expressed that if the world created a destructive atomic bomb, then Gandhi was created in India in response to this catastrophe. He also appealed that we want to increase the country of humanity by following Gandhi's ideas. A member of the Indian Council of Philosophical Research, Dr. TS Girish Kumar shed light on Gandhi's non-violence policies and values.

In his speech, Chandrakant Wankhede, a senior journalist and scholar of Gandhian thought gave examples of how hatred about Gandhi was spread through language. He also said that Gandhi is the name of mental & moral strength. Adv. G.D. Tiwari, President, Sonopant Dandekar Shikshan Mandali commented on the current situation and Gandhian thought. Principal Dr. Kiran Save explained the purpose of the conference on Gandhi.

Dr. Sunildatt Gawre's book "Indian Ethics" was published at the auspicious hands of chief guest and other dignitaries.

Along with well-renowned personalities, office bearers of Sonopant Dandekar Shikshan Mandali. Vice President Chandrakant Dandekar, Treasurer Hitendra Shah, Secretary Prof. Ashok Thakur, Secretary Atul Dandekar, Joint Secretary Jayant Dandekar, Shri. Dhanesh Vartak and other members of management were present for the inaugural ceremony. Academicians, professors from the University of Mumbai Dr. Meenal Katarnikar, Dr. Namita Nimbalkar, Dr. Harsha Badkar, Dr. Shivaji Sargar, Dr. Suchitra Naik, Dr. Neelu Khosla, Dr. Baliram Gaikwad, Dr. Surendra Khandekar, Principals of other colleges graced the occasion

In the afternoon session, Scholars and researchers from various colleges presented their research papers. Asst. Prof. Anagha Padhye-Deshmukh, Department of Philosophy was the convener of the conference. Asso. Prof. Dr. Tanaji Pol. Department of Political Science and Asst. Prof. Vivek Kudu, Department of Marathi was the co-conveners of this national conference. Asst. Prof. Shreya Mishra anchored the inaugural

session. Asst. Prof. Priyanka Sharma and Asst. Prof. Deepali Mali conducted technical sessions. Administrative supervisor Asst. Prof. Mr. Mahesh Deshmukh and colleagues from every department worked hard for the successful conduction of this conference. Mr. Vivek Jadhav & Chinmay Raut, Creative artists from Palghar designed a poster campaign for National Conference.

Learning Outcome –

- Audiences understood Mahatma Gandhi's philosophy, principles, and teachings, to critically analyze and reinterpret his philosophy in the context of contemporary challenges.
- It enhanced interdisciplinary perspective and collaboration among participants from various academic disciplines.
- It developed critical thinking and analytical skills and evaluate different interpretations of Gandhi's philosophy and its application in present-day contexts.
- Audiences explored practical applications of Gandhi's principles in addressing present-day societal, political, and environmental issues.
- It provided a platform for participants to connect and collaborate with scholars, researchers, and professionals in the field of philosophy
- It created awareness about ethical and moral values propagated by Mahatma Gandhi.
- It offered an opportunity to present research findings, papers, or projects related to the conference theme.



Asst. Prof. Anagha A. Padhye
(Chairman, Philosophy Association)

Glimpses of the event:



















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‘गांधी कधीच मरत नाही...’

म. टा. वृत्तसेवा, पालघर

आपण जोपर्यंत आदर्श देश, आदर्श शिक्षणपद्धती आणि आदर्श नागरिक याबद्दलच्या आशा मनात जिवंत ठेवू तोपर्यंत गांधी जिवंत आहेत, गांधी कधीच मरत नाही. त्यांचा जेवढा अभ्यास करावा तेवढा तो एक पाऊल पुढे नव्याने कळत जातो, असे प्रतिपादन दिल्ली येथील पीस फाऊंडेशनचे अध्यक्ष ज्येष्ठ विचारवंत कुमार प्रशांत यांनी केले.

पालघर येथील सोनोपंत दांडेकर महाविद्यालयात 'वर्तमान संदर्भात गांधी तत्त्वज्ञानाचा पुनर्विचार' या विषयावरील आयोजित राष्ट्रीय परिषदेत ते बोलत होते. या परिषदेत विविध संशोधक, अभ्यासकांनी आणि विद्यार्थ्यांनी सहभाग घेतला. वर्तमान संदर्भात गांधी तत्त्वज्ञानाचा नव्याने शोध व्हावा आणि विद्यार्थी अभ्यासाकडे वळावेत, या हेतूने सदर परिषदेचे आयोजन करण्यात आले होते.

यानिमित्ताने तरुणांच्या मनातील गांधीजीबद्दलचे गैरसमज दूर व्हावेत, हा उद्देश कोळमांसमोर ठेवून

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साधेपणातच सौंदर्य दडलेले असते, संसाधनांचा जपून वापर करावा, प्रत्येक व्यक्ती उत्पादक बनली पाहिजे, अहिंसा हेच वीरतेचे नाव आहे, आपल्या मूल्यांना आपल्यापेक्षा मोठे समजलं की आपल्यातील भय निघून जाते अशा असंख्य गोष्टी गांधीजींनी आम्हाला शिकवल्या हे कुमार प्रशांत यांनी नमूद केले. गांधीजींशी संबंधित असलेल्या वस्तूंना भूती बनवून ठेवू नका तर त्या वस्तूंना नवा प्रतीकात्मक अर्थ द्या तरच गांधी जिवंत राहतील, असेही विवेचन त्यांनी भाषणादरम्यान केले.

संस्थेचे अध्यक्ष अॅड. जी. डी. तिवारी यांनी वर्तमान परिस्थिती आणि गांधी विचार या विषयावर आपले भाष्य केले.

प्राचार्य डॉ. किरण सावे यांनी परिषदेचा हेतू विशद केला.

पत्रकार आणि सामाजिक कार्यकर्ते विजय तांबे आणि सामाजिक कार्यकर्ते प्रदीप खेलुरकर यांनी 'गांधी को गाली मारो' या सत्रात गांधीजी आणि गांधीजींच्या बाबत असलेल्या विद्यार्थ्यांच्या मनातील विविध शंका आणि प्रश्न यांना उत्तरे दिली. या परिषदेच्या निमित्ताने डॉ. सुनिलदत्त गवरे यांच्या भारतीय नीतिशास्त्राच्या पुस्तकाचे प्रकाशन करण्यात आले.

परिषदेच्या उद्घाटनप्रसंगी उपाध्यक्ष चंद्रकांत दांडेकर, कोषाध्यक्ष हितेंद्र शहा, सचिव प्रा. अशोक ठाकूर, सचिव अतुल दांडेकर, सहसचिव जयंत दांडेकर, धनेश वर्तक व इतर पदाधिकारी उपस्थित होते. दुपारच्या सत्रात राज्यातील विविध महाविद्यालयांच्या प्राध्यापकांनी आपले अभ्यासपूर्ण निबंध सादर केले. या सत्रांचे अध्यक्षस्थान डॉ. मीनल कातरणीकर, डॉ. शिवाजी सरगर, प्राचार्य डॉ. सुषिजा नाईक, डॉ. चौधरी सोमरा, डॉ. नवीनराज लक्ष्मणकर आदी मान्यवरांनी पुर्ण केले.