

## **BOOK DISCUSSION ON *BORDERS OF AN EPIDEMIC: COVID-19 AND MIGRANT WORKERS***

The New Zealand India Research Institute invites you for our next webinar in the NZIRI webinar series, 'Conversations in the days of pandemic'.

In the next webinar to be held on **24 June, Wednesday 2020, 4.00-5.00 PM (NZ time)**, **Professor Ranabir Samaddar** (Distinguished Chair in Migration and Forced Migration Studies at Calcutta Research Group) will discuss his recent edited book, *Borders of an Epidemic: Covid-19 and Migrant Workers (2020)* with **Professor Sekhar Bandyopadhyay** (Director, NZIRI) and **Associate Professor Douglas Hill** (University of Otago).

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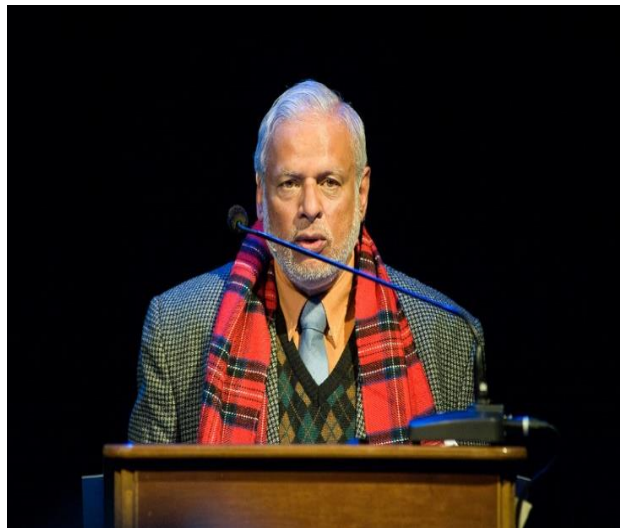
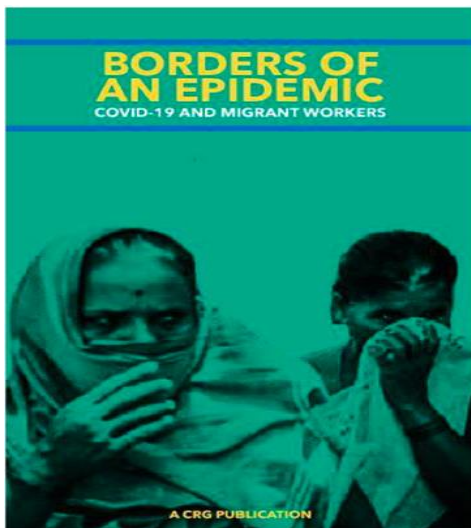
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### WEBINAR V: BOOK DISCUSSION

Professor Ranabir Samaddar (Distinguished Chair in Migration and Forced Migration Studies at Calcutta Research Group) will discuss his recent edited book, *Borders of an Epidemic: Covid-19 and Migrant Workers* (2020) with panellists Prof. Sekhar Bandyopadhyay (Director, NZIRI) and Associate Professor Douglas Hill (University of Otago).



**Prof. Ranabir Samaddar** currently holds a Distinguished Chair in Migration and Forced Migration Studies at Calcutta Research Group, Kolkata, India. He belongs to a school of thought signalling a new turn in critical postcolonial thinking. Among his influential works are: *The Marginal Nation: Transborder Migration from Bangladesh to West Bengal* (Sage, 1999), *Refugees and the State* (Sage, 2003), *Emergence of the Political Subject* (Sage, 2009), *The Nation Form: Essays on Indian Nationalism* (Sage, 2012), His latest work is *Karl Marx and the Postcolonial Age* (Palgrave MacMillan, 2017).

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