



Visiting Scholars Programme

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S.No.	Name of Applicants	Name of University	Thesis	Date of Joining
1	Deepshikha Dash	IIT Kharagpur	Effects of Content and Language Integrated Learning (CLIL) among rural pupils of India: Study of four-fold interaction among first Language (L1), second Language (L2), Socio-economic status (SES) and cognitive skills.	1st Nov.2019 to 30th Jan 2020 Facilitator : Prof. K.V.Ramaswamy
2	Manish Kumar Singh	Dept. of Eco. Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi	Economic Growth and Poverty Reduction: A Study of Bihar and Kerala	1st Dec.2019 to 29th Feb, 2020 Facilitator : Prof. K.V.Ramaswamy
3	Ruchita Tripathi	Dept. of Eco. Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi	Measuring Impact of Social Capital on Agricultural Labour Productivity: A Case Study of Varanasi Dist.	16th Dec. 2019 to 15th March, 2020 Facilitator : Prof. VijayaLaxmi Pandey
4	Bhushan Praveen Jangam	Indian Institute of Technology, Hyderabad Dept. of Liberal Arts	Global Value Chain embeddedness and social upgrading in selected EMEs	1st October, 2019 to 31st Dec. 2019. Facilitator : Dr. C. Veeramani
5	Irfan Ahmad Shah	Centre of Development Studies, JNU	Asymmetry in the Monetary Policy Transmission Mechanism: Evidence from India.	3rd Jan. 2020 to 2nd April, 2020. Facilitator : Dr. Taniya Ghosh



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List of Selected Scholars for Visiting Scholars Programme				
No.	Name of Applicants	Name of University	Thesis	Period
1.	Ketan Reddy	Indian Institute of Technology, Madras	Impact of Export Sophistication on India's Growth	September 01, 2018 to Nov. 30, 2018
2.	Rakesh Padhan	Indian Institute of Technology, Hyderabad	Financial Integration and decoupling of business cycle: Evidence from India	August 16, 2018 to Nov. 15, 2018
3.	Swati Agrawal	NITIE, Mumbai	Impact of registration policy on firm transition in Indian MSMEs	August 16, 2018 to Nov. 15, 2018
4.	Mayank Gupta	Univ. of Mumbai	Development of Economic Indicators for Indian Economy: A post-2011-12 study	June 1, 2018 to August 31, 2018
5.	Varsha Gupta	CESP, JNU	Health Care in India: An analysis in the context of Ayushman Bharat	November 9, 2018 to February 8, 2019
6.	Chaitanya Talreja	South Asian University, New Delhi	The Co-evolution of manufacturing and service sector inter-linkages, production and demand structures: A study on India's post-reform structural change	January 01, 2019 to March 31, 2019
7.	Madhur Bhatia	IIT, Roorkee	Analysing the impact of governance quality on executives' remuneration in Indian Banking Industry	January 01, 2019 to March 31, 2019



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1. Mr. Masudul Hasan Adil

Affiliation: Mumbai School of Economics and Public Policy (MSE-PP), University of Mumbai.

Duration: December 4, 2017 to March 3, 2018

Facilitator: Dr. Rajendra Vaidya

Project title: "The Demand for Money in India: An Empirical Verification in Post Reform Era

2. Mr. Prabin Chauhan Chhetri

Affiliation: Sikkim University

Duration: November 1, 2017 to January 31, 2018

Facilitator: Dr. Jayati Sarkar

Project title: "Institutions and Firm Performance: Evidence from Indian Manufacturing"



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1. Mr. Bhavesh Garg from Indian Institute of Technology, Hyderabad
From 23rd May 2016 to 22nd August, 2016
Facilitator : Dr. Rajeswari Sengupta
Research Project Titled : “Current Account in India. An Inter- temporal Approach”
2. Mr. Mudit Kumar Singh from Motilal Nehru National Institute of Technology.
From : 1st January, 2017 to 31st March, 2017
Facilitator : Dr. S. Chandrasekhar
Research Project Titled: “Participation in Local Rural Governance: Evidences from Uttar Pradesh, India”
3. Ms. Aritri Chakravarty from Centre for Development Studies
From : 9th January, 2017 to 8th April, 2017
Facilitator : Dr. Vijay Laxmi Pandey
Research Project Titled: “Impact of Information on Technical Efficiency of Paddy Cultivators in India”
4. Mr. Indrajeet Kumar from Centre for Development Studies
From 9th January, 2017 to 8th April, 2017
Facilitator : Professor S. Mahendra Dev
Research Project Titled: “Financial Inclusion: A study on banking behaviour in four Gram Panchayats of Patna District”



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Mr.A. Sri Hari Nayudu – Research Scholar – University of Hyderabad – Hyderabad
(15th November, 2013 to 14th February, 2014)

Topic of Paper: Sovereign Debt Crisis in Emerging Economics

Facilitators: Dr. Naveen Srinivasan and Dr. Ashima Goyal

Mr. Christian Oldiges, University of Heidelberg, Department of Development Economics South Asia Institute,
Germany (15th February, 2014 to 15th April, 2014)

Topic of Paper: Essays on Poverty in India

Facilitators: Dr. Sudha Narayanan



Post Doctoral Fellowship and Visiting Scholars Programme

Post Doctoral Fellowship

Deokate Tai Balasaheb

“Quantification of yield gaps in different planting types of sugarcane in Maharashtra (2013), IGIDR working papers no. WP-2013-011, Indira Gandhi Institute of Development Research, Mumbai, India.

“Marketing and Export of Jaggery”, Scholars Press, ISBN : 978-3-639-51141-3.

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Mr. Sayantan Ghosh Dastidar - May 25, 2012 to August 25, 2012.

Topic “Relationship between trade openness and economic growth of India: a time series analysis”.

Facilitator: Dr. C. Veeramani.



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Post Doctoral Fellowship

Syam Prasad

Publications

Convergence Hypothesis: Some Dynamics and Explanations of Agricultural Growth across Indian States by Somasekharan, Jayasekhar & Prasad, Syam & Roy, V. P. Nirmal

in Agricultural Economics Research Review Vol. 24 July-December 2011

Poverty among elderly in India, estimates and determinants by Syam Prasad in Ageing & Society, Cambridge press, London (Spring 2012) (accepted)

Deprivation and vulnerability among elderly in India IGIDR WP 13-2011

Under review

Nutritional Status in India – Do class dynamics matter? IGIDR WP

“Double deprivation a cause of Migration: Evidence from Kerala” IGIDR WP

Seminars given in IGIDR

Inequality and inclusive Growth: Kerala experience in the reform period on 28th march 2012

“Nutritional Status in India: Do Class Dynamics Matter?” August 10th, 2012

Seminars outside IGIDR

Polarization, Inequality and “Inclusive Growth” during Reform in the conference on Kerala’s Economy and Society: Situating the Present, Imagining the Future to be held at CDS

Visiting Scholars Programme for the year 2011/2012

Name of Student	Period	Topic of Research	Facilitator
Ms. Vibha Tiwari	July 10, 2011 to Oct. 9, 2011	“An Empirical Analysis of Determinants of Effectiveness of Women’s Self Help Group”	Dr. Srijit Mishra
Mr. Sayantan Ghosh Dastidar	May 25, 2012 to August 25, 2012	“Relationship between trade openness and economic growth of India: A time series analysis”	Dr. C. Veeramani



Visiting Students and Scholars Program

Visiting Students Program for the year 2010/2011

Name of Student	Topic of Research	Facilitator
Karunamay Pathak	Dynamic Relationship between interest rate and Inflation: Indian Experience	Dr. R. Krishnan
Geetika Saini	Public Health Expenditure in India	Dr. M. H. Suryanarayana
Anjana Thampi	Monitoring Imports of Sensitive items : A Case Study	Dr. Nirmal Sengupta
Shashwat Siddhant	The Bihar Growth Story : Substantial or Surgically modified	Dr. R. Nagaraj
Qamar Alam	To Study and explore Education and Gender aspects in Low Income strata in Urban Area (In the light of Muslim Community)	Dr. Shovan Ray
Kavita H.M.	Food Security in India	Dr. M. H. Suryanarayana
Ankit Gupta	Estimating Banking Performance by DEA method: Case Study of Indian Commercial Banks	Dr. Shubhro Sarkar
Siddhartha Ghose	Social Transfer Schemes and Financial Inclusion	Dr. Sripad Motiram
Visiting Scholar Programme for the year 2010/2011		
Archana Kesarwani	Women Empowerment and Women's Health Related Outcomes	Dr. M.H. Suryanarayana