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AMITY
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INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

on
**YOUTH, GENDER
& HIV**

August 12-13, 2014 • Amity University, Lucknow Campus

In collaboration with



**Uttar Pradesh State AIDS
Control Society (UPSACS)**

Organised by



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Adolescents (CRIA)**



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On International Youth Day, Amity Institute of Behavioural and Allied Sciences (AIBAS) is organising an international conference for the youth with the intention of addressing and coming up with effective strategies to some of the most important youth concerns. The conference proposes to deliberate on youth issues in terms of positive approaches to youth development, gender and HIV. It will also seek to find answers for achieving the target of “Zero Discrimination”.

The conference advocates a paradigm shift in the way youth are analysed and understood. Most of the debates and deliberations are on “what’s wrong with them, why they are becoming threats to society, what’s not working with them and how can they be controlled. This conference would rather ask questions as “what works with youth, what is unique with them, what are their strengths, how they can be made responsible citizens of India, what should we do to make them the demographic dividend”.

OBJECTIVES OF THE CONFERENCE

The 2 day conference, following an interdisciplinary approach, aims to:

- Empower youth for healthy and better living
- Exchange of global perspectives on youth, especially with respect to gender and HIV
- Focus on understanding the present issues, barriers in communication, access to service and evolving prevention strategies and channels to reach the unreached
- Identify and develop intervention strategies and helping models
- Policy advocacy with Government, voluntary and funding agencies on the recommendations emerging from the conference

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE CONFERENCE

- Symposium on sub-themes
- Success stories & testimonies
- Group activities/deliberations
- Paper presentations
- Strategy formulation
- Presentation of salient points of each group
- Workshops on skill building

CONFERENCE SUB-THEMES

- Dissemination of information
- Creating an enabling environment
- Gender and sexuality among youth
- HIV/AIDS to healthy living
- Positive living with positive life orientation
- Need for research on ‘What Works’ with youth

Call for papers

Abstracts (250 words) for papers and posters are invited relating to the various sub-themes of the conference. The abstract should describe the Purpose, Method, Results, and Contributions of the research.

PROPOSAL FOR SYMPOSIUM

Proposals for Symposium should include one abstract of the Symposium proposal and maximum of 4 abstracts of individual presentations in the Symposium.

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

Electronic submission is the only mode for sending abstracts/papers. For details, please visit Author's Guidelines in our conference website ajhbdilko.weebly.com/aibas-conference---2014.html

All abstracts as per guidelines are to be e-mailed to pdangwal@amity.edu

JOURNAL PARTNER

Amity Journal of Human Behaviour and Development Issues (AJHBDI) is the journal partner for the conference. Selected research papers, meeting the journal criterion will be subjected to a 'blind' peer review process as prescribed by the Journal. Visit ajhbdilko.weebly.com for Journal details.

BOOK PUBLICATION

Selected quality papers will be reviewed by the committee and published in an edited book.

REGISTRATION

| Deadlines | Students | Professionals | NRI/Foreign Nationals |
|--------------------------|----------|---------------|-----------------------|
| Before 15th July 2014 | 1200/- | 2100/- | US \$95 |
| Before 1st August 2014 | 1500/- | 2500/- | US \$128 |
| Spot (Only if available) | 2000/- | 3000/- | US \$163 |

- Registration fee includes conference bag, lunch, tea/snacks. Conference bag is not guaranteed for spot registrations.
- Fee does not cover the cost towards accommodation, other meals, pick-ups and airport transfer.

MODE OF PAYMENT

- Registration can be made by demand draft of any Nationalized Bank in favour of 'Amity University Uttar Pradesh' payable at Lucknow.
- The demand draft should be attached to the duly filled registration form and sent by post to the address mentioned in the registration form.

OR

Delegates can directly deposit fee through **Electronic Transfer** to the under mentioned account

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Lucknow city

Lucknow city is popularly known as the 'the city of Nawabs'. Situated on the banks of the river Gomti, it dates back to the time of the Suryavanshi dynasty. Lucknow, the capital of Uttar Pradesh, was founded by Nawab Asaf-ud-Daula. In the olden times, it served as the capital of the nawabs of Awadh and it is one of the reasons why it is also called as the city of the Nawabs. The era of the Nawabs bestowed Lucknow with the courteous culture as well as mouth-watering delicacies for which it is famous today.

ACCOMMODATION

We can extend our assistance in arranging for accommodation at the university campus/hostels. Limited accommodation on sharing basis may be managed.

Numerous guest houses and hotels are located within a radius of 5 kms of the campus available on payment. On a prior request of at least a month in advance, we can be contacted for assistance in accommodation.

PLACES TO VISIT NEAR LUCKNOW

- **Agra** - Home to Taj Mahal, Fatehpur Sikri and Sikandara
Distance from Lucknow: Approximately 330 km
- **Varanasi** - World's oldest city
Distance from Lucknow: Approximately 300 km
- **Khajuraho** - Home to India's oldest form of architecture
Distance from Lucknow: Approximately 295 km
- **Kushinagar** - A Buddhist pilgrimage, the place where Lord Buddha passed away
Distance from Lucknow: Approximately 328 km



BY AIR

The Amausi Airport in Lucknow gets flights from all the major cities making it convenient for all domestic and international travelers. From the airport you can hire a taxi to reach the university.



BY TRAIN

Lucknow is a major junction of the Indian Railway's Northern zone and is well connected with all major cities in the country.



BY ROAD

Lucknow is intersected by various National Highways. Regular bus services are available from all major cities to Lucknow.

CITY TOUR

For interested participants a city tour can be arranged on minimal charges. Participants are requested to intimate their registration for the city tour at least a month in advance to the conference organisers.

Abstract Submission Open

NOTE: Submit Abstract and Full Paper before 15th July, 2014 for consideration for publication and Best Paper Award."

Conference Date: August 12th-13th, 2014

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

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AMITY INSTITUTE OF BEHAVIOURAL & ALLIED SCIENCES (AIBAS)

Established in 2005, AIBAS is one of the premier Institutes in India offering courses in Psychology and Behavioural Science with skill based approaches and inclusive supervised internship support.

PROGRAMMES OFFERED

- B.A. (Hons.) - Applied Psychology
- M.A. - Clinical Psychology
- M.A. - Counselling Psychology
- PG Diploma in Counselling Psychology
- M.Phil - Child and Adolescent Psychology
- M.Phil - Clinical Psychology
- Ph.D

AMITY UNIVERSITY, LUCKNOW CAMPUS

Amity University, Lucknow Campus is a part of India's leading education group that has pioneered a global culture in education in India. The Amity Group is home to over 100,000 students pursuing over 250 Programmes in 50 diverse disciplines, across pre-school to Ph.D.

Amity University, Lucknow Campus is built on a foundation, which embodies all the qualities that have made Amity institutions world-class over the last two decades. Amity has instituted global standards in education, training and research with world-class infrastructure and the latest teaching methodologies. With the mission to train future leaders of the corporate world, the University strives to blend modernity with tradition in each of its students.

HIGHLIGHTS

- 40 acre hi-tech campus with state-of-the-art facilities
- 194 advanced labs in various disciplines
- Air-conditioned and amphitheatre style classrooms
- Well-stocked library with over 66,000 books, journals and references
- On-campus hostel for 2,000 students



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