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Lecture by Prof. Joya Chatterji at BRACU

On September 23, 2015 at BRAC Centre Inn Auditorium, BRAC University was honoured to host renowned Prof. Joya Chatterji, a Fellow of Trinity College, and Director of the Centre of South Asian Studies and the Editor of the journal “Modern Asian Studies”, as a speaker in the Distinguished Scholars Series programme. Her public lecture focused on topic based on inter-regional migration of Bengali people since 1907. She presented her topic “On Being Stuck: Immobility and poverty in divided Bengal”.



Prof. Joya Chatterji read History at the University of Delhi before taking a PhD in History at Cambridge. She taught International History at the London School of Economics for several years, taking up a post at the University of Cambridge in 2007. Prof. Chatterji teaches modern South Asian and world history at Cambridge. She lectures on “World History since 1900” and “The History of the Indian subcontinent from the late eighteenth century to the present day”. She convenes the MPhil in Modern South Asian Studies and teaches, together with Dr. David Washbrook, on South Asian migration and diaspora.