



SOUTH INDIAN HISTORY CONGRESS

40th ANNUAL SESSION

January 31 & 1, 2 February 2020

History Wing, Directorate of Distance Education & Department of History
Annamalai University, Chidambaram, Tamil Nadu. 608002

FIRST CIRCULAR

Dear Colleague,
Warm Greetings,

It gives me great pleasure to invite you to the 40th Annual Session of the South Indian History Congress to be held under the auspices of History Wing, Directorate of Distance Education along with Department of History, Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar, Chidambaram, Tamil Nadu, 608002, on January 31st, February 1st and February 2nd 2020. I am aware of the consistent support that our members have given to our organization which has enabled us to hold regular sessions successfully. I hope, as an honourable member, you will continue to extend your support for the development of the South Indian History Congress.

The following are the Office- Bearers, Sectional Presidents and Members of the Executive Committee for the current session:

- President** : **Prof. Adapa Satyanarayana** (Hyderabad)
will take over from
Prof. C. Somasundara Rao (Andhra University)
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Sectional Presidents

1. Political History : **Dr. H. Munavar Jan** (Dharmapuri)
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3. Economic History : **Dr. R. Abbas** (Dindigul)
4. Cultural History : **Prof. Bhaskar Reddy** (Thirupathi)
5. Historiography and Maritime History : **Dr. K.L.N Murthy** (Belgaum)

Local Secretary

Prof. K. Sankari, Professor, History Wing, Directorate of Distance Education, Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar, Chidambaram, Tamil Nadu, 608002 (Mobile-9171761312) will be the Local Secretary for the 40th Session. Outstation delegate fee for the Conference is Rs.2,000/-, for Local delegates Rs.1,500/ and Research Scholars Rs.1,000/- should be sent by Demand Draft/Online payment favouring the Local Secretary, 40th SIHC, payable at State Bank of India, Chidambaram Branch (A/C No. 38869853223, IFSC SBIN0000823). The Local Secretary will write to you about the venue, registration, accommodation and matters of hospitality.

Membership and Subscription

As a national forum, the SIHC admits members who are interested in Historical Studies on South India irrespective of any regional consideration. Members of the following categories are admitted: Annual Member Rs.500/-, Life Member Rs.4000/-, Institutional Membership Rs.10,000/-, Patron Rs. 10,000/- and Donor Rs. 10,000/- or more. Year is reckoned as calendar year i.e., January to December.

Membership Fee may be remitted by a Demand Draft favouring the South Indian History Congress, payable at Indian Overseas Bank, Madurai or any other bank at Madurai and may sent to Dr. Balagrusamy, (Treasurer, SIHC), Principal, G T N Arts College, Dindigul- 624005, Tamil Nadu, Mob: 9442235248, Email: dglpbalu@gmail.com

Membership fee will also be collected at the time of the session in Annamalai University. You are also requested to invite your colleagues and research scholars to become members of the South Indian History Congress.

Research Papers

Papers in all five sections (Political, Social, Economic, Cultural, Historiography and Maritime History) will be presented simultaneously.

Best Paper Award

From 2020 onwards, the South Indian History Congress has instituted, 'Kasthuri Misro Memorial Young Historian Award' for the best paper presented in all the five sections by scholars below the age of 45 (forty five). Those who wish to consider their paper for the Award may send their papers as hard copy (Registered Post) with CD to the General Secretary, SIHC on or before 10th January 2020. Age proof also may be attached along with the hard copy.

Online Registration

The South Indian History Congress is offering online registration of research papers. Members are requested to register the details of their papers through our website:

www.southindianhistorycongress.org

Scholars are requested to send their papers, soft copy to localsecretarysihc2020@gmail.com

& sihcongresssecretary@gmail.com and hard copy [100 words abstract along with full text] on or before 15th January 2020 to The Local Secretary, 40th South Indian History Congress, History Wing, Directorate of Distance Education, Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar, Chidambaram, Tamil Nadu, 608002.

Papers received on or before the due date will get precedence for presentation. More than one paper by a member shall not be permitted for presentation. The paper should be neatly computed in about 8 pages double spaced with end notes and two copies of the paper should be sent to the Local Secretary. End notes should be numbered consecutively throughout the paper and placed at the end. **Research papers submitted to the Congress shall strictly follow the style manual published in the website of the SIHC.** Most important is that the paper presenters while presenting their papers at the respective sections should hand over a soft copy in CD form to the concerned Sectional President. Those papers in English alone will be considered for inclusion in the Proceedings Volume.

Endowment/ Special Lectures

1. **Kasthuri Misro Memorial Lecture:** Prof. T. Manohar, Professor of History, Department of Tourism and Management, Kakatiya University, Warangal, Telangana.
2. **Prof. T.R Ramachandran Endowment Lecture:** Prof. Iranna Pattar, Department of History and Archaeology, Karnataka University, Dharwad, Karnataka
3. **Prof. B.C Ray Memorial Lecture:** Prof. Paslithil, HOD, History, SSUS, Kalady, Kerala.
4. **Prof. B.S. Chandrababu Endowment Lecture:** Dr. Konda Sreenivasulu, Kanumalla, AP.
5. **Prof. Peddarapu Chenna Reddy & Dr. Subhashini Endowment Lecture:** Prof. Rekha Pande, Head, Centre for Women's Studies, Professor of History, University of Hyderabad.
6. **Govt. Arts College, Coimbatore Endowment Lecture:** Mr. Raja Mohamad, Pudukkottai, Tamil Nadu.
7. **Prof. Janaki Endowment Lecture :** Dr. Y. Swarupa Rani, Department of History, University of Hyderabad.

Identity Card

ID Cards will be issued to Life Members of SIHC. Details should be sent to Dr. Balagrusamy, Treasurer, South Indian History Congress along with a stamp size photograph.

Annual Proceedings Volume

The research papers presented and recommended by the respective Sectional Presidents in the S.I.H.C. will be considered for publication in the Annual Proceedings Volume of the Congress. All Life Members, Donors, Patrons are eligible to receive a copy of the volume at free of cost. **The SIHC Proceedings is listed in the UGC Care List of Journals since 2019.**

Official Schedule

31.01.2020

04.00 PM to 05.00 PM- Special Lecture: 'Recent Archaeological Discoveries and Early History of South India' by Dr. V. Selvakumar, Tamil University, Tanjavur

05.00 PM to 07.00 PM- Endowment Lectures: (No.1, 2, and No.3)

08.00 PM- Executive Committee Meeting

01.02.2020

04.00 PM to 06.45 PM- Endowment Lectures: (No.4,5, 6 and No.7)

02.02.2020

12.00 Noon to 01.00- PM General Body Meeting

01.00 PM to 02.00- PM Valedictory Function

The SIHC being a professional organization is committed to promote socially responsible historical research. In this venture, I am confident that you will render your whole hearted support to the Congress. We are looking forward to meet you at the Annamalai University, Tamil Nadu.

Please visit our website at www.southindianhistorycongress.org for updates

With warm Regards,

Yours Sincerely,

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