

Programme Schedule



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on

‘Environment, Economy, Culture and Technology: A Way Forward to Viksit Bharat’

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Department of Geography

Faculty of Arts and Humanities

Dr. Ghanshyam Singh Mahavidyalaya, Soyepur, Lalpur, Varanasi (U.P.)

16th - 17th March, 2026

Day One - 16th March, 2026

Venue: Dr. Ghanshyam Singh Mahavidyalaya, Soyepur, Lalpur, Varanasi

Time	Session Details	Venue
8: 00 AM – 9:00 AM	Breakfast	Ground Floor
9:00 AM – 10:00 AM	Registration	Registration Desk (Ground Floor)
Inauguration Session: Multi-Purpose Hall		
10:00 AM -12:00 PM	Institute Song and Lamp Lighting Ceremony	
	Welcome Address by the Hon. Manager , DGSM, Shri Nageshwar Singh	
	Introduction of the Seminar Theme by the Convenor , EECT-2026, Dr. Anand Singh , Head, Department of Geography, DGSM, Varanasi	

	Address by the 'Guest of Honour' Prof. U.P. Singh , Director, Institute of Agricultural Sciences, B.H.U. Varanasi	
	Address by the 'Guest of Honour' Prof. V.S. Negi, President, Delhi University Teacher's Association (DUTA)	
	Address by the Keynote Speaker EECT 2026, Prof. Bindhy Wasini Pandey , Director, Centre for Himalayan Studies, University of Delhi	
	Address by the Hon. Chief Guest , EECT 2026, Prof. Anand Kumar Tyagi , Vice Chancellor M.G.K.V.P. Varanasi	
	Unveiling Ceremony of 'EECT 2026' Abstract Book'	
	Presidential Address by the EECT 2026, Dr. Prithvish Nag , Ex. Vice Chancellor MGKVP & Former Surveyor General of India	
	Vote of Thanks by, EECT 2026, Dr. Rachna Pandey , Head, Faculty of Education, DGSM, Varanasi	
	Conference Photography	
12:00 PM -12:20 PM	Tea Break	3rd Floor Foyer
12:25 PM - 2:10 PM	Plenary Session: 1	Multi-Purpose Hall
Plenary and Keynote Lectures	Chair: Prof. A. R. Siddiqui , Head, Professor, Department of Geography, Allahabad University, Prayagraj	
	Plenary Talk: Prof. A.S. Raghuvanshi , Director, IESD, B.H.U. Varanasi	
	KL- 01: Prof. Arun Kumar Singh , Registrar, B.H.U. Varanasi	
	KL- 02: Dr. Jagbir Singh , Department of Geography, Swami Shraddhanand College, University of Delhi, Delhi	
	KL- 03: Prof. Sunil Kumar Singh , Faculty of Education, B.H.U. Varanasi	
2:10 PM - 3:00 PM	Lunch Break	Dining Area
Technical Session (Oral and Poster)		
3:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Session: I Theme: Environment Venue: Hall A1	Session: II Theme: Economy/ Politics and Governance Venue: Hall A3
	Lead Speaker: Prof. Devendra Mohan Department of Civil Engineering, IIT B.H.U. Varanasi	Lead Speaker: Prof. Anup Kumar Mishra , Head, Department of Economics, D.A.V. P.G. College, B.H.U. Varanasi
	Session Chair: Prof. Anand Kumar Singh , Former Head, Department of Geography, S.G.R.P.G. College, Dobhi, Jaunpur	Session Chair: Prof. Anju Singh , Head, Department of Geography, Udai Pratap Autonomous College, Varanasi
	Session Co-Chair: Dr. Gaurav Nain , Department of Geography, Shaheed Bhagat Singh College, University of Delhi, Delhi	Session Co-Chair: Dr. Abhishek Kumar Singh , Department of Commerce, Delhi University, Delhi Session Co-Chair: Dr. Sonam Chaudhari , Department of Political Science, Shri Agrasen Kanya P.G. College, Varanasi

	Rapporteur. Dr. Poonam , Department of Botany, D.G.S.M., Varanasi	Rapporteur: Ms. Swati Sarraf , Department of Commerce, D.G.S.M., Varanasi
5:00 PM – 5:30 PM	Tea Break	3rd Floor
5:30 PM - 7:30 PM	Cultural Programme	MP-Hall
7:30 PM – 8:30 PM	Dinner	Dining Area (Ground Floor)

Day Two - 17th March, 2026

Venue: Dr. Ghanshyam Singh Mahavidyalaya, Soyepur, Lalpur, Varanasi

Time	Session Details	Venue
8:00 AM – 9:00 AM	Breakfast	Ground Floor
9:10 AM - 11:00 AM	Plenary Session: 2	Multi-Purpose Hall
Plenary and Keynote Lectures	Chair: Prof. Ravindra G. Jaybhaye , Savitribai Phule Pune University, IIG -Secretary General	
Plenary Talk: Prof. Gopal Shankar Singh , IESD B.H.U. Varanasi		
KL- 01: Prof. S. B. Singh , Former Head, Department of Geography, B.H.U. Varanasi		
KL- 02: Prof. Shrikant Dixit , Former Head, D.D.U. Gorakhpur University, Gorakhpur		
KL- 03: Dr. Raj Kumar Singh , Professor, Government Girl's P.G. College, Adalhat, Mirzapur,U.P.		
11:00 AM - 11:30 AM	Tea Break	3rd Floor Foyer

Technical Session (Oral and Poster)

	Session: III	Session: IV
	Theme: Science and Technology Venue: Hall A1	Theme: Agriculture and Land Resource Venue: Hall A3
11:30 AM - 1:30 PM	Lead Speaker: Dr. Krishna Kant Pathak , Department of Civil Engineering, IIT B.H.U. Varanasi	Lead Speaker: Prof. Vandana Pandey , Faculty of Commerce, Harishchandra P.G. College, Varanasi
	Session Chair: Prof. R.K. Mishra , Department of Electrical Engineering, IIT B.H.U. Varanasi	Session Chair: Prof. Ramesh Chand , Former Director, Institute of Agricultural Sciences, B.H.U. Varanasi
	Session Co-Chair: Dr. Prakash Chandra Mani , Department of Mechanical Engineering, IIT B.H.U. Varanasi	Session Co-Chair: Dr. Suman Das , Department of Geography, Kirori Mal College, University Delhi, Delhi
	Rapporteur: Dr. Hemant Singh , Department of Bio-Tech, DGSM, Varanasi	Rapporteur: Mr. Prabal Pratap Singh , Department of Agriculture, D.G.S.C.E., Varanasi
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM	Lunch Break	Dining Area (Ground Floor)

Technical Session (Oral and Poster)		
2:30 PM – 4:00 PM	Session: V Theme: Society and Culture Venue: Hall A1	Session: VI Theme: Tourism and Heritage /Art and Literature/ Others Venue: Hall A3
	Lead Speaker: Dr. Darshan Kumar Jha , Department of Geography, Jagat Taran Girl's Degree College, Prayagraj	Lead Speaker: Prof. Satyapal Sharma , Department of Hindi, B.H.U. Varanasi
	Session Chair: Prof. R.K. Pandey , Head, Department of Geography, S.G.R.P.G. College, Dobhi, Jaunpur	Session Chair: Prof. Sudha Pandey , Principal, Pt. Deen Dayal Upadhyay Govt. Degree College, Sevapuri Varanasi
	Session Co-Chair: Dr. Priyanka Pathak , Department of Psychology, Veer Kunwar Singh University, Ara, Bihar	Session Co-Chair: Dr. Anurag Tripathi , Department of Hindi, Central Institute of Higher Tibetan Studies, Sarnath, Varanasi
	Rapporteur: Mr. Arvind Kumar Chaubey , Head, Department of Political Science, D.G.S.M., Varanasi	Rapporteur: Dr. Roshani Singh , Department of Home Science, D.G.S.M., Varanasi
4:00 PM – 4:30 PM	Tea Break	3rd Floor Foyer
4:30 PM – 6:00 PM	Valedictory Session Venue: MP-Hall	
	Address by the Chief Guest , EECT 2026, Prof. Ram Kumar Singh , Vice Chancellor, Ranchi University, Ranchi	
	Address by the Guest of Honour , EECT 2026, Prof. Haushila Prasad , Former Head, Department of Geography, Indira Gandhi National Tribal University, Amarkantak, M.P.	
	Address by the Guest of Honour , EECT 2026, Prof. Tarkeshwar Singh , Former Head, Department of Geography, S.G.R.P.G. College, Dobhi, Jaunpur	
	Address by the Guest of Honour , EECT 2026, Prof. Dharmadutt Chaturvedi , Department of Sanskrit, Central Institute of Higher Tibetan Studies, Sarnath, Varanasi	
	Valedictory Address by Prof. Prem Narayan Singh , Director, IUCTE, BH.U., Varanasi	
	Vote for Thanks by Ms. Khushboo Singh , Organizing Secretary EECT 2026 Assistant Professor (Geography) D.G.S.M., Varanasi	
6:00 PM – 7:00 PM	High Tea	3rd Floor Foyer