

INFLANCO-2024

‘OUTCOME REPORT’

- 1) **What was the Inspiration behind taking up this Particular Subject for the Conference?**

Ans: As we emerge from the global crisis, the field of foreign language teaching and learning undergoes a transformation marked by technological integration, adaptive strategies, and a heightened emphasis on cultural competence. The COVID-19 pandemic has reshaped the educational arena, challenging traditional methods and pushing the boundaries of innovation. Therefore the topic was a very relevant one in the current times.

- 2) **Who were the Distinguished Guest Speakers Invited for the Event. Kindly give their Names. Designations, Organisation, Qualifications, Area of Expertise and any Honours and Awards received by them.**

Ans:

H.E. Mr. Omar Lisandro Castaneda Solares,(Chief Guest) Ambassador, Embassy of Guatemala

Dr. Alfredo Caldera, Counsellor Embassy of Venezuela

Vijaya Venkataraman, (Guest of Honour) Professor and Chairperson, GRS, University of Delhi, New Delhi

Ms. Marine Michel, Attaché for cooperation in French Language, Institut Français en Inde, Embassy of France in India

Mr. Koji Sato, (Guest of Honour) Director General, Japan Foundation

Ms. Puneet Kaur, Head of educational co-operation Goethe Institute Max Muller Bhawan, New Delhi

Session Chairs:

Dr. Meenakshi Sundriyal, Assistant Professor, CSPILAS, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi

Prof. Dr. Abhijit Karkun, Professor, CFFS, JNU, New Delhi

Prof. Rosy Singh, Professor, Centre of German Studies, School of Language, Literature & Culture Studies, JNU, New Delhi

Dr. Surabhi Solanki Rana, Assistant Professor, GRS, University of Delhi, New Delhi

Mr. Zandjannankou Comlan Edmond, French facilitator, Words Worth

- 3. What was the Criteria Considered for inviting the Various Individual Guests, Internal as well as External ?**

Ans: Knowledge, Experience & Connections

- 4. Were the guests informed in advance and if yes, from what previous interaction? Were the guests Recommended by someone. If yes, who ?**

Ans: Yes, in advance through telephonic conversations and previous meetings.

- 5. Who all attended the Conference? Also, if possible, give the numbers.**

Ans: UG students, Research Scholars, Faculties, Scientist & Industry persons. Total Registered participants: 116

- 6. What were the 'Take Homes' for the Guests and the Attendees in the form of knowledge, facts, information etc.? Please give the Salient Novel Points Covered by the Guest Speakers, in Bullet Points Format.**

Ans: Salient Novel Points Covered by the Guest Speakers:

- Development of AI in translation and other areas
- Role of technology in FLT: digitalization and innovation in the teaching techniques
- Social repercussions: effect of the pandemic on different age, classes, and genders
- Evolution of different modes of teaching (online & hybrid modes)
- Identity issues
- Migration, displacement, rootlessness
- Effect on diaspora.
- Trauma/ sense of loss
- Mental health issues

7. Has the Conference been able to generate any Tangible Gains for the Faculty, Researchers and Students of Amity. If yes, what are these?

Ans: Yes. There are more than 32 research papers presented by participants. Faculty, researchers and students of Amity are updated with the latest research findings, best practices and emerging trends in translation, FLT and literature.

8. What are the ‘Progressive Outcomes /Way Forward planned, based on the event of the Conference? Please give them pointwise, with timelines and names of the persons responsible for their execution.

Ans: Projects, Training Programs etc., Research papers, MoU and Placement supports.

9. **Have we Followed-Up with the Guests to consider Various Collaborations such as Joint Research Papers and Publications; Joint Funded Projects; Student Internships and Placements; Participation in National/ International Seminars/ Conferences,/Workshops ; Student/Faculty Exchange Programmes; Post Doctorate tie ups ; etc. etc.**

Ans: Yes

10. **What are the plans for utilizing the contacts developed with the Invited Guests, for future cooperation to meet the targets of ‘Mission: Connect’ and ‘Mission: Synergy of Brains’? Please give a roadmap with timelines.**

Ans: Projects, Research papers, MoU and Placement supports in near future.