



**DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY
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The Department of History, Vidya-Bhavana, Visva-Bharati, is happy to announce that a Two-Day National Conference on “**Biography as History**” will be held at the Lipika Auditorium on 05.03.2025 (Wednesday) & Bhasha-Vidya Building Complex on 06.03.2025 (Thursday).

The Keynote Address will be delivered by Prof. Sanjay Garg and the Valedictory Lecture will be delivered by Prof. Bhaskar Chakraborty, while many distinguished academics—namely, Prof. Sajal Nag, Sri Suman Mukhopadhyay and Prof. Madhuja Mukherjee—will deliver special lectures during the Conference. Eminent theatre practitioner and a performance storyteller Vikram Sridhar will lead a storytelling session at the Padma Bhavana premises in the evening of 05.03.2025.

Many esteemed faculty members, independent researchers and Ph.D. scholars from all over India will deliver lectures at this Conference.
You are cordially invited to attend.

Please find the Programme Schedule of the Conference overleaf.

Dr Atig Ghosh
Joint-Convener
“Biography as History”
Two-Day National Conference

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Dr Subhayu Chattopadhyay
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Programme

Venue: Lipika Auditorium

05.03.2025 (Wednesday)	❖ Inaugural Session	02:00 P.M.–02:30 P.M.
	❖ Keynote Address	02:30 P.M.–03:15 P.M.
	❖ Tea Break	03:15 P.M.–03:30 P.M.
	❖ Special Lecture – I	03:30 P.M.–04:15 P.M.
	❖ Technical Session – I	04:15 P.M.–06:15 P.M.

Venue: Padma Bhavana Complex

❖ Storytelling by Vikram Sridhar	07:00 P.M.–08:15 P.M.
❖ Dinner	08:30 P.M. Onwards

Venue: Bhasha-Vidya Building Complex

06.03.2025 (Thursday)	❖ Special Lecture – II	10:00 A.M.–10:45 A.M.
	❖ Special Lecture – III	10:45 A.M.–11:30 A.M.
	❖ Tea Break	11:30 A.M.–12:00 P.M.
	❖ Technical Session – II	12:00 P.M.–01:30 P.M.
	❖ Lunch	01:30 P.M.–02:30 P.M.
	❖ Technical Session – III	02:30 P.M.–04:30 P.M.
	❖ Valedictory Session & Vote of Thanks	04:45 P.M.–06:00 P.M.

- *There will be parallel technical sessions.*
- *Certificates will be issued to the presenters and resource persons after the formal vote of thanks.*