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'CONTEXTUALIZING ENERGY HUMANITIES IN INDIA' 27 February 2021 11:00 am Our culture to a large extent has been shaped by our dependency on fossil fuels. This energy that saturates our social and ecological relations, sustains our institutions, lifestyles, manners of thinking, and value systems has contributed to the environmental and climate crisis we face today. Rather than looking to the natural sciences to understand the complexity of the issues involved, it is the humanities that offer insights and methodologies to change our thinking about the natural world and our place in it. The scheduled talks aim to build awareness about the relationship between culture and energy, and the social nature of the present environmental crisis.

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