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**Centre for Shaikh-ul Aalam Studies**  
*University of Kashmir, Srinagar-190006*



# **Programme Schedule**

**Two-Day National Seminar-Cum-Webinar**

**“Kashmir & Central Asia: Common Mystic Heritage”**

**(16-17 November, 2021)**

**(Tuesday & Wednesday)**

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**Inaugural Function**

**11:00 am – 12:30 pm**

**Venue: Seminar Hall, Centre for Shaikh-ul Aalam Studies (CSAS), UoK**

S.No.	Activity	Speaker	Time Duration
1.	Welcome Address	<b>Prof. G. N. Khaki</b> Chairman Centre for Shaikh-ul Aalam Studies	11:00-11:10 am
2.	Keynote Address	<b>Prof. Gulshan Majeed</b> Former Director, CCAS University of Kashmir	11:10-11:25 am
3.	Felicitation	<b>Haji Mohammad Yousuf Dambaaz</b> <b>Kashmiri Qadri</b> (Sufi Practitioner, Poet & Writer)	11:25-11:35 am
4.	Address by Special Guest	<b>Prof. Noor Ahmad Baba</b> Former Dean, School of Social Science University of Kashmir	11:35-11:45 am
5.	Address by Special Guest	<b>Prof. Muhammad Yusuf Ganai</b> Dean, School of Social Science University of Kashmir	11:45-11:55 am
6.	Address by Guest of Honour	<b>Dr. Nisar Ahmad Mir</b> Registrar University of Kashmir	11:55-12:05 pm
7.	Presidential Address by Chief Guest	<b>Prof. Farooq Ahmad Masoodi</b> Dean, Academic Affairs University of Kashmir	12:05-12:20 pm
8.	Vote of Thanks	<b>Dr. Muhammad Ilham</b> Faculty, CSAS	12:20-12:25 pm
Tea Break			12:25-01:00 pm

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**Technical Session-I**

**1:00 pm –2:30 pm**

*Chairman of the session: Prof. Tareak Ahmad Rather, Director,*

*Centre of Central Asian Studies, University of Kashmir*

Name of the Speaker	Institutional Affiliation	Theme of the paper	Mode of Presentation
<b>Majrooh Rashid</b>	Professor Islamic University of Science and Technology, Awantipora	<i>Persian Prosody and Kashmiri Poetry</i>	OFFLINE
<b>Mahesh Ranjan Debata</b>	Faculty Centre for Inner Asian Studies, School of International Studies Jawaharlal Nehru University	<i>Reformist and Theological Movements in Medieval Xinjiang: A Case-study of Naqshbandi Order</i>	OFFLINE / ONLINE
<b>Mohammad Maroof Shah</b>	Scholar, Author and Columnist	<i>Revisiting the Debate on Sayyid-Reshi Relations in post-Alamdard Kashmir</i>	OFFLINE
<b>Mohammad Irfan Shah</b>	Research Scholar Deptt. of Islamic Studies Aligarh Muslim University	<i>Role of Sufis in Linking Central Asia and Kashmir: Exploring the Pioneering Suhrawardiyyah Sufi immigrants from Central Asia (14<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup> Century)</i>	ONLINE / OFFLINE
<b>Question and Answer Session / Discussion</b>			
<b>Lunch Break 02:30-03:00 pm</b>			

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**Technical Session-II**

**3:00 pm – 5:00 pm**

*Chairman of the session: Prof. Manzoor Ahmad Bhat, Director, Shah-i- Hamadan*  
*Institute of Islamic Studies, University of Kashmir*

Name of the Speaker	Institutional Affiliation	Theme of the paper	Mode of Presentation
Nasir Nabi	Faculty S.H.I of Islamic Studies University of Kashmir	<i>Economic teachings in the writings of two great Central Asian Sufis: Abu Hamid Muhammad al-Ghazzali and Jalal al-Din Rumi</i>	OFFLINE
S. N. Pandita	Independent Scholar and Researcher	<i>Trans-Cultural Imprints of Kashmir &amp; Central Asia Across Ages (A Brief Account of Some Signposts along the Silk Road)</i>	ONLINE / OFFLINE
Sajad Rashid	Lecturer Department of Arabic, Language and Literature, Islamic University of Science and Technology, Awantipora	<i>Contribution of Central Asian Sufis in trade and Education in Kashmir</i>	OFFLINE
Ashiq-ul Islam	Faculty Department of Islamic Studies Govt. College for Women, Nawa Kadal, Srinagar	<i>The Contribution of Sufis in promoting Peace and Coexistence in Medieval Central Asia: An Appraisal</i>	OFFLINE
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**17-11-2021                      Technical Session-III                      10:30 am – 12:00 Noon**

***Chairman of the session: Prof. Tabasum Firdous, Director***

***Centre for Women Studies and Research, University of Kashmir***

Name of the Speaker	Institutional Affiliation	Theme of the paper	Mode of Presentation
<b>Jaweed Ahmad Najar</b>	Research Scholar Department of Kashmiri University of Kashmir	<i>Linguistic and Literary Connectivities between Kashmir and Central Asia (Kashmiri)</i>	OFFLINE
<b>Sumreena Gilani</b>	Asst. Professor (Kashmiri) Central University of Kashmir	<i>Kashmir: Transit Emporium of Art and Architecture</i>	ONLINE / OFFLINE
<b>Aejaz Yousuf Malik</b>	Research Scholar CCAS		
<b>Syed Saqib Abbas</b>	Research Scholar AMIU, Tehran, Iran	<i>Activistic Sufism in Persianate Cosmopolis: Some Anthropological observations on the Nurbakshiyeh in Iran and Kashmir</i>	OFFLINE
<b>Altaf Hussain Yatoo</b>	Assistant Professor (Islamic Studies) GDC Kokernag	<i>Trans-cultural Mysticism: The Convergence of Sufism and Rishism</i>	ONLINE / OFFLINE
<b>Question and Answer Session / Discussion</b>			
<b>Tea Break</b>			

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**Technical Session-IV**

**12:00 noon – 1:30 pm**

**Chairman of the session: Prof. Aejaaz Mohammad Sheikh**

**Head, Department of Urdu**

Name of the Speaker	Institutional Affiliation	Theme of the paper	Mode of Presentation
<b>Nasir Raza Khan</b>	Associate Professor India – Arab Cultural Centre Jamia Millia Islamia	<i>Sufism in Central Asia and its linkages with India</i>	ONLINE / OFFLINE
<b>Showkat Hussain Dar</b>	Faculty Department of Islamic Studies, IUST	<i>Imam al-Saghani's (1181-1252 A.D) Approach to Introduction of Hadith in Sub-Continent: An Appraisal</i>	OFFLINE
<b>Mohd Younus Kumar</b>	Research Scholars Department of Islamic Studies, IUST	<i>Doctrines of Naqshbandiah and Kubraviah Sufi Orders and Their Impact on the Society of Kashmir</i>	ONLINE / OFFLINE
<b>Shahista Rasool</b>			
<b>Vinod Kumar</b>	Assistant Executive Engineer Govt. of J&K	<i>Kashmir And Central Asia - The Mystic Connection</i>	ONLINE / OFFLINE
<b>Haroon Rashid</b>	Research Scholar Department of History University of Kashmir	<i>Traditon and Philosophy in the Past: A Study of Trika Saivism</i>	OFFLINE
<b>Question and Answer Session / Discussion</b>			
<b>Lunch Break</b>			



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**Technical Session-V**

**2:30 pm – 4:30 pm**

**Chairman of the session: Prof. Naseem Ahmad Shah, Former Dean,**

**School of Social Science, University of Kashmir**

Name of the Speaker	Institutional Affiliation	Theme of the paper	Mode of Presentation
Aijaz Ahmed	Assistant Professor Department of Islamic Studies Aligarh Muslim University	<i>Transformation of Central Asian Culture into Kashmir: A Study</i>	ONLINE / OFFLINE
Sohail Ashraf Mir	Research Scholar Deptt. of Islamic Studies Aligarh Muslim University	<i>A historical analysis of art and architectural exchange between Kashmir and Central Asia</i>	ONLINE / OFFLINE
Obaidullah Fahad	Faculty Deptt. of Islamic Studies Aligarh Muslim University		
Aniayatullah Bhat	Research Scholar CSAS	<i>Kashiris Tamadunas paeth Wasti Asia hik Asraat (Kashmiri)</i>	OFFLINE
Rehana Qasim	Research Scholar CSAS	<i>Influence of Central Asian Languages on Kashmiri Language: A Lexical Study</i>	ONLINE / OFFLINE
<b>Question and Answer Session / Discussion</b>			

**Note: In view of the circumstances brought about by COVID-19, we request the participants to maintain the prescribed SOPs. Seminar Kit including lunch coupons will be provided to those participants only who present their papers in OFFLINE mode. However Paper presentation certificate will be provided to all the participants. No TA/DA shall be provided to the participants.**