

Markaz-i Noor
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)

The link for online participation through Google Meet is below:

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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	Prof. G. N. Khaki Chairman Centre for Shaikh-ul Aalam Studies	11:00-11:10 am
2.	Keynote Address	Prof. Gulshan Majeed Former Director, CCAS University of Kashmir	11:10-11:25 am
3.	Felicitation	Haji Mohammad Yousuf Dambaaz Kashmiri Qadri (Sufi Practitioner, Poet & Writer)	11:25-11:35 am
4.	Book Release	<i>Kashmir mai Islami Inqilaab Aur Hazrat</i> <i>Shah-i-Hamadan</i> ^(RA) by Mir Imtiyaz Aafreen	11:35-11:45 am
5.	Address by Special Guest	Prof. Noor Ahmad Baba Former Dean, School of Social Science University of Kashmir	11:45-11:55 am
6.	Address by Special Guest	Prof. Muhammad Yusuf Ganai Dean, School of Social Science University of Kashmir	11:55-12:05 pm
7.	Address by Guest of Honour	Dr. Nisar Ahmad Mir Registrar University of Kashmir	12:05-12:15 pm
8.	Presidential Address by Chief Guest	Prof. Farooq Ahmad Masoodi Dean, Academic Affairs University of Kashmir	12:15-12:25 pm
9.	Vote of Thanks	Dr. Muhammad Ilham Faculty, CSAS	12:25-01:00 pm
Tea Break			12:30-01:00 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
Majrooh Rashid	Professor Islamic University of Science and Technology, Awantipora	<i>Persian Prosody and Kashmiri Poetry</i>	OFFLINE
Mahesh Ranjan Debata	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
Mohammad Maroof Shah	Scholar, Author and Columnist	<i>Revisiting the Debate on Sayyid-Reshi Relations in post-Alamdar Kashmir</i>	OFFLINE
Mohammad Irfan Shah	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 (14th-15th Century)</i>	ONLINE / OFFLINE
Question and Answer Session / Discussion			
Lunch Break 02:30-03:00 pm			

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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 & 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
Question and Answer Session / Discussion			

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

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Technical Session-IV

12:00 noon – 1:30 pm

Chairman of the session: Prof. Aejaz Mohammad Sheikh

Head, Department of Urdu

Name of the Speaker	Institutional Affiliation	Theme of the paper	Mode of Presentation
Nasir Raza Khan	Associate Professor India - Arab Cultural Centre Jamia Millia Islamia	<i>Sufism in Central Asia and its linkages with India</i>	ONLINE / OFFLINE
Mohd Younus Kumar	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
Shahista Rasool			
Vinod Kumar	Assistant Executive Engineer Govt. of J&K	<i>Kashmir And Central Asia - The Mystic Connection</i>	ONLINE / OFFLINE
Haroon Rashid	Research Scholar Department of History University of Kashmir	<i>Traditon and Philosophy in the Past: A Study of Trika Saivism</i>	OFFLINE
Question and Answer Session / Discussion			
Lunch Break			

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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		
Aniyatullah 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
Question and Answer Session / Discussion			

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.