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About 23rd IASSI Conference, Ranchi

The 23rd Annual Conference of the Indian Association of Social Science Institutions (IASSI) will be held during 25-27 October 2024 at the Birla Institute of Technology (BIT), Mesra, Ranchi, India. The Conference is being organised by Department of Management and Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, BIT, Mesra, Ranchi with the Institute for Human Development- Eastern Regional Centre (IHD-ERC), Ranchi. Dr. K. Seeta Prabhu, Visiting Professor, Institute for Human Development (IHD) and Former Head, Human Development Resource Centre, UNDP is the Conference President.

CONFERENCE THEMES



Challenges of Climate Change
and Sustainable Development



Technological Transformation
and Inclusive Development



Governance, Institutions
and Public Policy

23rd IASSI Conference Organisers

BIRLA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Birla Institute of Technology (BIT), Mesra, Ranchi a deemed University, is an autonomous engineering and technology-oriented institute of higher education located in Ranchi, India. Established in 1955, it is today one of the most renowned engineering destinations in India. The Institute has been catering to the manpower needs of almost all the major sectors of the economy for the last five decades. The alumni of BIT are amongst the leaders of the industry, both in India and abroad. The Institute's main campus at Mesra has a large number of registered students enrolled. Along with Undergraduate and Postgraduate Programmes, the Institute has a rich Doctoral Programme.

Department of Management

The Department of Management at BIT Mesra was established in 1979 with a focus on the creation of exceptional manpower to meet the dynamic needs of the corporate world in the ever-changing economic environment. The department offers various programmes and courses Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) programme (through its extension centres), spread over 3 years; a two-year full-time programme in Master of Business Administration; and a Doctoral programme in management. The department has maintained its academic leadership in Eastern India through its commitment to meet the qualitative requirements of the professional world.

Department of Humanities and Social Sciences

The Department of Humanities and Social Sciences (HSS), established in 2023, is a hub of literary, linguistic, cultural, and social exploration. The department provides robust programs in English and Culture Studies, French, German, Sociology, Psychology, Philosophy, Creative and Performing Arts. At HSS, we believe in “सा विद्या या विमुक्तिये”, fostering intellectual growth, encouraging critical thinking, promoting empathy, and augmenting cultural understanding.

INSTITUTE FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

The Institute for Human Development (IHD) is an Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) category recognised multi-disciplinary social science institute working in the areas of labour and employment, livelihoods, education, health, gender, governance and institutions, climate change and other areas related to human development. The Institute has a large network of researchers and other stakeholders across India and abroad. It hosts the secretariates of the Indian Society of Labour Economics and Indian Journal of Labour Economics as well as IASSI. IHD also brings out its own peer reviewed journal ‘The Indian Journal of Human Development; published by Sage.

IHD Eastern Regional Centre (IHD-ERC)

In order to bolster its activities in the underdeveloped eastern states, particularly Jharkhand, Bihar, Odisha and Chhattisgarh the Institute for Human Development (IHD), New Delhi, established its Eastern Regional Centre in Ranchi (IHD-ERC) in 2007. The mandate of IHD-ERC is to conduct studies and research aimed at addressing the region backwardness, focusing on livelihoods, employment, vulnerable groups such as tribals, Dalits and other marginalized sections of society in the region.

PROGRAMME IN BRIEF

DAY 1

FRIDAY, 25 OCTOBER 2024

07:30hrs – 08:45hrs	:	Breakfast and Tea <i>Venue:</i> International Guest House
	:	Registration <i>Venue:</i> Foyer, CAT Hall
09:00 – 10:30	:	INAUGURAL SESSION <i>Venue:</i> CAT Hall
Opening Remarks	:	Utpal Baul Head, Dept of Management and Dept of Humanities and Social Sciences, BIT, Mesra, Ranchi and Organising Secretary, 23 rd IASSI Annual Conference
Welcome Remarks	:	Manju Bhagat Professor Department of Management, BIT, Mesra, Ranchi and Organising Secretary, 23 rd IASSI Annual Conference
Addresses	:	Indranil Manna Vice-Chancellor BIT, Mesra, Ranchi
	:	Alakh N. Sharma Director Institute for Human Development (IHD), New Delhi
	:	K. Seeta Prabhu President, 23 rd IASSI Conference; Visiting Professor, IHD and Former Head, Human Development Resource Centre, United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)
Keynote Address	:	Carlos M. Correa Executive Director, South Centre, Geneva, Switzerland <i>The Need of Interdisciplinarity to Address Global Challenges</i>

Release of the IASSI-CESS Book

**'INTERSECTING PATHS OF SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT,
URBANISATION, AND WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT'**

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Government of India and

Sachin Chaturvedi

Director General, Research and Information System for Developing Countries, New Delhi
and Chairperson, Indian Association of Social Science Institutions (IASSI)

Address by the Guest of Honour	:	Dhananjay Singh Member-Secretary, Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) Government of India
Address by the IASSI Chairperson	:	Sachin Chaturvedi Director General, Research and Information System for Developing Countries (RIS), New Delhi
Vote of Thanks	:	Devika Modi Acting Director, IHD- Eastern Regional Centre, Ranchi and Joint Organising Secretary, 23 rd IASSI Annual Conference
10:30 - 11.00	:	HIGH TEA Venue: Training and Placement (T and P) Lawn, near CAT Hall
11.00 - 11.45	:	PLENARY SESSION 1: PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS Venue: CAT Hall
Chair	:	Mahendra Dev Editor, Economic and Political Weekly (EPW); Former Chairman, Commission for Agricultural Costs and Prices, Government of India, and Former Vice President, International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI) Washington D.C.

Presidential Address	:	K. Seeta Prabhu President, 23 rd IASSI Conference; Visiting Professor, IHD and Former Head, Human Development Resource Centre, UNDP <i>Towards An Equitable and Sustainable World in the 21st Century: Revisiting Pathways and Policies</i>
11:45 – 13:30	:	PLENARY SESSION 2: PRESENTATIONS OF KEYNOTE PAPERS <i>Venue:</i> CAT Hall
Chair	:	K. Seeta Prabhu President, 23 rd IASSI Conference; Visiting Professor, IHD and Former Head, Human Development Resource Centre, UNDP
Keynote Paper Presentations	:	Theme 1: Challenges of Climate Change and Sustainable Development Purnamita Dasgupta Chair Professor and Head, Environment and Resource Economics Unit, Institute of Economic Growth, Delhi <i>Climate Change and Sustainable Development: Equitable and Integrative Action</i>
	:	Theme 2: Technological Transformation and Inclusive Development Balaji Parthasarathy Professor, International Institute of Information Technology (IIIT), Bangalore <i>Technological Transformation and Inclusive Development: The Quandry of Information Technology for India</i>
	:	Theme 3 Governance, Institutions and Public Policy Sandhya Iyer Professor, Centre for Public Policy, Habitat and Human Development Tata Institute of Social Sciences (TISS), Mumbai <i>Public Policy and Transformational Governance for an Unequal and Uncertain World: Lessons for Developing Countries</i>
13:30 – 14:30	:	LUNCH <i>Venue:</i> International Guest House

14: 30 – 16: 30 : **PLENARY SESSION 3:
STRENGTHENING SOCIAL PROTECTION WITH A FOCUS ON
CHILDREN IN JHARKHAND**

(Organisers: UNICEF, Jharkhand and Institute for Human Development (IHD))

Venue: CAT Hall

Chair : **Shreeranj, IAS (Rtd.)**
Joint Director, Institute for Human Development, New Delhi and
Former Joint Secretary, Ministry of Women and Child Development,
Government of India

Opening Remarks : **Kaninika Mitra**
Chief of Field Office, UNICEF, Jharkhand
***Overview of Current Programmes of Social Protection in
Jharkhand and UNICEF Initiatives***

Panelists : **Hyun Hee Ban**
Chief, Social Policy, UNICEF India
***Strengthening Social Protection Systems: Challenges,
Opportunities, and Best Practices across Countries and States***

: **Sameera S, IAS**
Director-cum-Member Secretary
Jharkhand State Child Protection Institute and
Department of Women and Child Development
Government of Jharkhand
***Outreach and Impact of Social Protection Schemes for Children
in Jharkhand***

Alka Malhotra
Social and Behaviour Change Specialist, UNICEF India
Social and Behavioural Change Communication: Reaching out
to Stakeholders for Ensuring Demand Generation for Social
Protection

: **Tanuka Endow**
Professor, Institute for Human Development (IHD), New Delhi
***Gender Transformative Potentials of Girl Cash Transfer Schemes
in Jharkhand***

	:	Jean Drèze Visiting Professor, Ranchi University <i>Challenges and Way Forward for Ensuring Delivery of Social Protection Schemes to Vulnerable Children in Jharkhand</i>
16.30-16.50	:	TEA <i>Venue:</i> T & P Corridor, CAT Hall
16:50 – 19: 15	:	PARALLEL SESSIONS: Thematic Session, Technical Sessions and Thematic Panel
16:50 – 19: 15	:	Thematic Session 1 <i>Venue:</i> Room R-4, Second Floor, Department of Management
16:50 – 19: 15	:	Technical Sessions Technical Session 1.1: Challenges of Climate Change and Sustainable Development <i>Venue:</i> Room R-1, Second Floor, Department of Management Technical Session 2.1: Technological Transformation and Inclusive Development <i>Venue:</i> Room R-2, Second Floor, Department of Management Technical Session 3.1: Governance, Institutions and Public Policy <i>Venue:</i> Room R-3, Second Floor, Department of Management
16:50 – 19: 15	:	Thematic Panel 1: Migration among Scheduled Tribes in India <i>(Organiser:</i> Institute for Human Development, New Delhi) <i>Venue:</i> Room R-5, First Floor, Department of Management
19:00 – 20:00	:	IASSI EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AND IASSI GENERAL BODY MEETINGS <i>Venue:</i> Room R-5, First Floor, Department of Management
19:30onwards	:	DINNER <i>Venue:</i> Royal Retreat Hotel, Krishna Nagar, Ramgarh Road, Ranchi <i>Hosted by</i> Research and Information System for Developing Countries (RIS), New Delhi

DAY 2

SATURDAY, 26 OCTOBER 2024

07:30hrs – 08:45hrs	:	Breakfast and Tea <i>Venue:</i> International Guest House
09:00 – 11:00	:	PARALLEL SESSIONS: Thematic Session & Technical Sessions
09:00 – 11:00	:	Thematic Session 2 <i>Venue:</i> Room R-5, First Floor, Department of Management
09:00 – 11:00	:	Technical Sessions Technical Session 1.2: Challenges of Climate Change and Sustainable Development <i>Venue:</i> Room R-1, Second Floor, Department of Management
		Technical Session 1.3: Challenges of Climate Change and Sustainable Development <i>Venue:</i> Room R-4, Second Floor, Department of Management
		Technical Session 2.2: Technological Transformation and Inclusive Development <i>Venue:</i> Room R-2, Second Floor, Department of Management
		Technical Session 3.2: Governance, Institutions and Public Policy <i>Venue:</i> Room R-3, Second Floor, Department of Management
11:00 -11:20	:	TEA <i>Venue:</i> Department of Management
11:20 -13:15	:	PARALLEL SESSIONS: Technical Sessions & Thematic Panel
11:20 -13:15	:	Technical Sessions Technical Session 1.4: Challenges of Climate Change and Sustainable Development <i>Venue:</i> Room R-1, Second Floor, Department of Management

		Technical Session 2.3: Technological Transformation and Inclusive Development <i>Venue:</i> Room R-2, Second Floor, Department of Management
		Technical Session 3.3: Governance, Institutions and Public Policy <i>Venue:</i> Room R-3, Second Floor, Department of Management
		Technical Session 3.4: Governance, Institutions and Public Policy <i>Venue:</i> Room R-4, Second Floor, Department of Management
11:20 -13:15	:	Thematic Panel 2: Role of Riverscapes in Supporting River Sustainability: Research and Policy Concerns <i>(Organisers:</i> National Institute of Urban Affairs (NIUA) and Institute for Human Development (IHD), New Delhi) <i>Venue:</i> Room R-5, First Floor, Department of Management
13:15 – 14:15	:	LUNCH <i>Venue:</i> International Guest House
14:15-16:15	:	PARALLEL SESSIONS: Technical Sessions & Thematic Panel
14:15-16:15	:	Technical Sessions Technical Session 1.5: Challenges of Climate Change and Sustainable Development <i>Venue:</i> Room R-1, Second Floor, Department of Management Technical Session 2.4: Technological Transformation and Inclusive Development <i>Venue:</i> Room R-2, Second Floor, Department of Management Technical Session 3.5: Governance, Institutions and Public Policy <i>Venue:</i> Room R-3, Second Floor, Department of Management
14:15-16:15	:	Thematic Panel 3: Education and Skills for Future in Jharkhand in the Context of Changing Employment and Labour Market <i>(Organiser:</i> IHD-Eastern Regional Centre (ERC)) <i>Venue:</i> Room R-5, First Floor, Department of Management
16: 15-16:35	:	TEA <i>Venue:</i> Department of Management

16:40 – 18:45	PLENARY SESSION 4: Panel on Inclusive India @ 100: People-Policies-Economy <i>(Organiser: Research and Information System for Developing Countries (RIS), New Delhi)</i> <i>Venue: CAT Hall</i>
Chair	: Sachin Chaturvedi Director General, Research and Information System for Developing Countries (RIS), New Delhi
Introduction and Panel Context	: K. Seeta Prabhu Conference President; Visiting Professor, IHD and Former Head, Human Development Resource Centre, UNDP
Panelists	: Mahendra Dev Editor, Economic and Political Weekly (EPW); Former Chairman, Commission for Agricultural Costs and Prices, Government of India, and Former Vice President, International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI), Washington D.C. <hr/> : Alakh N. Sharma Director, Institute for Human Development (IHD), New Delhi <hr/> : R.R. Rashmi Distinguished Fellow, The Energy and Resources Institute, New Delhi; Former Special Secretary, Ministry of Environment and Forests, GoI and Former Chief Secretary, Government of Manipur
18:45 – 19:30	: CULTURAL PROGRAMME <i>Venue: CAT Hall</i>
19:30 onwards	: DINNER <i>Venue: International Guest House</i>

DAY 3
SUNDAY, 27 OCTOBER 2024

07:30hrs – 08:45hrs	:	BREAKFAST AND TEA <i>Venue: International Guest House</i>
08:45 – 10:45	:	PARALLEL SESSIONS: Technical Sessions & Thematic Panels
09:00 – 10:55	:	Technical Sessions Technical Session 1.6: Challenges of Climate Change and Sustainable Development <i>Venue:</i> Room R-1, Second Floor, Department of Management Technical Session 1.7: Challenges of Climate Change and Sustainable Development <i>Venue:</i> Room R-2, Second Floor, Department of Management Technical Session 3.6: Governance, Institutions and Public Policy <i>Venue:</i> Room R-3, Second Floor, Department of Management
09:00 – 10:55	:	Thematic Panel 4: Enhancing Income and Status of Tribal Women through Improved Marketing of NTFP (Findings from an Action Research by IHD) <i>(Organiser: IHD-Eastern Regional Centre (ERC))</i> <i>Venue:</i> Room R-5, First Floor, Department of Management
09:00 – 10:55	:	Thematic Panel 5: Digital Platforms, Labour, and Collective Urban Life <i>(Organisers: Hyderabad Urban Labs and Indraprastha Institute of Information Technology, Delhi)</i> <i>Venue:</i> Room R-4, Second Floor, Department of Management
11.00 – 11.15	:	TEA <i>Venue: Foyer, CAT Hall</i>

11.15 – 12.15 : **PLENARY SESSION 5:**
TARLOK SINGH MEMORIAL LECTURE
Venue: CAT Hall

Chair : **P. K. Anand, IAS (Retd.)**
Visiting Fellow
RIS and Former Senior Adviser, NITI Aayog

Lecture by : **Mario Pezzini**
Special Advisor for Social and Human Sciences, UNESCO
Former Director, OECD Development Centre and
Former Special Advisor, OECD Secretary General on Development
Shaping a Desirable Society

12:15 – 13:15 : **VALEDICTORY SESSION**
Venue: CAT Hall

Welcome : **I.C. Awasthi**
Member Secretary
Indian Association of Social Science Institutions
New Delhi

Remarks : **Alakh N. Sharma**
Professor and Director
Institute for Human Development, New Delhi

Address by the
IASSI Chairperson : **Sachin Chaturvedi**
Director General
Research and Information System for Developing Countries (RIS)

**Valedictory
Address by the
Chief Guest** : **Ramesh Chand**
Member, NITI Aayog
***Insights into Agriculture Growth at Disaggregate Level and
Implication for Future Strategy***

Closing Remarks
and Vote of Thanks : **Aditi Madan**
Joint Secretary
Indian Association of Social Science Institutions, New Delhi

: **Manju Bhagat**

Professor

Department of Management, BIT, Mesra, Ranchi and
Organising Secretary, 23rd IASSI Annual Conference

13:15

: **LUNCH**

Venue: International Guest House

13:45-18.00

: **COMPLIMENTARY LOCAL EXCURSION**

DETAILS OF THEMATIC PANELS

DAY 1

FRIDAY, 25 OCTOBER 2024

16:50 – 19: 15 : **Thematic Panel 1:**
Migration among Scheduled Tribes in India
(Organiser: Institute for Human Development, New Delhi)
Venue: Room R-5, First Floor, Department of Management

Chair : **Sucheta Sen Chaudhury**
Professor
Department of Anthropology and Tribal Studies
Central University of Jharkhand, Ranchi

Theme Address : **Virginus Xaxa**
Visiting Professor, IHD and
Former Professor of Sociology, University of Delhi

Panelists : **Bhim Reddy**
Senior Fellow, IHD

: **Amrita Datta**
Assistant Professor
Department of Liberal Arts, IIT Hyderabad

: **Balwant Singh Mehta**
Professor
IHD, New Delhi

Sunil Kumar Mishra
Senior Fellow
IHD, New Delhi

: **Haricharan Behera**
Associate Professor
Indian Statistical Institute
Giridih Centre, Jharkhand

DAY 2

SATURDAY, 26 OCTOBER 2024

11:20 -13:15	<p>: Thematic Panel 2: Role of Riverscapes in Supporting River Sustainability: Research and Policy Concerns <i>(Organisers: National Institute of Urban Affairs (NIUA) and Institute for Human Development (IHD), New Delhi)</i> <i>Venue: Room R-5, First Floor, Department of Management</i></p>
Chair	<p>: Debolina Kundu Director, National Institute of Urban Affairs, New Delhi</p>
Introductory Remarks and setting the Context	<p>: Anuradha Sen Mookerjee Senior Fellow, IHD</p>
Keynote Address	<p>: Rajiv Sinha Professor, Department of Earth Sciences, Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur <i>Riverscapes in Anthropocene: The Sustainability Perspective</i></p>
Panelists	<p>: Nelapatla Ashok Babu Director, National River Conservation Directorate (NRCD), Department of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation, Ministry of Jal Shakti, Gol</p> <p>: Jenia Mukherjee Associate Professor, Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur <i>Reifying riverscapes: Capturing Hydrosocial Narratives using Ethno-graphy as an agency-induced tool</i></p> <p>: Bejoy Thomas Associate Professor (Humanities and Social Sciences) and Associate Dean (Academics), Indian Institute of Science Education and Research Pune (IISER Pune) <i>Rethinking Water Management: An Integrated, River Basin Perspective</i></p> <p>: Rakesh Tiwari Faculty, A. N. Sinha Institute of Social Studies, Patna <i>Reclaiming Access to Environmental Commons</i></p>

14:15-16:15 : **Thematic Panel 3**
Education and Skills for Future in Jharkhand in the Context of Changing Employment and Labour Market
(Organiser: IHD-Eastern Regional Centre (ERC))
Venue: Room R-5, First Floor, Department of Management

Chair : **Rahul Purwar**
Principal Secretary, Higher Education, Jharkhand

Theme : **Tanuka Endow and Balwant Singh Mehta**
Presentation Professors, IHD

Panelists : **Sudhanshu Bhushan**
Professor and Head of Department of Higher & Professional Education, National University of Educational Planning and Administration, New Delhi

: **Prabhat Barnwal**
Associate Professor, Michigan State University, USA

: **Tapan Kumar Shandilya**
Vice Chancellor, Dr. Shyama Prasad Mukherjee University, Ranchi

DAY 3

SUNDAY, 27 OCTOBER 2024

08:45 – 10:45	: Thematic Panel 4: Enhancing Income and Status of Tribal Women through Improved Marketing of NTFP <i>(Findings from an Action Research by IHD)</i> (Organiser: IHD-Eastern Regional Centre (ERC)) Venue: Room R-5, First Floor, Department of Management
Chair	Kripa Nand Jha, IAS Secretary, Department of Scheduled Tribe, Scheduled Caste, Minority, and Backward Class Welfare, Govt. of Jharkhand
Co-Chair	: Ajay Nath Jha, IAS Tribal Welfare Commissioner and Managing Director Jharkhand State Tribe Cooperative Development Corporation
Presentations	: Dev Nathan Professor, IHD
	: Poonam Toppo Project Consultant, IHD
	: Sanjay Basu Malik Project Consultant, IHD
Panelists	: H.S. Gupta Former Chief Principal Conservator of Forest, Jharkhand
	: Johnson Topno Executive Director PHIA Foundation, New Delhi
	: Virginus Xaxa Visiting Professor, IHD and Former Professor of Sociology, University of Delhi

08:45 – 10:45

: **Thematic Panel 5:**

Digital Platforms, Labour, and Collective Urban Life

(*Organisers:* Hyderabad Urban Labs and Indraprastha Institute of Information Technology, Delhi)

Venue: Room R-4, Second Floor, Department of Management

Moderator

: **Gayatri Nair**

Assistant Professor

Indraprastha Institute of Information Technology (IIIT), New Delhi

Panelists

: **Eesha Kunduri**

PhD Scholar, Department of Geography, Environment & Society

University of Minnesota, USA and Visiting Researcher, Hyderabad Urban Labs

: **Anushree Gupta**

PhD Scholar, Department of Liberal Arts, Indian Institute of Technology, Hyderabad

: **Shaik Salauddin**

Founder-President, Telangana Gig and Platform Workers Union, Hyderabad

: **Pratik Mishra**

General Secretary, All India Gig Workers Unions, Jharkhand

: **Ambika Tandon**

PhD Scholar, Department of Geography

University of Cambridge, UK

: **Surendra Singh**

Jharkhand State Taxi Union & App-Based Taxi Workers Union

DETAILS OF THEMATIC SESSIONS AND TECHNICAL SESSIONS

DAY 1

FRIDAY, 25 OCTOBER 2024

16:50 – 19:15	
THEMATIC SESSION	
<i>Venue:</i> Room R-4, Second Floor, Department of Management	
Chair	Rajiv Sinha Professor, Department of Earth Sciences Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur
Discussant	Purnamita Dasgupta Chair Professor and Head, Environment and Resource Economics Unit, Institute of Economic Growth, Delhi

Beyond SDGs: Quest for a New Development Paradigm G20 Lens

Milindo Chakrabarti

Professor, Research and Information System for Developing Countries (RIS), New Delhi

Pratyush Sharma

Consultant, Research and Information System for Developing Countries (RIS), New Delhi

Relative Importance of the Determinants of CO2 Emissions in the Selected Emerging Economies

Seema Joshi

Professor, Kirori Mal College, New Delhi

Sachin Gupta

Dean, Vivekananda Institute of Professional Studies- Technical Campus

Enhancing Climate Resilience in MGNREGA: Strategies for Sustainable Development

Manish Ranjan, IAS

Director General, Shri Krishna Institute of Public Administration (SKIPPA), Government of Jharkhand, Ranchi

Imagining Sustainable Agriculture in Viksit Bharat @2047

S.P. Singh

Professor of Economics, IIT Roorkee, Uttarakhand

Strengthening Women & Land Rights: Contested Policies and Social Norms

Govind Kelkar

Visiting Professor, Institute for Human Development

E. Revathi

Professor and Director, Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad

Socio-Economic Linkages of GI Registered Products: An Assessment within and Beyond India

Nalin Bharti

Chair Professor, Indian Institute of Technology, Patna

Muskan Kanwar

Research Scholar, Indian Institute of Technology, Patna

Shivaditya

Research Assistant, Indian Institute of Technology, Patna

Climate Change and Inequality in Karnataka

S Madheswaran

Professor and Head, Centre for Economic Studies and Policy, Institute for Social and Economic Change, Bengaluru

Gowri Prasad K

Ph.D. Scholar, Centre for Economic Studies and Policy Institute for Social and Economic Change, Bengaluru

DAY1

FRIDAY, 25 OCTOBER 2024

16.50-19.15	TECHNICAL SESSION 1.1 <i>Venue:</i> Room R-1, Second Floor, Department of Management
Chair:	Anand B. Rao Institute Chair Professor & Head, Centre for Technology Alternatives for Rural Areas (C-TARA), Associate faculty: Ashank Desai Centre for Policy Studies; Centre for Climate Studies, IIT Bombay
Discussants:	Dev Nathan Professor, Institute for Human Development, New Delhi Bejoy Thomas Associate Professor, Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (IISER), Pune
<i>Climate Change Effects and Challenges of Coffee Plantation in Dindigul District</i>	
P G Balasubramanian President, Alternative Agriculture Research Foundation (NGO), Salem, Tamil Nadu	
<i>Challenges of Climate Change and Dilemma on Using Chemical Pesticides in Agriculture</i>	
Kailas Thaware Professor, Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics, Pune	
<i>Balancing Tradition and Modernity: The Role of Sustainability in the Era of Modernization</i>	
Smriti Singh Professor, Indian Institute of Technology, Patna	
Labani Biswas Research Scholar, Indian Institute of Technology, Patna	
Sohini Naiya Research Scholar, Indian Institute of Technology, Patna	
<i>Spirituality and Nature as a Balance to Climate Change: Towards Sustainable Indigenous Developments</i>	
Pedro Henrique Azalim Cunha Student, UFMG (Federal University of Minas Gerais), Belo Horizonte, Brazil	
Roberto Luis de Melo Monte-Mór Professor, UFMG (Federal University of Minas Gerais), Belo Horizonte, Brazil	

The Causal Effects and the Impact of Climate Change: A Review of Floods in KwaZulu Natal- North and South of eThekweni

Simangele, Constance Cele

Senior Lecturer, University of Zululand, Empangeni

Joyce M. Mdiniso

Senior Lecturer-HoD, Department of Anthropology and Development Studies, University of Zululand

Inclusive Employment for Sustainable Development in India: An Analysis

Sajida Anjum

Head of P G Department of Economics L S College, BRABU Muzaffarpur, Bihar

Analysis of annual and seasonal trends of rainfall in districts of Madhya Pradesh

Alinda George

Assistant Professor, Christ (Deemed to be University), Bengaluru

Soham Ghosh

Research Scholar, Indian Institute of Technology, Indore

Amrutha A A

Research Scholar, Indian Institute of Technology, Indore

16.50-19.15	TECHNICAL SESSION 2.1 <i>Venue:</i> Room R-2, Second Floor, Department of Management
Chair:	Alok Kumar Mishra Professor, School of Economics, University of Hyderabad
Discussants:	Tomo Kawane Sr. Researcher, Indian Japan Laboratory Keio University, Tokyo, Japan Amrishi Gautam Associate Professor, Amity University, Ranchi

Digital Literacy in India: Initiatives, Status, and Challenges

Geetha Rani Prakasam, Professor, NIEPA, New Delhi

India's New Skilled Workers: Skilling, Migration, Employment, and Livelihoods

Narayan Barman, Senior Research Associate, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai

Subhajit Banerjee, Research Associate, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai

Sandhya Iyer, Professor, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai

Sanchita Das, Assistant Professor, Tata Institute of Social Sciences

Predicting and Unveiling the Drivers of Multidimensional Poverty in India: A Machine Learning Approach Integrating Satellite and Socioeconomic Data

Prashant Kumar Arya, Visiting Fellow, Institute for Human Development, New Delhi

Koyel Sur, Scientist C, Geospatial Resource Mapping and Application Group, Punja Remote Sensing Centre (PRSC)

Tanushree Kundu, Assistant Professor, Central University of Jharkhand, Ranchi

Siddharth Dhote, Senior Research Associate, Institute for Human Development, New Delhi

Beyond Food Self-Sufficiency: Green Revolution and Nutrition Risks among Females in India

Kumar Ashutosh, Ph.D. Scholar, IFMR Graduate School of Business, Krea University, Sri City, Chittoor

Factor Augmenting Technology and Elasticities of Factor Substitution in Production Structure: A Study on Indian Industries

Swapan Chakraborty, Assistant Professor, St. Xavier's University, Kolkata

Global Value Chains and Informality in Developing Economies: Relation between GVC Participation and the Size of Informal Economies

Kumar Rohit, Ph.D. Scholar, South Asian University, New Delhi

Exclusion and Access to Primary Education in Bihar: A Multi-dimensional Approach

Rosy Sulochana, Assistant Professor, B.R.A. Bihar University, Muzaffarpur

16.50-19.15

TECHNICAL SESSION 3.1

Venue: Room R-3, Second Floor, Department of Management

Chair:

Raju Poddar

Professor, BIT, Mesra

Discussants:

Sudhanshu Kumar Mishra

Associate Professor, BIT, Mesra

Prabhat Kumar Tripathi

Associate Professor & Associate Dean, Amity University Ranchi

A Comparative Analysis and Overview of Selected Nutrition Policies from India and South Africa

Sheetal Bhoola, Lecturer, The University of Zululand, Durban

Dasaratha Chetty, Adjunct Professor, Durban University of Technology, Durban, South Africa

Transformation of Human Resource Management in the Digital Age: Recent Trends and Practices

Afzal Hassan Khan, Assistant Professor, NSHM Business School, NSHM Knowledge Campus Durgapur

Manju Bhagat, Professor, Birla Institute of Technology, Mesra, Ranchi

Exploring Subaltern Politics in Defence of the National Rural Employment Guarantee Act in Neoliberal India

Matilde Adduci, Lecturer, History and Institution of Asia Department of Humanities, University of Turin

Governance of Public Procurement in India: A Legal Analysis of the Procurement Policy, Scope of Judicial Review, and Approach of the Constitutional Courts towards Interpretation of Tender Documents

Ravindra Kumar Singh, Professor of Law, Gujarat National Law University, Gandhinagar, Gujarat

South-South Cooperation and the Right to Development in the Era of SDGs and Beyond

Pratyush Sharma, Consultant, Research and Information System for Developing Countries, New Delhi

Impact of Political Regime on Remittance Flows in Asian Countries

Krittika Sen Bandyopadhyay, Assistant Professor, Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur

Abhideep Khare, Masters Student, Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur

Debate on Contract Farming Policy in India: Perspectives from Smallholder Farmers in West Bengal, India

Prasenjit Barik, Ph.D. Scholar, Indian Institute of Technology, Guwahati

Rajshree Bedamatta, Professor, Indian Institute of Technology, Guwahati

DAY 2

SATURDAY, 26 OCTOBER 2024

09:00–11:00	THEMATIC SESSION 2 <i>Venue:</i> Room R-5, First Floor, Department of Management
Chair	S.P. Singh Professor of Economics, IIT Roorkee, Uttarakhand
Discussants	Sukalyan Chakraborty Associate Professor & Associate Dean, BIT, Mesra Tanushree Kundu Assistant Professor, Central University of Jharkhand, Ranchi

Ensuring Social Sector Convergence in Inclusive Urbanisation: An Empirical Study of Select Cities in Telangana

Alok Kumar Mishra

Professor, School of Economics, University of Hyderabad

Iti Vyas

Assistant Professor, ICFAI Law School, IFHE, Hyderabad

The Role of Courts in Promoting Climate Action from a Human Rights Perspective

Sudha Shrotria

Former Joint Secretary to Government of India;
Environmental Lawyer, Independent, New Delhi

Towards Understanding of Entrepreneurial Ecosystem of Women Entrepreneurs in India

Tomo Kawane

Sr. Researcher, Indian Japan Laboratory
Keio University, Tokyo, Japan

Addressing the Development Concerns of Uttarakhand

Rajendra Prasad Mamgain

Professor & Head, Department of Economics, Doon University, Dehradun

Timing the Transfer: Liquidity Constraints and the Transition to Clean Fuels

Farzana Afridi

Professor of Economics at the Indian Statistical Institute (Delhi)

Prabhat Barnwal

Associate Professor, Michigan State University, USA

Shreya Sarkar

Doctoral Student · University of California, Berkeley

Poverty, Migration, Socio-Economic Discrimination and Rising Indebtedness of Illegal Immigrant Workers from Bangladesh: A Case Study in West Bengal, India

Dipanwita Chakraborty

Giri Institute of Development Studies (GIDS), Lucknow

Parmod Kumar

Professor and Head, Agriculture Development and Rural Transformation Centre (ADRTC), Institute for Social and Economic Change, Bangalore

09.00-11.00

TECHNICAL SESSION 1.2

Venue: Room R-1, Second Floor, Department of Management

Chair:

E. Revathi

Professor and Director

Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad

Discussants:

P C Deogharia

Former Professor of Economics, Vinoba Bhave University, Hazaribagh

Sudhanshu Kumar Mishra

Associate Professor, BIT, Mesra

Addressing Climate Change and Sustainable Development: Role of Renewable Energy

Anand B. Rao, Institute Chair Professor & Head, Centre for Technology Alternatives for Rural Areas (C-TARA), Associate faculty: Ashank Desai Centre for Policy Studies; Centre for Climate Studies, Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay

Harnessing Green Technologies, Big Data Analytics, and Decentralized Governance: Denmark's Strategic Insights for Strengthening India's Jal Jeevan Mission

Manish Ranjan, IAS

Director General, Shri Krishna Institute of Public Administration (SKIP), Government of Jharkhand, Ranchi

On the Development of National Evaluation Capacities: Evidence from Karnataka, India
S Madheswaran, Professor and Head, Centre for Economic Studies and Policy, Institute for Social and Economic Change, Bengaluru

Gowri Prasad.K, Ph.D. Scholar, Centre for Economic Studies and Policy Institute for Social and Economic Change, Bengaluru

Examining the efficacy of Inclusive DRR policies at City and District level- A case study of Ganjam District, Odisha

Aishwarya Bali, Junior Program Associate, National Institute of Urban Affairs, New Delhi

Kanika Bansal, Lead, Universal Design and Accessibility, National Institute of Urban Affairs

Utsav Choudhury, Program Manager, National Institute of Urban Affairs

Inequalities and Development at G20 Action and UN Summit of the Future

Sabyasachi Saha, Associate Professor, Research and Information System for Developing Countries (RIS)

Syed Arslan Ali, Research Assistant, Research and Information System for Developing Countries (RIS)

The Role of Indigenous People of India in Combating Climate Change and Resource Management Sustainability

Kirti, Professor, College of Commerce, Arts & Science, Patliputra University, Patna

Abha Rani Sinha, Professor, P.G. Department of Psychology, B. R.A. Bihar University

Perceptions about Green Buildings in a Metropolitan city: A Case of Bengaluru

Channamma Kambara, Assistant Professor, Centre for Research in Urban Affairs, Institute of Social and Economic Change (ISEC), Bengaluru

Manasi S, Professor, Institute of Social and Economic Change (ISEC), Bengaluru

Vijayalakshmi S, Assistant Professor, School of Business, RV University

09.00-11.00

TECHNICAL SESSION 1.3

Venue: Room R-4, Second Floor, Department of Management

Chair:

Balaji Parthasarathy

Professor, International Institute of Information Technology (IIIT), Bangalore

Discussants:

Tanushree Bhattacharya

Associate Professor, BIT, Ranchi

Abhaya Ranjan Srivastava

Associate Professor, BIT, Mesra

Integrating Indigenous Knowledge of Tribal Communities and Their Traditional Practices to Enhance Sustainability Efforts

Ivana Chakraborty, Assistant Professor, St. Xavier's College, Ranchi

Sanchay Ghosal, Ph.D. Scholar, Ranchi University

Integrated Plastic Waste Management in Rural & Urban areas of Samastipur District, Bihar: For effectively waste management and resource efficiency

Arvind Kumar, Waste Management Advisor, GIZ India

Impact Analysis of Hybrid and High Yielding Rice Varieties (HYVs) On Productivity, Profitability and GHGs Emission In The Coastal Saline Zone Of West Bengal State, India: A Multi-Criteria Approach

Kundan Mahato, Young Professional, Rajasthan State Rural Livelihood Mission (RGAVP), Jaipur

Subhajit Banerjee, Research Associate, Tata Institute of Social Sciences

Surjakanta Pramanik, Research Assistant, University of Calcutta

Simeon Emilov Dimitrov, Research Scientist, Bulgarian Academy of Sciences

Urban Heat Island: A Strong Contributor to Climate Change, Case Study of Jaipur with Emphasis on Urban Forestry and Sustainable Development

Anindita Bhattacharjee, Assistant Professor, Amity School of Architecture and Planning, Amity University, Kolkata

Tania Das, Assistant Professor, Amity School of Architecture and Planning, Amity University, Kolkata

Akshey Bhargava, Ex. Member Secretary, Rajasthan Pollution Control Board

The Nexus of Energy Consumption, Trade Openness, and Economic Growth on Environmental Degradation: Evidence from SAARC Countries

Priyanka Sahu, Assistant Professor, Ghani Khan Choudhury Institute of Engineering and Technology, Narayanpur

Building Women's Leadership in Water Conservation: A Situational Analysis of Alwar, Rajasthan

Naveen Kumar, Head of the Department, Centre for Social Research, New Delhi

Nehul Goyal, Project Coordinator, Centre for Social Research, New Delhi

Subsidies vs. Substitution: Forest Cover and Effectiveness of Clean Fuel Policies in Rural India

Samarpita Ghosh, Research Scholar, University of Kalyani, Kolkata

Prasenjit Sarkhel, Associate Professor, University of Kalyani

09.00-11.00

TECHNICAL SESSION 2.2

Venue: Room R-2, Second Floor, Department of Management

Chair:

Dasaratha Chetty

Adjunct Professor, Durban University of Technology, Durban, South Africa

Discussants:

Milindo Chakrabarti

Visiting Fellow, Research and Information System for Developing Countries (RIS), New Delhi

Pranab Kumar

Professor, BIT, Mesra

Extreme Heat Risk Impact on Small Businesses and Solutions in Five Indian Cities

Vishal Pathak, Senior Coordinator, All India Disaster Mitigation Institute, Ahmedabad

Satyam Singh, Researcher, All India Disaster Mitigation Institute

Grace George, Research Assistant, All India Disaster Mitigation Institute

Review Paper on Organizational Structure and Workforce Discipline in Assam Tea Industry

Gulshan Borah, Research Scholar, Martin Luther Christian University, Shillong, Meghalaya

Exploring Digital Financial Inclusion in India: A Socio-Economic and Demographic Analysis Using NSSO Data

Zehra Tabassum, Research Scholar, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi

Padmini Ravindra Nath, Associate Professor, Banaras Hindu University

Leveraging Technology for Effective Fund Allocation in Sustainable Development Goals: A Financial Innovation Model

Neha Raj Singh, Assistant Professor, Chaitanya International Business College, Gaya

Suman Priyadarshi, Ph.D. Scholar, Magadh University

Determinants of FoMO Among GenZ and its Coping Strategies

Shruti Sudha Mishra, Assistant Professor, Kalinga Institute of Social Science (DU), Bhubaneswar

Anita Pareek, Assistant Professor, Kalinga Institute of Social Science (DU)

Binita Nanda, Assistant Professor, Kalinga Institute of Social Science (DU)

Determinants and Gender-Related Differential of Financial Inclusion in India: An Evidence from Decomposition Analysis

Sumit Kumar, Ph.D. Scholar, Indian Institute of Technology, Indore

Kalandi Charan Pradhan, Assistant Professor, Indian Institute of Technology, Indore

09.00-11.00

TECHNICAL SESSION 3.2

Venue: Room R-3, Second Floor, Department of Management

Chair: **Krityanand Kumar Bhagat**
Professor, XISS, Ranchi

Discussants: **Matilde Adduci**
Researcher, University of Turin, Italy
Lipishree Das
Associate Professor, Ravenshaw University, Cuttack

Judicial Self-Perceptions and The Separation of Powers in Varied Political Regime Contexts

Max Steuer

Associate Professor (Jindal Global Law School) and Principal Investigator (Department of Political Science) O.P. Jindal Global University and Comenius University in Bratislava, Sonipat

Advancing Financial Inclusion Through Incentives in Women's Health: Evidences from Field

Archana Sinha, Gender & Development Specialist, Professor Emeritus, Indian Social Institute, New Delhi

An Analytical Study about the Fiscal Positions and Extent of Government Debt in North Eastern States of India

Rupjyoti Bordoloi, Assistant Professor, Rabindranath Tagore University, Hojai

Determinants of Utilization of Integrated Child Development Services in Uttar Pradesh: A District wise Analysis

Lakhan Singh, Assistant Professor, National Institute of Rural Development and Panchayati Raj, Hyderabad

Citizen Participation in India's Smart Cities Mission: The Case of Patna

Deepak Kumar, Research Associate, Asian Development Research Institute, Patna

Policy Planning for Ship Recycling Industry

Hrudanand Gunanidhi Misra, Professor, Institute of Management, Nirma University Ahmedabad

A Travesty of Law: The Implementation of Right to Education in Patna, Bihar

Kalyan Shankar V, Associate Professor, Symbiosis School of Economics, Symbiosis International (Deemed University) Pune

Naveen Kumar, Ph.D. Scholar, Symbiosis School of Economics, Symbiosis International (Deemed University)

11.20-13.15

TECHNICAL SESSION 1.4

Venue: Room R-1, Second Floor, Department of Management

Chair:

Tomo Kawane

Sr. Researcher, Indian Japan Laboratory
Keio University, Tokyo, Japan

Discussants:

R.P. Mamgain

Professor, Department of Economics, Doon University, Dehradun

Pradeep Kerketta SJ

Assistant Director, XISS, Ranchi

Optimizing Water Demand Management Through Consumer Willingness to Pay: A Strategy for Sustainable Water Use

Nirupama Tete, Assistant Professor, Ravenshaw University Cuttack

Lipishree Das, Associate Professor, Ravenshaw University

Long-Term Effects of Natural Disasters on Household Assets: Evidence from India

Rupali Tamuly, Faculty Parvatibai Chowgule College of Arts and Science, Autonomous, Goa

Pranab Mukhopadhyay, Professor, Goa Business School, Goa University

Financial Inclusion and Financial Literacy Among Tribal Households: A Study of Bankura District of West Bengal, India

Sudipta Sarkar, Associate Professor, Department of Rural Development Studies, University Of Kalyani

Climatic Vulnerability and Health Risks: An all-India Analysis

Girika Sharma, Senior Research Analyst, Institute of Economic Growth, Delhi

Purnamita Dasgupta, Professor, Institute of Economic Growth

William Joe, Assistant Professor, Institute of Economic Growth

Gudakesh, Assistant Professor, Institute of Economic Growth

Madhura Chowdhari, Junior Consultant, Institute of Economic Growth

Potentiality of Clean Energy Demand for India's Sustainable Future

Bidisha Chatterjee, Assistant Professor, St. Xavier's College, Burdwan

Role of COS's for Extreme Heat Management in India

Kshitij Gupta, Senior Coordinator, All India Disaster Mitigation Institute, Lucknow

Rutuj Salunkhe, Researcher, All India Disaster Mitigation Institute

Grace George, Research Assistant, All India Disaster Mitigation Institute

Local Governance and Climate Change Action Plan in Maharashtra: Case Studies of Pune City

Satyendra Kumar Prasad, Assistant Professor, Dr. Viswanath Karad MIT-World Peace University, Pune

Bishnu Prasad Mohapatra, Assistant Professor, Dr. Viswanath Karad MIT-World Peace University, Pune

11.20-13.15 TECHNICAL SESSION 2.3

Venue: Room R-2, Second Floor, Department of Management

Chair: Parmod Kumar

Professor and Head, Agriculture Development and Rural Transformation Centre (ADRTC), Institute for Social and Economic Change, Bangalore

Discussants: I.C. Awasthi
IHD

Balwant Singh Mehta
Professor, IHD

Financial inclusion through PMJDY: An Empirical Study

Neelu Kumari, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Ranchi University

Very Small Businesses (VSBs) for Economic Development and the Role of Digital Competency in Women-Owned VSBs

Shewli Hira, Ph.D. Scholar, Swami Vivekananda Subharti University, Meerut

Sartaj Ahmad, Professor, Swami Vivekanand Subharti University

Manoj Tripathi, Head of the Department, Swami Vivekanand Subharti University

A Preliminary Study of The Impact Of 4IR on Agricultural Labor in India

Deepika Devi, Ph.D. Scholar, Pondicherry University, Puducherry

Technological Transformation and the Changing Nature of Work: Implications for Inclusive Development in Vocational Education

Meghna Khurania, Ph.D. Scholar, Jawaharlal Nehru University, Delhi

Impact of Trade Liberalization on Wage Inequality and Skill Formation: A Theoretical Analysis

Niladri Saha, Ph.D. Scholar, Visva-Bharati University, Santiniketan, West Bengal.

Priya Brata Dutta, Assistant Professor, Visva-Bharati University, Santiniketan, West Bengal.

Empowerment Strategies: Advancing Skills Through Technical and Pedagogical Expertise

Merin Prakash, Ph.D. Scholar, St. Joseph's College (Autonomous), Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli

F.R. Alexander Pravin Durai, Vice Principal & Associate Professor, St. Joseph's College (Autonomous), Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli

Opportunity to Get Rich Before Getting Old: Analysing the Demographic Capabilities of Bihar

Ekta Yadav, Ph.D. Scholar, University of Lucknow

Rachna Mujoo, Dean, Faculty of Commerce, University of Lucknow

11.20-13.15

TECHNICAL SESSION 3.3

Venue: Room R-3, Second Floor, Department of Management

Chair:

Avinash Samal

Dean, Social Sciences & Student Welfare
Hidayatullah National Law University, Naya Raipur

Discussants:

Sandhya Iyer

Professor, Centre for Public Policy, Habitat and Human Development,
School of Development Studies, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai

Max Steuer

Associate Professor (Jindal Global Law School) and Principal Investigator
(Department of Political Science) O.P. Jindal Global University and
Comenius University in Bratislava, Sonipat

Ecofeminism: A portrayal of humanism in the text 'Nectar in Sieve'

Rupa Sarkar, Associate Professor, Department of English, ARKA JAIN University, Jharkhand

The Interplay of Government Policy, Unemployment, and Poverty in India: A Review

Veerabhadrarajah C, Associate Professor, B.M.S. College of Law, Bangalore

The Multifaceted Nature of Crisis: Insights from Talakanpada Village, Bhadrak District, Odisha During the COVID-19 Pandemic

Ravindra Nath Mahto, Ph.D. Scholar, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi

Rasmita Das, Ph.D. Scholar, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi

Economic Growth and Diversity in India: A State-Level Analysis

Kumar Shaishav, Ph.D. Scholar, Indian Institute of Technology, Roorkee

Interrelationships between School Infrastructure and Students Performance: An Empirical Study of Physical and Human Inputs in Selected Districts of West Bengal

Samir Kumer Das, Assistant Professor, University of Petroleum and Energy Studies (UPES) Dehradun

Tracing and Forecasting the Locus of Sex Ratio and Its Socio-Economic Correlates in 20th and 21st Century India: A Multilevel-Longitudinal Study

Rohan Kanti Khan, Assistant Professor, Maulana Abul Kalam Azad University of Technology, Haringhata

Sukhendu Samajdar, Professor, Maulana Abul Kalam Azad University of Technology

Sushovon Jana, Assistant Professor, Maulana Abul Kalam Azad University of Technology

Transgender Participation in Workforce: An Exploratory Study

Madhurima Dasgupta, Assistant Professor (Sociology), The Neotia University, Kolkata

Indranil Bose, Associate Dean & Professor, School of Management MIT University Of Meghalaya, Shillong

11.20-13.15

TECHNICAL SESSION 3.4

Venue: Room R-4, Second Floor, Department of Management

Chair:

Smriti Singh

Professor, IIT Patna

Discussants:

Tanuka Endow

Professor, IHD

Sunita Keshri

Professor, BIT, Mesra

Caste-inflected State and Agricultural Land Grab in Patna

Mukesh Kumar, Ph.D. Scholar, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai

Intimate Partner Violence: Looking at Intra Household Scenario Using Secondary Data Analysis

Priyanthi Bagchi, Assistant Professor, Netaji Subhas Open University, Kolkata

Illuminating Regional Disparities: A Nightlight-Based Assessment of Development Pattern in Jharkhand

Tanushree Kundu, Assistant Professor, Central University of Jharkhand, Ranchi

Prashant Kumar Arya, Visiting Fellow, Institute for Human Development, New Delhi

Governance, Institutions and Polices and their Impact on Bonded Labour in India

Joshua Moses, Advocate Self-employed, Gurugram

Temsukumla Pongener, Advocate Self-employed

Construction and Standardisation of Attitude Scale of Elderly Towards the Health Aspects in Rural Bihar

Colonel Ajay Kumar Roy (Retd.), Ph.D. Scholar, School of Extension and Development Studies, IGNOU

Bikram Pattanaik, Professor, School of Extension and Development Studies, IGNOU

Sarda Prasad, Assistant Professor, School of Extension and Development Studies, IGNOU

Policy Perspectives on Extreme Heat Adaptation and Mitigation in India

Mehul Pandya, Senior Coordinator, All India Disaster Mitigation Institute

Pratiti Sasmal, Researcher, All India Disaster Mitigation Institute

Grace George, Research Assistant, All India Disaster Mitigation Institute

Leveraging Demographic Dividend for Viksit Bharat@2047

Manoj Kumar, Assistant Professor, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi

Nikita Jain, Student, Banaras Hindu University

NICHE Tourism Products: A Solution to Seasonal Unemployment and 365 Days Tourist Destination in Bodoland Territorial Region of Assam

Gunajit Sarma, Associate Professor, Central Institute of Technology, Kokrajhar

14.15-16.15

TECHNICAL SESSION 1.5

Venue: Room R-1, Second Floor, Department of Management

Chair:

Nalin Bharti

Chair Professor, Indian Institute of Technology, Patna

Discussants:

Bhim Reddy

Senior Fellow, Institute for Human Development, New Delhi

Tanushree Bhattacharya

Associate Professor, BIT, Mesra

ESG Goals Aligned with DEI to Enhance Employee Engagement and Productivity

Supriya Krishnan, Assistant Professor. Department of PMIR, Darbhanga House, Patna University

Karnataka and India's Silk Industry: A Comprehensive Analysis of Sericulture Dynamics and Sustainability Practices

Revappa M Rebasiddanavar, Scientist, CSB- Central Sericulture Research and Training Institute, Mysuru

Geetha GS, SRA, CSB- Central Sericulture Research and Training Institute, Mysuru

Gandhi Doss, Director, CSB- Central Sericulture Research and Training Institute, Mysuru

Each One Plant and Adopt a Tree Strategy for Sustainability

Prateek Khanna, Research Scholar, Amity University Ranchi

Contemporary Indian Climate Fiction (Cli-Fi) Films: Narrating Climate Change Concerns and Sustainable Development

Neha Tiwari, Assistant Professor, Department of English & Professor In charge, Department of Mass Communication, Karim City College, Jamshedpur

Case Study of Collaborative Working Model of Gujarat Based NGO to Combat Challenges of Climate Change and Achieve Sustainability

Riya Pathak, Programme Manager, Vicharta Samuday Samarthan Manch, Ahmedabad

Rethinking Histories of Migration in West Bengal with Reference to the Indian Sundarbans and the District of Purulia

Indrila Guha, Principal and HoD, Department of Economics, Basanti Devi College, Kolkata

Atrayee Banerjee, Teaching Faculty, Department of Human Rights, Basanti Devi College, Kolkata

Decoding Emission Puzzle: How Methane and Nitrous Oxide Drive GHG Convergence Clubs

Keshav Sethi, Ph.D. Scholar, O.P. Jindal Global University, Sonipat

Debajit Jha, Professor, O.P. Jindal Global University, Sonipat

Transformation of Demographics, Deforestation, and Industrialization in Plateau City, Ranchi, Jharkhand

Ujjwala Gupta, Assistant Professor, Yenepoya Deemed to be University, Mangalore

Socio- Demographic and Micro Environmental Risk Factors Associated with Japanese Encephalitis and Acute Encephalitis Syndrome in Under 15 Children of Gorakhpur, Uttar Pradesh

Deepak Gopal, Ph.D. Scholar, International Institute for Population Sciences, Mumbai

14.15-16.15 **TECHNICAL SESSION 2.4**

Venue: Room R-2, Second Floor, Department of Management

Chair: **S Madheswaran**
Professor and Head, Centre for Economic Studies and Policy, Institute for Social and Economic Change, Bengaluru

Discussants: **Sukalyan Chakraborty**
Associate Professor & Associate Dean, BIT, Mesra

Gayatri Nair
Assistant Professor, Indraprastha Institute of Information Technology (IIIT), New Delhi

Technology and Labour Process in Globalised Era

Vinay Kumar, Front line Supervisor, Tata Steel Ltd, Jamshedpur

Efficacy of Social Security Measures for Unorganized Workers- A Study in Selected Rural Regions in Burdwan District of West Bengal

Debanjana Roy, Ph. D Scholar and Lecturer in Humanities , MBC Institute of Engineering and Technology, Burdwan

Soumyendra Kishore Datta, Professor, The University of Burdwan

Conceptualization of Virtual Market: New Horizons for Women Entrepreneurs

Anupam Kumari, Ph.D. Scholar, Patliputra University, Patna

Financial Inclusion and Social Protection: Integrated Approaches to Support Disabled Persons

Seshu Babu Thiruveedula, Ph.D. Scholar, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Andhra Pradesh

Saraswati Raju Iyer, Professor and Research Director, Department of Sociology & Social Work, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Andhra Pradesh

Demographic and Regional Variations in Financial Literacy Among College Students of Ranchi

Shahin Perveen, UG Student, College of Forestry, Birsa Agricultural University, Ranchi

Absar Ahmad, Assistant Professor, College of Veterinary Science & Animal Husbandry, Birsa Agricultural University

E-Commerce as a Lifeline: Mitigating Job Displacement Risks for Women in the Digital Era

Vishwaja Rangannagari, Ph.D. Scholar, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Andhra Pradesh

Saraswati Raju Iyer, Professor and Research Director, Department of Sociology & Social Work, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Andhra Pradesh

The Appropriate Oil Price Policy for India – A Macro-Theoretic Study

Debashree Chakraborty, Assistant Professor, Eastern Institute for Integrated Learning in Management (EILM) Kolkata

14.15-16.15

TECHNICAL SESSION 3.5

Venue: Room R-3, Second Floor, Department of Management

Chair:

Sudha Shrotria

Former Joint Secretary to Government of India
Environmental Lawyer, Independent, New Delhi

Discussants:

Supriyo Roy

Professor of Operations and Decision Science , BIT, Mesra

Tanusree Dutta

Associate Professor, IIM, Ranchi

Assessing the Self-Help Groups Financial Performance and Sustainability: Evidence from Sikkim

Shanti Tamang, Ph.D. Scholar, Visva Bharati University, Santiniketan

Soumyadip Chattopadhyay, Associate Professor, Visva Bharati University

Demographic Composition and Socio-Economic Divide: Evidence from Caste Census of Bihar

Baikunth Roy, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, College of Commerce, Arts & Science, Patliputra University, Patna

Smita Anand, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, College of Commerce, Arts & Science, Patliputra University, Patna

New Dimension of NTFP Marketing and Women Empowerment: A Case Study of Simdega and Ranchi District of Jharkhand

Ashwani Kumar, Associate Fellow, Institute for Human Development, Eastern Regional Centre, Ranchi

Devika Modi, Acting Director, Institute for Human Development, Eastern Regional Centre, Ranchi

Okun's Law and Nigerian Economy: An ECM Analysis

Bhola Khan Professor MJP Rohilkhand University Bareilly

Female Specific Alternate MPIs: An Assessment for 2019-21

Devika J, Student, Madras School of Economics, Chennai

Brinda Viswanathan, Professor, Madras School of Economics

Public Policy for Developing the Underdeveloped: Promoting Employment, Generating Income and Transforming Agrarian Bihar

Rakesh Ranjan Kumar, Senior Research Fellow, The International Institute of Migration and Development, Thiruvananthapuram

Anjana Rajagopalan, Senior Research Fellow, The International Institute of Migration and Development, Thiruvananthapuram

Socio-Demographic Predictors of Elementary School Attendance in Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, Madhya Pradesh, and Rajasthan

Jyotsna Rosario, Assistant Professor, Vidyashilp University, Bangalore

Mapping Climate Change Resilience with Environmental Sustainability: A Case Study of Kolkata

Ankhi Sanyal, Assistant Professor, Basanti Devi College, Kolkata

Identifying the Gaps in Health Insurance Access: Indian Evidence for 2019-21

Ashrita B, Student, Madras School of Economics, Chennai

Brinda Viswanathan, Professor, Madras School of Economics, Chennai

Benefits of Liberalisation for the Weaker Sections of Society

Madan C Sarkar, Freelance Researcher, VVSRD Secretary, Jamshedpur

DAY 3

SUNDAY, 27 OCTOBER 2024

09.00-10.55	TECHNICAL SESSION 1.6 <i>Venue:</i> Room R-1, Second Floor, Department of Management
Chair:	Jyoti Prakash Department of Economics, Ranchi University
Discussants:	Kirti Avishek Associate Professor & Associate Dean, BIT, Mesra Anuradha Sen Mookerjee Senior Fellow, IHD

Role Of Micro Enterprises in Achieving Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)

Namrata Chaurasia, Research Scholar, Department of Economics, Ewing Christian College, University of Allahabad, Prayagraj

Umesh Pratap Singh, Associate Professor, Department of Economics, Ewing Christian College, University of Allahabad

Procuring Sustainable Development Through Romanticism: In the Selected Works of Wordsworth and Coleridge

Nupur Sharma, Assistant Professor, ARKA Jain University, Jharkhand

Ajay Majumdar, Ph.D Scholar, ARKA Jain University, Jharkhand

Organized Exclusion and the Decline in Real Income: A Critical Analysis of Fishermen's Livelihoods in Kerala's Fisheries Sector

Akhila Kumaran, Ph.D. Scholar, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai

S Irshad Mohammed, Assistant Professor, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai

Ms Nasha Muneer, MA Student, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai

Assessing the Impact of Climate Change, Sea Water Dynamics, and Economic Sustainability on Shrimp Aquaculture Along the Tuticorin Coast

Athira Raveendran, Ph.D. Scholar, Department of Economics, Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli

Sacratees J, Professor, Manonmaniam Sundaranar University

People's Response to the Global Problem: Paani Foundation in Step Towards Water Conservation and Effect of Climate Change in Maharashtra

Nahid Hasan, Assistant Professor, Guru Ghasidas Vishwavidyalaya, Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh

Organic Production in India: Trend, Instability and Decomposition analysis (2019-2022)

Ashu Chaudhary, Research Scholar, Department of Economics, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow

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A Systematic Study on Climate Change: An Emergent Challenge Before the Northeastern States of India

Souvik Mukherjee, Research Scholar, University of North Bengal, Siliguri, West Bengal

Profiling the Quagmire of Climate Change: An Assessment of Real-life Problems in Nation-states and Possible Global Solutions

Shreya Pandey, Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, St. Xavier's College (Autonomous), Ranchi

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TECHNICAL SESSION 1.7

Venue: Room R-2, Second Floor, Department of Management

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Challenges of Climate Change and Sustainable Development in Rajasthan's Mining Sector

Nandita Roy, Research and Communications, MLPC (Mine Labor Protection Campaign), Jodhpur

Role of Green Technology for Sustainable Development in Agriculture

Deepa Kumari, Ph.D. Scholar, Department of Commerce, V.K.S. University, Ara, Bihar

A Review of Literature on the Effect of Climate Change on Agricultural Production with Specific Reference to Methodology and Models

Saumya Srivastava, Ph.D. Scholar, Ewing Christian College, University of Allahabad, Prayagraj

Comparative Analysis of Carbon Footprint between a 3-star hotel and a 1-star hotel in Ranchi District

Sriya Sinha, Research Scholar, Ewing Christian College, University of Allahabad, Prayagraj

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Examining the Nexus between Temperature, Economic Growth and FDI on Environmental Degradation: A Perspective on India

Richa George, Student, CHRIST University, Bengaluru

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Addressing SDG with Innovative Approaches: Cases from Selected Developmental Agencies of Jharkhand

Divya Swaraj, Researcher, Central University of Jharkhand, Ranchi

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The Impact of Theatre on Inspiring Sustainable Behaviour

Nirbhay Trigun, Ph.D. Scholar, MANIT Bhopal

Determinant of Climate Change Anxiety Among College Students: A Cross-Sectional Online Study

Sandhya Bageri, UG Student, Faculty of Forestry, Birsa Agricultural University, Ranchi

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The Nexus between ICT, Technological Innovation, Economic Growth, Institutional Quality and Economic Complexity on CO₂ Emissions: Evidence from ARDL Model

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TECHNICAL SESSION 3.6

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The Sorrow of Bihar: The Need for Enhanced Governance and Innovative Policies

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Trends And Patterns in Rural Credit of India and West Bengal: A Critical Assessment of Neo-Liberal Policies

Arjun Bhattacharya, Assistant Professor and Ph.D. Scholar in Economics, Dinabandhu Andrews Institute of Technology and Management, Kolkata

Empowerment or Endangerment? The Nutritional Consequences of Female Employment in Rural India

Bandana Mondal, Assistant Professor, Raja Peary Mohan College, Kolkata

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Literacy, Employment, and Gender: Quantitative Insights into Awareness of Financial Inclusion Scheme

Saloni Singh, Ph.D. Scholar, Patliputra University, Patna

Maternal Health Care Services in Aspirational Districts of Bihar: A Trend Analysis of Services Utilization

Antra Rani, Research Scholar, Jai Prakash University, Chapra, Bihar

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Socio-Economic Status and Learning Outcome Trajectories of EWS Students in Private Schools

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The Aftermath of Farmer's Suicides: Farm Widows and the Mapping of Power for Social Action

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Role Of Self-Governance Within Community Organization in Shaping Sustainable Livelihood Options for Women: A Study of SHG Cluster Cooperatives in West Bengal

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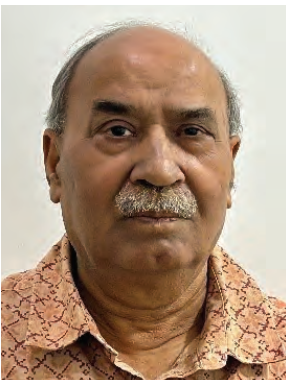
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