



Department of Environmental Science

University of Kashmir, Srinagar organizes

ONE DAY ONLINE SEMINAR

On 8th June, 2020

On the theme

"Time for Nature"

Explore Nature with Iconic Spots

and

Online Photographic/Artistic/Poster Presentation Competition on **Dynamics in NATURE and Issues, Challenges and Opportunities Arising out of COVID-19 Pandemic**

On the occasion of observance of

World Environment Day 2020

Platform: Zoom

Time: 10:00 am

Invited Speakers



Dr. David James Molden
Director General, International Centre for Integrated Mountain Development (ICIMOD); Kathmandu, Nepal.

Specialization: Research and development specialist working on mountains, natural resources management, and water management.

Title of Lecture: Hindu Kush Himalaya (HKH) mountains, climate change, and nature based solutions



Prof. Shakil A. Romshoo
Dean Research, University of Kashmir, Srinagar, J&K, India

Specialization: Application of remote sensing and GIS in earth and environmental sciences, developing hydrological, vegetation and climate change applications, glaciology, geomorphology and climate change.

Title of Lecture: Contemporary environmental issues of societal importance in Kashmir



Prof. Pawan K Joshi
Professor School of Environmental Sciences (SES) Concurrent Faculty Special Centre for Disaster Research (SCDR) Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU), New Delhi, India.

Specialization: Advanced geospatial (rs, gis, gpi/gms) analysis and modeling landscape and vegetation analysis, climate change vis-a-vis ecological studies

Title of Lecture: COVID19- a pandemic of misfected nature



Prof. Arun Kansal
Dean (Research and Relationships) Head Coca Cola Department of Regional Water Studies, TERI School of Advanced Studies, New Delhi.

Specialization: Environmental engineering, water resource management, waste management, urban environment, and energy-environment-climate linkages.

Title of Lecture: Cities and Climate Change

About the Seminar WED 2020

World Environment Day (WED) is one of the biggest events conducted by the United Nation worldwide on 5th June since 1974 to raise awareness among peoples for the protection of the environment. This year Columbia will host 2020 World Environment Day on **Biodiversity**. Governments, industry, communities and individuals around the world today commemorates World Environment Day, for positive environmental action, encouraging worldwide awareness and commitment to protect our planet.

This year's celebrations, will be held under the theme **"Time for Nature": Explore Nature with Iconic Spots**. The foods we eat, the air we breathe, the water we drink and the climate that makes our planet habitable all come from nature. Yet, these are exceptional times in which nature is sending us a message: To care for ourselves we must care for nature. It's time to wake up, to take notice and to raise our voices. It's time to build back better for People and Planet. This World Environment Day, it's **Time for Nature**.

Department of Environmental Science, University of Kashmir, is organizing **One Day Online Seminar and Photographic/Artistic/Poster presentation session** on 8th June, 2020 reflecting **Dynamics in NATURE and Issues, Challenges and Opportunities Arising out of COVID-19 Pandemic**. The three best Photo/Art presentation will be awarded with merit certificates while as each registered participant will also be given a certificate of participation. The pictures/ concept should be original and not downloaded from internet.

Departmental of Environmental Science

The idea of having department of Environmental Science in University of Kashmir was born in 2000 under the shadow of Chinars in Naseem Bagh due to the unprecedented degradation of the natural environment during last three decades of 20th century. This idea has transformed into budding repository of knowledge which enlightened professionalism and excellence. Under patronage of CORD, M.Sc and M. Phil and Ph.D programs were started in 2001 and 2002 respectively. Department of Environmental Science is one of the primary departments involved in quality interdisciplinary teaching, research, outreach and consultancy. The key attributes of the Department curriculum include the various dimensions of teaching of Environment- Pollution, Chemistry, Geoscience, Toxicology, Microbiology, Engineering, Biotechnology, Planning and Auditing, Natural Resource, Ecology and Biodiversity, Aquatic and Terrestrial Ecology, EA, Remote Sensing etc.

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Registration Form



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2.	Designation (Student/Research Scholar):	
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8.	Registration for Online Seminar Only	
9.	Registration for Online Seminar as well as poster presentation	
10.	Type of (Photo/Art/Poster):	
11.	Theme/Title (Photo/Art/Poster):	

Note: Please fill in all necessary information in registration form and send the soft copy of the registration form along with the (Photo/Art/Poster) attached in single mail to the following email address: evs.wed2020@gmail.com by or before 7th June 2020. The registration form is also available on department web site (<http://envirsc.uok.edu.in>).

To join the conference meeting ID and Password will be mailed to registered participants before June 8th, 2020.