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Amritsar**



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International Conference
February 23-25, 2011

UNIQUENESS OF GURU NANAK'S PHILOSOPHY

**Conference Hall, Guru Nanak Bhawan,
Guru Nanak Dev University
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PROGRAMME

Wednesday, Feb. 23, 2011 –Conference Hall

Inaugural Session	:	11.00 AM to 1.00 PM
Tea	:	11.00 AM
About Conference	:	Prof. Shashi Bala
Welcome to the Delegates	:	Prof. Ajaib Singh Brar Vice Chancellor, GNDU, Amritsar
Inaugural Address	:	S.Sewa Singh Sekhwan, Hon. Education Minister, Panjab
Keynote Address	:	Prof. Devinder Singh Chahal, Canada
Special Lecture	:	Dr. Jaswant Singh Neki, New Delhi
Presidential Address	:	Prof. Jaspal Singh, Vice Chancellor, Punjabi University, Patiala
Vote of Thanks	:	Dr. Gursharanjit Singh, Head
Lunch	:	1.00 PM
Academic Session- 1	:	2.00 PM to 5 PM
Chair Person	:	Prof. Jodh Singh
Co-Chair Person	:	Prof. Balwant Singh Dhillon

Papers:

Dr. Opinderjit Kaur Takhar, UK
Prof. Surjit Kaur Chahal, Pune
Dr Avtar Singh Dhaliwal, USA
Prof. Devinder Singh, Mumbai
Prof. D.R.Gangadhar, Varanasi

Tea : **5.00 PM**

- *Guided Tour of Darbar Sahib, Amritsar and meeting with some members of SGPC, Amritsar on 23th February in the evening.*

Thursday, Feb. 24, 2011

Academic Session- II : **10.00 AM to 12.00 PM**
Chair Person : Prof. Devinder Singh, Mumbai
Co-Chair Person : Prof. Jaswinder Kaur Dhillon

Papers:

Dr. Amarjit Singh Chahal, Canada
Prof. Emeritus Balwant Singh, U.S.A
Dr. Gurnam Singh Sanghera, Canada
Dr. S.R.S. Bedi, Patiala

Tea : 12.00 PM

Academic Session- III : **12.15 PM to 2.00 PM**
Chair Person : Dr. Avtar Singh Dhaliwal, Canada
Co-Chair Person : Dr. Manvinder Singh

Papers:

Dr. Tejinder Singh Lamba, Canada
Prof. Kulbir Singh Thind, U.S.A.
Prof. Rajinder Kaur Rohi, Patiala
Prof. Jaswinder Kaur Dhillon, Amritsar

Lunch : 2.00 PM

Academic Session- IV : **2.30 PM to 4.00 PM**
Chair Person : Prof. Devinder Singh Chahal, Canada
Co-Chair Person : Dr. Bharatbir Kaur

Papers:

Prof. Hardev Singh Virk, Mohali
Prof. Shashi Bala, Amritsar
Dr. M.M. Verma, New Delhi
Dr. Paramvir Singh, Patiala
Dr. Gurmeet Singh Sidhu, Patiala

Tea : 4.00 PM

- *Guided Tour of the Wagha Boarder on 24th February evening.*

Friday, Feb. 25, 2011

Academic Session- V : **10.00 AM to 12.00 PM**
Chair Person : Prof. Balkar Singh
Co-Chair Person : Dr. Gursharanjit Singh

Papers:

Dr. Surjit Singh Sidhu, Malasiya
Prof. Balwant Singh Dhillon
Dr. Dalwinder Singh Grewal
Ms. Anu Kandhari

Tea : 12.00 PM

Valedictory Session : **12.15 PM to 2.00 PM**

Chair Person : Dr. J.S.Neki, New Delhi
Co-Chair Person : Prof. Shashi Bala

Report of the Conference

Views of Participants

Vote of Thanks