# 7<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL KERALA HISTORY CONFERENCE

### **15-17 NOVEMBER 2019**

Department of History, Sir Syed College has hosted 7th ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL KERALA HISTORY CONFERENCE from 15<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> Nov 2019 in Association with IDis-19 and Sahithya Pravarthaka C.S Ltd Kottayam at College Auditorium.

## **DAY 1**

The Inaugural Session of 7<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL KERALA HISTORY CONFERENCE was conducted on 15<sup>th</sup> Nov 2019 at College Auditorium at 10.00AM. Dr. P T Abdul Azees, Principal of Sir Syed College delivered Welcome speech and Sri Mahamood Allamkulam, Secretary of CDMEA delivered presidential address. Prof. MGS Narayanan, President of KHC delivered his introductory remarks and was inaugurated by Prof. Ravi A Palat, Binghamton University, New york and talked on the topic "History and Spatial reconsignation: some preliminary considerations.

Prof. K Gopalan Kutty, Secretary of KHC Released the proceedings of 6<sup>th</sup> Annual International History Conference. The session was felicitated by Sri K Abdul Khader, Chairman of the Governing body of CDMEA, Adv. P Mahamood, Manager of Sir Syed College, Dr. T P Ashraf, Syndicate Member of Kannur University, Dr. Sivadasan P, Secretary of SIHC, Prof T Mohandas, Local secretary IHC, Dr. Nafeesa Baby, IQAC Coordinator, Sri Muhammed Saleem PM, Staff Representative, Sri Muhammed Iqbal K, Representative of NTS, and Sri Muhammed Ashfaque, College Union Chairman. Dr. Shefi AE, Head of the department of history delivered his vote of thanks.

Plenary Session 1 was conducted in the same day from 2.00 to 4.00 PM on the topic "Writing History- the 20<sup>th</sup> century Developments in Kerala. Mr. Rajan P P, Assistant professor of history at Government College Uduma delivered welcome speech for the session and Chaired by Prof E Ismail, Former HOD of History, Sir Syed College. Three erudite lectures were delivered by Prof M R Raghava Varier, DG of CHC, Tripunithura, Prof K N Ganesh, Former Professor at

University of Calicut and Prof. K Gopalan Kutty Former Professor at University of Calicut respectively. Mr. Muhammed Sirajudheen K, Assistant professor of history at Mokeri Govt College delivered Vote of thanks for the session.

Several papers were presented by various scholars and teachers from different parts of Kerala and out of state on the same day from 4.00 to 6.00 PM. The paper presentation session was classified into various sections such as Ancient, Medieval, Modern Kerala History, and Frontier Areas.

The session Ancient Kerala History was presided by Dr. Manjula Poyil, HoD of History, Kannur University and conducted at College Auditorium named as Perumchalloor. Medieval Kerala History Session conducted at Chirakkal (College Seminar Hall) and presided by Dr. Sheeja P C, HoD of History, Brennen College, Talassery. The session Modern Kerala history was presided by Dr. G Premkumar, Asst Professor of history CAS College, Madayi and it was conducted at Arakkal (College IT Hall). The session Frontier area was headed by Dr. Suresh Kumar KS, Nehru College, Kanhangad and conduced at College Data Analysis Center named Ezhimala.

Cultural programs were conducted from 6.00 PM to 7.30 PM. Mudiyettu sponsored by Kerala Folklore Academy presented.

## **DAY II**

The second day of the program started at 9:30 a.m.. The welcome speech was delivered by Dr Manoj TR, head of the department of history, MSM college kayamkulam. It was chaired by Dr Jayashree Nair, former faculty, department of history, NAS College. Erudite lecture 1 was delivered by professor Vasco La salvia, associate professor of archaeology method and theory, University of chiety, Italy on the topic 'The unfortunate beginning of archaeology in different lands: are we still living with the legacy?.

Erudite lecture 2 was delivered by professor shereen Ratnakar, Former professor JNU Delhi on the topic 'post classical archaeology: theoretical dimensions with the light of new excavation'.

Erudite Lecture 3 was delivered by professor David V Hill, Metropolitan State University of Danver USA on the topic 'Malabar in archaeological research: A trans National approach'.

The vote of thanks for the session was delivered by Dr Ajmal Mueen MA, head of the department of history, MAMO college Mukkam.

From 11:30 to 12:30 p.m. paper presentations were conducted in four parallel sessions.

The plenary session III was conducted at the college auditorium from 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. the session was welcomed by professor MT Narayanan, professor and head of history, SSUS center Payyannur. The session was chaired by professor A Pasilithil, department of history SSUS kalady. Professor Kalpetta Narayanan, writer and social critic delivered his invited lecture on *cultural politics of language*. Vote of thanks was delivered by Dr Rajeevan P, Government Brennen College Thalasseri. There were many paper presentations from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. in four parallel session. Cultural program titled as *Shami Gazal* conducted at the end of the day from 5:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

#### **DAY III**

The third day started with the various paper presentations in four parallel sessions from 9:30 to 11:30. Valedictory session was conducted from 11:30 to 1:30 p.m. and the session was welcomed by Dr. TP Nafisa baby, convener KHC program committee. The session was chaired by Dr PT Abdul Aziz, principal of sir Syed college. Session was inaugurated by Dr. PJ Vincent, controller of examination Kannur University. Doctor Ophera Gamliel, University of glasgow, UK word her invited lecture on the topic "The Judeo Arabic Geniza documents and Malayalam inscriptions, towards a connected history of West Asia and the Malabar coast."

Dr Abdul Salam AK, joint convener of KHC program committee assessed the conference and Dr. Shefi AE, local secretary, KHC delivered his vote of thanks. The program concluded with the national anthem.













