SESSION PLAN

Seventh Conversations on Research (CoRe): IGIDR Ph.D. Colloquium, 2024 November 6, 2024 – November 8, 2024 Venue for All Lectures and Sessions: CONFERENCE HALL

Thursday 7th November 2024

Session 1 (09.30 - 11.00)

Discussants – Dr. Sargam Gupta and Dr. Taniya Ghosh

Paper 1: Economic Effects of Share Pledging: Evidence from India

Presenter: Aaishwarya Narayanan - Birla Institute of Technology and Science Pilani, Hyderabad

Campus

Paper 2: Impact of the FOMC Twitter Tone on Intraday S&P 500 Returns

Presenter: Sakshi Jain - IIT Bombay

Paper 3: Impacts of Credit Crisis on Education: Lessons from India's Microfinance Regulation

Presenter: Muneer Kalliyil - Indian Institute of Management Bangalore, India

Session 2 (14.00 – 15.30) Discussant – Dr. Disha Gupta

Paper 1: Effect of Environmental Policies on Forest Cover: Evidence from India's National Forest Policy

Presenter: Lavanya - Indian Institute of Management Lucknow

Paper 2: Encouraging Skilling and Employment Opportunities for Female Rural-to-Urban Migrant Workers

Presenter: Priyanka Sarda - Boston College

Paper 3: Choosing Wisely: Evaluating Latent Factor Models in the Presence of Contaminated Instrumental Variable(s) with Differing Strengths

Presenter: Shubham Das - Indian Institute of Technology Bombay

Session 3 (16.00 – 17.30)

Discussant - Dr. Shubhro Sarkar

Paper 1: The Relevant Third: Threat of Coalition and Economic Development Presenter: Manhar Manchanda - Indian Institute of Management Calcutta

Paper 2: Group Specific Public Goods and Political Competition

Presenter: Ravi Ashok Satpute - Indian Institute of Management Calcutta

Paper 3: Fostering Growth and Welfare by Determining Market Structure and Inducing Innovation

Presenter: R S Vaidyanathan - Centre for International Trade and Development, School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University

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Session 1 (09.30 - 11.30)

Discussants - Dr. A. Gopakumar and Prof. Rupayan Pal

Paper 1: Knapsack Sequencing Problem **Presenter:** Devwrat Dube - IISER Bhopal

Paper 2: Random Attention and Unobserved Reference Alternatives Presenter: Varun Bansal - Indian Statistical Institute, Delhi Centre

Paper 3: Product Expansion in Indian Manufacturing **Presenter:** Vishrut Malhotra - Ashoka University

Paper 4: Small-scale Production dereservation and Product Quality

Presenter: Kamalesh Pahurkar - IIT Bombay

Session 2 (14.30 - 16.00) Discussant – Dr. Bharti Nandwani

Paper 1: Impact of Digital Financial Transaction on Women Bargaining Power in India: Evidence from India

Presenter: Sudha Yadav - Indian Institute of Technology(IIT) Roorkee

Paper 2: Labor Market Penalty for Single Mothers

Presenter: Shubham Ojha - Indian Institute of Management, Calcutta

Paper 3: Rainfall Shocks and Caste-Based Crimes in India

Presenter: Ambika Roy - University of Calcutta

Session 3 (16.30 - 18.00)

Discussant – Prof. S. Chandrasekhar

Paper 1: Synergistic effect of nutrition-specific and nutrition-sensitive interventions to combat anemia: Evidence from an Indian cohort data

Presenter: Disha Bajaj - Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur

Paper 2: Beyond Perception: Impact of Precision of Monitoring on Performance in Competitive Settings

Presenter: Divyanshu Jain - Indian Institute of Management Ahmedabad

Paper 3: Determinants of Public Private Partnerships: A study of Indian highways **Presenter:** Nikita Gupta - Department of Economics, Delhi School of Economics

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POSTER PRESENTATIONS Venue: Outside Auditorium

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Session 1 (11.30 – 13.00)

Poster 1: Mental Health in India: Some Economic Dimensions (Working on initial chapter - 'Association between mental health and educational attainment in India: Variations across gender and income gradient')

Presenter: Forum M Shah, Presidency University

Poster 2: Traditional Traders, New Market Entrants, and Technology: Insights from the Indian

Small Cardamom markets

Presenter: Kalayath Mohamed Shemil, Centre for Development Studies

Poster 3: *Essays on Diversity*

Presenter: Kavitha Nambiar, Madras School of Economics

Poster 4: Ethnolinguistic Diversity, Economic Growth and Labour Markets in Indian States: A

Panel Data Approach

Presenter: Kumar Shaishav, Indian Institute of Technology Roorkee

Poster 5: Effects of Digital Financial Inclusion on the Economic Empowerment of Women

Entrepreneurs

Presenter: Anuradha Singh, Symbiosis International University, Pune

Poster 6: Technical and Technological Progress in Small and Medium Manufacturing Industries

in India

Presenter: Abhinav Surya L T, Centre for Development Studies, Thiruvananthapuram

Poster 7: Board Gender Diversity and Firm Outcomes: Evidence from India

Presenter: Anee Jain, BITS Pilani Hyderabad Campus

Session 2 (12.00 – 13.30)

Poster 1: Essays on the impact of financial inclusion on Women Empowerment - A household and district-level study for India

Presenter: Neetu Kumari, Indian Institute of Management Ranchi

Poster 2: Performance Prediction: An Integration of Machine Learning and DEA

Presenter: Ardhana M Prabhash, Indian Institute of Science Education and Research Bhopal (IISERB)

Poster 3: Siddi Tribal Community and Financial Inclusion: Analysing Saving, Borrowing, and Insurance Practices

Presenter: Arun Prashanth Dsouza, Symbiosis International University

Poster 4: *Zombie Firms and their impact on the Indian economy*

Presenter: Asha Kumari Rai, IIT Indore

Poster 5: Quid-Pro-Quo Production Subsidy and Campaign Contributions in the Oligopolistic Markets.

Presenter: Rahul Sinha, Indian Institute of Technology, Jodhpur.

Poster 6: Role of Mohalla Clinics in Determining Primary Heathcare Services of Delhi **Presenter:** Vikas Kumar Thakur, Institute for Social and Economic Change, Bengaluru

Poster 7: *Insights on Women's Labor Market Outcomes - Role of Trade, Public Policy and ICT* **Presenter:** Soumi Bose, Birla Institute of Technology and Science (BITS) Pilani, Hyderabad campus

Poster 8: Issues related to Agricultural Tenancy in Rural India

Presenter: Rakesh Kumar Yadav, Ram Jaipal College, Chhapra, Bihar