

International Webinar Relevance of Mahatma Gandhi in Contemporary Scenario: Global Peace



“There is no path to peace; peace is the path”.

Mahatma Gandhi

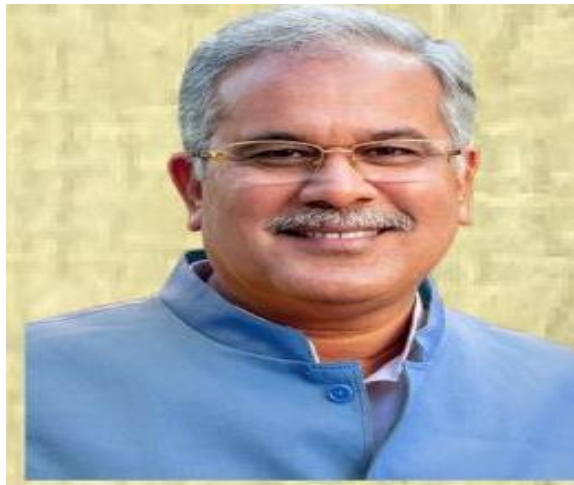
Mahatma Gandhi was an international statesman who vouched for peace and non-violence through his concept of AHIMSA not only in the Indian freedom movement but also in the other Asian and African nations in the clutches of disparity, depravity and poverty due to expansionist approach of the Colonial Countries.

Mahatma Gandhi philosophy of TRUTH and NON VIOLENCE is a way for humanity to lead life in a congenial environment. Since Independence our policies aspires for the fulfilment of the unfinished dreams of MAHATAMA i.e. cleanliness, eradication of poverty, untouchability, empowerment of women, education for all, global peace etc.

In the present era of turmoil in Global Geopolitics, uneven climatic changes and global pandemics, the role and relevance of Philosophy of Gandhi is the Panacea for the struggles of human race.

We on behalf of all fellow humans envisaged to promote the values of TRUTH and NON VIOLENCE “AHMISA” of MAHATMA through a series of international webinars **“Relevance of Mahatma Gandhi in Contemporary Scenario: Global Peace”**. **The programme started on 08th August**, wherein on 08th August 1942, The 'Quit India' movement was launched by Mahatma Gandhi .

Inauguration of the International Webinar
"Relevance of Mahatma Gandhi in Contemporary Scenario: Global Peace"



Shri Bhupesh Baghel
Hon'ble Chief Minister, Chattisgarh (India)

The international webinar was Inaugurated by Hon'ble Shri Bhupesh Baghel, Chief Minister, Chattisgarh on 08th August 2020.

Special Guest



Shri Arun Gandhi
(Grandson of Mahatma Gandhi)



Shri Tushar Gandhi
(Great - Grandson of Mahatma Gandhi)



Shakuntala Chaudhary
Kasturba Gandhi National Memorial Trust, Ulubari, Guwahati

Special Address



Shri Arun Anand
CEO, Indraprastha Vishwa
Samvad Kendra
(15.08.2020)



Shri Vijoy Prakash
Chairman,
Bihar Vidyapeeth
(22.08.2020)



Shri D.P.Sinha
Central Information
Commissioner
(29.08.2020)

Participants of the International Webinar

International Speakers



Dr. Olek Netzer
(Israel)



William Westerman
(U.S.A)



Verónica R Guruceaga
(Venezuela)



Alfonso Poncho Hernández
(Mexico)

National Speakers



Bhadra Bahan
(Gujarat)



Dr. Jyoti Bindal
(Madhya Pradesh)



Prof. M. Mitra
(Chattisgarh)



Dr. Shiwani
(Bihar)

			
Dr. Shobha Kujur (Jharkhand)	Geeta Goswami (Assam)	Dr. S. Narayan (Bihar)	A. K. Pandey (Jharkhand)
			
Shri A. V. Sinha (Bihar)	Dr. Vijoy Sahay (Uttar Pradesh)	Shri Bhairaw Lal Das (India)	Shri Sunil Dubey Chattisgarh



Program Coordinator CA Ashish Niraj

Schedule

The webinar was scheduled in 04 series starting from 08th August 2020. The detail of which is as under:

Series	Date	Time- IST
Webinar I	08 th August 2020	6.00 -8.00 pm
Webinar II	15 th August 2020	6.00 -8.00 pm
Webinar III	22 nd August 2020`	6.00 -8.00 pm
Webinar IV	29 th August 2020	6.00 -8.00 pm

Inaugural Address of the International Webinar: “Relevance of Mahatma Gandhi in Contemporary Scenario: Global Peace” 08:08:2020



Sr. No.	Speaker	Speech Subject
1	Shri Bhupesh Baghel Hon'ble Chief Minister Chattisgarh	Father of the Nation Mahatma Gandhi used to dream of world peace. He wanted to create a non-violent society. Gandhi's relevance becomes more important when we discuss world peace since Gandhi's relevance is Global. It cannot be limited to any one country. Gandhiji wanted the salvation of unhappy and suffering humanity. Humanity is a global concept. It goes beyond the boundaries of the nation and binds the whole world in unity. Alike Gandhiji is relevant to the whole world.
2	Shri Arun Gandhi	Mahatma Gandhi does not consider anyone as his enemy. He has faith in all and always desired for change in heart of the people. He said that those society thrives which respect others and in present scenario at global level we should build the level of trust and respect for each other for global peace. Mahatma Gandhi insisted that with Respect, Understanding, Acceptance, Appreciation and Compassion,

		all core values for any peaceful relationship, we can resolve conflicts in a nonviolent way. Teaching the practice of Ahimsa or Nonviolence in our daily lives will open paths towards harmony, inner peace and protection of our environment.
3	Shri Tushar Gandhi	World peace can be attained with only truth and not into the truth which is convenient to us or which is not convenient to us. Bapu talked about the eternal truth, the truth of life, the truth which remains constant and does not change with time.
4	Shri Arun Anand	The concept of 'self-reliance' and 'swadeshi' in present scenario.
5	Shri Divya Prakash Sinha	Relevance of Gandhi in Public Service
6	Dr. Olek Netzer (Israel)	Humanization of conflicts must be one of the main thrusts for Global Peace.
7	Veronica Rodriguez de Guruceaga (Venezuela)	Mahatma Gandhi legacy in our life and mechanism to tackle conflict, discrimination and communication.
8	Dr. William Westerman (USA)	Applying Gandhian Principles and Strategy to the American Civil Rights Movement:
9	Poncho Hernández- Mexico	Experiences of Nonviolence : Latin America
10	Dr. Jyoti Bindal	Mahatma Gandhi & Tolerance
11	Prof. Mitashree Mitra	Mahatma Gandhi & Global Peace
12	Shri Anand.V. Sinha	Application of Gandhian Values in Life and Work Place.
13	Shri A.K. Pandey	Managing conflicts among nations through brotherhood
14	Shri Bahirav Lal Das	Gandhi & Champaran Satyagrah: A perspective to resolving the conflicts through satyagrah and peace.
15	Shri Vijoy Prakash	Relevance of Gandhian thoughts on Education in Atmanirbhar Bharat campaign
16	Shri Vijoy Sahay	Gandhi & Tribes
17	Dr. S. Narayan	Ordinary' Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi became 'Extraordinary' Mahatma Gandhi
18	Shri Sunil Dubey	Mahatma Gandhi & Peace
19	Dr. Shobha Kujur	Mahatma Gandhi & Tanabhagat
20	Dr. Shiwani	Mahatma Gandhi Quotes

We will be glad to share the contents of the webinar. Please submit your questions or comments at: societyforempowerment07@gmail.com. You can also view the recording of the webinar at: <http://www.sfe.org.in/>.

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