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(UNIVERSITY OF DELHI)**

EVENT REPORT

NAME OF THE EVENT: Annual Lecture 2022-23: Prof. Roma Chatterji			
DATE	DEPARTMENT	COMMITTEE/SOCIETY	COORDINATORS' NAME
13 th March 2023	Sociology	-	Dr. Urmi Bhattacharyya
TIME	VENUE	NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS	NATURE: Outdoor/Indoor; online/offline/hybrid
11:45 AM	T1 (Room 13)		Indoor; Offline
FINANCIAL SUPPORT/ASSISTANCE (if any):	College Grants sanctioned to the Sociology Association – Department of Sociology		

BRIEF INFORMATION ABOUT THE ACTIVITY

TOPIC/SUBJECT OF THE ACTIVITY	Annual Lecture by Prof. Roma Chatterji on 'The Superhero Image and Ravana Mythology'
OBJECTIVES	<ol style="list-style-type: none">To explore the expressive potential of images in superhero comics in order to discuss how these contribute in significant ways to the construction of narratives in mythology.To explore stereotypical representations of superheroes as reflected through a critical reading of visual.
METHODOLOGY	Lecture (power-point presentation) followed by Q & A
INVITED SPEAKERS WITH AFFILIATION DETAILS (IF ANY)	Prof. Roma Chatterji (Retd), Department of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi
OUTCOMES	<ol style="list-style-type: none">Students were introduced to concepts of perspective, movement, pictorial techniques and page layout in visual narratives.The lecture enabled students to learn how to analyse the close relationship between narrative and images and also critically interpret the stereotypical representations of superheroes in popular culture.

PROOFS & DOCUMENTS ATTACHED (Tick mark the proofs attached):

1 Notice & Letters	2 Number of Participants & Name of participants	3 Video clip	4 Photos ✓	5 Feedback Form & analysis
6 News clip with details	7 Sample Copy of the Certificate	8 Posters/ Invites ✓	9 Event report Attested by Event Coordinator & IQAC Coordinator ✓	10 Any other document

IQAC Document No: IQAC/SVC/2022-2023/SOC/02	Criterion No: III
Departmental file no: SVC/2022-2023/SOC/02	IQAC file No: SVC/2022-23

	NAME OF TEACHER & SIGNATURE	NAME OF HEAD/ COMMITTEE INCHARGE & SIGNATURE	IQAC COORDINATOR (SEAL & SIGNATURE)
For	Dr. Urmi Bhattacharyya	Dr. Urmi Bhattacharyya	

Reference

Criterion I	Curricular Aspects (planning & Implementation)	Criterion V	Student Support & Progression
Criterion II	Teaching Learning & Evaluation	Criterion VI	Governance
Criterion III	Research, Innovations & Extension	Criterion VII	Institutional Values & Best Practices
Criterion IV	Learning Resources and Infrastructure		


REPORT:

The Annual Lecture of the Department of Sociology for the academic session 2022-23 took place on 13th March 2023. Prof. Roma Chatterji (retd.) Department of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi delivered this year's annual lecture on 'The Superhero Image and Ravana Mythology'.

Prof Chatterji has researched and written extensively on the sociology of art, narrative theory, folklore, illness narratives, and collective violence. She is the author of *Writing Identities: Folklore and Performance in Purulia, West Bengal* (2009), *Speaking with Pictures: Folk art and the narrative tradition in India* (2012), and co-author of *Living with Violence: An Anthropology of Events and Everyday Life* (2007). She is also the editor of *Wording the World: Veena Das and Scenes of Inheritance* (2015). Her most recent publication titled *Graphic Narratives and the Mythological Imagination in India* (2020), explores graphic narratives and comics in India to demonstrate how these forms serve as sites on which myths are enacted and recast.

The event commenced with felicitating Prof. Chatterji, followed by her lecture. Exploring the relationship between narratives and visual images, the speaker discussed how the images in superhero comics contribute in significant ways to construct the narrative. She elaborated how pictorial technique, page layout style along with vanishing-point perspective are all used to imply movement of the characters and scenes of action. Building on her argument through a detailed analysis of the mini-series *Ravanayan* published by Holy Cow Entertainment, Prof. Chatterji's lecture thus involved a critical reading of the myth as represented in the comic book, appealing to the sensibility of mature comic book readers. Her talk allowed students to be introduced to concepts of perspective, movement, pictorial techniques and page layout in visual comic texts, and their connection to the construction of representations of masculinity and violence in the narratives underlying them.

EVENT PERMISSION FORM:


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PERMISSION FOR ORGANIZATION OF EVENTS

NOTE: 1. Please ensure that the completion certificate of the event is physically signed by the Convener of the event, IQAC Coordinator and Principal after the event report is made.
2. Please ensure a pre booking of the venue before getting the permission letter signed.
3. A copy of this duly filled form signed by the TIC/ Convener and Principal shall be submitted to ICT, Caretaker and IQAC Coordinator, Dr. Arpita Kaul for commerce and NSS, NCC, Placement and Sports events, Dr. Jitesh Rana for humanities events, Dr. P. Jayaraj for sciences events.

EVENT DETAILS

1. Name of the Department/Society /Association: SOCIOLOGY

2. Name of the TIC/Convener (if any): Prof./Dr./Mr./Ms. URMI BHATTACHARYYA

3. Nature of Event: Seminar/Conference/Symposium/Workshop/FDP/Public or community outreach/ skill enhancement/others... DEPARTMENT ANNUAL LECTURE

4. Participants: Student-centric /Faculty/Both / /

5. Event Type: Offline/Online/Hybrid; Indoor/Outdoor / / ; /

6. Collaborating Agency /Organization: N.A.

7. Proposed Title of the Event: ANNUAL LECTURE

8. Tentative List of Speakers with affiliations: PROF. ROMA CHATTERJI ,.....
PROFESSOR EMERITUS, DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY ,.....
DELHI SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS ,.....
UNIVERSITY OF DELHI ,.....

9. Date, Time from to : 13.03.2023 (~~13.03.2023~~) 11:30am to 2pm

10. Financial Assistance/ Funding received (if any) SOCIOLOGY ASSOCIATION BUDGET 2022-23

11. Proposed Budget (please attach details in a separate enclosure):
Rs. 4000/- (FOUR THOUSAND RUPEES ONLY)

12. Faculty responsible for Geo Tagged Pictures DR. URMI BHATTACHARYYA

13. Faculty responsible for Event Report DR. URMI BHATTACHARYYA

14. ICT support required, if any (ICT Lab, Laptop, LCD projector) / /

15. Caretaker support required (tables, chairs, public addressing system, sanitation, manpower assistance)

16. Room requirement (Seminar/ any other) T1 (ROOM NO. 13)

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(DR. URMI BHATTACHARYYA)
Name & Signature of TIC/Convener

C. Suresh Reddy
Signature of Principal

Date: 24.02.23

Date: 3/3/23

PHOTOGRAPHS OF THE EVENT:





EVENT POSTER:



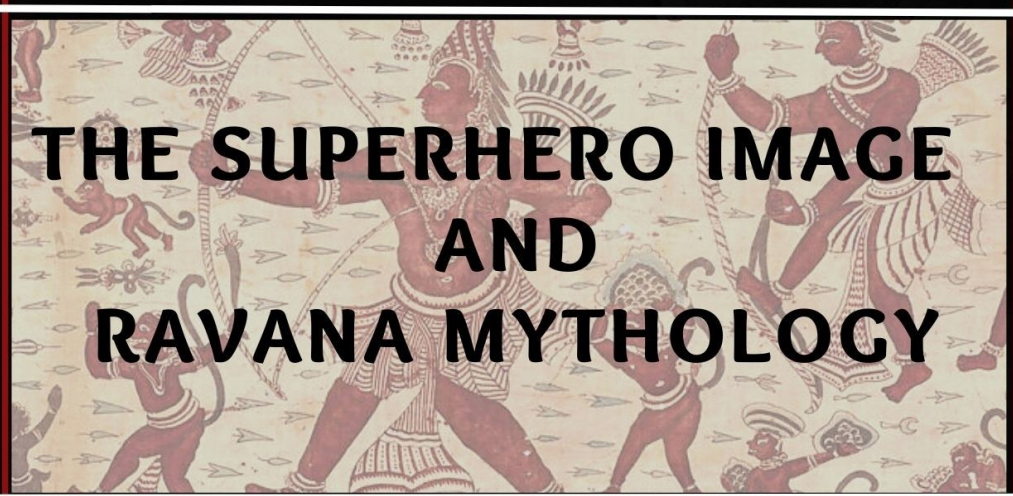
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— Presents its —

ANNUAL LECTURE

On



THE SUPERHERO IMAGE AND RAVANA MYTHOLOGY



By

ROMA CHATTERJI

PROFESSOR (RETD.),
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY,
DELHI SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS,
UNIVERSITY OF DELHI

DATE - 13th MARCH, 2023 TIME - 11:45 A.M. ONWARDS VENUE - T 1 (ROOM 13)

PATRON: PROF. C. SHEELA REDDY

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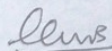
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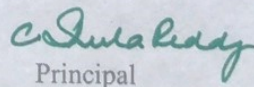
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CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the Annual Lecture 2022-23 titled 'The Superhero Image and Ravana Mythology' delivered by Prof. Roma Chatterji was successfully conducted on 13th March, 2023 from 11:45 am to 1:00 pm by the Department of Sociology in the Offline mode and its event report has been submitted to IQAC for records.


Event In-Charge


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