Department of Sociology, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi, Delhi 110007

Research Students Seminar 10 June, 2022

Welcome by the Head of Department, Department of Sociology

10:00 am – 11:10 am Chair: Dr. Tila Kumar

Nishaa Ghosh A discourse of sexuality in India- the State, Gatekeepers and Adolescents Sameer Sagar Life Within & Outside the Gates: A Sociological Study of Gated Communities

10:40 – 10:50 Discussant Prof. Anuja Agrawal (Department of Sociology)

10:50 -11:10 Discussion

11:10 - 11:50

Chair: Dr. Sunil Babu

Areeb Rizvi Contested Terrains of the Practice of *Fatwa*: Limits of the 'Discursive

Tradition' Framework

Amit Kayal *Jatra*: A sociological inquiry of the popular folk theatre culture of Bengal and the 'voice' of the masses

11:50-12:00 Discussant Prof. Roma Chatterji, Department of Sociology (Retd)

12:00-12:20 Discussion

12:20 - 1:30 pm

Chair: Dr. Tila Kumar

Shenganglu Kamei. Revisiting Political Motherhood

Rajashree Chowdhury. Beyond Representations: Exploring maternities of marginal mothers in India

1:00 – 1:10 pm Discussant Prof. Rajni Palriwala, Department of Sociology (Retd)

1:10 - 1: 30 Discussion

1:30 - 2:30 Lunch

2:30 - 3:40

Chair: Dr. Vikramendra Kumar

Mayur Kudupale "Backwardness' as a category: Formation and Differences in Colonial India Seema Mahi Caste and inequality among Punjabi Diaspora in Canada

3:10pm – 3:20pm Discussant Prof. Nandini Sunder, Department of Sociology

3:20 – 3:40 pm Discussion

3:40pm - 5:20

Chair: Prof. Janaki Abraham

Akashleena Basu Cheap hands, Dear life: A Butcher's Tale

Kundan Sen A discursive analysis of emergent artificial intelligence

Helal Shah Exploring contemporary fitness culture with reference to modern Yoga

4:40 – 4:55 Discussant Prof. Satish Deshpande (Department of Sociology)

4:44 – 5: 20 Discussion