

# Evaluative Report of the Department

1. Name of the Department

Nehru Studies Centre

2. Year of establishment

2008

3. Is the Department part of a School/Faculty of the university?

Yes, Nehru Studies Centre is a part of Faculty of Social Science

4. Names of programmes offered

Center is not offering any teaching programme to the students. This center is only facilitating research activities.

5. Interdisciplinary programmes and departments involved

Center is not running any interdisciplinary programmes at present and no faculty of any other department is involved in the programmes run by this department.

6. Courses in collaboration with other universities, industries, foreign institutions, etc.

Center is not running any teaching programmes. However several activities to promote students to work in this area are organized with the help of UGC & University.

7. Details of programmes discontinued, if any, with reasons

No programme has been discontinued during 2009-15.

8. Examination System: Annual/ Semester/ Trimester/ Choice Based Credit System

Center is not running any teaching programmes. It is a Research Centre.

9. Participation of the department in the courses offered by other departments

Faculty members of this department are not involved in the programmes run by other department.

10. Number of teaching posts sanctioned, filled and actual (Professors/ Associate Professors/ Asst. Professors/ others)

No teaching position has been sanctioned to this center. Director of this center is having additional charge.

11. Faculty profile with name, qualification, designation, area of specialization, experience and research under guidance

Following is the details of faculty in this department:

Name	Qualification	Designation	Specialization	No. of Years of Experience	No. of Ph.D. M. Phil. students guided for the last 4 years
Dr. Rajesh Kumar Sharma	M.A., M. Phil., Ph.D., L.L.B.	Director, NSC	Indian Political Thought (Gandhi & Nehru), Human Rights.	15 Years	01

12. List of senior Visiting Fellows, adjunct faculty, emeritus professors

No senior Visiting Fellows, Adjunct Faculty, Emeritus Professors visited this department during 2009– 14. However following eminent persons are involved in various programmes for the past five years:

- Prof. Chandrakala Padia, Dean, Faculty of Social Science, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi (UP)
- Prof. M.L. Sharma, Faculty of Social Science, Chandigarh University, Chandigarh.
- Dr. Chung Sik Yong (Korea), Chairman, Universal Peace Federation of Asia
- Ms. Sreerupa Mitra Chaudhary, Chairperson, Women's Federation for World Peace, India
- Prof. K.L. Sharma, Retd. Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur
- Prof. H.K.Sharma, Director, Academic Staff College, Allahabad University, Allahabad.
- Dr. Robert Kittel (America), Director, Peace Education, UPF, Asia

13. Percentage of classes taken by temporary faculty programme-wise information  
NIL

14. Programme-wise Student Teacher Ratio  
Center does not running any teaching programme.

15. Number of academic support staff (technical) and administrative staff: sanctioned, filled and actual:

Following is the position of ministerial, technical staff and lab bearers:

	Sanctioned	Filled	Actual
<b>Technical</b>	---	---	---
<b>Administrative</b>	---	---	---
<b>Others</b>	01	01	01
<b>Peon</b>	01	01	01
<b>Computer Operator</b>			

16. Research thrust areas as recognized by major funding agencies

No thrust area is recognized by any major funding agencies.

17. Number of faculty with ongoing projects from a) national b) international funding agencies and c) Total grants received. Give the names of the funding agencies, project title and grants received project-wise.

No faculty member is associated with this center except its Director.

18. Inter-institutional collaborative projects and associated grants received

a) National collaboration

NIL

b) International collaboration

NIL

19. Departmental projects funded by DST-FIST; UGC-SAP/ CAS, DPE; DBT, ICSSR, AICTE, etc.; total grants received.

Center did not receive any such project during 2009 – 15.

20. Research facility/ center with

- state recognition

NIL

- national recognition

NIL

- international recognition

NIL

21. Special research laboratories sponsored by/ created by industry or corporate bodies

NIL

22. Publications:

- \* Number of papers published in peer reviewed journals (national/international)

NIL

- \* Monographs

NIL

- \* Chapters in Books  
NIL
- \* Edited Books  
NIL
- \* Books with ISBN with details of publishers  
NIL
- \* Number listed in International Database (For *e.g.* Web of Science, Scopus, Humanities International Complete, Dare Database - International Social Sciences Directory, EBSCO host, etc.)  
NIL
- \* Citation Index – range/ average  
NIL
- \* SNIP  
NIL
- \* SJR  
NIL
- \* Impact Factor – range/ average  
NIL
- \* h-index  
NIL

23. Details of patents and income generated

No patent has been registered by any faculty member of this department.

24. Areas of consultancy and income generated

NIL

25. Faculty selected nationally/ internationally to visit other laboratories/ institutions/ industries in India and abroad:

NIL

26. Faculty serving in

- a) National committees b) International committees c) Editorial Boards d) any other (please specify):

No faculty member is associated with this center except its Director.

27. Faculty recharging strategies (UGC, ASC, Refresher/ orientation programs, workshops, training programs and similar programs).

Center has not organized any faculty recharge programme during 2009-15.

28. Student projects

- percentage of students who have done in-house projects including interdepartmental projects

NIL

- percentage of students doing projects in collaboration with other universities/ industry/ institute

NIL

29. Awards/ recognitions received at the national and international level by

- Faculty

NIL

- Doctoral/ post-doctoral fellows

NIL

- Students

NIL

30. Seminars/ Conferences/ Workshops organized and the source of funding (national/ international) with details of outstanding participants, if any.

Center has organized following 05 programmes during 2009-14:

- National Seminar on “Female Foeticide & Gender Violence: The Human Rights Perspective” was held on 11<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> August, 2012 sponsored by the National Commission for Women, New Delhi
- National Workshop on “Value Education in 21<sup>st</sup> Century and Human Rights” was held on 27<sup>th</sup> October to November 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2012 sponsored by the UGC, New Delhi.
- National Workshop on “Human Rights in 21<sup>st</sup> Century: Challenges & Prospects” was held on 8<sup>th</sup> December, 2012 sponsored by the State Human Rights Commission, Jaipur.
- National Symposia on “Human Trafficking: A Violation of Human Rights” was held on 22-23 December, 2012 sponsored by the UGC, New Delhi.
- National Conference on “Honour Killing: The Mind & The Mind Set: Challenges & Remedies” was held on 12-13 January, 2013 sponsored by the National Commission for Women, New Delhi.

31. Code of ethics for research followed by the departments :

Codes of ethics for research are followed as per UGC and University of Rajasthan norms.

32. Student profile programme-wise:

Center is not running any teaching programme.

Name of the Programme	Applications received	Selected		Pass percentage	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL

33. Diversity of students

Center is not running any teaching programme.

Name of the Programme	% of students from the same university	% of students from other universities within the State	% of students from universities outside the State	% of students from other countries
NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL

34. How many students have cleared Civil Services and Defense Services examinations, NET, SET, GATE and other competitive examinations? Give details category-wise.

No student is presently registered at this center.

35. Student progression

Following is the student's progression:

Student progression	Percentage against enrolled
UG to PG	NIL
PG to M. Phil.	NIL
PG to Ph.D.	NIL
Ph.D. to Post-Doctoral	NIL
Employed <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Campus selection</li> <li>• Other than campus recruitment</li> </ul>	NIL
Entrepreneurs	NIL

36. Diversity of staff

Following is the diversity of staff of this department:

Percentage of faculty who are graduates	
of the same university	NIL
from other universities within the State	NIL
from universities from other States	NIL
from universities outside the country	NIL

37. Number of faculty who were awarded M. Phil., Ph.D., D.Sc. and D.Litt. during the assessment period

NIL

38. Present details of departmental infrastructural facilities with regard to

a) Library

The center has its own library that consists of about 97 books and dissertations submitted by the students.

b) Internet facilities for staff and students

Wi-Fi and LAN facilities are provided to all faculty members, research scholars and PG students through University INFONET center

c) Total number of class rooms

Center has one class room.

d) Class rooms with ICT facility

Class room has ICT facility

e) Students' laboratories

Center does not have any Students' laboratories.

f) Research laboratories

Center does not have any research laboratories

39. List of doctoral, post-doctoral students and Research Associates

a) from the host institution/ university

b) from other institutions/ universities

No Student in presently enrolled at this Centre

40. Number of post graduate students getting financial assistance from the university.

No student of this department is getting any financial assistant from university.

41. Was any need assessment exercise undertaken before the development of new programme(s)? If so, highlight the methodology.

No such exercises were undertaken at this center during 2009-15.

42. Does the department obtain feedback from

a. Faculty on curriculum as well as teaching-learning-evaluation? If yes, how does the department utilize the feedback?

Yes, the informal inputs from teachers participating in the activities of this center are obtained during events organized by this center and tries to incorporate their suggestions in organizing next events.

b. Students on staff, curriculum and teaching-learning-evaluation and how does the department utilize the feedback?

No input on faculty and curriculum of this center is obtained. However, informal inputs from students taking part in activities is obtained to design future activities of this center.

c. Alumni and employers on the programmes offered and how does the department utilize the feedback?

NIL

43. List the distinguished alumni of the department

NIL

44. Give details of student enrichment programmes (special lectures/ workshops/ seminar) involving external experts.

Center has organized following special lectures by eminent personalities:

- Extension Lecture by Sh. Mahendra Kumawat, Vice-Chancellor, Sardar Patel Police University, Jodhpur on 11.12.2012 at Academic Staff College, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- Extension Lecture by Sh. B. L. Soni, Police Commissioner, Jaipur Police, held on 13.12.2012 at Maharani College, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- Extension Lecture by Sh. B. L. Soni, Police Commissioner, Jaipur Police, held on 14 November, 2012 at Maharaja College, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- “Peace Seminar” held on 2<sup>nd</sup> April, 2013 under the auspices of Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan & South Asia Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- A Special Lecture on “पं. नेहरू का राष्ट्र निर्माण में योगदान” by Prof. Chandrakala Padia, Head & Dean, Faculty of Social Science, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi presently Vice-Chancellor, Maharaja Ganga Singh University, Bikaner held on 25 June, 2013 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- A Seminar on “Food Security and Human Rights” was held on 9 December, 2013 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- A Seminar on “Homosexuality: Legality V/S Morality” (Human Rights Perspective) “समलैंगिकता: वैधता बनाम नैतिकता” (मानवाधिकारवादी परिप्रेक्ष्य)“ was held on 21 December, 2013 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- A Special Lecture on “Nehru an Ideologue” “नेहरू एक विचारक” by Prof. M.L. Sharma, Chandigarh University, Chandigarh held on 06 January, 2014 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- Outdoor Extension Activity: Academic Excursion at Bureau of Parliamentary Studies and Training (BPST), Lok Sabha, Rajya Sabha & Central Hall Parliament



House, New Delhi. Organized by the Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur on 30 April 2014.

- Outdoor Extension Activity: Academic Excursion at Rajasthan Legislative Assembly, Jaipur. Organized by the Nehru Studies Centre & Collaboration with Department of Life Long Learning, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur on 28 July 2014
- A Special Lecture on "जवाहर लाल नेहरू का राजनीतिक चिन्तन: राष्ट्रीय एवं अन्तर्राष्ट्रीय परिप्रेक्ष्य" by Prof. H. K. Sharma, Professor of Political Science, Illahabad University & Director, Academic Staff College, Illahabad held on 27 May, 2014 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- A National Seminar on "भारत की विदेश नीति: निरन्तरता और परिवर्तन" (स्वतंत्रता से वर्तमान तक)" was held on 27 August, 2014 under the auspices of Nehru Studies Centre & P.G. School of Social Science, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- A Special Lecture on "*INDIA AND EMERGING ASIA IN 21<sup>ST</sup> CENTURY*" "21<sup>वीं</sup> सदी में एशिया का अभ्युदय एवं भारत" by Mr. Sitaram Sharma, Chairman of Molana Abul Kalam Azad Institute of Asian Studies (Ministry of Culture, Govt. of India), Kolkota held on 4<sup>th</sup> October, 2014 at Nehru Studies Centre & South Asia Study Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- A Special Lecture on "पं. जवाहर लाल नेहरू: राजनैतिक नेतृत्व के प्रतिमान" (Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru : Paradigm of Political Leadership) by प्रो. एच. के. शर्मा, प्रोफेसर, राजनीति विज्ञान विभाग एवं निदेशक, अकादमिक स्टॉफ कालेज, इलाहाबाद विश्वविद्यालय, इलाहाबाद on 14 November 2014 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- A Special Lecture on "लोकतंत्र का सुदृढीकरण: उभरते सन्दर्भ बदलते आयाम" by Prof. Amarjeet Singh Narang, Professor of Political Science, Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi held on 22 November, 2014 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- Two days Workshop on "भारत में संवैधानिक विकास : स्वतंत्रता से पूर्व एवम् पश्चात" was held on 20-21 December 2014 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- Two days Special Lecture on "National Movement in India: Gandhi, Nehru and Patel" "भारत में राष्ट्रीय आन्दोलन: गांधी, नेहरू एवं पटेल" was held on 31 January 2015 & 01 February 2015 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- A National Workshop on "भारत में सामाजिक न्याय एवम् मानवाधिकार" (Social Justice and Human Rights in India) was held on 12 February 2015 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.

- A National Workshop on "21 वीं सदी में भारत की विदेश नीति एवं कूटनीति" (India's Foreign Policy and Diplomacy in 21<sup>st</sup> Century) was held on 4 March 2015 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- A Special Lecture on "भारत की विदेश नीति: सॉफ्ट पॉवर" by Prof. Sanjay Shrivastav, B.H.U. on 9 March 2015 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- A Special Lecture on "भारत-पाक सम्बंध: कश्मीर, परमाणुकरण और आतंकवाद" (Indo-Pak Relations: Kashmir, Nuclearization and Terrorism) on 12 March 2015 by Dr. Happymon Jacob, J.N.U., New Delhi at Nehru Studies Centre & Department of Political Science, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- A Special Lecture on "वैश्विक सुरक्षा: नारीवादी दृष्टि कोण" "Global Security : The Feminist Perspective" by Prof. Chandrakala Padia, V.C. Maharaja Ganga Singh University, Bikaner on 14 March 2015 at Nehru Studies Centre & Department of Political Science, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- A National Workshop on "भारत की विदेश नीति: नेहरू युग से मोदी सरकार तक" was held on 20 March 2015 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- A Special Lecture on "पड़ोसी राष्ट्रों के प्रति भारत की विदेश नीति: दशा एवं दिशा" by Dr. Sanjay Bhardawaj, JNU Delhi was held on 2 April 2015 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- A Special Lecture on "भारतीय राजनीति में उदयीमान प्रवृत्तियां: चुनौतियां एवं सम्भावनाएं" by Prof. Sanjeev Kumar Sharma, Choudhary Charana Singh University, Meeruth (M.P.) was held on 20 April 2015 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- Symposium on "India in the International System: Energy & Security Issues" "अन्तर्राष्ट्रीय व्यवस्था में भारत: ऊर्जा एवं सुरक्षा मुद्दे" by Prof. Dipika Gupta, Vikram University, Ujjain was held on 28 April 2015 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur
- A National Workshop on "दक्षिण एशिया में चीन का बढ़ता प्रभाव और भारत" was held on 18 May 2015 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- A Special Lecture on "पं. जवाहर लाल नेहरू: राजनैतिक नेतृत्व के प्रतिमान" (Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru: Paradigm of Political Leadership) was held on 27 May 2015 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- Symposium on "India-Bangladesh Relations: Modi's Paradigm" "भारत-बांग्लादेश सम्बंध: मोदी परिप्रेक्ष्य" was held on 3 June 2015 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- A Special Lecture on "New Dimensions of Indian Foreign Policy" "भारतीय विदेश नीति के नूतन आयाम" was held on 8 June 2015 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.

- A Special Lecture on “भारत की विदेश नीति एवं सु-शासन” by Prof. Nisha Vashistha, Head, Department of Political Science, Vikaram University, Ujjain was held on 18 June 2015 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- Symposium on “India-China-Bangladesh Relations: New Dimension” “भारत-चीन-बांग्लादेश सम्बंध: नवीन आयाम” was held on 19 June 2015 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- A Special Lecutre on “जम्मू एवं कश्मीर की स्थिति: केन्द्र-राज्य सम्बंधों के विशेष सन्दर्भ में” “Status of Jammu & Kashmir: Special Reference to Centre-State Relations” by Prof. H.K. Sharma, Head, Department of Political Science, Allahabad University was held on 8 July 2015 at Nehru Studies Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.

45. List the teaching methods adopted by the faculty for different programmes.

No teaching programme is currently undergoing at this center.

46. How does the department ensure that programme objectives are constantly met and learning outcomes are monitored?

Center ensures that programme objectives are constantly met through frequent discussion with experts, visiting faculty and students attending activities of this center.

47. Highlight the participation of students and faculty in extension activities.

Presently no student or faculty other than its Director is associated with this center.

48. Give details of “beyond syllabus scholarly activities” of the department.

Center is not organizing any such activity presently.

49. State whether the programme/ department is accredited/ graded by other agencies? If yes, give details.

NO

50. Briefly highlight the contributions of the department in generating new knowledge, basic or applied.

This center is perhaps the only center of this state which is providing research facilities on Nehru and on his thinking. Several rare documents on Nehru are available in this center for the visiting faculty members and students. These documents contribute a lot in understanding the Philosophy and social dimensions of Nehru's thought.

51. Detail five major Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities and Challenges (SWOC) of the department.

Following are major Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities and Challenges of the department:

**Major Strength:**

- औसतन प्रत्येक माह शैक्षणिक गतिविधि का आयोजन
- छात्रों के ज्ञानार्जन हेतु समय-समय पर सेमीनार, वर्कशाप आदि करवाना
- कार्यक्रम हेतु समुचित हॉल (बैठक क्षमता-50) की व्यवस्था

**Weaknesses:**

- फोटोकॉपी मशीन का अभाव
- एल.सी.डी. प्रोजेक्टर का अभाव

**Opportunities:**

- विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग, नई दिल्ली के साथ कार्यक्रम आयोजित करवाना
- राष्ट्रीय महिला आयोग, नई दिल्ली के साथ कार्यक्रम आयोजित करवाना
- राष्ट्रीय मानवाधिकार आयोग के साथ कार्यक्रम आयोजित करवाना
- राज्य मानवाधिकार आयोग के साथ कार्यक्रम आयोजित करवाना
- विश्वविद्यालय के विभिन्न केन्द्रों के साथ कार्यक्रम आयोजित करवाना
- देश के अन्य विश्वविद्यालयों में स्थित नेहरू अध्ययन केन्द्रों के साथ सम्पर्क।

52. Future plans of the department. :-

The following are the programmes which this center is planning to organize for the development of areas though and philosophy

**University Grants Commission, New Delhi (UGC)**

- National Seminar on “Nehru Vision of Asina Unity: Contemporary Relations and the Relevance of his Ideas”
- National Seminar on “Sexual Assault & Human Rights Violations: Role of Society, Government Agencies and Media”.
- National Conference on “Security Forces and Human Rights: Responsibilities, Role and Challenges”.
- Workshop on “Value Education in Democracy and Human Rights”.

➤ **RESEARCH & TRAINING: PROPOSED ACADEMIC COURSES**

- The Centre would also promote research on Nehru. The Centre seeks to provide grants to researchers and faculty members to facilitate research on Nehru and the contemporary relevance of his thought.
- Some key areas of research would be:

- ❖ Nehru's concern for human rights -A reassessment of Nehru's economic vision, particularly in the context of growing economic disparities in India
- ❖ Re-examination of Nehru's role a maker of modern India, especially his role in sustaining and enshrining democratic values and practices.
- ❖ Nehru and Constitution Making
- ❖ Nehru's Views on Education
- ❖ Nehru and Parliamentary Democracy
- ❖ Nehru's commitment to Secularism
- ❖ Nehru and Indian Foreign Policy, Panchsheel and Peaceful Co-existence
- ❖ Nehru's concept of Scientific Temper

### **Academic Tour**

- Academic Excursion at BPST, Lok Sabha & Rajya Sabha in the Parliament House, New Delhi proposed in April-May, 2014.

### **Academic Courses**

- Diploma Course for six months on “Parliamentary Process and Procedure”.
- Research Methodology Course for Ph. D students sponsored by the Indian Council of Social Science (ICSSR).
- “Capacity Building Programme for Faculty in Social Sciences” of two or three weeks
- Certificate Course of three weeks (21 days) on “Human Rights Awareness Programme”

### **Field Action Plan out of the Programme Cost**

- Collection of original materials or to get Photostat of the documents on Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru’s visit in Rajasthan during the Pre-Independence and Post Independence period. In this period a lot of original material is available in Udaipur/ Jodhpur/ Bikaner/ Shekhawati/ Alwar/ Bharatpur regions.

### **Proposed Extension Lectures to be organized on**

- Nehru and India’s Foreign Policy.
- Relevance of Nehru Idea in the Era of Globalization.
- Nehru and Secularism
- Relevance of Nehru ideas in the Era of Globalization
- Nehruvian Democracy
- Nehruvian Socialism
- Nehru and India’s Foreign Policy Continuity and Change
- Nehru & Gandhi
- Nehru, Gandhi & Sardar Patel
- Nehru, Ambedkar and Indian Constitution

- Nehru, Modernization & Development
- Nehru's Vision and 21<sup>st</sup> Century in Indian
- Nehruvian Modernity
- Nehru a Men of Vision

**Other Miscellaneous Activities**

- To provide Nehru writings in Hindi to the students.
- Project work on Panchayat Raj & Parliamentary System.
- To publish a monographs on Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru.
- Publication Proposed for a Research Journal (A Quarterly Bilingual Inter-Disciplinary Journal)