

List of Book Discussion Programmee

IIC Library organises Book Discussion Group Programmes from last two decades, which is on monthly basis. List of programmes from 2008 - with forthcoming dates are as below:

2008

30th January, 2008:

Nanda, Prakash, ed. *Rising India: Friends and Foes: Essays in Honour of Prof. M.L. Sondhi*. New Delhi: Lancer, 2007.

Panelists: Prof. Pushpesh K. Pant and Commd. C. Uday Bhaskar.

Chairman: Dr. D. P. Tripathi

25th February, 2008:

Rana, Kishan S. *Asian Diplomacy: The Foreign Ministries of China, India, Japan, Singapore and Thailand*. Malta: Diplo Foundation, 2007.

Panelists: Shri Eric Gonsalves and Shri B. G. Verghese

Chairman: Shri Lalit Mansingh

20th March, 2008:

Guha, Ramachandra. *India after Gandhi: The History of the World's Largest Democracy*. London: Picador, 2007.

Panelists: Shri Rudrangshu Mukherjee and Shri Mukul Kesavan

Chairman: Dr. Harish Khare

6th May, 2008:

Dhar, Maloy Krishna. *We the people of India: A Story of Gangland Democracy*. New Delhi: Vitasta Publishing, 2008.

Panelists: Shri Tarun Vijay and Shri B. G. Verghese

Chairman: Shri Jagmohan

16th May, 2008:

Talbot, Philips. *An American Witness to India's Partition*. New Delhi: Sage Publications, 2007.

Panelists: Prof. Imtiaz Ahmad, Shri Inder Malhotra and Prof. Rohit Wanchoo.

Chairman: Prof. Mushirul Hasan

25th June, 2008:

Bose, Ajoy. *Behenji: A Political Biography of Mayawati*. New Delhi: Penguin, 2008.

Panelists: Mr. John Elliot, Shri Chander Bhan and Ms. Shailaja Menon.

Chairman: Prof. Valvrian Rodrigues

7th July, 2008:

Shahabuddin, Ghazala and Rangarajan, Mahesh. *Making Conservation Work: Securing Biodiversity in this New Century*. Ranikhet: Permanent Black, 2008.

Panelists: Dr. M. K. Ranjit Singh and Dr. Raghu Chundawat

Chairman: Dr. Dunu Roy

12th August, 2008:

Balmiki Prasad Singh. *Bahudha and the Post 9\11 World*. New Delhi: Oxford University Press, 2008.

Panelists: Prof. Imtiaz Ahmed and Shri Inder Malhotra

Chairman: Prof. Ralph Buultjens

1st September, 2008:

Zakaria, Fareed. *The Post American World*. New Delhi: Penguin, 2008.

Panelists: Dr. Rajiv Kumar and Shri Bharat Wariavwalla

Chairman: Shri Jaswant Singh

30th September, 2008:

Subramanian, K. S. *The Political Violence and the Police in India*. New Delhi: Sage Publications, 2007.

Panelists: Shri Sankar Sen, Shri Gautam Navlakha and Ms. Kamini Jaiswal

Chairman: Shri S. P. Shukla

12th November, 2008:

Kalha, Ranjit Singh. *The Ultimate Prize: Oil and Saddam's Iraq*. New Delhi: Allied Publishers, 2008.

Panelists: Shri Inder Malhotra and Prof.(Ms.) Gulshan Dietl

Chairman: Shri Jaswant Singh

19th December, 2008:

Mukhopadhyaya, Sapna and Mukhopadhyaya, Badal. *Ali's World*. New Delhi: Roli, 2008.

Panelists: Shri Suneet Chopra and Authors

Chairman: Dr. Rajni Kumar

2009

3rd February, 2009:

Afsir Karim, ed. *Militancy and Islam*. New Delhi: Har-Anand Publications, 2008.

Panelists: Shri B. R. Lall and Prof. Kalim Bahadur

Chairperson: Shri Ved P. Marwah

19th February, 2009:

Oommen, T. K. *Reconciliation in Post-Godhra Gujarat: The Role of Civil Society*. New Delhi: Pearson Longman, 2008.

Panelists: Dr. K. S. Subramanian and Dr. Meenakshi Gopinath

Chairperson: Justice (Retd.) Rajinder Sachar

18th March, 2009:

Shourie, Arun. *Are We Deceiving Ourselves Again: Lessons the Chinese Taught Pandit Nehru but which we still refuse to learn*. New Delhi: ASA, 2008.

Panelists: Smt. Mira Sinha and Shri Mohan Guruswamy

Chairman: Shri Jagmohan

20th April, 2009:

Paul, M. K. *Little Man from the East: Marching through Tumultuous Decades*. New Delhi: Harman Publishing House, 2009.

Panelists: Maj. General (Retd.) Ashok K. Mehta and Shri Deb Mukharji

Chairman: Shri Jagmohan

27th May, 2009:

Findly, Ellison Banks. *Plant Lives: Borderline Beings in Indian Traditions*. Delhi: Motilal Banarasisdas, 2008.

Panelists: Dr. P.R. Ramesh

Chairperson: Dr. Kapila Vatsyayan

Introduction: Prof. H.Y. Mohan Ram

13th August, 2009:

Mander, Harsh. *Fear and Forgiveness: The Aftermath of Massacre*. New Delhi: Penguin, 2009.

Panelists: Prof: Upendra Baxi and Prof. Mushirul Hasan.

Chairperson: Smt. Syeda Hameed

17th September, 2009:

Mukherjee, Meenakshi. *An Indian for all Seasons: Many Lives of R. C. Dutt*. New Delhi: Penguin, 2009.

Panelists: Prof. Romila Thapar, Prof. Sudhir Chandra and Malavika Karlekar

Chairman: Prof. Sabyasachi Bhattacharya

29th September, 2009:

Mohanty, Sachidananda. *Sri Aurobindo: A Contemporary Reader*. New Delhi: Routledge, 2008.

Panelists: Shri Jagmohan and Dr. Kavita A. Sharma

Chairman: Dr Karan Singh

29th October, 2009:

Agarwal, Pawan. *India Higher Education: Envisioning the Future*. New Delhi: Sage, 2009.

Panelists: Dr. Krishan Kumar and Dr. Gurcharan Das

Chairman: Dr. Narendra Jadhav

11th November, 2009:

Sen, Sunanda and Dasgupta, Byasdeb. *Unfreedom and Waged Work: Labour in India's Manufacturing Industry*. New Delhi: Sage, 2009.

Chairman: Shri Mushirul Hasan

4th December, 2009:

Shaikh, Farzana. *Making Sense of Pakistan*. London: Foundation Books, 2009.

Chairman: Shri Satish Chandra

5th January, 2010:

Clarke, Peter. *Keynes: The Twentieth Century most Influential Economist*. London: Bloomsbury, 2009.

Chairman: Dr. Shankar N. Acharya

21th January, 2010:

Banerji, Debashih. *The Alternate Nation of Abanindranath Tagore*. New Delhi: Sage, 2010.

Chairman: Dr. Rajeev Lochan

13th February, 2010:

**Mishra, Trinath. *The Hindu book of the Dead*. New Delhi: Vitasta, 2010.
Satya Dev. *Tulsi Ramayan in English Verse*. New Delhi: Vitasta, 2010**

Chairman: Dr. Karan Singh

17th February, 2010:

Guha, Ramachandra. *The Unquiet Woods: Ecological Change and Peasant Resistance in the Himalaya: Twentieth Anniversary Edition*. Ranikhet: Permanent Black, 2010.

Chairman: Dr. Mahesh Rangarajan

5th March, 2010:

Lal, Malashri, ed. and Gokhale, Namita, ed. *In Search of Sita: Revisiting Mythology*. New Delhi: Penguin, 2009.

Chairman: Prof. Dinesh Singh

22nd March, 2010:

Das, J. P. *A Time Elsewhere*. New Delhi: Penguin, 2009.

Chairman: Prof. Sudhir Chandra

27th March, 2010:

Simpson, Mark, ed. *International Guide to Money Laundering: Law and Practice*, 3rd ed. West Sussex: Bloomsbury Professional, 2010.

Chairman: Justice (Retd.) J S. Verma

9th April, 2010:

Jolly, U. S. *Challenges for a Mega City: Delhi – A Planned City with Unplanned growth*. New Delhi: Concept Publishing, 2010.

Panelists: Shri S.P. Jakhanwal and Prof. E.F. Rebeiro

Chairman: Shri Jagmohan

21st April, 2010:

Mehta, Jagat S. *The Tryst Betrayed: Reflections on Diplomacy and Development*. New Delhi: Penguin, 2010.

Panelists: Shri M. J. Akbar, Dr. Ashis Nandy and Shri K. Raghunath

Chairman: Sir William Mark Tully

29th April, 2010

Danino, Michel. *The Lost River: On the Trail of the Sarasvati*. Delhi: Penguin, 2010.

Panelists: Dr. Gautam Sen, Shri K.N. Dikshit, Dr. R.S. Bisht and Shri Kapil Kapoor

4th May, 2010

Khosla, I. P. *Underdogs End Empires: A Memoir*. Delhi: Konarak Publishers, 2010.

**Panelists: Prof. Amitabh Mattoo, Ms Madhu Bhandari
Chairman: Shri H.K. Dua**

10th May, 2010

Tope, Parag. *Tatya Tope's Operation Red Lotus*. New Delhi: Rupa, 2010.

**Panelists: Prof. Namwar Singh, Prof. B. Pati
Chairman: Shri Salman Khursheed**

4th June, 2010

Bhutto, Fatima. *Songs of Blood and Sword: A Daughter's Memoir*. New Delhi: Penguin, 2010.

**Panelists: Shri Dileep Padgaonkar and Shri Abhijit Bhattacharyya and Shri Satish Jacob.
Chairman: Shri K.P. Fabian**

3rd July, 2010

Chowdhury, Indira and Ms. Ananya Dasgupta. *A Masterful Spirit: Homi J. Bhabha 1909 – 1966*. New Delhi. Penguin, 2010.

**Panelists: Prof. Indira Chowdhury and Ananya Dasgupta
Chairman: Prof. M.G.K. Menon**

10th September, 2010

Behera, Bhubaneswar. *Call of the Village*. New Delhi: Anamika Publisher, 2010

**Panelists: Dr. Bishnu N. Mohapatra and Shri N.K. Bhattacharjee.
Chairman: Shri Lalit Mansingh**

Forthcoming Programmes:

25th November, 2010

Uvalic, Milica. *Serbia's Transition: Towards a better future*. London: Palgrave Macmillan, 2010.

**Panelists: Prof. Radha Kumar and Dr. Charan Wadhva,
Chairperson: Prof. Bina Agarwal**

3rd December, 2010:

Chattopadhyaya, D. P. and Vatsyayan, Kapila, eds. *Aesthetic Theories and Forms in Indian Tradition*. Delhi: PHISPC, 2008.

**Panelists: Dr. Bettina Baumer, Prof Sharad Deshpande and Prof. Ranjan K. Ghosh
Chairman: Dr Bhuvan Chandel**