OHASA Schedule

DAY I (25.02.19)
(All timings are given in IST)

Inaugural Session		
9:30	Principal, Dr. Subhankar Tripathi, Sarsuna College	Welcome Address
9:35	Prof. P.M. Shafiqul Islam, Chairperson, Department of Bangla, Rajshahi University	Address by international collaborator of OHASA
9:40	Prof. Mita Banerjee, Ex Vice-chancellor, West Bengal University of Teachers' Training, Education Planning and Administration	Inaugural lecture
10:10	Prof. Saikat Maitra, Vice-chancellor, Maulana Abul Kalam Azad University of Technology, West Bengal	Keynote Address
Academic Session I	**Chair – Prof Mita Banerjee**	
11:10	Dr. Tirthankar Ghosh, Assistant Professor, Department of Statistics, Visva-bharati	Student Evaluation using online aid
11:50	Prof Amitabh Dasgupta, HOD of Journalism, Symbiosis Centre for Media and Communication, A constituent of the Symbiosis International University, Pune	TBA
12:30	Mr. Biswajit Saha, Deputy Librarian, IIM, Kolkata	Web based tools: Emerging Paradigms in the field of Academic Research
1:10	**Lunch break**	
Discussion I		
1:30	Panel discussion: Artificial Intelligence in Higher Education – Future and Prospects" Panelists Dr. Amit Chaudhuri, Associate Director, CDAC and Asok Bandyopadhyay, Joint Director CDAC **Moderated by Prof. Niladri Shekhar Dash**	
Academic session II	**Chair – Dr. Amit Chaudhuri**	
2:30	Dr. Niladri Shekhar Dash, Associate Professor, Linguistic Research Unit, ISI	Digitisation of Folk Texts
3:10	Prof. P.M. Shafiqul Islam, Chairperson, Department of Bangla, Rajshahi University	The Gradual Change in the Study of Bengali Language in Bangladesh".
3:50	Dr. Pooja K. Singh, Assistant Prof, Faculty of Commerce and Management Studies, Sri Sri University, Odisha	Digitisation, Knowledge Conversion and Outcome
4:10	Smt. Kusumita Datta, Assistant Prof in English, Behala College	Digital education of Martyrdom in Bangladesh

DAY II (26.02.19)

Special Lecture		
10:00 am	Prof. Dipesh Chakrabarty, Lawrence A. Kimpton Distinguished Service Professor of History, South Asian Languages And Civilizations, And The College, University of Chicago Chair – Prof. Lipi Ghosh, Prof & Head of the Dept. of South and South Asian Studies, University of Calcutta	Humanities in the Age of Big Data: Some Thoughts and Conjectures
Academic Session III	**Chair –Dr. Abhijit Gupta**	
11:00 am	Dr. Rahul K. Gairola, Krishna Somers Lecturer in English and Postcolonial Literature and Fellow of the Asia Research Centre, Murdoch University, Western Australia	Postcolonial Digital Humanities: The Intersection of Humanistic Inquiry, Technology, and Historical Power Relations
11:40 am	Prof. Bashabi Fraser, Prof and Director, Scottish Centre of Tagore Studies, Edinburgh Napier University	The significance of postcolonial studies in Indian classrooms today. (recorded lecture)
11:55	Dr. Iman Kalyan Lahiri, Associate Professor, International Relations and Political Science, Jadavpur University	**TBA**
Academic Session IV	**Chair - Dr. Iman Kalyan Lahiri**	
12:35	Dr. Atanu Saha, School of Language and Linguistics, Jadavpur University	Benefits of the Multilingual and Multicultural Educational System in the Northeast.
1:00	Dr. Raghav Sharma, Asso. Prof and Asst. Dean, Centre for Afghanistan Studies, School of International Affairs O.P Jindal Global University	The Changing Landscape of Higher Education in Afghanistan
1:20	**Lunch Break**	
Academic Session V	**Chair - Dr. Indrani Nath**	
2:00	Dr. Manasi Thapliyal Navani and Dr. Praveen Singh, School of Education, Ambedkar University, Delhi	Innovation and Entrepreneurship in Indian HE
2:20	Dr. Nivedita Sarkar, School of Education, Ambedkar University, Delhi	How much Households spend on Higher Education: Unpacking Implications on Participation
Discussion II		

2:45	Dr. Abhijit Gupta, Department of English, Jadavpur University in conversation with Dr. Padmini Ray Murray, Design Beku; Digital Consultant, Two Centuries of Indian Print Topic - "Two Centuries of Indian Print: Issues and Challenges".	
3:50	**Valedictory**	