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Dr. V.K.R.V. Rao Road, Nagarabhavi P.O., Bengaluru - 560 072

cordially invites you to the

Second Mahatma Gandhi Memorial Lecture on Ethics

by

Prof. R.S. Deshpande

Former Director, ISEC
Member, Board of Governors, ISEC

on

“Ethics in Buddhism and Gandhian Views”

Wednesday, 16th October 2024 at 3.00 p.m.

in the Mahatma Gandhi Auditorium

of the Institute

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Prof. D. Rajasekhar

Director
Institute for Social and Economic Change
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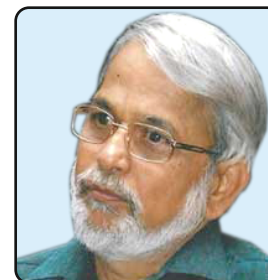
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| Welcome Address | : Prof. D. Rajasekhar
Director, ISEC |
| Introduction to the
Lecture Series | : Prof. M.V. Nadkarni
Honorary Professor, ISEC |
| Mahatma Gandhi
Memorial Lecture on Ethics | : Prof. R.S. Deshpande
Former Director, ISEC
Member, Board of Governors, ISEC |
| Vote of Thanks | : Dr. Malini L. Tantri
Assistant Professor, CESP &
Seminar Co-ordinator, ISEC |

Brief background about Mahatma Gandhi Memorial Lecture Series on Ethics



Prof. M.V. Nadkarni (Mangesh Venkatesh Nadkarni), born on February 23, 1939, a well-known Economist by training and profession, has deep interest in other social sciences as well, as also in religion and philosophy. His contribution to Economics and other social sciences has been mainly in the areas of Agricultural Price Policy, Problems of Drought Prone Areas, Farmers' Movements, Political Economy of Forest Use and Management, Economics of Pollution Control, and Integrating Ethics into Economics, Decentralised Development and the 'Broad-basing Process'. He is a well-known Gandhian Scholar. Prof. Nadkarni has instituted the Lecture Series on Ethics in Honour of Mahatma Gandhi to be held every year in the month of October at ISEC. The first lecture was delivered by Dr. Sundar Sarukkai, Founder, Barefoot Philosophers & Formerly Professor, National Institute of Advanced Studies, Bengaluru on October 4, 2023. The Topic was "Ethical Praxis: Insights and Challenges from Gandhi, JRD Tata and Ambedkar".

About the Guest Speaker



Prof. R.S. Deshpande is a well-known Agricultural Economist and was the Director of ISEC. He is Honorary Professor of ISEC and Founder Director of Dr. Ambedkar School of Economics. Prior to that, he was the Head and Professor in the Agricultural Development and Rural Transformation Centre (ADRTC) of the Institute. He was also Honorary Professor Emeritus of CMR University. Prof. Deshpande authored several books and research papers on themes of agrarian crisis, farmers' suicide, farmers' movements, irrigation and so on. His contribution to agricultural economics is quite significant. He received several medals and awards such as Fellow of ISAE KSTA, PNASF Gold Medal and Sir Visvesvaraya Global Leadership Award, VTU, Karnataka. He was also Rajiv Gandhi National Fellow, ICSSR.