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DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

EDITORIAL

This month has been rewarding for the Department of English as we showcased the vibrant initiatives of our specialised academic centres – the Centre for Australian Studies, the Centre for Scottish Studies, and the Centre for Peace and Ethics in the Age of AI.

A key highlight of the month was the participation of eminent scholars who delivered insightful lectures and engaged in stimulating discussions.

In addition to these academic endeavours, the Department, in collaboration with the Institution's Innovation Council (IIC), organised a resrach and career counselling workshop aimed at guiding students toward diverse professional and academic pathways, reinforcing the department's commitment to holistic development.

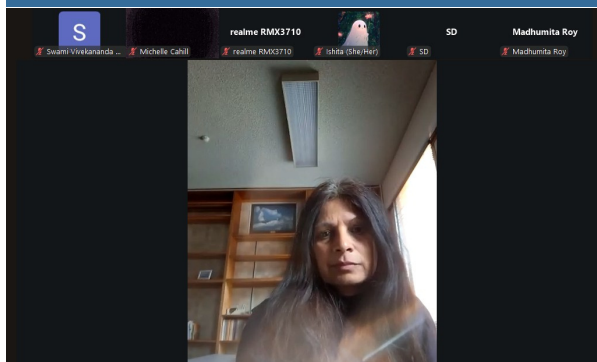
The **Centre for Australian Studies** continued its lecture series for the certificate programme with an illuminating session by renowned Australian author and poet Michel Cahill. Her lecture, titled "Place, Time, Fragmentation and the Writing Life," offered an engaging exploration of how spatiality, temporality, and fragmented narratives shape the creative and autobiographical process. Drawing from her own literary practice and broader philosophical contexts, she provided profound insights into the intersections of identity, memory, and artistic expression. The session offered students an enriching academic experience and deepened their understanding of contemporary Australian literature and life writing.

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CENTRE FOR AUSTRALIAN STUDIES

Three-month Certificate Course

Topic: Place, Time, Fragmentation and the Writing Life



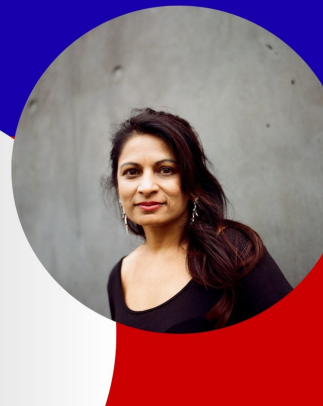
Lecture IX

MICHELLE CAHILL

Australian Author and
Honorary, Department of English and
Creative Writing
The University of Tasmania

DT: 12.09.2025

TIME: 11:00 AM (IST)



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Entrepreneurship and Research Opportunities for Social Science:
THE FUTURE PATHWAYS

in collaboration with
Department of Language, Literature and Cultural Studies, SVU

Program Date
8th September, 2025

Time
02:00-04:00 PM

Room No.
NND 312

Sauraveswar Sen
Founder, Catalyst Learning Services (Estd. 2011), Visiting mentor - TISS, CU, St Xavier's Mumbai

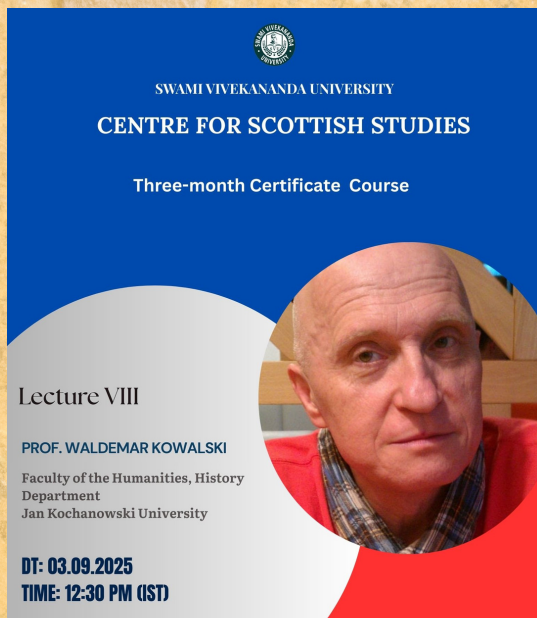


The Institution's Innovation Council (IIC), Swami Vivekananda University, in collaboration with the Department of English, organised a workshop titled "Entrepreneurship and Research Opportunities for Social Sciences: The Future Pathways." The session was led by Mr. Sauraveswar Sen, Founder of Catalyst Learning Services, who shared valuable insights on innovation, research potential, and career prospects in the social sciences. The workshop encouraged participants to think beyond conventional academic boundaries and explore entrepreneurial avenues that integrate creativity, research, and social impact.

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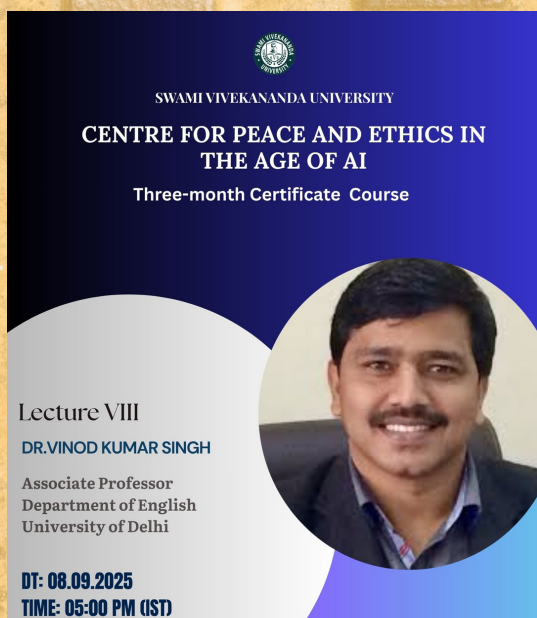
Three-month Certificate Course

Lecture VIII

PROF. WALDEMAR KOWALSKI
Faculty of the Humanities, History
Department
Jan Kochanowski University

DT: 03.09.2025
TIME: 12:30 PM (IST)

The Centre for Scottish Studies continued its certificate programme with a special address by Prof. Waldemar Kowalski from Jan Kochanowski University, Poland. In his engaging lecture, Prof. Kowalski shared valuable insights into Scottish history, culture, and identity, enriching participants' understanding of Scotland's literary and cultural heritage. The session added great depth to the ongoing programme and fostered meaningful academic exchange between international scholars and students.



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CENTRE FOR PEACE AND ETHICS IN
THE AGE OF AI

Three-month Certificate Course

Lecture VIII

DR. VINOD KUMAR SINGH
Associate Professor
Department of English
University of Delhi

DT: 08.09.2025
TIME: 05:00 PM (IST)

The Centre for Peace and Ethics in the Age of AI Continues Its Certificate Program

The Centre for Peace and Ethics in the Age of AI continued its ongoing Certificate Program with a series of insightful lectures delivered by eminent academicians and scholars. Distinguished speakers included Dr. Vinod Kumar Singh from the University of Delhi, Dr. Madhumita Roy from Swami Vivekananda University, and Dr. Balaji Shelke, among others.

The sessions explored the intersections of ethics, technology, and human values in the contemporary AI-driven world, fostering meaningful dialogue and interdisciplinary engagement among participants.