

**Report on International Webinar on ‘Urban Gentrification: Viewing the Modern Mega City as a Hypernormal Space through Contemporary Fiction’ Held on – 11<sup>th</sup> July 2021**

<b>Date of Event</b>	11.07.2021
<b>Name and Type of Event</b>	International Webinar on ‘Urban Gentrification: Viewing the Modern Mega City as a Hypernormal Space through Contemporary Fiction’
<b>Conducted by</b>	Dr. Manoj Kumar Pathak
<b>No. Of Participant</b>	100

In an international webinar on Urban Gentrification, Dr. Aamir Aziz of University of the Punjab, Lahore, Pakistan as a guest speaker of the virtual webinar organized by the Department of English, Arka Jain University (AJU) on the topic '**Urban Gentrification: Viewing the Modern Mega City as a Hypernormal Space through Contemporary Fiction**' said that **Gentrification** is the changing the character of a neighbourhood through the pursuit of more affluent residents and businesses, much like what's happening where one's parents had their store—has led to the shuttering of many mom and pop stores for generations. Dr. Aziz talking on fictions representing urban gentrification said that now there are several good novels written on the issues raised by urban gentrification. He said that such novels have hinted about the racial, cultural and economical crises faced by the lower class people.

Vice-Chancellor, AJU Prof. S. S. razi and DSW Dr. Angad Tiwary also addressed the audience.

Dr. Manoj Kumar Pathak, the event-coordinator and moderator of the said webinar, said that urban gentrification is a metaphor for a family crisis.

Earlier to it, the Program Coordinator of the department of English, AJU Ms. Rajkumari Ghosh gave the welcome address and Dr. Rupa Sarkar proposed the vote of thanks. In the said virtual seminar, students, researchers and professors from various colleges and universities of the country and abroad took participation.

## E-Poster

Department of English  
Organizes  
an International Webinar On

**URBAN GENTRIFICATION**  
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Contemporary Fiction"

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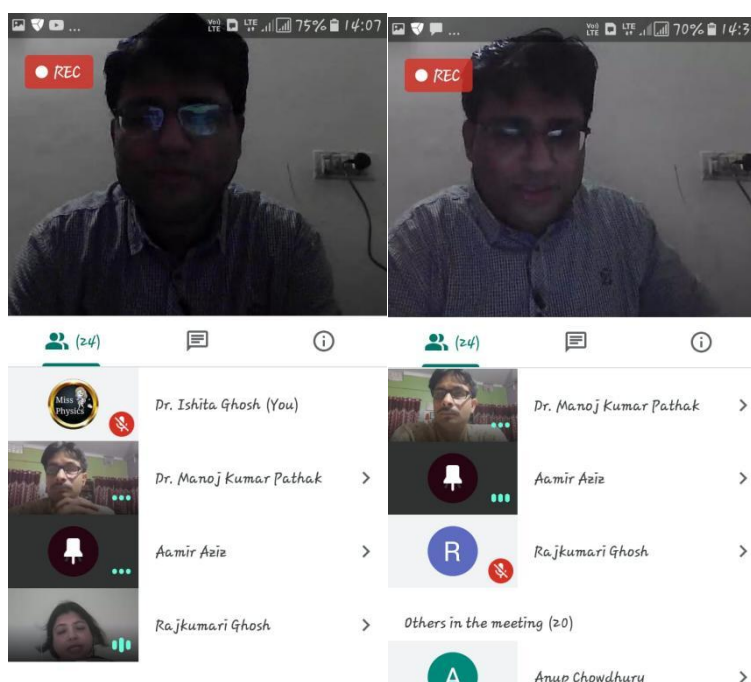
11th July 2021  
2:00 (IST) - 1:30 (PSK)  
Google meet

EVENT COORDINATOR AND MODERATOR: DR. MANOJ K PATHAK  
PROGRAM COORDINATOR: MS. RAJKUMARI GHOSH

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## Screenshots



## Feedback Overall Response Chart

Overall Impression

15 responses

