



DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY

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Organizes a lecture on

“Understanding Development: Dynamics and Trajectory”

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Date: **15-02-2019. (Friday)**

Time: **3:30 PM**

Venue: Seminar Hall, 3rd Floor
SA&SS Building

All are cordially invited.

Abstract: Development is a multi-faceted concept approached through disciplines like Economics, Political Studies, and Sociology of Development in general and Development Studies in particular. The talk will focus on the evolution of theories of development primarily located in the emergence of capitalism. It will subsequently touch upon the major paradigms of development which include modernization thesis of the 1950s and 1960s, dependency school active during 1960s till 1980s and the post 1990s human development perspective as outlined by the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) up till the capability approach to human development. The challenges of development in contemporary times will form the base of conclusion.