

SEMINAR

ON
**ODIA IDENTITY & FORMATION OF
SEPARATE ODISHA PROVINCE**

Presented By

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On 21st Jan. 2023



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**Academic Year:2022-23
Department of History**

Name of the Activity: **Seminar on Odia identity and formation of separate Odisha province**
Date: **21.01.2023 (Saturday)**
Speaker Name: **Dr Soma Chand, Ex-Professor & Former Head of P.G. Dept. of History, Utkal University, BBSR**

Duration- **One Day**
Participants: **Faculty – 14 & Students-40**

Objective:

1. To know the history of formation of separate Odisha province on the basis of Odia language
2. To know about the territorial dismemberment of then Odisha province
3. To know about the contribution of Madhusudan Das and Utkal Samilani
4. To know about the role of Maharaja Krushna Chandra Gajapati and his grievances of statement of Odisha during 1st round table conference in England
5. To know different course of events for the formation of separate Odisha province

Outcomes:

1. Students understood through the deliberation of the Resource Person.
2. Students understood condition of Odisha before the demand of a separate province on the basis of Odia language.
3. Students vividly understood the great role played by Utkal Gaurav Madhusudan Das and Utkal Samilani.
4. Students also knew about the contribution made by Maharaja Krushna Chandra Gajapati during demand of special statehood of odisha during 1st round table conference.
5. Students understood the complete course of events and processes in nutshell about the formation of separate Odisha province.



Report of the Event:

A seminar was organized by department of History on 21.01.2023 on the theme 'Odia identity and formation of separate Odisha province'. Dr Soma Chand was the esteemed resource person of the seminar. Dr. Premalata Rout, Principal of the institution presided over the meeting and welcomed all the dignitaries on the dais followed by guest introduction by Mr. Rabindra Kumar Panda, Reader in History. Dr. Pramod Kumar Samal, Head of the Department delivered a keynote speech on the concerned topic. Dr Chand in her speech elaborately narrated the historic stories and glories of Odisha before formation of a separate language based province. She also reminded the participants about the great role played by both Utkal Gourav Madhusudan Das and Maharaja Krushna Chandra Gajapati during the linguistic movement towards the demand of a separate Odia statehood. During questionnaire she clarified all the doubts of students as well as other participants. Students were highly enthusiastic upon the theme and expect such type of seminar to be conducted in near future. At last the programme coordinator Mr. Ranjan Kumaer Behura, Lecturer in History proposed a vote of thanks and also assured that such programme would be conducted in near future to ignite the mind of students on the basis of historical data and facts.

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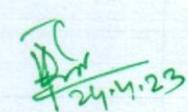
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SEMINAR REPORT

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**Sub: Invitation as a Resource Person in the state level seminar at
Pattamundai Degree College, Pattamundai on 21st January 2023.**

Madam,

It is my pleasure to invite you as a resource person in the State Level Seminar on the topic "Odia Identity & Formation of Separate Odisha Province" to be organised by the Department of History, Pattamundai Degree College, Pattamundai at 11 AM on 21st January 2023.

Your kind consent and cooperation is highly solicited.

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Thanks for your invitation to attend the Seminar.
I would be glad to grace the occasion as a speaker.
Thanks and regards.
Sincerely yours,
Dr Soma Chand

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Odia Identity & Formation of Separate Odisha Province.

Dr. Soma Chand

The second half of the 19th century is characterized with the growth of political consciousness in Odisha which in due course permeated the general mass. Having formed an insignificant part in each of the major Presidencies of Madras and Bengal and Central Provinces Odia identity was at lowest ebb.

Odia identity got strengthened with territorial vivisection followed by displacement of Odia language and culture.

Territorial Dismemberment:

- The coastal areas of Balasore , Cuttack and Puri came under British occupation while the princely states or garhjats used to pay tribute to British government.
- In 1759, Ganjam came under British occupation from Nizam of Hyderabad and was included in Madras Presidency.
- In 1849, Sambalpur became a part of Central Provinces being occupied by British government.
- Similarly the Odia-speaking areas of Midnapur was with Bengal Presidency while Singhbhum was under Chhotanagpur Denision of Bihar.
- In 1885, a memorandum was presented to Lt. Governor of Bengal Richard Temple on behalf of Utkal Sabha for Union of Ganjam , Jaipur and Sambalpur with Odisha.
- In different attitude of Indian National Congress towards the regional issues was frustrating for Odia elites.

Risley circular and Transferring of Sambalpur:

- In 1895, Hindi was introduced in the schools and courts in central provinces . Movement started in Sambalpur for reintroduction of Odia.
- In 1903, Odia was introduced in Sambalpur during viceroyship of

Lord Curzon.

- Risley's circular was published by government of India basing on which Sambalpur along with Patana Kalihandi , Sorepur, Bamandi, Rairakhol from Central Provinces and Gangpur, Banci from Chhotanagpur were incorporated into Odisha Division in 1905.

Utkal Sammilani:

- Ganjam Jaliya Samiti in 1903 was the first organization which created the initial platform of common gathering for amalgamation of Odia-speaking areas undergone administration.
- Efforts of Madhusudan Das to give a concrete shape to an all odisha organization for formation of separate province.

Creation of the province of Bihar-Odisha:

- Annollment of Partion of Bengal.
- Creation of new province of Bihar- Odisha – The step was however strongly opposed by the Odia nationalists.

Montague- Chelmsford Act:

- Memorandum was presented by a committee of Utkal Sammilani for amalgamation of Odia-streaking areas which turned futile Madhubabu resigned from Bihar-Odisha Legislative Council.

Sinha Proposal:

- The representatives in the Imperial Council Sachidananda Sinha proposed for the incorporation of Odia –speaking tracts of Bengal , Madras and Central Provinces to Bihar-Odisha . The proposal was turned aside.

Phillip-Duff Committee:

- Though Committee recommended for separate statehood, yet Madras government opposed it.

Simmon Commission:

- Utkal Sammilani welcomed Simon Commission which favoured the statehood of Odisha.

Nehru Committee:

- Motilal Nehru's report on behalf of 'All parties Conference' accepted the issue of creation of a separate state of Odisha.

First Round Table Conference:

- Role of Maharaja Krishna Chandra to prove the grievances of the statehood of Odisha in England was widely acclaimed.

O' Donnell Committee:

- Boundary Commission under O' Donnell made through visit to every nook and corner to collect information and recommend for a separate state being silent on Parlakhemundi and Jaipur.

Joint Parliamentary Committee:

- The committee made a detailed survey to include Angul, Padmapur, Khadial, Ganjam, Berhampur, Jaipur, 30% of Parlakhemundi.
- Odisha Administrative Committee-1933
- Death of Madhubabu(1934)
- The government of India Act 1935 and formation of the separate State of Odisha.

The Odia movement passed through many ups and downs and finally reached its goal. The dream of a separate Odisha became a reality.

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