

# FIRST SIKH HISTORY CONGRESS

## CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

5<sup>th</sup> - 7<sup>th</sup> January 2023

<b>DAY 1:</b> <b>5<sup>th</sup> JANUARY, 2023</b>			
<b>OPENING SESSION</b> 10:30 AM – 1:00 PM Inaugural Keynote Session			
<b>Time</b>	<b>Description</b>		
10:30 AM – 11:00 AM	Welcome Address by Prof. Jaswinder Singh, Principal, Sri Guru Tegh Bahadur Khalsa College, University of Delhi, Delhi.		
11:00 AM – 11:30 AM	Address by Chief Guest		
11:30 AM – 12:15 PM	Keynote Address by Prof. Raghuvendra Tanwar, Chairman, Indian Council of Historical Research, New Delhi		
12:15 PM – 01:00 PM	Special Address by Prof. Jaspal Singh, Member, National Commission for Educational Institutions for Minorities, Former Vice Chancellor, Punjabi University, Patiala		
<b>LUNCH</b> <b>1:00 PM – 1:45 PM</b>			
<b>SESSION 1</b> <b>1:45 PM – 3:45 PM,</b> <b>SPIRITUAL LIVES, TEACHINGS AND LEGACY OF SIKH GURUS</b>			
<b>CHAIR: Prof. Sukhdial Singh</b>			
<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Speaker</b>	<b>Title of the Talk</b>	<b>Time Allotted</b>
1	<b>Dr. Kulwinder Singh Bajwa</b>	Bhai Gurdas as Biographer of Guru Nanak Sahib	(20 + 5 min Q/A)
2	<b>Prof. R. P. Bahuguna</b>	Bhagat Bani in Guru Granth Sahib	(20+5 min Q/A)
3	<b>Dr. Mohammad Idris</b>	Reflections on Sikh and Muslim Relations in Punjab: A Historical Perspective	(20+5 min Q/A)
4	<b>Prof. Jaspal Kaur Dhanju</b>	Langar Historical Evolution and Significance	(20+5 min Q/A)
5	<b>Prof. Pratibha Chawla</b>	An Intersectional Analysis of Gender, Religion, and Society through the Humanist Lens of Sri Guru Granth Sahib	(20+5 min Q/A)
<b>TEA BREAK</b> <b>3:45 PM - 4:00 PM</b>			

<b>SESSION 2</b> <b>4:00 PM – 5:30 PM</b> <b>SPIRITUAL LIVES, TEACHINGS AND LEGACY OF SIKH GURUS - II</b>			
<b>CHAIR: Prof. Paramvir Singh</b>			
<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Speaker</b>	<b>Title of the Talk</b>	<b>Time Allotted</b>
1	<b>Prof. Gurinder Singh Mann</b>	Recent Centenary Celebrations and Historical Research on Sikh Gurus	(20 + 5 min Q/A)
2	<b>Prof. Amarjeet Singh</b>	Life of Guru Hargobind Ji in Gurbilas Patshahi Chhevin	(20+5 min Q/A)
3	<b>Dr. Daljit Singh</b>	Sri Guru Tegh Bahadur: Jeevan ate Shahadat	(20+5 min Q/A)
4	<b>Prof. Paramvir Singh</b>	Mata Sundari Ji	(20+5 min Q/A)
<b>CULTURAL EVENING 6.00 PM - 8.00 PM</b> <b>Eminent Sufi Singer Bir Singh</b>			

<b>DAY 2:</b> <b>6<sup>th</sup> JANUARY, 2023</b>			
<b>SESSION 1</b> <b>10:00 AM – 12.00 PM</b> <b>RISE OF SIKH POWER: BABA BANDA SINGH BAHADUR, SIKH MISLS, MAHARAJA RANJIT SINGH AND SIKH PRINCELY STATES</b>			
<b>CHAIR: Prof. Sukhdev Singh Sohal</b>			
<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Speaker</b>	<b>Title of the Talk</b>	<b>Time Allotted</b>
1	<b>Prof. Harbans Kaur Sagoo</b>	Historical Places Related to Banda Singh Bahadur in Delhi	(20+5 min Q/A)
2	<b>Prof. Chhanda Chatterjee</b>	Rani Jindan and her Contributions to the Freedom Struggle of Punjab 1846-57	(20+5 min Q/A)
3	<b>S. Gurvinder Singh Dhamija</b>	Misl Period in Haryana	(20+5 min Q/A)
4	<b>Dr. Armanjeet Singh</b>	Misl Period and the Role of Nawab Kapoor Singh	(20+5 min Q/A)
5	<b>Dr. Vineet Nalwa</b>	Hari Singh Nalwa	(20+5 min Q/A)
6	<b>Mr. Shah Nadeem</b>	Historicizing a Legend: Sikh Expansion beyond Indus and Khyber (1800-1835)- A Case of Military Achievements of Hari Singh Nalwa	(20+5 min Q/A)

7	<b>Dr. Roopam Jasmeet Kaur</b>	Revisiting the Role of Sikh Princely States of East Punjab	(20+5 min Q/A)
<b>SESSION 2</b> <b>12:00 PM – 01:45 PM</b> <b>SIKH HISTORY AND EMPOWERMENT</b>			
<b>CHAIR: Shri Balbir Madhopuri</b>			
<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Speaker</b>	<b>Title of the Talk</b>	<b>Time Allotted</b>
1	<b>Prof. Raj Kumar Hans</b>	Understanding the Turns in the History of Dalit Sikhs	(20+5 min Q/A)
2	<b>Shri Balbir Madhopuri</b>	Sikhism and Dalit Empowerment	(20+5 min Q/A)
3	<b>Dr. Mridula Arora</b>	Sikhism and Caste: A Testimony of Sri Guru Granth Sahib	(20+5 min Q/A)
4	<b>Prof. Kuldeep Kaur Pahwa and Dr. Ravinder Kaur Bedi</b>	Sikh Itihaas vich Nari: Ik Itihaasik Drishtikoun	(20+5 min Q/A)
5	<b>Prof. Gurmeet Singh Sidhu</b>	Sikh Identity: A New Course of History (Subaltern Perspective) The Sparrows Can Win Over The Hawks	(20+5 min Q/A)
<b>LUNCH</b> <b>1:45 PM – 2.15 PM</b>			
<b>SESSION 3</b> <b>02:15 PM – 04:00 PM</b> <b>SIKHS' ROLE IN STRUGGLE AGAINST COLONIALISM</b>			
<b>CHAIR: Prof. Mohinder Singh</b>			
<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Speaker</b>	<b>Title of the Talk</b>	<b>Time Allotted</b>
1	<b>Prof. Jaswinder Singh, Amanpreet Singh Gill and Amandeep Kaur Chehal</b>	Growth of Sikh Democracy	(20+5 min Q/A)
2	<b>Dr. Jashandeep Singh Sandhu</b>	Sikhs and Nationalist Movement	(20+5 min Q/A)
3	<b>Dr. Jasbir Singh</b>	Sikh Press and Voice against Colonialism	(20+5 min Q/A)
4	<b>Prof. Parneet Kaur</b>	Contextualising Women Reform in the British Punjab : a case study of Punjabi Print media	(20+5 min Q/A)
5	<b>Dr Hardip Singh Jhaj</b>	Historical Analysis of Gurudwara Reform Movement	(20+5 min Q/A)

6	<b>Dr. Navdip Kaur</b>	The Making of Borderline: The Sikhs and Radcliffe's Award	(20+5 min Q/A)
<b>TEA BREAK</b> <b>4:00 PM - 4:15 PM</b>			
<b>SESSION 4</b> <b>04:15 PM - 06:00 PM</b> <b>HISTORIANS OF SIKHS AND SIKH HISTORIOGRAPHY</b>			
<b>CHAIR: Prof. Rajkumar Hans</b>			
<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Speaker</b>	<b>Title of the Talk</b>	<b>Time Allotted</b>
1	<b>Prof. Sukhdial Singh</b>	Itihaas ate Itihaas da Sikh Sankalp	(20 min)
2	<b>Dr Paramjeet Singh Mansa</b>	Udasi ate Nirmal Sampardai di Sikh Itihas nu Den	(20 min)
3	<b>Dr Tarsem Singh</b>	Guru Granth Sahib da Itihasak Paripekh	(20 min)
4	<b>Dr Hardev Singh</b>	Gurbilas Literature	(20 min)
5	<b>Dr Bharatbir Kaur Sandhu</b>	Sikh Itihas de Gurmukhi Srotan dian Pahunch Vidhian	(20 min)

<b>DAY 3:</b> <b>7<sup>th</sup> JANUARY, 2023</b>			
<b>SESSION 1</b> <b>10:30 AM - 12.00 PM</b> <b>SIKH HISTORY FROM GLOBAL AND REGIONAL PERSPECTIVES</b>			
<b>CHAIR: Prof. Swarn Singh Kahlon</b>			
<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Speaker</b>	<b>Title of the Talk</b>	<b>Time Allotted</b>
1	<b>Prof. Swarn Singh Kahlon</b>	Sikh Sikh Everywhere - Sikh Global Presence	(18 min)
2	<b>Prof. Nirmal Singh</b>	Sikhs In United States	(18 min)
3	<b>Prof. Amrit Kaur Basra</b>	One People Two Nations: Diasporic Sikh Communities in Canada and Ties with India	(18 min)
4	<b>Mr. Jasbir Singh Sarna</b>	The Sikhs of Kashmir: A Historic Analysis	(18 min)
5	<b>Prof. Jagmohan Singh Gill</b>	Study for Ethnic Sikhs of Eastern India	(18 min)

6	<b>Dr. Jagir Kaur</b>	Locating Sikh Social Ideals in South Asian Society	(18 min)
<b>SESSION 2</b> <b>12.00 PM - 01:45 PM</b> <b>HISTORY OF SIKH ART, LITERATURE AND ARCHITECTURE</b>			
<b>CHAIR: Prof. Charanjit Singh Shah</b>			
S. No.	Speaker	Title of the Talk	Time Allotted
1	<b>Prof. Seema Bawa</b>	Sikh Art of Miniatures and Murals	(20 min)
2	<b>Prof. Kanika Singh</b>	Sikh Museums in Contemporary India	(20 min)
3	<b>Dr. Gurdeep Kour</b>	Sikh Miniature Paintings	(20 min)
4	<b>Prof. Rawail Singh</b>	Gadar Lehar di Kavita Vich Itihasik Havale	(20 min)
5	<b>Dr. Vanita</b>	Sikh History Presentation as in Punjabi Literature: Present and Future	(20 min)
<b>LUNCH</b> <b>1:45 PM - 2.15 PM</b>			
<b>SESSION (02:15 PM - 03:00 PM)</b> <b>VALEDEICTORY SESSION: ROLE OF SIKHS IN DIPLOMACY AND MILITARY SERVICES</b>			
<b>CHAIR: Former Ambassador. K.C. Singh</b> <b>Co-Chair: S. Tarlochan Singh, Former Member of Parliament, Rajya Sabha; Chairman, College Governing Body</b>			
S. No.	Speaker	Title of the Talk	Time Allotted
1	<b>Dr. Jaskaran Singh</b>	Military History of the Sikhs	(20 min + Q/A)
2	<b>Brigadier I.J. Singh</b>	Role and Participation of Sikhs in Military Services: A Historical Analysis	(20 min + Q/A)
3	<b>Prof. Lakhwinder Singh Gill</b>	Sikh History of Tomorrow: Discourses of Development and Challenges before Sikhs	(20 min + Q/A)
<b>Valedictory Address:</b> <b>Prof. Charan Singh: Participation of Sikhs Indian Economy</b>			
<b>TEA BREAK</b> <b>4:00 PM - 4:15 PM</b>			
<b>VOTE OF THANKS:</b> <b>Prof. Pratibha Chawla</b>			
<b>HIGH TEA - 4.30 PM</b>			