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| 1 | 2018 | 05.02.2018 | **Prof. K. Suryanarayana**, Emeritus Professor, Department of History, Andhra University | **Inscription as a Source of History.** |
| 2 | 2018 | 23.02.2018 | **Dr. Benudhar Patra**, Associate Professor, Department of History, PG Government College, Chandigarh | **Exploring Maritime Heritage of Odisha – Text, Tradition and Archaeology** |
| 3 | 2018 | 21.08.2018 | **Prof. Ananda Chandra Sahoo**, Department of AIHCA, Viswabharati, Santiniketan, West Bengal | **Origin of Image Worship in India** |
| 4 | 2018 | 28.08.2018 | **Prof. Sadasiba Pradhan**, Former Professor, P.G. Department of AIHCA, Utkal University | **Rock Art of Odisha** |
| 5 | 2018 | 30.10.2018 | **Prof. Ananda Chandra Sahoo**, Department of AIHCA, Viswabharati, Santiniketan, West Bengal | **Historian’s Source** |
| 6 | 2019 | 18.04.2019 | **Dr. B.K. Rath**, Former Superintending Archaeologist, Odisha State Archaeology, Govt. of Odisha and **Dr. Jeeban Kumar Patnaik**, Former Superintending Archaeologist, Excavation Branch IV, ASI, Bhubaneswar | **World Heritage Day**  |
| 7 | 2019 | 27.04.2019 | **Dr. Prafulla Kumar Mohanty**, Former Principal & Head, Department of History, SCS College, Puri  | **Early State Formation in Odisha** |
| 8 | 2019 | 08.11.2019 | **Dr. D. N. Dimri**, Former Joint Director General, Archaeological Survey of India, New Delhi | **Antiquity Regulation and Retrival of Indian Heritage from Abroad** |
| 9 | 2019 | 16.11.2019 | **Dr. Dibishada B. Garanayak**, Superintending Archaeologist, Delhi Mini Circle, ASI, New Delhi | **Evolution of Human Culture in Archaeological Perspective** |

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