

The School of International Relations and Strategic Studies, Jadavpur University organized a National Seminar on *South Asia: Global Order, Integration and Future Possibilities* under the UGC funded **University of Potential of Excellence – Phase -- II Scheme**. The seminar has been organized in collaboration with Netaji Institute of Asian Studies, Kolkata during March 19-20, 2013. Professor Gautam Kumar Basu, Director, SIRSS, Jadavpur University, delivered the Welcome Address. Key-note address was delivered by Professor Arun Kumar Banerji, Ex-Director, SIRSS. This session was chaired by Professor Jayanta Kumar Ray (previously of University of Calcutta). Those who delivered lectures in this National Seminar included, Professor Shantishree Pandit (University of Pune), Dr. Binoda Kr. Mishra (Director, CSIRS, Kolkata), Professor Sabyasachi Basu Raychaudhuri (Vice-Chancellor, Rabindra Bharati University, Kolkata), Professor Siddhartha Mitra (Department of Economics, Jadavpur University), Dr. Apurba Baruah, (North Eastern Hill University, Shillong), Professor Samir Kumar Das (Vice-Chancellor, North Bengal University), Dr. Aneek Chatterjee (Presidency University, Kolkata), Dr. Manish (Sikkim University), His Excellency, Mr. Dasho Shering Wangda (Hon'ble Consul General of Bhutan in Kolkata). Various technical sessions were chaired by Professor Purusottam Bhattacharya (Department of International Relations, Jadavpur University), Professor Rajat Acharya (Department of Economics, Jadavpur University), Professor Gautam Kumar Basu (Director, SIRSS, Jadavpur University), Professor Om Prakash Mishra (Department of International Relations, Jadavpur University), Dr. Sreeradha Datta (Director, MAKAIS, Kolkata). The Valedictory Address was delivered by Professor Aswini Kumar Ray (previously of Jawaharlal Nehru University). Professor Radharaman Chakraborti (ex-Vice Chancellor of Netaji Subhas Open University, Kolkata) chaired this valedictory session. Dr. Shibashis Chatterjee and Dr. Anindya Jyoti Majumdar were Joint Coordinators of this Seminar.