In a way I'm thankful for the JNU saga, or I'd never have known such hopelessly deluded, dangerously virulent academics live among us.
Introduction

I have reproduced the tweets of Anand Ranganathan of Newslaundry in this presentation. I think the Internet Hindus will quite easily be able to relate to the essential points, as expressed in the tweet in the opening page. There are some tweets that the Internet Hindu will disagree on. But not on the overall message.

There is a need to understand that the recent event in JNU was not a stand-alone event. The communist has used the forum of JNU for their agenda for a long time. There has been the case where these communists celebrated the murder of security forces by Naxalites. And they seriously beat up a couple of army men who objected to anti-India propaganda being projected by some invited Pakistani speakers.

The other source of anger amongst the public is that JNU is heavily subsidised by the state. But the agitators seem to be least interested in pursuing an academic career, and using the state money to conduct an anti-state propaganda. In contrast, there are perhaps more than 80% of the students and the academics at JNU who have sincere desire to do what they are supposed to do. And there are those in the other universities who are not receiving any or much less state support for their higher studies. They not only want to enter proper careers, but use their earnings to help their less fortunate brothers and sisters.

Another point that the Internet Hindus would like to emphasise is the role played by the media in not projecting the events in a fair manner.

The points that I have made are not with an intention to nitpick but to take the discussion forward.

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The media has done its best to hide the excellent work being done. They have projected as if the full student body, and the full faculty, is out agitating. Many students and faculty who are against the agitators have spoken out, but their voices are covered in a corner of an inside page, or they are never invited to the television debates to confront the agitators.

In the fourth tweet, the operative part is ‘if he is up to it’. And if he is not, should the government be a silent spectator?
The agitators are neither deluded nor misguided. They are playing out a role that the communist ideology that they have been brainwashed in. And for this there is a need to hold people like Sitaram Yechury, Romilla Thappar, etc. responsible. Also in the media, the likes of Rajdeep Sardesai, Barkha Dutt, Shekhar Gupta, etc., are also to be held responsible, because they are romanticising the agitation. For example, calling the agitators students, tars the whole student community. And nowhere is it told what they are studying and how good are they are it.

Criticsing the government may sound nice, but an alternative has to be provided. Remember that the present agitation is not a stand-alone affair. There is a long series of such behaviour, which has been encouraged because the agitators were not rebuked by the media and the other ‘intellectuals. (Contd)
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Re the police. There is a law and order situation that has been created by the agitators. Unless one says that JNU is not a territory of India, which the agitators think, the police have a right to intervene. And the rest of the citizens of India will want the police to act suitably. If they fail, others will step in, and then it will not be nice, as has been seen even in this case.

I am sure that the government does not want to involve itself. But what happens when the Vice Chancellor either does not do what is to be done, or is not able to do it? The media and the ‘intellectuals’ have done their damnest best to intellectually terrorise both the VC and the government.
These agitators look like that they are well fed and well clothed. That is because they are paid for by the citizens of India who have a high respect for the Tiranga. Surely, the citizens expect them to be accountable.
Anand Ranganathan @ARangarajan1972 · Feb 21
And there he sits, this Umar - a brain-washed, deluded beach bum, the cynosure of the media - amid vandalised walls.

Brain-washed by whom? And, if he is the cynosure of the media, is not the media also brain-washed? Or also wants the students brainwashed?
THE PEOPLE are not celebrating the man, or made him into a hero. It is those occupying the intellectual space that are celebrating. And he is being glorified by many ‘academics’ in the West who have signed petition in his favour. Let us hold the right persons responsible.
No, Anandji you are not wrong. What is needed is to correct the situation. Keeping the humanities separate, without dealing with the problem, will mean that the problem will still exist. It will be like throwing the baby out with the bath water.

Did these agitators ever study? Have they really seen the inside of a library except to drag the students who are doing their work there, to join them in their agitation in which the studious students have no interest?
Will people like Prof Das and Prof Ghosh be the cynosure of the media? Will they be invited to the TV studios and get extensively interviewed by the media? I am sure they will not be because it would mean that the media has to admit to their readers that they have been deliberately lying all the time.
By incessantly glorifying the Kanhaiyas and the Umars, the ‘intellectuals’ are telling the youth that they are good role models. Instead of the welder’s son from Bihar, who joined an IIT and is now going to the USA to work for Microsoft. This son says that he will use the money he gets to improve the education that other poor people from Bihar are today getting. But the ‘intellectuals’ pretend such a person does not exist.

So, the ones who are accused will decide who will be the judge? And given the situation, can the VC undertake the necessary reforms?

Anand Ranganathan @ARangarajan1972 · Feb 22
While the Dases & the Ghoshes work in the labs, the Kanhaiyas & the Umars will become politicians, then decide the budgets of these labs.

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Anand Ranganathan @ARangarajan1972 · Feb 23
The internal committee had 3 members - all scientists. The students boycotted it and demanded new members. So now:

On demand, 2 more on JNU probe panel

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Anand Ranganathan @ARangarajan1972 · Feb 23
The 2 new members of the JNU internal enquiry committee, it is confirmed, are from the Humanities. The students are now satisfied.

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STEM stands for science, technology, engineering and maths. The ‘intellectuals’ will do their damndest best of not to give the due publicity to such positive news. They will keep on saying that the universities are institutions of dissent, and it is the right of the dissenters to be paid for dissenting, and not for studying.

Anand Ranganathan @ARangarajan1972 · Feb 25
Call to strike, dharnas, sloganeering - a lot is happening in JNU. Please come.

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Anand Ranganathan @ARangarajan1972 · Feb 25
DST: In the last 4 years the H-index of STEM departments of JNU has improved from 30 to 53, making it a top performer. #JNUScienceDay
Surely, the question posed by Anandji is rhetoric. The VC is intellectually terrorised by the whole ecosystem of ‘intellectualism’ in India. Uncritically giving publicity to the event, the media makes the organisers and the participants to feel that they are doing the right thing.

The objective of holding the programme on the main entrance steps is not to listen to what the ‘intellectuals’ have to say, it is to prevent those who want nothing to do with their agitation to feel intimidated enough to stay away.
It is people like Prof Sarkar who have brainwashed a lot of young people into becoming agitators and not students.
When this information is already available in the public domain, why are the ‘intellectuals’ glorifying people like Prof Sarkar? Is it any wonder that a student will easily fall prey to the attempt to be brainwashed by Prof Sarkar and others?

The comments re Prof Sarkar applies equally to Prof Vanaik. Both such people are given a lot of space in the media, are used as a source of information on the social issues in India by those wanting to study them, go all over the world (on full expense paid trips) to lecture students in in other universities. Is it any wonder that the present situation has come to pass?

It will be interesting to know how many of those at the programme are from JNU itself. It has been said that the anti-India slogans raised were by those who were not from JNU.

Anand Ranganathan @ARangarajan1972 · 23h
Prof Achin Vanaik thinks the Maoist-backed PCPA has conducted a "democratic and peaceful struggle" among tribals for dignity and security.
Anandji has nicely summarised the ideological position of not just Prof Vanaik, but also hundreds of other academics who are paid by the society to enable them to live the lifestyle they are today living. And yet, they are uncritically allowed to push the fiction that they speak for the poor and are their protectors and benefactors.
Again, something that is already available in the public domain, and yet Prof Vanaik will be held as a genuine and unbiased commentator on the socio-culturally issues of India today.

http://newleftreview.org/II/70/achin-vanaik-subcontinental-strategies
Anandji is being unfair to the students. Who amongst the ‘intellectual’ class has questioned the teachings? No one because most of them subscribe to the same dangerously deluded and ignorant teachings of Achinji. And, because of the ecosystem, the students are not exposed to the alternatives which will enable them to do the questioning. In fact, it is to avoid being questioned, the ‘intellectuals’ do their best that the student is not aware that an alternative perspective exists.
Anandji is being unfair to the people of the nation. They have not been fooled now, nor fooled earlier. But there are the ‘intellectuals’ who pretend that they have been fooled. The nation is not gullible.
Here is another person who has been living off the fat of the land, and glorified by so many for exactly this reason.
The views held by Tanika Sarcar, Achin Vanaik and Nivedita Menon reflect the position of the leftists all over the world with respect to India. And it they who have brainwashed the students not just at JNU, but at other universities as well. And it is the same brainwashed students who have now become ‘academics’ in different parts of the world. Actually, they have become useful idiots propagating an evil ideology. The funny part is that the ideology has been rejected all over the world including India.

Some quotes from JNU Professor Nivedita Menon's teach-in speech, received to great applause. youtube.com/watch?v=wn_Swj...

Quotes of Prof Nivedita Menon from her JNU teach-in speech

The world thinks of India as an imperialist power.

AFSPA is a Brahmastra through which the Indian nation state keeps in check the jantanrik aspirations of the people of Kashmir, of the North-east, or of Chhattisgarh. It is a daily Emergency.

30-40% of India is under military rule. And this is being done on our name.

Unity in diversity has become meaningless. This is enforced unity.

On August 15, 1947, there were many principalities that were functioning independently. But we decided that all this is ours, that all of them must amalgamate into a nation state. For example, Manipur. It was an independently functioning constitutional monarchy, but within months the king was imprisoned and Manipur was forced to merge with India.

Next Nagaland. It was also functioning independently, and a plebiscite was promised after a 10 year protective status. But soon as the British left, India declared Nagaland as its territory and one of the first acts of the Indian government was to aerially bomb Nagaland.

About Kashmir everyone knows. The plebiscite that was applied to other princely states like Junaghar, was never applied to Kashmir. After the instrument of accession was signed, the condition was that a plebiscite would be held. It has still not been held.

And we all know that, the whole world accepts that India is illegally occupying Kashmir. Everybody accepts it. So when the whole world is talking of illegal occupation of Kashmir by India, we should understand that the slogan of Azadi is a perfectly acceptable slogan.
This tweet was not part of the earlier thread. But it does prove that it is neither the students nor the people of the nation that are to be blamed. It is the Indian media’s gleeful bias and depravity that is the problem, and it has to be addressed. Sadly, the foreign media, consisting of supposedly mature people fall prey to the same bias and depravity.
I have been contending for quite some time, that the English media in India has made itself irrelevant to the needs of the society. The viewership of all the channels put together is just 0.1% of the total number of people watching television. In contrast, 3.4% watch Hindi news and 3.6% watch all the other Indian languages put together. Surprisingly, the English news channel garner 5% of the ad spending. Yet, all the English news channels are making huge financial losses. The enclosed two links relate to the fact that the agitating students and the faculty do not reflect what is happening at not just JNU but at universities in India. These are examples.


JNU row: A large group of teachers back India, slams left domination
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"In JNU there're 650 teachers, 1500 staff members, 8500 students. Of them 600 teachers, 8000 students want to study"
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=41Zy6qyBWmg&feature=youtu.be 6m 43s