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INAUGURAL SESSION

Chair

Prof. Syed Ainul Hasan

Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, MANUU

Welcome Address

Prof. Rafiullah Azmi

Convenor & Head, Department of History, MANUU

Introduction to the Theme

Prof. Salma Ahmed Farooqui

Convenor & Director, H.K. Sherwani Centre for Deccan Studies, MANUU

Keynote Address

Prof. Atluri Murali

Formerly with Dept. of History, University of Hyderabad

Address by the Chief Guest

Prof. SK. Mahmood, Vice Chairman of the Telangana State Council of Higher Education (TSCHE), Govt. of Telangana

Guest of Honour

Prof. Deepak Kumar

Honorary Professor, Department of History, MANUU

Release of the SHSK Newsletter

Book Release

Fighting the Fever: Kala-azar in Eastern India, 1870s-1940s

**of Prof. Achintya Kumar Dutta, Department of History, University of Burdwan,
West Bengal, Cambridge University Press, 2025**

Date: 15 September 2025 | Venue: Library Auditorium | Time: 10.30 am onwards



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VALEDICTORY SESSION

Chair

Prof. Farhat Hasan

Department of History, University of Delhi

Chief Guest

Prof. Shakeel Ahmed

**Visiting Professor, Centre for Disaster Risk Reduction, Islamic University of
Science and Technology, Awantipora, Kashmir**

Guest of Honour

Prof. P.H. Mohammad

Dean, School of Arts & Social Sciences, MANUU

Valedictory Address

Dr. Dinesh C. Sharma

Eminent Science Journalist and Jawaharlal Nehru Fellow

Vote of Thanks

Dr. Shahid Jamal, Assistant Professor

H.K. Sherwani Centre for Deccan Studies, MANUU

Date: 17 September 2025 | Venue: Library Auditorium | Time: 3.00 pm onwards

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Seminar Coordinators

Dr. A. Subash

Assistant Professor, H.K. Sherwani Centre for Deccan Studies, MANUU

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Dr. Khalid Ponnulathodi

Assistant Professor, Department of History, MANUU