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**Revisiting Marxian
Philosophical, Cultural and
Economic Ideas:
A Bicentenary Quest**

Organized by

**Department of Philosophy
and
Department of Economics**

**Arul Anandar College
(Autonomous)**

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with a CGPA of 3.66)

Karumathur – 625 514, Madurai (Dt.),
Tamil Nadu

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Date: 12th - 13th March, 2018

Concept note:

“Reason has always existed, but not always in a reasonable form.” Karl Marx.

Karl Marx, a down to earth philosopher, travelled through many branches of knowledge and added new perspectives to economics, politics, history, sociology and anthropology, and popularized a philosophy of praxis and attained popularity as a revolutionary socialist. Though Marxian thought is not alive today in its glorious forms as it was in the bygone century, one cannot fail to sense its reverberating vibrations of humane and social concern in all philosophical and economic engagements of the present day society.

In commemoration of three historical moments of Marxian Movement: bicentenary of the birth of Karl Marx, sesquicentenary of the publication of the magnum opus “Das Capital vol.I” and centenary of Russian Revolution, the Departments of Philosophy and Economics of Our College jointly organize a **National Conference cum Cultural Festival** entitled “Revisiting Marxian Philosophical, Cultural and Economic Ideas: A Bicentenary Quest” on 12th - 13th March, 2018.

The purpose of the seminar is to popularise Marxian philosophy among the youngsters and propose viable forms of Marxian thought for a new society freed of tainted philosophy, self-centred economy, corrupted politics, and

polluted culture. To achieve these objectives the participants would be appreciated to focus their work on rereading Marx's contribution in the fields of philosophy, economics, politics, and culture.

Events:

1. Paper presentations – P.G. Students Scholars and Professors

Theme: a) Marxian Philosophy
b) Marxian Economics
c) Cultural Marxism

2. Competitions:

a) Elocution – Both U.G. and P.G. Students

Theme: Relevance of Marxism in
the present context (5 mts)

b) Short film – Both U.G. and P.G. Students (5 mts)

Theme: a) Jobless Growth and
Exclusion
b) Poverty in the midst of
Prosperity

c) Quiz – Both U.G. and P.G. Students (Two students per team)

3. Exhibition

How to Apply:

Fill up the attached registration form
(registration form can be xeroxed and used) and

send the filled in forms to Dr N. Murali,
Convenor, National Conference cum Cultural
Festival, Arul Anandar College, Karumathur –
625 514, or submit through email.

Registration Fee: Rs. 100/- (per participant)

1. E-mail Contact:

aaceconomics@gmail.com

2. Cell: 99948 09491 (Convenor)

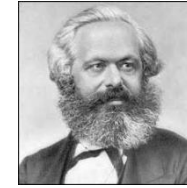
3. Registration fee can be paid on the spot.

4. Last date for Registration form to reach: 5th March, 2018

Dr M. George Joseph
Co-Convenor

Dr N. Murali
Convenor

Registration Form



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Contact details: Mobile: _____

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If yes, name of the team member: _____

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