Department of Philosophy organized following Programs from academic year 2015 onwards

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The department of Philosophy organized a National Seminar on 'Philosophical Contribution of Prof. S.S. Barlingay: An Appraisal' in October 2015. The chief guest of the seminar was Prof. Bhuvan Chandel, former Director, Centre for Studies in Civilizations, New Delhi. Prof. S.E. Bhelke, Former Head, Dept. of Philosophy, SPPU was the keynote speaker of the seminar. The seminar was conducted under headship of Dr. Lata Chhatre. Dr. Mohit Tandon was the coordinator of the seminar.













The department of Philosophy organized a Workshop on 'Research Methodology' in January 2016. Prof. Raja Dixit, Co-ordinator, Center for Social Sciences and Humanities, SPPU was the chief guest of the program. The workshop was conducted under headship of Dr. Lata Chhatre. Dr. Mohit Tandon was the coordinator of the workshop.





















The department of Philosophy organized a National Seminar on 'Hermeneutics of Philosophy, Culture and Politics: Reflections on Philosophy of Prof. R. Sundara Rajan' in February 2016. The Keynote Speaker of the seminar was Prof. S. Pannerselvam, former Head, Department of Philosophy, University of Madras, Chennai. The seminar was conducted under headship of Dr. Lata Chhatre. Dr. Mohit Tandon was the coordinator of the seminar.





















The department of Philosophy organized a National Seminar on 'Social Philosophy in Indian Context: Past and Future' in February 2017. Prof. Raja Dixit, Coordinator, Center for Social Sciences and Humanities, SPPU was the chief guest of the program. The Keynote Speaker of the seminar was Prof. S. Pannerselvam, former Head, Department of Philosophy, University of Madras, Chennai. The seminar was conducted under headship of Dr. Lata Chhatre. Dr. Muzaffar Ali was the convener and Dr. Mohit Tandon was coordinator of the seminar.



















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Prof. S.S. Barlingay's Birth anniversary was organized on 20 July 2017. Prof. S.S. More was the key speaker of the day.





A Guest lecture by Dr. Daniel Raveh, (Tel Aviv University, Israel) on 'Life in the Face of Death: A Dialogue with Ramachandra Gandhi' was organized on 8 August 2017. Dr. Muzaffar Malla coordinated the programme.





Another Guest lecture by Dr. Daniel Raveh on 'The Philosophy of Dayakrishna' on 9 August 2017.





Gurudev Ranade Endowment lecture on 11 August 2017. Dr. Daniel Raveh spoke on 'Revisiting the *Upanisadic* Debate between *Gargi* and *Yjnavalkya*'. Prof. Bahulkar chaired the program. Dr. Muzaffar Malla coordinated the programme. The programme was conducted under the headship of Prof. Ravindra Muley.





Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, SPPU, Prof. Nitin Karmalkar visited the department on 28 August 2017. Prof. Ravindra Muley, HoD, welcomed him and introduced the faculty.









Dr. Karilemla gave a talk on Heidegger's Philosophy on 9 September 2017 under Saturday Seminar Series.





A short film screened on 16 September 2017 made by Eranda Mahagame, M.A. philosophy student. Later the film was discussed by the faculty and students.





Dr. Radhika Jadhav gave a talk on 'Philosophy of Ayurveda' on 23 September 2017 under Saturday Seminar Series. Dr. Karilemla coordinated the event.





Prof. Ravindra Muley, HoD and faculty members welcomed Sadhu Bhadresh Das from Swaminarayan Aksharpeeth, Ahmadabad on 3 October 2017. He authored a book on the Philosophy of Swaminarayan Sect titled 'Swaminarayan Siddhant Sudha'. Later a function of book release was organized in Bhandarkar Institute.





Dr. Muzzaffar Malla gave a talk on 'Indian Philosophy: Search for a New Ethical Perspective' on 11 October 2017 under Saturday Seminar Series. Dr. Karilemla coordinated the event.





Guest Lecture by Prof. Liu Zhen, Shanghai, on 'Hastikaksyasutra' on 13 November 2017. Chaired by Prof. Mahesh Deokar, HoD, Pali Dept, SPPU. Dr. Mohit Tandon coordinated the programme.









A workshop on CAS projects orientation was organized in January 2018. Scholars of philosophy and other disciplines were speakers in the program. Dr. H.G. Navale coordinated the event.





















World Philosophy Day was organized on 5th February 2018. The Guest Speaker, Prof. Shubhada Joshi, (Former HoD, Philosophy department, Mumbai University) spoke on 'Chanakya's Political Philosophy'. Prof. Sadanand More chaired the programme. The programme was coordinated by Mr. Ashish Sangle.





Ms. Roshini Patel, USA, gave a talk on 'The Self in Heidegger and Maddhyamikas' on 17 February 2018 under Saturday Seminar Series. Dr. Karilemla coordinated the event.





Dr. Amrita Banerjee from IIT, Mumbai gave a talk on 'Moral Imagination & Social Reconstruction' on 27 February 2018 under Saturday Seminar Series. Dr. Karilemla coordinated the event.





Rishabhdas Ranka Memorial Lecture Series was organized on 9 March 2018. Dr. Rajshree Mohadikar from Sanskrit dept. SPPU was the Guest speaker and Prof. K.K. Jain was the chairperson of the programme. Dr. S. S. Akashkar coordinated the event.









Dayakrishna Memorial Students' Seminar was organized on 10 March 2018. Dr. Muzaffar Malla coordinated the programme. Dr. Mohit Tandon, Dr. Karilemla and Mr. Ashish Sangle chaired the sessions. Prof. Ravindra Muley, HoD, gave valedictory address.













A Guest Lecture was given by Prof. Ravi Gomatam, Visiting Professor, ICPR, on 'Physics and Philosophy: How and Where Do They Meet?' on 29 March 2018. Dr. Mohit Tandon coordinated the programme.





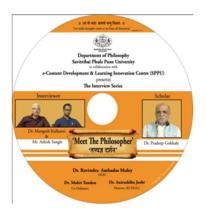
The Interview series titled 'MEET THE PHILOSOPHER' was conducted by the department in March 2018 in which former senior scholars of philosophy from Philosophy department, SPPU, Mumbai University and scholars from other disciplines engaged in philosophy were invited to share their views and experiences. Later the same were uploaded on university ELIC webpage. The series was conducted under headship of Prof. Ravindra Muley and the Coordinator of the series was Dr. Mohit Tandon.













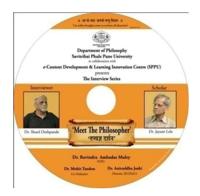














A Release Function of Special Issues of IPQ, Paramarsha, and DVDs of 'Interview Series' & CAS Workshop was organized on 4th May 2018. The Guest of Honor of the programme was Ms. Vijaya Rahatkar, (Chairperson of Maharashtra State Women Commission). Prof. Nitin Karmalkar, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, SPPU chaired the programme. Prof. Sadananda More graced the function as the Chief speaker of the programme. The programme was conducted under headship of Prof. Ravindra Muley and was coordinated by Dr. Mohit Tandon.













A one-day Seminar was organized on the occasion of 'Indian Philosopher Day' (declared and funded by Indian Council of Philosophical Research) on 5th May 2018. Prof. S.R. Talghatti, Prof. Pradeep Gokhale and Prof. Mangala Chinchore were speakers of the day. The seminar was presided by Prof. S.R. Talghatti and coordinated by Dr. Mohit Tandon.



Prof. S. S. Barlingay Jayanti was celebrated by the department on 20 July 2018. Prof. Ravindra Muley, HoD, Guest speaker, Dr. Lata Chhatre and others payed floral tribute to Prof. Barlingay. Dr. Akashkar coordinated the programme.









Rishabhdas Ranka Memorial Lecture was organized in October 2018 and coordinated by Dr. S.S. Akashkar. Chief speakers were Prof. Meenal Katarnikar, Mumbai University and Prof. Vimal Bafana, Jaina Adhyasana, SPPU. Chairperson of the programme was Prof. Pradeep Gokhale, Adjunct Professor, Dept. of Philosophy, SPPU.





Guest Lectures of Prof. Godabarisha Mishra from Chennai and Prof. Sachchidananda Mishra from Varanasi were organized in October 2018.





A Workshop on Marathi Vishwakosha organized by the Marathi Vishwakosha Nirmiti Mandal in collaboration with Department of Philosophy in Nov-Dec 2018. The program was coordinated by Dr. Sunil Raut (Editorial Assistant, IPQ journal section). Prof. Sharmila Virkar, Mumbai University was the chief organizer of the workshop.









A National Seminar on 'Identity and Difference: Classical Indian Philosophical Perspectives' was organized by the department in February 2019. The chief guest of the seminar was Prof. Shubhada Joshi, from Mumbai University and Chairperson of Inagural session was Prof. Nitin Karmalkar, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, SPPU. The seminar was conducted under headship of Prof. Ravindra Muley. Mr. Ashish Sangle was the covener and Dr. Mohit Tandon was the coordinator of the seminar.









Gurudev Ranade Endowment Lecture was organized in October 2019. The chief speaker was Prof. Nitin Vyas from M. S. Baroda University, Vadodara. The chairperson was Prof. G. U. Thite, Former Head, Department of Sanskrit and Prakrit Language. The program was Coordinated by Dr. Mohit Tandon.



A National seminar on 'The Development of Indian philosophy through Commentarial Tradition' was organized by the department in February 2020. The chief guest of the program was Prof. Sharad Deshpande, Former Tagore Fellow, Indian Institute of Advanced Studies, Shimla and Former Head, Department of Philosophy, SPPU and Guest of Honor was Prof. Radhavallabh Tripathi, Former Vice Chancellor, Rashtriva Sanskrit Sansthan, New Delhi and Former Professor of Sanskrit, Dr. H.S. Gaur University, Sagar, M.P. Mr. Ashish Sangle was the convener and Dr. Mohit Tandon was the coordinator of the seminar.

























A release function of departmental publications was conducted under the headship of Dr. S.S. Akashkar in August 2021. These publications were released at the hands of Prof. Nitin Karmalkar, Hon'ble vice Chancellor, SPPU. Prof. Pradeep Gokhale, Chief editor, IPQ coordinated the programme. Publications were: IPQ special issue entitled, "Critical Reflections on Indian Democracy" – Dr. Mangesh Kulkarni (Editor), another publication entitled "Identity and Difference: Perspectives in Classical Indian Philosophy" – Dr. Mohit Tandon (Editor)











