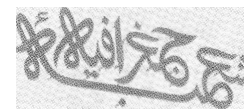




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on  
**Population Dynamics and Sustainable  
Resource Development**



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**General Information**

The Department of Geography, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, was established in 1924, which is the oldest department of geography in the Indian Sub-continent. Since then the department is catering to the geographical knowledge at Under-Graduate, Post-Graduate levels and pursuing research in almost all the fields of geography, especially in Population, Agriculture, Urban-Rural Development and Planning.

Aligarh city is very well connected with major cities of India by railways and roads; it is 130km from New Delhi and 85km from Agra. Weather in Aligarh becomes mild and pleasant in the beginning of March and the temperature ranges between 15°C and 25°C.

**About The Conference**

Relationship between population change and resource development is multidimensional. Population dynamics is fundamentally influenced by opportunities and choices enjoyed by the individuals and it affects not only our overarching development objectives poverty reduction, wellbeing and human living standards but also exerts a pervasive influence on the social, economic and environmental dimensions of sustainable development. Thus, population dynamism with its attributes such as population size and growth, fertility and mortality trends, age-sex structure, population distribution, urbanization and migration affect in a significant way every aspect of social and economic development.

Sustainable development refers to maintaining development outcome. It attempts to strike a balance between the demands of economic development and the need for protection of environment. The concept of sustainable development aims at maximizing the net benefits of economic activities subject to maintaining the stock of productive assets (physical, human and environmental) over time and providing a social safety net to meet the basic needs of the poor. Population and sustainable development are intertwined inseparably. Any increase in population will invariably deplete the resources in some proportion resulting in ecological imbalance of high magnitude to adversely affect sustainable development of a country. Unfortunately, developing countries with the highest growth rate are doomed to bear brunt of the population explosion on the resources and other public utility services.

The proposed conference on '*Population Dynamism and Sustainable Resource Development*' has been a pertinent topic of discussion among the earth scientists, geographers, social scientists, academicians, planners and administrators.

The horizon of the nature of the use of natural endowments has not only expanded but the intensity of the use of resources at the cost of change in population growth has been abnormally multiplied. The existing problems are multiplied and new ones are emerging day by day. In the context of the above points the proposed conference is a platform to discuss and debate about population dynamism and sustainable resource development. These issues are to be initiated in a koala framework under the following sub-themes:

### **Sub-themes**

- Population Dynamics-fertility, mortality, migration
- Population Composition- age and sex, occupation, education, marital statue, Population Growth and Distribution
- Modern Innovation in agriculture and Changing Land Use Pattern
- Industrial Resources and Development
- Population Dynamism and Socio-Economic Development
- Urbanization and Urban Problems
- Human Resources, Health and Hygiene
- Environmental Degradation and Bio-diversity
- Population and Human Rights, Politics and Social Justice
- Population Problems, Policies and Programmes
- Population and Resource Nexus, and Food Security
- Peace, Environment and Sustainable Development
- Remote Sensing and GIS Application in Resource Development, Management and Planning

### **Submission of Abstracts**

The abstracts directly related to the sub-themes will be accepted

- \* Author(s) may submit their abstract(s) in about 300 words on A-4 size paper clearly typed in 1.5 line spacing 1” (2.5cm) in all side text using MS word 2003/2007.
- \* Abstracts of only those papers will find place in the volume of abstracts of which full paper is received within due date.
- \* Participants are requested to send a copy of abstract by E-mail: [icgeogamu@gmail.com](mailto:icgeogamu@gmail.com)
- \* Full papers are to be sent on the Convener's email: [farasatamu@gmail.com](mailto:farasatamu@gmail.com)
- \* An abstract volume will be brought out and released during the inaugural function at the International Conference.

**Venue:** Department of Geography, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.

\* Accommodation will be arranged in the University Guest House/ Hostels/ Hotels.

**Registration Fee:** Indian Delegates: Rs.1200/- (including SAARC Countries); •Research Scholars; Rs. 1000/-; •**Foreign Delegates:** US\$ 150:

The Registration fee should be sent in the form of DD drawn in favour of Convener of Conference, Department of Geography, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.

The Registration fees include a copy of Abstract Volume, Accommodation, Food, Lodging and Local Hospitality

### **Deadlines**

- Last date for submission of abstracts by post/ E-copy) - **February 28, 2012.**
- Last date for submission of Full paper Intimation of acceptance by E-mail - **March 15, 2012.**
- Last date for registration of nomination to attend the conference as delegate - **March 20, 2012.**
- Spot Registration is also permitted but in such case conference kit is not guaranteed

**REGISTRATION FORM**

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Note:- Registration Form should be submitted to the Office of the Convener latest by 15<sup>th</sup> March 2011. Photocopy of Registration form may also be accepted.