



# Mahatma Gandhi Shati Smarak Mahavidyalaya,

Garua Maksoodpur, Ghazipur

## Online Seminar on Covid 19 and Environmental Sustainability



On April 23, 2021, the Department of Psychology organized an online seminar on “Covid 19 and Environmental Sustainability” at Mahatma Gandhi Shati Smarak Mahavidyalaya Garua Maksudpur, Ghazipur.

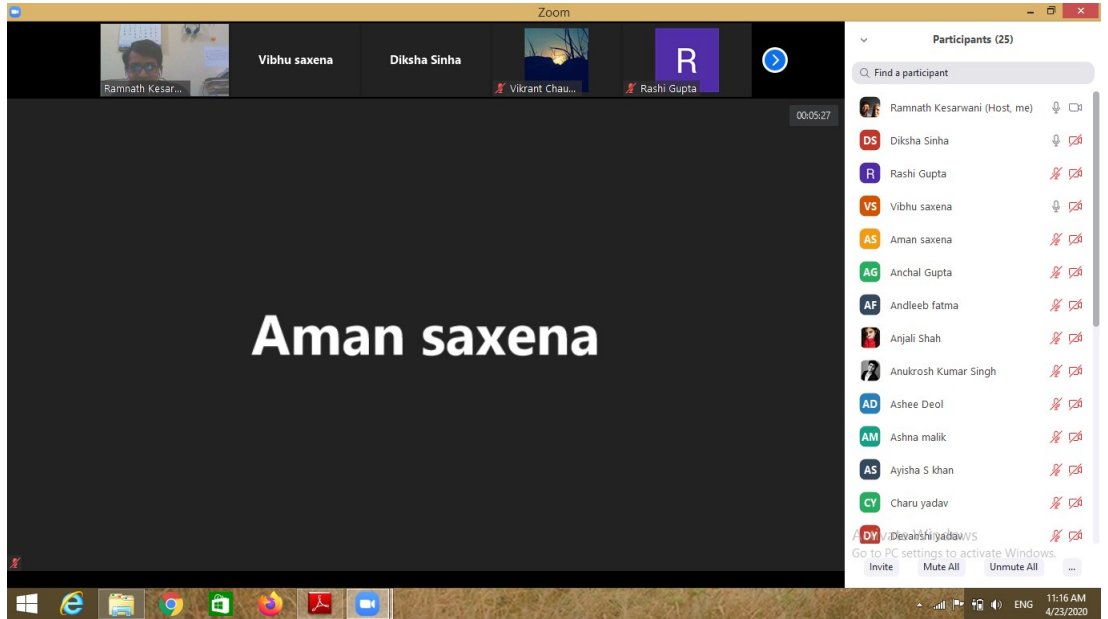
The Lecture began with the opening address of the Principal Mr. Sushil Tiwari. Mr. Ram Kumar was the key guest speaker. All the faculty members participated in this lecture held in lecture hall. Mr. Kumar began his speech by providing a brief overview of the Covid-19 pandemic.

Since January 2020, the battle against COVID-19 has been a critical priority for more than 200 nations, so as the academic community. With this regard, the scientific community produced hundreds of publications spanning various topics to remedy this worldwide epidemic. Despite this, little work has looked into its relationship to the sustainable environment debate. Nations had to implement measures such as isolation, movement restrictions, lockdown and social seclusion, just to mention a few. The consequences of these actions were felt in the economy and major societal institutions, but these reforms had indirect repercussions. This bibliometric examination provided us with reasons to be both pleased and apprehensive. It emphasizes that the overall impact on greenhouse gas emissions was reduced, but solid waste increased. Against the backdrop of the present COVID-19 crisis, this study addressed the critical difficulties and worldwide constraints of solid waste management. Moreover, developing nations showcase less interest in research regarding the theme topic of this study. It is forecasted that economic activities shall bounce back in post pandemic era. Therefore, potential strategies have been proposed in this study in attaining long-term environmental advantages such as (1) Fossil fuel over-reliance reduction; (2) initiating waste management policies; (3) Policymakers and regulators must take the necessary measures to ensure that the environment's healing process is not just transitory. Therefore, the findings of this study provide a framework for future research and serve as a starting point for environmental scientists to assess the consequences of COVID-19.



Mr. Umashankar stated that the lockdown has led to a drastic fall of economic activity and the subsequent downfall of pollutant GHG gases thus reducing GHG concentration in the atmosphere.

Mr. Nitesh Pandey Assistant Professor of Philosophy made the concluding remark by passing of vote of thanks.



  
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