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**Indian Association for Canadian Studies Sponsored
30th International Conference on Imagi/Nation: India/Canada
Past, Present and Future
25-27 March 2017**

**Jointly organised by Indian Council of Literary, Social, Educational
and Cultural Research, Gujarat Arts & Commerce College (Evening)
and
UGC-HRDC, Gujarat University, Ahmedabad.**

Objective:

The goal of the 30th International Conference is to provide a floor for deliberations on strategies, policies and best practices in Canadian/Indian Studies. The Conference would prove to be a boon to academicians, researchers, executives, professionals, students and many others. This Conference will provide a platform to discuss strengths, weakness, opportunities and threats involved in sustainability of innovation in Canadian Studies. This Conference will be a forum for

About the Conference:

Conference Dates:
25-27 March 2017

Website:
<http://www.councilofresearch.org>

Venue:
Gujarat Arts & Commerce College
(Evening), Ahmedabad

Organizers:
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Conference registration link:
<http://www.councilofresearch.org/conference/>

Conference Themes:
Imagi/Nation: India/Canada Past, Present and Future

Possible topics might include:

- Nation and commemoration
- Nation-building and legislation
- Mapping the nation
- National identity/ies
- Trans-national relations
- The eco-nation
- The future of nationhood (Re)imagining the nation
- English language teaching in India
- English language teaching in Canada
- Higher Education and Public Policy: Canada/India
- Gender, Literary, Diasporic and Culture Studies: The Canadian/Indian Context
- Marginalized/Subaltern Cultures & voices: Canada/India
- Bilateral Trade, Policies and Partnerships : Canada/India
- Cultures and Literatures in Curriculum: The Indo-Canadian Perspective
- Ecology, Biodiversity, Environment: Canada/India
- Power Sector Reforms: Canada/India
- Multiculturalism and Globalization: Canada/India
- Canada/India: Music, Sports and Tourism
- Cultural Spaces in India/Canada
- Government Policies: India/Canada
- Building Bridges through literature, art, culture and films :India/Canada
- Digital media and digital literacy: India/Canada
- Impact of Social Media: India/Canada
- National security and terrorism
- Environmental issues
- Globalization of Medical Tourism and Healthcare
- Multilingualism, Multiculturalism and Global identity
- Hotel Management
- Water Management
- Nano Technology
- Mathematical linguistics
- Ethnolinguistics, Biolinguistics
- Trade and Commerce
- Resource Management and Sustainable Development
- Global warming and Mitigation Strategies
- Sustainable Energy, Waste Management.
- India - Canada partnership in Higher Education
- India - Canada collaboration in Science, Mass Media
- Fresh insights in to software & hardware for the global audience

Conference Description:

We invite teachers, researchers, administrators, policy makers, students, artists, language educators, librarians and others to join us to connect with like-minded individuals to learn about current trends, and to grow as a member of a global community of people committed to advancement. The primary aim of this International Conference is to encourage participants representing an exciting diversity of countries, cultures, and religions to meet and exchange ideas, practices and views in a forum encouraging respectful dialogue.

Call for Papers:

We are calling for the submission of abstracts/full papers related to but not limited to the topics listed below. Abstracts will go through a rigorous review process by our Conference Committee. Submissions will be reviewed on a rolling basis, and authors will be typically notified within two weeks with a decision. Please email us at councilofresearch1@gmail.com with any questions you may have about the abstract submission process. We look forward to your submissions and hope to see you in the multinational city of India in March!

The conference will explore the multiple facets – literary, artistic, film studies, diasporic, political, economic, cultural, national, management, educational, technical, technological, logical, scientific, documentation, historical, geographical, linguistic of India/Canada as a nation defined not only by its past and present but also by a future conceived through diverse and ever-evolving representations of that past.

IMPORTANT DATES

Conference Dates:

25-27 March 2017

Deadline for Registration:

15 March 2017

Deadline for Abstract Submission:

14 March 2017

REGISTRATION FEES

Non IACS Members:

Early Bird (On or before 15-3-2017) : **2500**

Regular Registration Fees: 3000

Foreign Participants: \$250

Registration fees include conference attendance, dinner (25 & 26 March 17) and lunch (26 & 27 March 17), Conference Kit etc.

For the life member of IACS:

Early Bird (On or before 15-3-2017) : **2000**

Regular Registration Fees: 2500

Foreign Participants: \$200

(All the life members of IACS will be paid one way III AC train fare of the shortest route on the production of ticket)

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ABSTRACT SUBMISSION:

Abstracts will be peer-reviewed by our Conference Committee. Researchers /Authors are invited to submit their abstracts in English on councilofresearch1@gmail.com the final deadline of March 14, 2017.

PAPER PUBLICATION OPPORTUNITIES:

Selected papers that meet the requirements set by the organising committee will be published in the **Towards Excellence** a journal of UGC HRDC, Gujarat University. Papers must be submitted on or before March 24, 2017.

SUBMISSION OF PAPER:

Only papers prepared in MS word format will be accepted. MLA 7th edition documentation style is to be followed for the papers.

Note: Violations of any of the above specifications may result in rejection of your paper.

ACCOMMODATION:

For accommodation charges and other related queries contact us on councilofresearch1@gmail.com

Only online payment is acceptable. After the completion of transfer of the payment, please scan the copy of receipt and send it via email with your details to councilofresearch1@gmail.com

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