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On the Occasion of

International Day for the Preservation of the Ozone Layer **National Seminar Protecting Life on Earth**

September, 16th, 2022, Time 11.00 AM



Prof. Nageshwar Rao Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, IGNOU

Chief Guest



Dr. M. Rajeevan

Former Secretary, Ministry of Earth Science Additional Director General of Meteorology India Meteorological Department (IMD) National Center for Earth Studies(NCESS) Aakulam, Thiruvananthpuram, Kerala

Guest of Honour



Dr. S. D. Attri

New Delhi





Dr. G. Ram Sahibi

IFS retd. Former Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests Himachal Pradesh



Prof. Shachi Shah Director, SOITS, IGNOU











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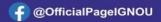
Programme Schedule

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◆ Welcome Address	11:00 - 11:05 AM	Prof. Shachi Shah, Director SOITS, IGNOU
◆ Address by Chief Guest	11:05 - 11:25 PM	Dr. M. Rajeevan, Former Secretary, Ministry of Earth Science Distinguished Scientist, National Centre for Earth Studies (NCESS Aakulam, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala
◆ Address by Guest of Honour	11:25 - 11:45 PM	Dr. S. D. Attri, Additional Director General of Meteorology India Meteorological Department (IMD), New Delhi
 Address by Guest of Honour 	11.45 - 12.05 PM	Dr. G. Ram Sahibi, IFS retd., Former Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Himachal Pradesh
 Presidential Address 	12:05-12:15 PM:	Prof. Nageshwar Rao Vice Chancellor, Indira Gandhi National Open University
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National Seminar on "Protecting Life on Earth" on "International Day for the Preservation of the Ozone Layer 2022"

The School of Interdisciplinary and Trans-disciplinary Studies, IGNOU organized online National Seminar on "Protecting Life on Earth" on 16th September to commemorate the "International Day for the Preservation of the Ozone Layer 2022". The occasion was graced by the presence of Prof. Nageshwar Rao, Vice-Chancellor, IGNOU, Chief Guest of the Seminar Dr. M.Rajeevan, Former Secretary, Ministry of Earth Science, Distinguished scientist, National Centre for Earth Studies. Aakulam, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala, Guest of Honour Dr. S.D. Attri,, Additional Director General of Meteorology, Indian, Metrological Department, New Delhi and Dr. G.Ram Sahibi, Retd. IFS, Former Additional Principal, Chief Conservator of Forest, Himachal Pradesh, Pro Vice-Chancellors of IGNOU, Directors of Schools of Studies and Divisions and other participants from IGNOU Headquarter and Regional Centres.



At the outset, Prof. Shachi Shah, Director, SOITS heartily welcomed the guests and greeted them on the occasion of International ozone Day. She informed the participants about the Ozone Layer and mentioned about the backdrop of celebrating the day. In her address, she highlighted that anthropogenic activities are leading to disruption of the ozone layer and therefore there is a great significance of mitigation measures in curbing the effects of ozone layer depletion. She also briefed the participated about the profile of the speakers.

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The Chief Guest of the Seminar, Dr. M. Rajeevan, Former Secretary, Ministry of Earth Science, Distinguished scientist, National Centre for Earth Studies. Aakulam, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala presented the overview of ozone layer

depletion phenomena. Mentioning about the effects of climate change, he emphasised that climate change is not just environmental phenomena but a social issue as well. In his address, he presented that the all over the world the efforts are being made to recover the ozone layer and phasing out Ozone depleting substances is the only way forward. He also urged the participants to take appropriate action to protect life on Earth for the future generations.



The Guest of Honour Dr. S.D. Attri, Additional Director General of Meteorology, Indian, Metrological Department, New Delhi presented the statistical account of the various meteorological parameters. He explained the participants about the "Good Ozone"

and the "Bad Ozone" and mentioned about the importance of adopting sustainable methods to achieve carbon neutral world by the mid century.

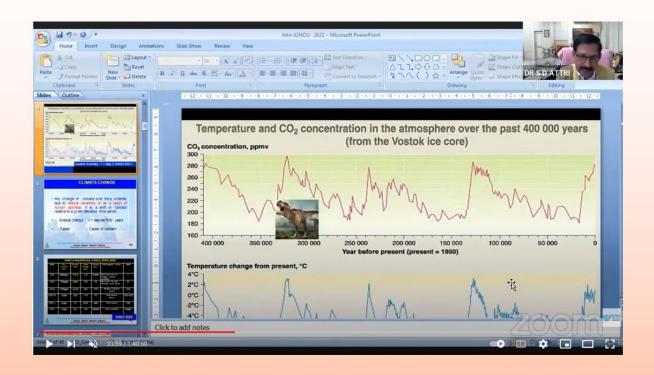


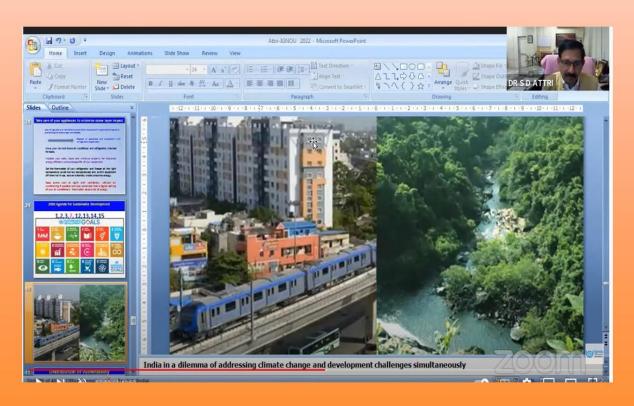
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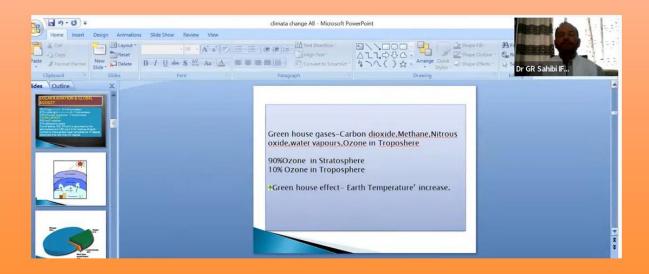


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Another Guest of Honour, Dr. G.Ram Sahibi, Retd. IFS, Former Additional Principal, Chief Conservator of Forest, Himachal Pradesh elaborated on ozone layer, mechanism of its depletion, and impact on environment and human health. His address highlighted that if appropriate measures are not taken, we will be facing several health related ailments in future.





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The Presidential Address of the seminar was delivered by Prof. Nageshwar Rao, Honorable Vice Chancellor, IGNOU who emphasized that IGNOU with its large reach can play pivotal role in reaching to the learners to spread the awareness and importance of protecting ozone layer. Prof. Nageshwar Rao explained that environmental issues are interrelated and need urgent action. In this context, he mentioned that the programmes like this can play an important role and complemented the School for organising the National Seminar.





At the end, Prof. B. Rupini proposed formal vote of thanks. The programme was moderated by Dr.Deeksha Dave.



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