



**MANGALORE UNIVERSITY**  
**Nehru Chinthana Kendra**  
**Department of English and Sociology**

*Invite you to*

***The International Special Lecture Series***

Speaker

**Prof. Pralay Kanungo**

Political Theorist, Leiden University, Netherlands

Inaugural Remarks

**Prof. P.S. Yadapadithaya**

Vice Chancellor, Mangalore University

**Session 1 : 10.30 am to 12.00 am**

**Contemporary Politics in India: Some Reflections**

**Session 2 : 12.15 am to 1.15 pm**

**Religion and Urbanity: Construction and  
Transformation of the Sacred City of Varanasi**

**Session 3 : 2.30 pm to 4 pm**

**Religion, Heritage and Identity**

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**Venue : Dr. U.R. Rao Hall (Old Senate), Mangalore University**

**Date: 17-01-2023, Time : 10am to 4pm**

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