


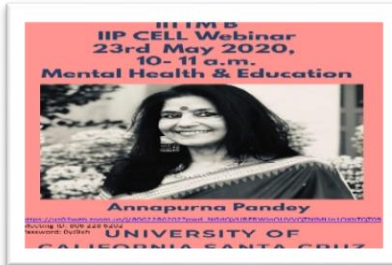







## Web talk series

Date	Topic	Speaker/ Expert	Organisation	Highlights	POSTER
18/4/2020	Threats and Opportunities for Tourism Management Professionals post Covid 19	Mr. Gauri Shankar Jha	Division Head, ZCMMS,Zenith Leisure Holidays LTD	Highlighted all prospective opportunities for the future and stressed on ways of enhancing own capability of dynamic self-management and continual adaptation.	
1/5/2020	Covid 19 and Tourism & Hospitality Industry : Current status and immediate Challenges	Mr Sarath Vivekananda	Visiting Faculty, Central University of Tamil Nadu	Discussed the present situation of Hospitality and Tourism industry and showcased the upcoming challenges of the tourism sector in India and abroad .	
4/5/2020	Post Covid Scenario in Tourism : Crisis Management	Ms Purvi Das	Business Travel Consultant,BCD Travel LLC ,Dubai	Shared first-hand experience on how the challenges in tourism industry have been handled by the tourism organisations in Middle East and what measures have been taken for crisis management.	

6/5/2020	Tourism Opportunities - Pre and Post Covid19	Mr.Prakash Khanal	Tourism Product Development South Central Zone IRCTC.	Showcased the Tourism prospects and how it could survive the current setback with special reference to IRCTC, pre and post Covid scenario.	
11/5/2020	Destinations, Stay-at-Home vacations and life in US in the Covid19	Mrs. Pratyasha Dash	Artist and Cultural Event Organizer, Brandon, Florida, USA.	Highlighted how people in the US are rethinking about life and managing their stress during the ongoing Covid Crisis.	
13/5/2020	The fascinating Wildlife Tourism-Scope and Challenges	Dr.Md.Sabir Hussain	IITTM	The webinar was based on sharing experiences of Wildlife Tourism, the preparedness of the Indian travel trade for wise use of enormous resources and the precautions for interface with wilderness.	
14/5/2020	Covid-19 and Police Practices in India	1.Shri Lalit Das 2.Ms Sara Sharma	1.IPS ADG Police Odisha CMD Odisha Police Welfare and Housing Corporation 2. S.P Gajapati , Odisha	The webinar focused on sharing experiences of tackling emergencies and exigencies, the preparedness of the police and the police-public interface. The importance of image management, role of the media and community policing were dealt with effectively.	

15/5/2020	Tourism reset? The good ,the bad and the opportunities	Anders Sorenson	Anthropologist, Tourism researcher Denmark	Resetting tourism to new realities, brought on not only by the current Covid-19 crisis, but also brought on by the ongoing global climate crisis, will take ingenuity, innovation, managerial skills, and willingness to look for the long-haul benefits of a tourism reset. This is a change of business behaviour towards a more sustainable and equitable tourism. The question then is, can we turn necessities of change into opportunities of business and pleasure?	
23/5/2020	Mental Health & Education	Dr Annapurna Pandey	University of California, Santa Cruz	Fear of the virus, loss of routine and social connection, loneliness, disruption to education, as well as the challenges of living <i>in</i> difficult times is creating serious mental health issues. The interactive webinar focussed on providing a realistic solution to these issues.	

25/5/2020	New Trends in the Post – Covid Cargo World	Mr Dwarika Nath Dash	Leader, Logistics Ciena India New Delhi	Shared his experience on how the cargo industries are changing and elaborated how Logistics has adapted to slower trade as the economic windfalls of globalization fade further.	
29/5/2020	Reconceptualising Health	Ms. Ashita Mohapatra	Lead , Projects & Initiatives, Institute for Global Health , Equity and Innovation, University of Toronto.	An innovative presentation on reconceptualising health, how self-reported health can be a powerful indicator of wellbeing and even mortality.	
9/6/2020	Going Beyond Leisure Tourism To Engage The Visitor Of Tomorrow	Prem Subramaniam	Ex Country Head British Tourist Authority, Ex Head Tourism IDFC	Going beyond Leisure Tourism : engaging the visitor tomorrow	
10/6/2020	Challenges of Entrepreneurship in the Present Scenario .	Mr.Jagannath Diger	Vithi Vacations Partner Specialising in Embassy & Ministerial Delegation	This is a change of business behaviour towards a more sustainable and equitable tourism post Covid-19. The question then is, can we turn necessities of change into opportunities of business and pleasure?	