

# Production of Knowledge in the Natural and Social Sciences

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## Session 9: Knowledge Production beyond the Limits of Modernity

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**Knowledge Production beyond the Limits of Modernity:** This session seeks to survey the historical and epistemological shift of knowledge production from context-free general laws to context-specific local particulars.

*Suggested readings –*

Drayfuss & Rabinau eds. 1983. *Michel Foucault: Beyond Structuralism and Hermeneutics*. Introduction.

Foucault, Michel. 2002. *The Order of Things: An Archaeology of the Human Sciences*. Chapter 1.

Lyotard, Jean François. 1984. *The Postmodern Condition: A Report on Knowledge*. Introduction.

**Day, Date & Time: Saturday, 4<sup>th</sup> October, 2008, 2:00 p.m.**  
**Venue: New Centre for Contemporary Studies (CCS) Premises,**  
(Formerly TIFR Mathematics Building), Indian Institute of Science,  
Bangalore 560012.

All are cordially invited

**Coffee/Tea and Snacks will be served at about 3:30 p.m.**

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