

SUB - THEME 3: WOMEN IN PEACE AND CONFLICT

Co-ordinators: Asha Hans & Swarna Rajagopalan

VENUE: EHRENSELS HALL – ANTHROPOLOGY

Day 1: 22nd January (2.30 -6.30 pm)

Session 1- Nepal, Northeast India and Sri Lanka

Chairs- Rita Manchanda and Roshmi Goswami

1	Marriage and Maoism: 'Revolutionary' Practises during the People's War of Nepal	Kavita Raturi
2	Women in Conflict and Peace: A case of the Naga Women's Peace building Movement and looking beyond	Bhargab Dev Sarmah
3	From Victim to Peace Maker: Women, Insurgency and Northeast India	Piyali Dutta
4	Role of women in Peace and Women's Movement of Manipur	S. Sakhitombi Devi
5	Women and Peace: An Internalised Cultural Construct	Mamta Lukram
6	Women Organisations in Churachandpur District of Manipur: Their Role in Peace Processes	Deborah Darlianmawii
7	Peace from the Womb for Women – An Unresolved Challenge	T. Poongkothai

Session 2- Kashmir

1	Initiatives towards Peace Process: Narratives of Kashmiri Pandit Women	Abha Chauhan
2	Armed Forces Special Power Act (AFSPA) in the State of Jammu and Kashmir: Women's Voices from Kashmir	Mehnaz Tabassum,
3	Idea of Self-determination and the Women's Question : Imperative for Peace Building in J&K	Karan Maini
4	The Question of Women's Political Participation and Implications for their role in Peace Process	Nisha Jain
5	Impact of Conflict situation on Border villages and the issue of their Rehabilitation	Renu Nanda
6	Gender, Conflict and Border in J&K	Sandeep Singh
7	Women in Peace Process (Official and Non Official) Kashmiri Women and Peace Process: The top down and the bottom up analysis	Arshi Javaid

Day 2- 23rd January (2.30 to 5.30 pm)

Session 1

1	Roundtable on Women in Post-War Sri Lanka Facilitator: Swarna Rajagopalan	Poongkothai Chandrahasan Thenmozhi S. Sooriyakumari Lakmini Jayathilaka
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Session 2

1	Roundtable on Peace, Gender and Intersectionalities: A New Generation Works for Peace Facilitator: Lalita Ramdas	Kirthi Jayakumar Chintan Girish Modi Soumita Basu
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Day 3- 24th January (2.30 to 4.30 pm)

Session 1

Chair- Ammu Joseph

1	Roundtable on War and Peace: Women and Media	Laxmi Murthy Rohini Mohan Raksha Kumar
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Session 2- Perspectives on women, peace and peace movements: SCR 1325 and beyond

Chair- Asha Hans

1	Women, Peace and Security: Issues and Challenges	Syed Tahseen Raza
2	Feminist Peace building and conflict transformation – Challenges and questions around UNSCR 1325.	Roshmi Goswami
3	Would world affairs be more peaceful if women dominated politics?	Rhea Bose
4	A Case Study on Young Adivasi Women (Sahariyas) in Western Madhya Pradesh struggling for justice non- violently: Linking Conflict Reduction and Peace building to Land Rights.	Jill Carr-Harris
5	The rights of Adivasi women	Kanhaiya Tripathi
6	Mahilaon, Shanti aur Mahilaon ke Andolan	Durga Rani Masram