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Conference on religion and civil society

Chennai: Loyola College will organise a two-day national conference on 'Religion and Civil Society: Challenges and Responses' on Tuesday and Wednesday.

The conference will actualise the confluence of minds on new vistas of religion in the fast changing contemporary society, said a release.

The title of the conference is 'Civil Society and Conflict Resolution in the Context of Growing Intolerance and Fundamentalism'. Rowena Robinson, professor of sociology, IIT Mumbai, will be the chief guest.

Panelists for the event will be Ramu Manivannan, head of politics and public administration department, University of Madras, R Santhosh, professor of sociology, IIT Chennai, PK Abdul Rahiman, professor of Islamic studies, University of Madras, Lancy Lobo, director, Centre for Culture and Development, Vadodara, and Bernard D'samy, senior fellow, LISSTAR, Loyola College.

The conference will take place at the L S auditorium in the college premises from 9am to 4pm on both days. **TNN**