

UGC SPONSORED NATIONAL SEMINAR
ON
**REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND PLANNING IN NORTH-
EAST REGION OF INDIA**

23rd February, 2018

(In Collaboration with IQAC, Dr. B.K.B. College, Puranigudam)

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Theme of the Seminar:

After independence, central as well as the state governments initiate various strategies to gear up the process of development in India. One of these strategies is Five Year Plans, implemented to achieve the goals like growth, employment, equality, self-reliance and social-justice. Another one was Green Revolution, which was restricted only to the Northern States like Punjab, Haryana and some parts of Uttar Pradesh and only to the production of wheat. But, the fruits of these developmental strategies are concentrated in a few states and do not spread equally to all the grass root level people of each and every state of the nation. It is one of the backward regions of India with its geographical isolation, proneness to natural calamities, unutilized or underutilized natural resources, sensitive borders, disturbed law and order conditions, poor transport and communication facilities, etc. North-East region still stands as a marginal player in the field of green revolution or new agricultural strategy also. So, regional planning can be exercised for all round development of the region emphasizing more on the interests of the society in general. It is hoped that participation in the proposed seminar and sharing of ideas will contribute to the socio-economic development of the region. The following aspects are considered as the sub-themes for the seminar –

- (a) Theoretical and Conceptual Framework of Regional Development and Planning in NER
- (b) Regional Planning in NER: Historical Perspective
- (c) Performance of Regional Planning in the Northeast India
- (d) Regional Planning and Agricultural Sector in Northeast India: Hills vs Plains
- (e) Regional Planning and Industrial Sector in Northeast India
- (f) Regional Planning and Service Sector in Northeast India
- (g) Human Resource and Regional Planning in NER
- (h) Ecotourism and Regional Planning in NER
- (i) Look East Policy as a Development Strategy for NER
- (j) Migration and Regional Planning in NER

Guidelines for Paper Submission/Presentation:

Interested academic research scholars, teachers, students and people from related fields may participate and present papers in the seminar. They can ensure participation by sending abstract relating to any sub-theme and the Registration Form to the email-id: bharaliabinash@yahoo.co.in. The word limit for the abstract is 200-300 with minimum 4 to 5 key words and full paper should be within 4000 words. Both abstract and full papers should be in MS word using 12 point size of Times New Roman font with 1.5 spacing. Some important dates related to paper submission for the seminar:

Last Date of Submission of Abstract (Soft Copy)	10 th February, 2018
Notification of Acceptance of Abstract	13 th February, 2018
Last Date of Submission of Full Paper (Soft Copy)	20 th February, 2018

Hard copy of the paper must be submitted at the time of presentation. The selected participants will have to deposit the registration fee in cash before 9.15 am on the day of the seminar in the Registration Office.

Registration Fees:

(A) Teachers (with Paper):	Rs. 600.00
(B) Scholars (with Paper):	Rs. 500.00
(C) Students (with Paper):	Rs. 300.00
(D) Teachers, Scholars & Students (without Paper):	Rs. 200.00

N.B.: 1. Selected Full Papers will be published in Book form with ISBN.

2. No T.A. and D.A. will be paid to the participants.

3. Paper presenters including the co-authors must remain present during the presentation of the paper. No participation certificates shall be given to an absentee author or co-author.

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