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**August 22, 2022**

**Inauguration by the Vice Chancellor**

9.30 am

DAY-1	Lecture	Topic	Faculty
	<b>LECTURE #1</b> 11.30-12.30	The Genesis of a Country: How did Spain Become a Nation?	H.E. Mr. José Ramón Barañano
	<b>LECTURE #2</b> 2.00-3.00	Spain: a country with rich and ancient culture & history.	Prof. Rajiv Saxena
	<b>LECTURE #3</b> 3.00-4.00	Past events that determine present reality.	Prof. Jorge Cabeza Miranda
	<b>LECTURE #4</b> 4.00-5.00	Democracy or post-democracy?	Dr. Murad Khan
	<b>Discussion-1</b> 5.00-6.00	Wrap-up Discussion	

**August 23, 2022**

DAY-2	Lecture	Topic	Faculty
	<b>LECTURE #5</b> 10.30-11.30	La cultura islámica en España	Dr. Oscar Pujol
	<b>LECTURE #1</b> 12.00-1.00	A political journey through the 21st century in Spain.	Dr. Murad Khan
	<b>LECTURE #1</b> 2.00-3.00	Identity and tradition from different perspectives.	Prof. Minni Sawhney
	<b>LECTURE #1</b> 3.00-4.00	Spain: conservative or progressive?	Prof. Jorge Cabeza Miranda
	<b>Discussion-2</b> 4.00-5.00	Wrap-up Discussion	



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## August 24, 2022

DAY-3	Lecture	Topic	Faculty
	LECTURE #9 10-11	Introducing El Cid	Prof. Minni Sawhney
	LECTURE #10 11.30-12.30	The role of emigration.	Prof. Jorge Cabeza Miranda
	LECTURE #11 2-3	Economic crisis in Spain: Reasons and Consequences:	Prof. Jorge Cabeza Miranda
	LECTURE #12 3-4	Some fundamental problems in the Spanish economy	Dr. Murad Khan
	Discussion-3 4-5	Wrap-up Discussion	

## August 25, 2022

DAY-2	Lecture	Topic	Faculty
	LECTURE #13 10-11	Women and society in contemporary Spain. Empowerment and barriers.	Prof. Jorge Cabeza Miranda
	LECTURE #14 11.30-12.30	Spain's long economic nightmare 2008-2014	Prof. Jorge Cabeza Miranda
	LECTURE #15 2.00-3.00	sustainability of Spain and its relationship with European Union	Dr. Murad Khan
	LECTURE #16 3.00-4.00	New voices in the Spanish literature	Dr. Murad Khan
	Discussion-4 4.00-5.00	Wrap-up Discussion	

## August 26, 2022

DAY-5	Lecture	Topic	Faculty
	LECTURE -17 10-11	Connections between cinema and Spanish literature	Prof. Jorge Cabeza Miranda
	LECTURE -18 11.30-12.30	Traditional and avant-garde cuisine. Gastronomic tourism in Spain	Dr. Murad Khan
	LECTURE -19 2-3	Architecture: local and global. The Iberian footprint.	Dr. Murad Khan
	LECTURE -20 3-4	An Olympic country. Sport as a hallmark.	Prof. Jorge Cabeza Miranda
	Discussion-5 4-5	Exam	





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## August 29, 2022

DAY-6	Lecture	Topic	Faculty
	<b>LECTURE #21</b> 10-11	Latin American Immigration to Spain	Ambassador of Mexico to India
	<b>LECTURE #22</b> 11.30-12.30	Understanding the paradigms of social adjustments of Latin American populace in the Spanish society	Dr. Murad Khan
	<b>LECTURE #23</b> 2-3	Linguistic clash of Spanish spoken in America and Spain.	Jorge Miranda
	<b>Discussion-6</b> 3-4	Wrap-up Discussion	

## August 30, 2022

DAY-7	Lecture	Topic	Faculty
	<b>LECTURE #24</b> 10-11	Cataluña and it's history	Prof. Gonzal Lopez Nadal University of Barcelona, Cataluña
	<b>LECTURE #25</b> 11.30-12.30	Secessionism in Catalonia: need for a political referendum?	Jorge Miranda
	<b>LECTURE #26</b> 2.00-3.00	Spanish and catalán: understanding two societies on the basis of linguistic differences.	Dr. Murad Khan
	<b>Discussion-7</b> 3.00-4.00	Wrap-up Discussion	

## August 31, 2022

DAY-8	Lecture	Topic	Faculty
	<b>LECTURE - 27</b> 10-11	Challenges in Contemporary Spain	Prof. Rajiv Saxena, JNU
	<b>LECTURE - 28</b> 11.30-12.30	Spain's Demographic Challenges & the Need for Pension Reform.	Ash. Narain Roy, Director, Institute of Social Sciences, New Delhi
	<b>LECTURE - 29</b> 2-3	Major crisis in Spain: tackling privatisation of education and unemployment	Jorge Miranda
	<b>Discussion-8</b> 3-4	Exam	

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