

PROGRAMME

9th December 2016 Friday

Venue: School of Pure and Applied Physics Conference Hall

(9.30 am – 10.00 am)

Registration & Reception

(10.00 am – 11.30 am)

Inaugural Function

Chair : **Dr. Sheena Shukkur**

Hon'ble Pro-Vice- Chancellor, M.G University

Inaugural Address : **Dr. Babu Sebastian,**

Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, M.G University

Key Note Address : **Mrs. Madhurkankana Roy,**

Regional Officer, ICCR, Trivandrum

Felicitation : **Dr. Saju K.K.,**

Director, International Relations & Academic Administration, CUSAT

: **Mr. Sharafudeen K,** Syndicate Member

: **Dr. A.M Thomas,**

H.O.D, School of International Relations & Politics

: **Dr. K. Indulekha,** H.O.D, School of Pure & Applied Physics

(11.30 am – 1.00 pm)

Presentation & Discussion on

“Global Education: Opportunities and Challenges in Kerala”

: **Dr. Raju Thadikkaran,** Former Director, UCIC

(1.00 pm – 2.00 pm)

Lunch Break

(2.00 pm – 3.00 pm)

Campus Walk (visiting departments)

(3.00 pm – 4.00 pm)

Interaction & Experience Sharing

(5.00 pm – 6.30 pm)

Socio-Cultural Programmes

(Participants are welcome to perform or showcase any kind of cultural activity)

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS AND RESEARCH SCHOLARS MEET

Celebrating Cultural and Social Diversity



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Organized by

**University Centre for International Co-operation (UCIC)
Mahatma Gandhi University**

In Association with

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THEME OF THE MEETING

“Education is a Social Process” Vygotsky. As you have had various experiences and knowledge regarding global education in general and Education in Kerala in particular, all the participants will be expected to actively Participate in sharing their real life experience concerning opportunities and challenges of Education in Kerala.

Dear Colleagues /Friends,

University Centre for International Co-operation (UCIC), Mahatma Gandhi University is organizing a One Day Meeting of International Students and Research Scholars in Kerala on Friday, 9 December 2016, at School of Pure and Applied Physics Conference Hall, in association with Indian Council for Cultural Relations (ICCR), Thiruvananthapuram.

You are cordially invited to attend the Program.

Dr. Sajimon Abraham
Hon. Director

Coordinators

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Mahatma Gandhi University has established University Centre for International Cooperation (UCIC) as an integral part of the interdisciplinary convergence academia centre during 2010. The central objective of the UCIC has been to explore the ways and means that shall facilitate collaborative teaching, research and outreach programmes with reputed institutions from abroad. Since its establishment 47 international students of which one is post doctoral and two are Ph.D research scholars have been admitted to Mahatma Gandhi University.

Envisioning the ancient ideals of “Vasudeva Kutumkam”, ISM (International Students’ Meet) was planned in collaboration with ICCR as a platform for students across the globe to interact with MGUIans , sharing their cultural insights and technological advances as well as competing to prove their might. It helps in giving the students a global outlook, making them aware of their culture in lieu with others and imbibing in them a spirit of righteous competition. The programme will trigger radical thinking and invigorate the fresh minds to break traditions and carve out a path of their own. It also open up the facilities and environments of M.G University Campus to global students so as to encourage more International Students to come over in this God’s own country and the land of letters, lakes and latex

