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Name of the Department/Society: History Society

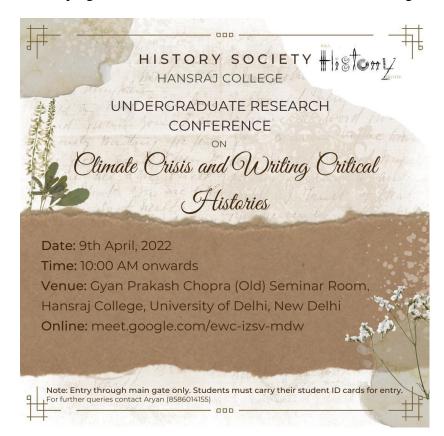
Name of the Extended Activity 2: UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH CONFERENCE ON

'CLIMATE CRISIS AND WRITING CRITICAL

HISTORIES'

Date of the Event: 9th April 2022

The History Society of Hans Raj College organized its Undergraduate Research Conference for 2022 on 9th April. The conference was held in hybrid-mode. The conference was presided over by Dr. Justin Matthew and Mr. Nirmal Kumar. Central theme for the conference was "Climate crisis and writing critical histories".. The first session, *Colonialism and Climate Change* was chaired by Shiuli Sural .This was followed by research papers on the topic **Literature and Climate**, chaired by Ritika Patel, focusing on the interrelationship between climate and literary culture of diverse communities. In the third session of the conference, chaired by Shreshtha Pandey, rapidly growing market economy and challenges associated with the present mode of organizing transactions were discussed under the title **Neo Liberal Capitalism and State.** The papers discussed a wide range of issues spanning from politics and planning to consumerism. The final session, chaired by Samarth Singh Chandel, was titled **Challenging Anthropocentrism.** Post the conclusion of the session, Dr. Justin Matthew gave the concluding note, on how environmental history has been overlooked by many, while it plays an indispensable role in shaping the world as we see it. It indeed was an enriching session.





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