International Conference on 'Marxism: Marx and Beyond'

From 22 to 24 March 2012, under the sponsorship of the Indian Council of Philosophical Research(ICPR), New Delhi, IDSK in collaboration with the Centre for Marxian Studies, Jadavpur University organized an international conference on Marxism: Marx and Beyond. The conference began with the inaugural speech by Dr. Ramakrishna Rao, Chairman, ICPR, New Delhi. The welcome address was given by Professor Amita Chatterjee, Advisor, School of Cognitive Sciences, Jadavpur University and Professor Amiya Kumar Bagchi, Director, IDSK introduced the theme. The speakers in the conference included Professor Alan Freeman, Visiting Professor, London Metropolitan University Business School, Professor John Peter Neelsen of Tüebingen University, Germany, Professor Radhika Desai of University of Manitoba, Canada, Professor Samir Amin, Forum du Tiers Monde, Dakar, Senegal, Professor Aijaz Ahmad, Professor Irfan Habib, former Professor of History, Aligarh Muslim University, Professor Himani Bannerii of York University, Canada, Professor Partha Chatteriee, University of Columbia, Professor Malini Bhattacharya, former Chairperson, West Bengal Commission for Women, Professor Nirmalangshu Mukherjee, Professor of Philosophy, University of Delhi, Professor Prabhat Patnaik, former Professor of Economics, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, Professor Ratan Khasnabis, former Professor, Department of MBM, University of Calcutta, Professor Ramkrishna Bhattacharya of Ananda Mohan College, Professor Sobhanlal Dattagupta, former Professor of Political Science, University of Calcutta, Professor Ashok Mitra, former Finance Minister, Government of West Bengal, Dr. Archana Prasad of Centre for Jawaharlal Nehru Studies, University of Jamia Millia Islamia, Dr. Vamsi Vakulabharanam of University of Hyderabad, Professor Subhoranjan Dasgupta of IDSK and Shri Sumanta Banerjee.