

**INDIRA GANDHI NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY**  
**REGIONAL CENTRE, LUCKNOW**  
**Shri Jai Narain PG College, Lucknow (27108)**

**Post Graduate Diploma in Higher Education (PGDHE)**  
**Ten Days Extended Contact Programme (Online) - REVISED**  
**SCHEDULE (15.04.2026 – 26.04.2026)**

Day/ Date	Timing	Activity	Resource Person(s)
<b>Day-1</b> 15.04.2026 Wednesday	3:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Registration and introduction about ECP and PGDHE	Prof. Perveen Kumar PIC, 27108
	4:00 pm – 5:30 pm	What is a Profession? Characteristics of Teaching as a Profession. How is it different from other professions? <b>(Individual Activity:</b> Identifying the components of teaching profession and preparing a code of ethics' for teachers )	Prof. Munesh Kumar, University of Lucknow, Lucknow
	5:30pm – 6:00 pm	<b>TEA BREAK</b>	
	6:00 pm – 7:30 pm	Higher Education in India: Management and structure	Prof. Perveen Kumar Shri Jai Narain Misra PG College, Lucknow
	7:30 pm - 8:30 pm	Financing of Higher Education: Issues and Trends <b>(Group Activity:</b> discussion on the implications of the emerging financial trends on colleges/ universities including autonomous colleges)	
<b>Day-2</b> 16.04.2026 Thursday	3:00 pm – 4:00 pm	What is Learning? Types and factors Affecting Learning	Dr. Renu Srivastava Shri Jai Narain PG College, Lucknow
	4:00 pm – 5:00 pm	<b>Individual Activity:</b> Identification of teacher and learner related factors influencing learning	
	5:00 pm – 5:30 pm	<b>TEA BREAK</b>	
	5:30 pm – 7:00 pm	Aims of higher education <b>(Group Activity:</b> Participants discuss and examine the aims of higher education in the context of the changing contemporary society)	Prof. Munesh Kumar, University of Lucknow, Lucknow
	7:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Organizing group sessions in large classroom. <b>Small group activity:</b> Identifying a Chairperson and a topic, planning interaction, initiation facilitation, moderation and control, closing an interaction session Demonstration of how to conduct group interaction session	Dr. Ritu Chakravarty, Amity University, Lucknow
<b>Day-3</b> 17.04.2026 Friday	3:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Understanding Young Adults: Perspectives	Dr. Umesh L. Bharte University of Mumbai, Mumbai
	4:00 pm – 5:00 pm	<b>(Individual Activity:</b> Writing and presenting a note on the characteristics and challenges faced by young adults and their implication on classroom teaching)	
	5:00 pm – 5:30 pm	<b>TEA BREAK</b>	
	5:30 pm – 7:00 pm	Teacher as a Counsellor – guidance and counselling needs of young adults	Dr. Ritu Chakravarty Amity University, Lucknow
	7:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Role play to discuss problems faced by students and the role of teachers as counsellors	
<b>Day-4</b> 20.04.2026 Monday	3:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Course Design I Background and Objectives	Dr. Rashmi Chaturvedi, Shri Ramswaroop Memorial University, Lucknow
	5:00 pm – 5:30 pm	<b>TEA BREAK</b>	
	5:30 pm – 7:00 pm	<b>Activity:</b> Individual exercise of selecting and designing one course in one content area for one academic session of 3 months focusing on <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Overall goals</li> <li>● Specific objectives</li> <li>● Determining course content – criteria</li> </ul>	Prof. Rashmi Soni Shri Jai Narain Misra PG College, Lucknow

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Selecting teaching learning methods – criteria</li> </ul>	
	<b>7:00 pm – 8:00 pm</b>	Using Group Project Work as a technique for facilitating learning at college level ( <b>Group Activity:</b> Subject groups choose a topic, prepare a project and display)	Dr. B.C. Tripathi, BBD University, Lucknow
<b>Day-5</b> 21.04.2026 Tuesday	<b>3:00 pm – 4:00 pm</b>	Course Design II (Integrating Methods and Media) <b>Individual Activities</b> related to CD II (Identification of media methods, criteria for identification and integration with content)	Prof. Gaurav Rao, CIE, New Delhi
	<b>4:00 pm – 5:00 pm</b>	Course Design III Assessment and Evaluation	Prof. Gaurav Rao, CIE, New Delhi
	<b>5:00 pm – 5:30 pm</b>	<b>TEA BREAK</b>	
	<b>5:30 pm – 7:00 pm</b>	Individual activity on CD II	Prof. Vinod Kumar Sanwal, NCERT, New Delhi
	<b>7:00 pm – 8:00 pm</b>	Individual activity on CD III	Dr. B.C. Tripathi, BBD University, Lucknow
<b>Day-6</b> 22.04.2026 Wednesday	<b>3:00 pm – 4:00 pm</b>	Learners with special needs	Prof. Sara Begum
	<b>4:00 pm – 5:00 pm</b>	( <b>Individual activity:</b> Categories, nature of challenges, strategies for facilitation)	Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi
	<b>5:00 pm – 5:30 pm</b>	<b>TEA BREAK</b>	
	<b>5:30 pm – 7:00 pm</b>	Course Design IV – Programme Evaluation	Prof. Payal Gupta, Shri Jai Narain Misra PG College, Lucknow
	<b>7:00 pm – 8:00 pm</b>	Individual exercise on CD IV	Dr. Neetu Singh University of Lucknow, Lucknow
<b>Day-7</b> 23.04.2026 Thursday	<b>3:00 pm – 5:00 pm</b>	(MES-105) Discussion on MES-105 – Project Work discussion on (Proposal to Submission of Project Report)	Dr. Akhilesh Ramnagar PG College, Ramnagar, Barabanki
	<b>5:00 pm – 5:30 pm</b>	<b>TEA BREAK</b>	
	<b>5:30 pm – 7:00 pm</b>	Discussion on the pros and cons of Lecture Method	Dr. Sumit Gangwar, University of Lucknow, Lucknow
	<b>7:00 pm – 8:00 pm</b>	Individual activity on preparation and demonstration of lecture with self and peer evaluation.	Prof. S.C. Hajela, Shri Jai Narain Misra PG College, Lucknow
<b>Day-8</b> 24.04.2026 Friday	<b>3:00 pm – 5:00 pm</b>	Virtual Visit to an Institution of Higher Learning. Discussion with the Principal, focusing on management and aspects planning, curriculum, finance, staff, faculty of infrastructure, styles of management being followed	Dr. Surya Narayan Gupta, University of Lucknow Lucknow
	<b>5:00 pm – 5:30 pm</b>	<b>TEA BREAK</b>	
	<b>5:30 pm – 8:00 pm</b>	Writing Individual Reports about the Institute visited focusing on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vision and Mission of the Institute</li> <li>Leadership style</li> <li>Management of Resources</li> <li>Efforts to enhance/ facilitate effective/inclusive learning</li> </ul>	Dr. Akhilesh Ramnagar PG College, Ramnagar, Barabanki
<b>Day-9</b> 25.04.2026 Saturday	<b>3:00 pm – 4:00 pm</b>	Individual activity on lecture demonstration to continue for the remaining group	Dr. Rajiv Dubey, BHU, Varanasi
	<b>4:00 pm – 5:00 pm</b>	Globalisation and Privatisation- Its implications on higher education	Prof. B.N. Dubey BBA University,

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		( <b>Activity:</b> Groups do a compare and contrast analysis of a Private and a Public University, focusing on types of courses, infrastructure admission policy, fee, faculty, facilities for faculty development, curriculum, inclusion, admission, fees, social groups, curriculum –steps taken to ensure quality, qualification, etc. )	Lucknow
	<b>5:00 pm – 5:30 pm</b>	<b>TEA BREAK</b>	
	<b>5:30 pm – 7:00 pm</b>	Group Activity - Discussion on Implications of Globalization	Prof. B.N. Dubey, BBA University, Lucknow
	<b>7:00 pm – 8:00 pm</b>	Individual Participants to be given time to complete activities related to Course Design (CD), group project, report on institutional visit, lecture demo.	---
Day-10 26.04.2026 Sunday	<b>3:00 pm – 5:00 pm</b>	Activities on CD I, II, III continue	Prof. Sanjay Kumar, DAV College, Muzaffarnagar
	<b>5:00 pm – 5:30 pm</b>	<b>TEA BREAK</b>	
	<b>5:30 pm – 8:00 pm</b>	Feedback of the Extended Contact Programme by individual participants. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Expectations before attending</li> <li>● Whether expectations were met</li> <li>● Quality of Interactions with Resource persons</li> <li>● Interaction with Peers</li> <li>● Take away from ECP, if any;</li> <li>● Suggestions/ Individual feedback/ Comments for improvement</li> </ul>	Prof. Tirmal Singh Prof. Perveen Kumar

**Important Instructions:**

1. The ECP will begin on April 15, 2026 (Wednesday) and will come to an end on April 26, 2026 (Sunday). Four sessions will be conducted every day. Full participation in every session is compulsory. **Request for leave will not be entertained in any circumstance.**
2. The ECP will be organized in online mode only. The link for joining the meeting on 15.04.2026 is given below:

Video call link: <https://meet.google.com/hiu-upde-trr>

For the other nine days to follow meeting link will be shared in the respective group to be created on the first day of the ECP.

3. After the completion of ECP, every learner must submit handwritten reports of all activities (along with the screenshots of all the sessions) at IGNOU Study Centre 27108, Shri Jai Narain Misra PG College, Lucknow up to 10.05.2026. **If any participant fails to submit the report of ECP, his/her grades will not be forwarded to IGNOU.**

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