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on

In Search of Roots: Folklore, Theory and Applications

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Concept Note

"In Search of Roots: Folklore, Theory and Applications"

If we peep into the theme we may say that in recent times, many scholars have started working on folklore and conduct fieldwork to gather information from the indigenous communities. As a result, some parts of the oral traditions of different indigenous communities have been documented and preserved. However, it is felt that the research needs more theoretical underpinnings, some researchers are being completely influenced by Eurocentric theories and thoughts, and some are not adhering to any particular theory or methodology. To work on different indigenous communities, one has to carry out proper fieldwork in order to collect data. The method of data collection and elicitation techniques also varies. What would be the proper method of data collection and elicitation? What kind of theories one might embark upon? Whether Eurocentric theories or the theories should emerge from its roots where the communities exist? This three-day webinar will try to explore some of the aspects of Folkloristic traditions, and how one can reach out to the roots, to the history, to the socio-dynamics of the peoples and the communities through the intense study of Folklore and folkloristic traditions.



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