

## Reflections on the Impact of Pandemics on People, Places and Communities: A Social Science Interdisciplinary Conference

We would like to invite interdisciplinary papers from a wide range of social science disciplines that focus on how Covid-19 and similar pandemics had affected communities in India and abroad. Examples of papers can include the effect of the pandemics on migrants who travel to other states for seasonal work and similar types of work in other industries and higher skilled migrants who work in tech industry, call centers, among others. Papers can also focus on people in the state who travel regularly for work to urban locations (salons; health industry; domestic work; tech work etc.), the impact on local communities, and how groups organized to deal with such crises. Within the theme, papers can focus on gender, caste, religion, and disability using an intersectional lens.

### LOCATION

Loreto College  
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### DATE

July 26<sup>th</sup> 2023

**SEND ABSTRACTS BY MAY 31<sup>ST</sup>,  
2023:**

[Pandemic23conference@gmail.com](mailto:Pandemic23conference@gmail.com) of no more than 200 words that includes: Title, methods used, theoretical framework (if applicable), and up-to 5 keywords. Submission should include author/s full name, affiliation, address, website (if available) and email contact/s.

Decisions on conference participation by June 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023