

Karvan-e-Fikr

Subject Association, Department of Sociology
JMI

Invites you to

The Annual Students' Seminar and Academic Fair

On

The Informal City

Date: 13th and 14th March, 2013

Venue: Ansari Auditorium, on the 7th of March, 2013

Mir -Taqi - Mir Hall on the 13th and 14th March, 2013.

The Events

Inter-University Students' Seminar

Theme: 'The Informal City'

Date: 13th and 14th March, 2013

Time: 9:30 am

Venue: Tagore Hall, Mir - Taqi - Mir, JMI

Overall Coordinator: Ishita Sinha - 9873639303

Sharp Focus: The Photography Competition and Exhibition

Theme: Capturing The Informal City

Date of Exhibition: 7th, 13th and 14th March, 2013

Venue: Ansari Auditorium, JMI on the 7th of March &

Mir - Taqi - Mir Hall on 13th and 14th March, 2013.

Rules and Regulation:

1. The theme of the photographs is The Informal City
2. Maximum number of entries per person is 2.
3. First three places will be awarded.
4. The prints should be **8 inches x 10 inches** and mounted on a card-board sheet of 9 inches x 11 inches.

5. Digital special effects are not allowed.
6. The entries should have a caption on the front.
7. Name and college of the photographer only with the digital copy, not on hard copy.
8. Email **digital copies** for **registration**. Send to: karvanefikr@gmail.com
9. The **hard copies** should be submitted by **1st March, 2013** at the following address:
Dr. Kulwinder Kaur, Dept. of Sociology, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi – 110025

Coordinator: Neelima Chadha- 9868822178

Critique in Colour: The On-the-Spot Poster Making Competition

Theme: To be announced on the spot

Venue : Mir - Taqi - Mir Lawn, JMI

Date : 7th March 2013

Timings : 10:00 am to 11.00 am

A poster can allow creative expression and encourage critical thinking. Through this event we hope to give the artistic student a forum to express his or her thoughts informal aspects of the the city such as slums, urban poor, homeless, informal workers, and so on and the challenges it poses to the urban development.

Rules and Regulations:

1. The poster should be related to the theme.
2. Only sheets and water will be provided. Participants should get their own supplies.
3. There should be only 1 participant for 1 poster.
4. Only 1 hour will be given to complete the poster.
5. Posters may or may not include text or slogans.
6. Registration starts on **18th Feb, 2013** Participation will be limited, and decided on **first come, first served basis**. Participation will be confirmed on 1st March 2013.
7. To register, e-mail: karvanefikr@gmail.com with your name, class, educational affiliations, and phone number.

Coordinator: Shagufta Abbas - 8585987303, Maitreyee - 9971303538, Rusti - 8010995584.

QnA: The Quiz

PRELIMINARY ROUND

Date: 7th March, 2013

Time: 12.00 p.m - 01:00 p.m

Venue: Ansari Auditorium, JMI

This round is schedule to select ten teams out of total registrations. For this, teams have to answer a written quiz which will consist of 15 questions.

THE MAIN QUIZ

Date: 7th March, 2013

Time: 12.00 pm – 1:00 pm

Venue: Ansari Auditorium, JMI

ELIMINATION ROUND:

This is the beginning of the quiz show. It has 2 parts.

1. **Quick fire:** In this round quick questions will be asked continuously for 1 minute and answers are expected followed by the questions. For every right answer 2 points will be given. There will be no negative points.
2. **Question with Answer options:** In this round 5 questions will be asked along with answers options. 15 seconds will be allocated to answer each question. For each right answer, 2 points will be given and for wrong answer there will be 2 negative points. Questions would not be passed so, answering each question is mandatory.

After these rounds, 5 teams will be selected for the final round. This selection will be based on obtained points in the earlier rounds.

FINALE:

This round has two stages:

1. **Long quick fire round:** Again questions will be asked continuously for 2 minutes and answers are expected after every question. 2 points will awarded for correct answers and 1 negative point for wrong answers. Team will be free to pass the question.
2. **Limited time period round:** In this round, 5 questions will be asked in each team and they have to answer within 15 seconds. Two points per each correct answer and 2 negative points per each negative answer, and 1 negative point for passing the question to next team.

After this round, points will be calculated and the top 3 teams will be declared.

Rules and Regulations:

1. Teams should comprise of two members. The team members cannot be changed once the competition has started.

2. *These questions will be asked from the field of current affairs, sports, cinema, politics, national & international affairs, literature and academics.*
3. Registration starts on **18th February, 2013**. Participation will be limited, and decided on **first come, first served basis**. Participation will be confirmed on 1st March 2013.
4. To register, e-mail: karvanefikr@gmail.com with the name, class, educational affiliations, and phone number of both team members.

Coordinator: Meghna 9871655628 , Homam Ajmal – 8744847114

The Written Word: On-the-Spot Essay Writing Competition

Date: 7th March, 2013

Time: 11:00 am – 12:00 pm

Venue: Seminar Room, Department of Sociology

We welcome those who have a way with words to participate in the Essay writing competition. This event will require one to exhibit analytical and critical thinking, clarity of thought, creativity and the ability to express oneself through the written word.

Rules and Regulations:

1. The topics will be given on the spot.
2. Under-graduates and post-graduate students will be judged separately.
3. The content of the essay should be original.
4. Total time to write the essay is 1 hour.
5. The essay should have a minimum of 500 words.
6. Only paper sheets will be provided.
7. Registration starts on 18th Feb, 2012. Send an e-mail to karvanefikr@gmail.com with your name, class, educational affiliations, and phone number.

Coordinator: Owais Wani- 8447705050, Daud- 9650179424

Just-A-Minute

Date: 7th March, 2013

Time: 01:00 p.m. - 01:30 p.m.

Venue: Mir Anis Hall, JMI

If you think you have the wits to take our hits, then we invite you to try the J-A-M.

The participants will be given topics related to current affairs, social problems or social concepts. They will get exactly one minute to present their take on it. They have to speak for one minute *without* any "repetition, hesitation, or deviation". Repetition" means the repetition of any word or phrase, or argument."Hesitation" and momentary pause will be closely

watched."Deviation" could mean deviating from the topic, from the English language as we know it, from grammar as we understand it, from the truth, and from logic.

Rules and Regulations:

1. The participants will get **no more than one minute** to speak.
2. 30 seconds of preparation time will be given.
3. Topics will be assigned randomly.
4. Presence of mind, creative approach, good reasoning, humour, language, style of speech will all be judged.
5. Pauses, repetitions, deviations from the topic or grammatical errors will be negatively marked.
6. Judges' decision will be final in case of disputes.
7. Registration starts on **18th February, 2013**. Participation will be limited, and decided on **first come, first served basis**. Participation will be confirmed on 14th March 2012.
5. To register, e-mail: karvanefikr@gmail.com with your name, class, educational affiliations, and phone number.

Coordinator: Qadeem- 9990926883

Film Screening and Discussion

Film: Yet to be announced

Time: 1.45 pm – 4:30 pm

Venue: Ansari Auditorium

Coordinator: Meghna - 9871655628, Lakshita - 9818072889

Valedictory and Prize Distribution

Time: 4.30 p.m - 5.00 p.m

Coordinators: Homam Ajmal - 8744847114, Mohd. Abass - 8800153194 ,
Areeb Rizvi - 9953178408.

Vote of Thanks: Ishita Sinha, Vice President, Subject Association

Time: 5.00 p.m.