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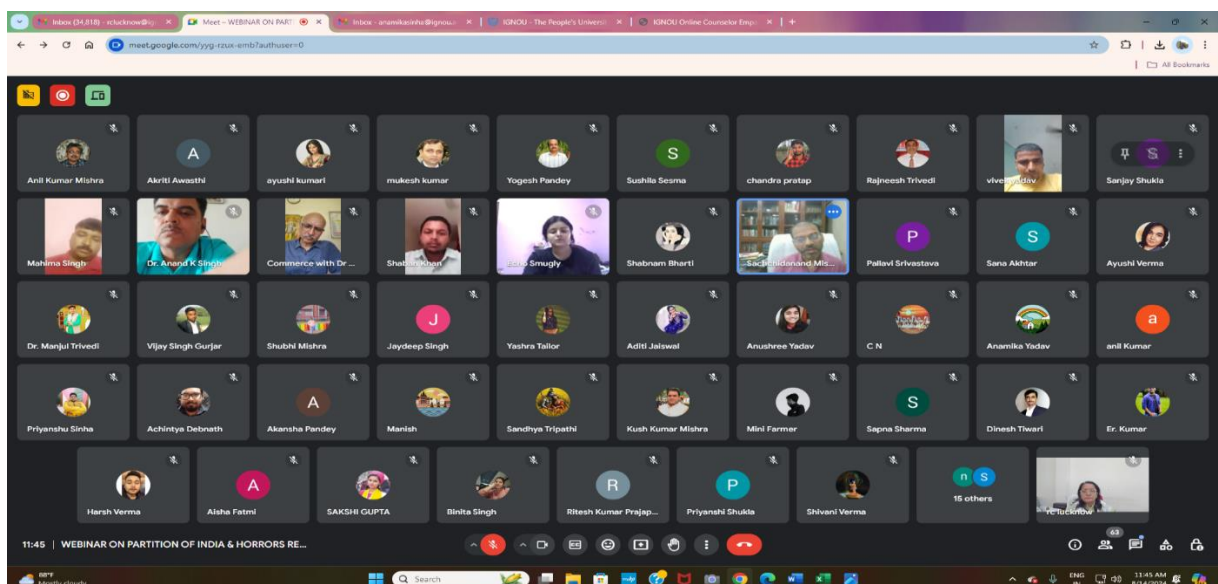
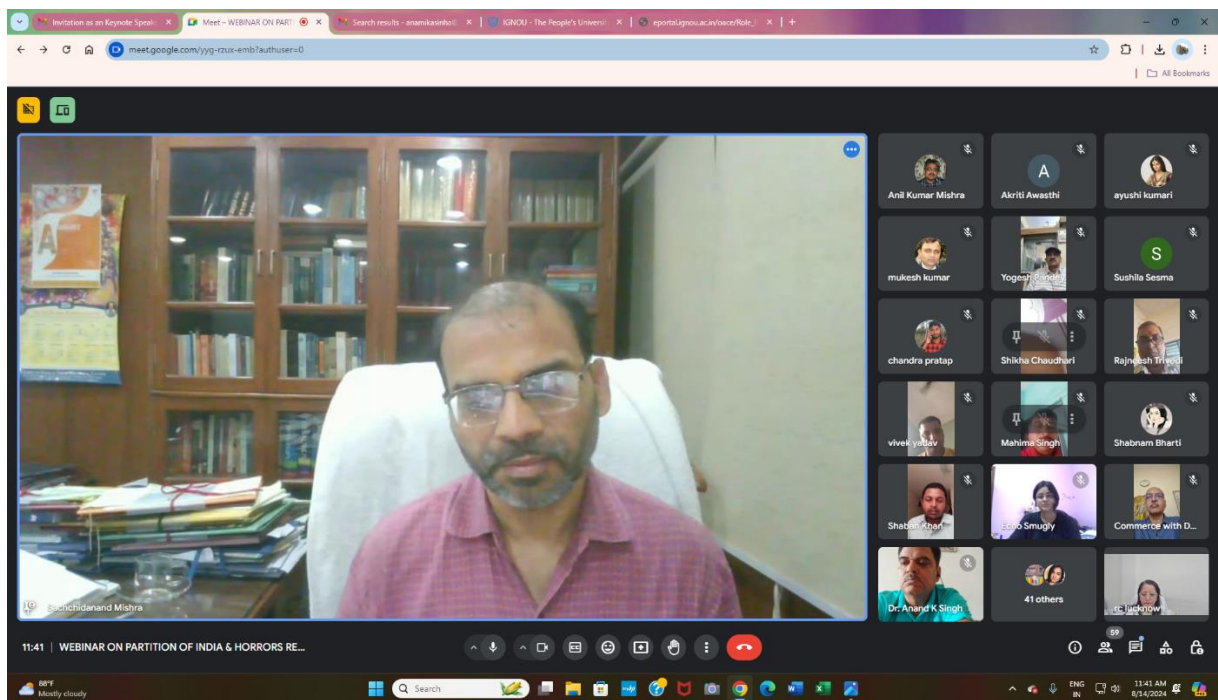
Report on Webinar on Partition of India and Horror Remembrance Day

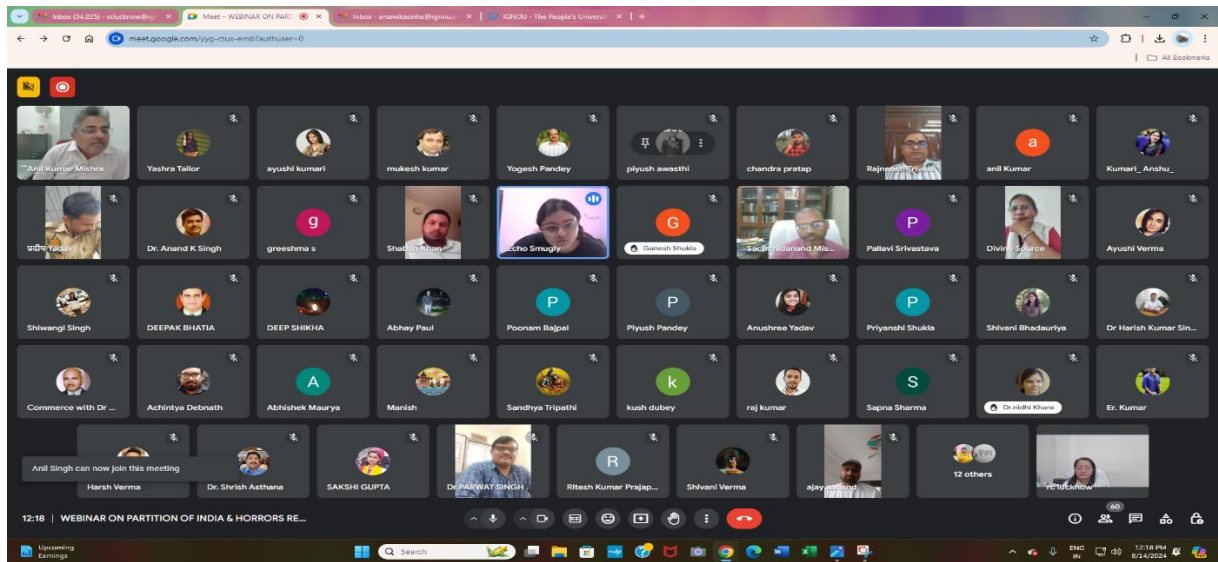
Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU), Regional Centre, Lucknow has organized a National Webinar on Partition of India and Horror Remembrance Day under the “**Observance of Partition Horrors Remembrance Day 2024**” on Wednesday, August 14, 2024 through google meet platform. **Prof. Sacchidananda Mishra**, Member Secretary, Indian Council of Philosophical Council & Professor, Department of Philosophy and Religion Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi was the keynote speaker of the Webinar. Webinar was attended by the **Dr. Manorama Singh**, Senior Regional Director, **Dr. Anil Kumar Misra**, Additional Director, **Dr. Kirti Vikram Singh & Dr. Anamika Sinha**, Assistant Regional Directors, **Dr. Nishith Nagar**, Assistant Registrar, Coordinators of different Learner Support Centers- 2712, 27129, 27211, 2729, 2704, 2720, 27216, Assistant Coordinators along with all learners of Regional Centre, Lucknow.

Dr. Manorama Singh has welcomed the keynote speaker and other participants in the webinar. She said that Observance of Partition Horrors Remembrance Day 2024 has been organized by the Government of India to honor those who lost their lives during the partition of India and we should learn from the past and brighten our future. She also said that the partition had left 10 to 20 million people displaced and left 2 hundred thousand to 2 million dead.

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Prof. Sachidananda Mishra, Keynote Speaker has said that observance of this day aims to remind Indians the need to remove social divisions, disharmony and to further strengthen the spirit of oneness, social harmony and human empowerment. He emphasized that one should remember their identity as Indians, instead of being divided in the name of religion or caste. He said that nation cannot progress until every citizen should do their duties properly. We should always remember the tragedies people faced during the partition not only of India, but the same incidents took place with the partition took place in neighbouring countries. One should work for Unity, Integrity & sovereignty of our country instead of being divided with different identities.





Dr. Anil Kumar Misra, has proposed the formal Vote of Thanks of the webinar. The webinar was moderated by **Dr. Anamika Sinha**.

Queries raised by the learners were replied by the Keynote Speaker.

- Senior Regional Director