AGENDA

Ninth Conversations on Research (CoRe): IGIDR Ph.D. Colloquium, 2026

November 18, 2026 – November 20, 2026

Venue for All Lectures and Sessions: CONFERENCE HALL

Day 1: Wednesday 18th November 2026

17.30 - 18:00	**Registration - Outside Seanza Hall**
18.15 - 18.30	**Welcome Address** **Prof. Basanta Kumar Pradhan, Director (Vice Chancellor), IGIDR**
18.30 - 20.00	**Plenary Talk** **Prof. Chetan Ghate – Professor of Economics, Indian Statistical Institute, New Delhi.** **Title of the Talk – Monetary Policy and Informal Labor Markets**
20.00 - 22.00	**Director's Dinner – Red Square**

Day 2: Thursday 19th November 2026

9.00 - 11.00	**Paper Presentation - Session 1 (Development Economics)**
11.00 - 11.15	**TEA BREAK**
11.15 - 12.35	**Paper Presentation - Session 2 (Behavioral Economics)**
12.35 - 13.15	**Lunch – Red Square**
13.15 - 15.15	**Paper Presentation - Session 3 (International Trade/Law and Economics)**
15.15 - 15.20	**Tea Break**
15.20 - 17.20	**Paper Presentation - Session 4 (Macroeconomics)**
17.20 - 17.25	**Tea Break**
17.25 – 18.45	**Paper Presentation - Session 5 (Climate Change)**
18.45 - 20.15	**Panel Discussion: Meet the Editors** **Prof. Krishnendu Ghosh Dastidar, Jawaharlal Nehru University-New Delhi.** **Prof. Soham Sahoo, Indian Institute of Management-Bangalore.** **Convener: Dr. Moumita Roy**
20.30 - 22.00	**Dinner – Cafeteria**

Day 3: Friday 20th November 2026

9.00 - 10.20	**Paper Presentation - Session 6 (Mechanism Design)**
10.20 - 10.30	**TEA BREAK**
10.30 - 11.10	**Paper Presentation - Session 7 (Industrial Organization)**
11.30 - 13.00	**Poster Presentation**
13.00 - 14.00	**Colloquium Lunch – Red Square**
14.00 - 15.20	**Paper Presentation - Session 8 (Labor Economics)**
15.20 - 15.30	**Tea Break**
15.30 - 16.50	**Paper Presentation - Session 9 (Applied Econometrics)**
16.50 - 17.00	**Tea Break**
17.00 – 18.20	**Paper Presentation - Session 10 (Quantitative Methods)**
18.20 – 18.45	**Closing Remarks, Vote of Thanks and Distribution of Certificates**
18.45 - 20.15	**Panel Discussion: Life After PhD** **Dr. Mukta Jain, Jindal Global University, Haryana** **Dr. Malabika Koley, Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur.** **Dr. Priyam Verma, Ashoka University, New Delhi.** **Convener: Dr. Swati Sharma**
20.15 - 22.00	**Dinner – Cafeteria**