

Programme
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on

History of Nonviolent Civil Resistance in Pakistan

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Venue : Hotel Margalla Islamabad

Tuesday, 27 February 2014

INAUGURAL SESSION

0900-0930	Registration
0930-0935	Recitation from the <i>Holy Quran</i>
0935-0940	Welcome Address by <i>Farhat Asif, President, Institute of Peace and Diplomacy</i>
0940-0945	Opening Remarks <i>Mr.Kristof W.Duwaerts, Resident Representative, Hanns Seidel Foundation (HSF),Islamabad</i>
0945-1000	Inaugural Address by Chief Guest
1000-1010	Photo Session

Tea/Cofee Break 1000-1030

***Keynote Speech:10:30-11:20 NONVIOLENCE FROM PROTEST MOVEMENT TO PEACEFUL
CONFLICT RESOLUTION***

Prof. Johan Galtung, Eminent Professor, founder and Director of TRANSCEND – A Peace and Development Network for Conflict Transformation by Peaceful Means and Rector of TRANSCEND Peace University (TPU)), Including Q&A session

FIRST SESSION- NON-VIOLENCE: A CONCEPT IN PEACE STUDIES

Chair *Dr. David Hardiman: Professor, History Department, The University of Warwick, UK. Founder of South Asia Subaltern Studies Group and British Association of South Asian Scholars*

- 1130-1145 Dr. Ishtiaq Ahmad, Chairman, Peace and Conflict Studies, National Defence University, Islamabad
- 1145-1200 Dr. Riffat Hussain, Professor and HOD, Dept Govt. Policy and Public Administration School of Social Sciences and Humanities, National University of Sciences and Technology (NUST)
- 1200-1215 Ms. Yelena Biberman, PhD Candidate, Brown University (USA), Fulbright Fellow, and USIP Jennings Randolph Peace Scholar Fellow.
- 1215-1245 **Remarks by Chair Discussion /Q&A**

SECOND SESSION- NON VIOLENCE IN POLITICAL STRUGGLE: CASE STUDY OF SOUTH ASIA

Chair *Mrs. Naela Chohan, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Pakistan*

- 1230-1245 **‘Satyagraha in Indian Subcontinent 1917-47: The Problem of Scale.**
Dr. David Hardiman: Professor, History Department, The University of Warwick, UK. Founder of South Asia Subaltern Studies Group and British Association of South Asian Scholars
- 1245-1300 **The Culture of Non Violence in Bangladesh in Post 1971**
(Dr. Moonis Ahmar, Professor of International Relations at the University of Karachi and Director, Program on Peace Studies and Conflict Resolution)
- 1300-1315 **Afghanistan**
- 1315-1330 **Remarks by Chair Discussion /Q&A**
- 1330-1420 **Lunch**

**THIRD SESSION- NON VIOLENCE IN CIVIL SOCIETY/SOCIAL MOVEMENT IN
PAKISTAN I**

Chair

- 1420-1435 **Sufism as Non Violent Movement**
(Professor Dr. Pir Sajid-ur-Rahman, Sajjada Nasheen Darbar-e-Aaliyah Baghar Shareef &
Khatib Faisal Masjid & Former Director Dawah Academy (International Islamic University))
- 1435-1450 **Role of Youth in Non Violent Movements Post 1947**
(Shabbir Bukhari, Head of Strategic Communications and Outreach, Khudi)
- 1450-1505 **Renaissance of Social Movements during 2013 elections?**
(Zafar ullah Khan, Director, Centre for Civic Education)
- 1500.1520 **Remarks by Chair Discussion /Q&A**
- 1520- **Refreshments**

**1800-2000 , Arrangement of a Civil Lecture and dinner with the invitation for high
profiled guests, from the government, non-government, Diplomats,
Dr. Galtung will talk on Four Components of Peace. (His new peace theory)
*Dr. David Hardiman, State of Nonviolent Civil Resistance in Present World.***

Wednesday, 28th February 2014

**FIRST SESSION- NON VIOLENCE IN CIVIL SOCIETY/SOCIAL MOVEMENTS IN
PAKISTAN II**

Chair

- 0930-0945 **Nonviolent Civil Resistance Against Zia-ul-Haq. A case study of 'Movement for the Restoration of Democracy'.**
Malik Hammad Ahmad, Leverhulme Trust PhD Research Scholar, "Civil Resistance Movements of Pakistan: 1977-88", Department of History, The University of Warwick and Director International Coordination Institute of Peace and Diplomacy
- 0945-1000 **Role of Women and Non Violent Movements**
(Dr Rubina Saigol, Scholar and activist)
- 1000-1015 **Tenants' Movement**
(Dr. Aasim Sajjad Akhtar is a political activist associated with the People's Rights Movement and Faculty Member NIPS, Quaid-I-Azam University)
- 1015-1030 **Lawyer's Movement**
- 1030-1100 **Discussion**
- 1100-1120 **Tea break**

**SECOND SESSION- PROTAGONISTS/HISTORICAL FIGURES OF NON-VIOLENCE POST
1947**

Chair Professor Fateh Muhammad Malik

- 1130-1145 **Ghaffar Khan**
(Prof. Dr. Fazal-ur-Rahim Marwat, Vice-Chancellor Bacha Khan University)

- 1145-1200 **Fatimah Jinnah,**
Dr Samina Awan
Chairperson/Associate Professor/Editor, Journal of Social Sciences & Humanities,
Department of History, Allama Iqbal Open University
- 1200-1215 **Abdul Sattar Edhi, the founder of the Edhi Foundation,**
Tehmina Durrani, Biographer of Edhi
- 1215-1230 **Benazir Bhutto**
Senator Taj Haider
- 1230-1245 **Abdul Samad Khan Achakzai(Baloch Ghandi)**
Dr. Riaz Ahmed Shaikh. Head of Social Sciences & Associate Professor MS/PhD Social Science
Program Manager PhD(Social Sciences), Hamdard University
- 1245-1315 **Remarks by chair and Q&A**
- 1315-1415 **Lunch**

THIRD SESSION- KEY REFLECTIONS AND CONCLUSION

Chair

- 1415-1430 **Conference Rapporteur Presentation**
Malik Hammad Ahmad, Leverhulme Trust PhD Research Scholar, "Civil Resistance Movements
of Pakistan: 1977-88", Department of History, The University of Warwick and Director
International Coordination Institute of Peace and Diplomacy
- 1430-1435 Vote of thanks Institute of Peace and Diplomacy
- 1440-1445 Closing remarks by *Mr. Kristof W. Duwaerts, Resident Representative, Hanns Seidel Foundation
(HSF), Islamabad*
- 1530- Refreshments/Tea/Coffee