

— BABU BANARASI DAS UNIVERSITY, LUCKNOW —

## INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

On

**“Indian Knowledge System (IKS) in the context of NEP 2020”**

**(Hybrid Mode)**

**4–5 February 2026**

Organized by

**School of Education**





## **ABOUT BBD UNIVERSITY**

BBD University aims to transform the way people think by teaching them problem solving, leadership and teamwork skills, and the value of commitment to quality, ethical behavior, and respect for others. We want every member of our university to enjoy diverse opportunities for intellectual, personal and professional growth. Learning and working at BBD University will foster quick, well-rounded minds, well-equipped to succeed in our fast-changing world. The University strive to educate students in a way that transforms them into leaders who can make a difference in the world. We aim to impart futuristic and high quality technical, management and medical education to the young and talented Indian and international students. We strive to become the front runner in the field of education in India by attracting and nurturing the best talent and providing them a platform where they can strengthen and grow their core competencies and build their career as world class professionals. We will provide a lifetime outside the classroom experience by setting up world class infrastructure and facilities for sports, recreation, cultural and personality development.

## **ABOUT THE CONFERENCE**

India's rich and diverse knowledge traditions, rooted in its ancient civilization, represent a significant contribution to global intellectual heritage. The Indian Knowledge System (IKS) encompasses disciplines such as Philosophy, Literature, Law, Medicine, Yoga, Mathematics, Arts, Sciences, Astronomy etc., which have shaped Indian society and influenced world thought. In today's era of complex challenges, there is renewed interest in revisiting and revitalizing these traditional systems to assess their relevance and applicability in modern contexts. Interdisciplinary conferences play a vital role in this process by bringing together scholars from diverse fields to exchange ideas, collaborate, and foster innovative research. In this backdrop, organizing an interdisciplinary conference on "Indian Knowledge System (IKS) in the context of NEP 2020" is timely and necessary. The proposed conference aims to explore this legacy and examine how traditional knowledge can be aligned with present-day educational and societal needs. Accordingly, Babu Banarasi Das University, Lucknow is organizing a two-day International Conference to comprehensively examine the historical development, present relevance and future prospects of IKS in alignment with NEP 2020, fostering dialogue among academicians, researchers, and students to bridge traditional wisdom with future-oriented advancements.

# **SUB THEMES OF THE CONFERENCE**

## **A. SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HUMANITIES**

- Humanities and Social Science research in Multidisciplinary and Transdisciplinary Education
- Realizing Goal of Viksit Bharat – 2047: Harmony in Indian Knowledge System, Demographic Dividends
- Social Entrepreneurship in India: It's importance, Current Status, Challenges and Future Strategies
- Changing Role of Social Media in Democracy, Market Economy and Governance
- Ethics in Journalism – Challenges of Maintaining Objectivity in Conflict Zones

## **B. EDUCATION**

- Educational ideas of Vedas, Upanishads, Bhagavad Gita, Buddhist and Jain traditions.
- Curriculum design, syllabus enrichment, and pedagogical integration at school and higher education levels.
- Indigenous approaches to equity, accessibility, and education for diverse learners.
- Role of yogic practices in teacher well-being, emotional intelligence, and classroom effectiveness.
- Digitization of indigenous knowledge, ICT integration, and teacher preparedness

## **C. MANAGEMENT**

- Sustainable Development and Indian Knowledge System
- Business Ethics and Indian Knowledge System
- Integrating Indian Cultural Values into Modern HR Practices
- Indian Knowledge System and Global Competitiveness in Business
- Indigenous Economic Models and Trade Practices

## **D. LAW**

- Traditional Art Forms: A Cause of Concern for the Copyright
- Indian Knowledge System and Modern Legal Education
- Dharma and the Concept of Justice in Indian Legal Traditions
- The Role of Manusmriti and Arthashastra in Shaping Indian Jurisprudence
- The Role of Dharmashastras in the Evolution of Family Law in India

## **E. BASIC AND APPLIED SCIENCES**

- Traditional Indian Metallurgy and its Modern Applications
- Approaches Towards Vedic Physics
- Traditional Practices for Conserving the Nature and Managing Pollution
- Bridging the Gap: IKS and Modern Science in Pesticide Management
- Vedic Mathematics and Modern Technology

## **F. ENGINEERING**

- Indian Knowledge Systems and Artificial Intelligence
- Indigenous Engineering Practices
- Ancient Indian Communication Systems
- Ancient Indian Mathematics and Algorithms in Modern Computing
- Sustainable Engineering Practices from Indian Knowledge Traditions

## **G. MEDICAL SCIENCES AND PHARMACY**

- Ayurvedic Foundations of Oral and Dental Health
- Technological Innovations Inspired by Indian Knowledge Systems in Dentistry
- Digitization and preservation of traditional medical knowledge
- Integration of Traditional Indian Medicine with Contemporary Pharmaceutical Practices
- Formulation and validation practices based on traditional Indian Knowledge System

## **H. ARCHITECTURE**

- Traditional Indian Architecture and Structural Wisdom
- Indian Knowledge Systems and Sustainable Urban Planning
- Sustainable Architecture and Climate-Responsive Design in IKS
- Heritage Conservation, Adaptive Reuse, and Indigenous Planning Practices
- Cosmology, Mandala, and Geometry in Indian Architecture

## **I. GENERAL SUB THEMES**

- Venerable Position of Traditional Knowledge under Intellectual Property Rights –A Concern for Sustainable Development
- Sustainable Development through Ancient Practices and Knowledge System
- Medicinal plants in classical Indian texts
- Mantras, recitation, and rhythm for speech and language development
- Community-based rehabilitation in Indian contexts
- Role of native seeds, community seed banks, traditional seed preservation techniques, and agro-biodiversity in Indian farming systems

# **CALL FOR PAPERS (Guidelines)**

Interested participants are invited to submit their original and unpublished research papers/case studies on the thematic areas with specific recommendations for discussions in technical sessions.

### **Abstract Submission**

- Word Limit: 250–300 words
- Must include: Title, Author's Name, Designation, Institution, Email ID, Keywords
- Format: English (Times New Roman), Hindi (Mangal) 12 pt, 14pt headings and 1.5 Spacing

## Full Paper Submission

- Length: 2,500–3,000 words
- Referencing Style: APA 7th Edition
- Original and unpublished work only
- Similarity Index: Not more than 10%

## Presentation Guidelines

- Duration: 8–10 minutes
- Mode: Hybrid
- Presentation through PPT is recommended

## Manuscript Content

Paper should demonstrate critical rigor and make clear contribution to knowledge. It should also state its implications in relation to the theme of the conference and contribution to one or more areas of research, education, policy or practice.

## Submission Process

*Abstract to be sent while registration through the Google form (QR and link provided in the Procedure of Registration section), and Full Paper to be submitted via email: [iksbdu2026@gmail.com](mailto:iksbdu2026@gmail.com) . In case of any query regarding research papers, kindly contact: Dr. Brijesh Chandra Tripathi (Mob- 7007834227)*

## PUBLICATION OF THE ACCEPTED MANUSCRIPTS

Paper selected after a blind peer review will be published in an Edited Book with ISBN Number. It is desired that the research papers must be submitted well in time and strictly as per the guidelines, so as to be included in the proposed publications.

## IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Submission of Abstract	22 <sup>nd</sup> January 2026
Full-length Paper Submission	31 <sup>st</sup> January 2026
Notification of Acceptance- Full Paper	1 <sup>st</sup> February 2026
Last Date of Online Registration	2 <sup>nd</sup> February 2026
Conference Date	4 <sup>th</sup> and 5 <sup>th</sup> February 2026

## CERTIFICATE

Certificate of participation and paper presentation will be provided to each participant and paper presenter, respectively.

# REGISTRATION FEE

Category	Fee
Students	Rs. 200/-
Research Scholars	Rs. 400/-
Faculty Members/Others	Rs. 500/-
For International Students/Scholars/Faculty Members/Others	USD \$ 10/-

On the spot registration can be done on 4<sup>th</sup> February 2026.

## PAYMENT OF REGISTRATION FEES

The applicable fees can be paid into the following bank account:

**Account Name- Babu Banarasi Das University**

**Account No.- 0762005501426800**

**Bank Name - Punjab National Bank**

**Branch Name- Lucknow, Nishatganj**

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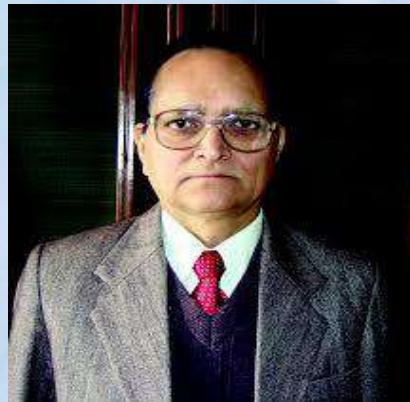
## PROCEDURE OF REGISTRATION

**Step1:** Make the payment in the above-provided bank account and retrieve the payment receipt with the transaction ID clearly mentioned in the receipt.

**Step 2:** Fill the registration form by uploading the payment receipt from the below link/QR code: <https://forms.gle/cjtfQaWUyGBysySr7>



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