



INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY PATNA



CONTINUING EDUCATION PROGRAMME COURSE ON

FORENSIC LINGUISTICS: LANGUAGE, LAW AND SOCIETY

22/01/2022 – 28/01/2022



Description

The main purpose of the course is to scrutinize from a sociolinguistic perspective, the language practices of crime and the law. "Crime" here includes criminal activities committed through language, such as threats, or those to which language is incidental but may become evidentially important. "Law" encompasses systems of rule most obviously involving policing, courts and prisons. The course will examine relationship between forensic linguistics and sociolinguistics and will consider in detail the current and the future applications of sociolinguistics in forensic settings.

Objectives and Outcomes

With the advent of new technology, social media, globalization and urbanization, language based crimes have seen exponential rise. There are various social factors that lay foundation to various types of crimes in society. The course not only intends to discuss some of the important and crucial topics in forensic linguistics and sociolinguistics but it also aspires to establish a link between the two domains thereby opening new vistas for research.

Guest Speakers



Prof. Peter French
University of York,
England



Prof. Tej K. Bhatia
Syracuse University,
New York

Course Content

- Language crimes: Bribery, perjury, solicitation to murder and threats are all crimes committed through the use of language. Select types of language crimes are analyzed and discussed
- Demographic Linguistic Profiles: Dialectology, sociolinguistics and linguistic variation
- Authorship Analysis
- Forensic linguistic analysis of total speech events
- Legal language
- Statistics in forensic studies
- Forensic Document Examination
- Language, identity and crime
- Discourse analysis

Programme Fees

Scholars: INR 2000.00

Professionals: 3000.00

Last Date of registration:

15/01/2022

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Fee Payment

The participation fee for the course will be accepted through e-transfer, NEFT and RTGS. Personal cheques will not be accepted. Proof of payment should be uploaded in the google form.

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Dr. Vishal Sharma
Chairperson/Head of
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Science, Panjab
University

Target Audience: Post graduate scholars, Research Scholars, Teacher Educators and Early Career Professionals

An electronic certificate of the course participation will be awarded to the participants after the successful completion of the course