



RAMANANDA COLLEGE BISHNUPUR (BANKURA)

STATE LEVEL WORKSHOP ON FILMS AND FILM-MAKING

BROCHURE

CONCEPT NOTE

Films have become an integral part of our culture for over a hundred years. It is also one of the most widely viewed forms of art in the world today, and there is documented evidence on its impact on societies around the world at different points of time. Films exist as historical documents that continue to have social impact decades (and increasingly, centuries) after they have been made. Knowledge about films and film-making is essential for studying the humanities and the social sciences. Therefore, this workshop has been organized to ensure that students, researchers, and faculty members gain further insight into the nature of films and film-making, which will be of academic use to them, and which will also make them aware of certain social issues highlighted in the films shown and discussed by the resource persons and other workshop participants.

DATE: 29 April 2023 (Saturday)

ORGANIZERS: Department of Bengali, Ramananda College, Bishnupur.
Department of English, Ramananda College, Bishnupur.
Department of History, Ramananda College, Bishnupur.
IQAC, Ramananda College, Bishnupur.

INAUGURAL ADDRESS

Professor Deb Narayan Bandyopadhyay, Vice-Chancellor, Bankura University.

RESOURCE PERSONS

Mr. Soumendu Dey, Bengali Film Director and Journalist, Guest Faculty, Bankura University, Bankura, Midnapore College (Autonomous), Midnapore, and Raja N.L. Khan Women's College (Autonomous), Midnapore.

Mr. Sourav Sarkar, Bengali Film Director and Social Educator, Kolkata.

WORKSHOP THEMES

- Films and film-making
- Film and literature
- Films related to Bishnupur and Bankura
- Films as historical documents
- Social and historical impact of films
- The language of cinema and character depiction

CALL FOR PAPERS

We invite proposals from interested academics and researchers for short presentations (10 minutes long) related, but not limited to the workshop themes listed here. Papers around 1000 words long, along with abstracts of roughly 300 words and a bio-note of 100 words, should be submitted by Sunday, 16 April 2023, to the e-mail address: english.ramananda@gmail.com. E-mails should have the subject line: "Paper for Film-Making Workshop at Ramananda College".

CALL FOR REGISTRATIONS

We also invite registrations from students and faculty members interested in attending the workshop. Registered participants will receive a certificate of participation at the end of the workshop, provided they attend every session of the workshop. The registration fees will also cover lunch. Those who wish to register for the workshop must contact the treasurers or the listed contact persons by 16 April 2023 and confirm their registration.

The registration fees for paper presenters and participants are:

Paper presenters:	INR 500.00
College and university faculty:	INR 250.00
Research scholars:	INR 250.00
UG and PG students:	INR 150.00

WORKSHOP ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

Chairperson:	Dr. Swapna Ghorai, Principal, Ramananda College
Joint Convenors:	Prof. Anjan Kumar Bandyopadhyay (Department of Bengali) Dr. Narendra Ranjan Malas (Department of English)
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In case of any questions, please contact Dr. Narendra Ranjan Malas at 9434144468 or Prof. Susanta Nole at 7001844358. You can also send an e-mail to the workshop organizers at english.ramananda@gmail.com.

PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

- **Spot Registration** 9:30 – 10:30

- **Inaugural Session** 10:30 – 12:00
 - Inaugural Song
 - Reception of Guests with Flowers
 - Welcome Address by the Principal, Ramananda College 10:45 – 11:00
 - Speech by Guests 11:00 – 11:20.
 - Inaugural Address by the Vice-Chancellor, Bankura University 11:20 – 12:00

- **Technical Session 1**
 - Presentation by Mr. Soumendu Dey (Resource Person) 12:00 – 13:00

- **Lunch Break** 13:00 – 13:50

- **Technical Session 2**
 - Presentation by Mr. Sourav Sarkar (Resource Person) 13:50 – 15:00.

- **Paper Presentations** 15:00 – 15.30

- **Screening of Documentary: “Travel Andaman: A Heritage of Jarowas & Cellular Jail”**
(Directed by Mr. Soumendu Dey) 15.30 – 16:00

- **Valedictory Session** 16:00 – 16:25

- **Vote of Thanks** 16:25 – 16:30