

# Jamia Millia Islamia خامعة صليّت اسامية

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# DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

# Newsletter

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## Special lectures by the department

# Prof. A.S. Narang Speaks on Indian Federalism in Light of 2014 Elections

Department of Political Science, JMI, organized a lecture by Prof. A.S. Narang, a professor of Political Science at IGNOU, on the topic: "Changing Contours of Indian Federalism: Reflections from 2014 Elections," at the department seminar room, on Wednesday, Aug. 27, 2014.





# Prof. Ujjawal Singh Speaks on "Political Fasts as Mode of Resistance"

The Department of Political Science organized a talk by Prof. Ujjawal Kumar Singh, Head, Department of Political Science, Delhi University, on the topic: "Reclaiming Democracy: Political Fasts as Mode of Resistance," on Sept. 2, 2014.



### **♣** Meeting of Experts for Political Science Glossary at Jamia

The Department of Political Science, Jamia Millia Islamia in collaboration with Commission for Scientific and Technical Terminology, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India is currently conducting a meeting of 10-12 Experts for preparation of Political Science Glossary in Hindi from 15<sup>th</sup>December that will conclude on December 20, 2014.

The meeting is being attended by the experts of the Political Science from different parts of the country which include Prof. Mohammad Badrul Alam, Dr. K. Savitri, Dr. Sanjeev Kumar Tiwari, Dr. Abhay Prasad Singh, Dr. Naved Jamal, Dr. Parveen Kumar Jha, Dr. Rakesh Ranjan, Dr. Saroj Kumar, Dr. Hariram Parihar, etc.

The meeting is being organized under able guidance and supervision of Dr. Keshari Lal Verma, Chairman, Commission for Scientific and Technical Terminology, Political Science In-Charge Dr. Shahzad Ahmad Ansari and Local Organizer Dr. Naved Jamal.

Prof. Mohammad Badrul Alam, Head, Department of Political Science, Jamia Millia Islamia said that the department shall play an active role in promoting the use of Hindi language in future.

The department is expected to prepare around 700 technical terms in Hindi from the realm of Political Science.

#### Prof Mohammed Badrul Alam Head

#### **HONORS:**

\* Visiting Fellow, Winston-Salem State University and University of North Carolina, Charlotte, North Carolina, USA, September 2014

#### **PUBLICATIONS:**

India and Her Neighbours: Towards a Proactive Partnership (ed.), Kalpaz Publishing House, New Delhi, India, 2015

India, US, and the Nuclear Deal (co-authored), Reference Press, New Delhi, 2015

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Contours of India's Foreign Policy: Changes and Challenges (ed.), Reference Press, New Delhi, India, 2014

"Back to the Roots: Political Participation of Indian American Diaspora in US and India" in Mizanur Rahman (ed.), *South Asian Migration: Remittances and Beyond*, Cambridge Scholarly Publishers: London, UK, 2015

#### **BOOK REVIEWS:**

Review of Daniel Nujoks. *Migration, Citizenship, and Development: Diasporic Membership Policies and Overseas Indians in the United States, Diaspora Studies*, London: Francis and Taylor, Vol.7, Issue 1, 2014

#### **ARTICLES:**

- \*"The Historical Overview of Indo-US Relationship and the Modi-fied US", *World Focus*, Delhi, India, No. 419, November 2014
- \* "India's Policy toward Africa", Co-authored, *World Affairs*, New Delhi, India, Vol. 18, Issue 2, April-June 2014
- \*"Pakistan: threats to Fissile Materials and Issue of Disaster Management", *World Focus*, Delhi, India, No. 415, July 2014

#### PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

- \* Delivered lectures on "India's Foreign Policy", UGC Refresher Course Program, Academic Staff College, Jamia Millia Islamia University, New Delhi, November 19, 2014
- \* Delivered International Speaker Series lectures on "US-India Relations: Prospects and Challenges", University of North Carolina, Charlotte, USA, September 25, 2014,
- \* Delivered keynote lecture on "Role of Islam in India's Democracy", Special NEH Interdisciplinary Symposium on Integrating India into the Curriculum, Winston-Salem State University, Winston-Salem, North Carolina, USA, September 19, 2014
- \* Delivered Public |Lecture on "How Indo-US Relations impact the World", Winston-Salem State University, Winston-Salem, North Carolina, USA, September 17, 2014
- \* Presented a research paper on "E-Governance and its Outreach and Challenges: An Indian Perspective", at the 4<sup>th</sup>Global International Studies Conference, Goethe University, Frankfurt, Germany, August 6-9, 2014
- \* Delivered lectures on "India's Political System: A Narrative", Mid-Career Training Program for the Director Level Officers of Ministry of External Affairs, Indian Institute of Public Administration, Delhi, July 7, 2014

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### Dr. Farah Naaz

- ♣ Coordinated the 13th three week refresher course in political science at the UGC-Academic staff College JMI from 17 Nov to 6 Dec 2014
- ♣ Delivered a lecture on 'Qualitative Research' in the Orientation Program at ASC JMI on Dec 4 2014.