

102nd CONFERENCE

OF

THE INDIAN ECONOMIC ASSOCIATION

at
Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University
Raipur, Chhattisgarh, India

27th – 29th DECEMBER, 2019

CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

26th DECEMBER, 2019 (Thursday)

05: 00 pm – 07:30 pm - Distribution of Registration Kits
07:30 pm – 09:00 pm - D I N N E R

27th DECEMBER, 2019 (Friday)

08.00 am – 10.00 am REGISTRATION

10:00 - 11:00

Special Lecture:

Venue: Dindayal Upadhyay Auditorium, Main Hall

Inaugural Remarks

: **Prof. S. Mahendra Dev**
Director and
Vice Chancellor, IGIDR, Mumbai
Vice-Chairman
International Food Policy
Research Institute, Washington D.C.

Chair

: **Dr Nagesh Kumar**
Director, South and
South-West Asia Office
United Nations Economic and
Social Commission for Asia
and the Pacific

Delivered by

: **Prof. Kaushik Basu**
President, International
Economic Association
Professor of Economics and

Carl Marks Professor of
International Studies,
Cornell University

Rapporteur : **Prof. Nirmalya Debnath**
Assistant Professor
Department of
Business Management,
Tripura University
(A Central University)

11:00 Tea Break

11:15 – 01.30 p.m. **Plenary Session: Keynote Paper Presentation**

Venue: Dindayal Upadhyay Auditorium, Main Hall

Chair : **Dr. Pulin B. Nayak**
Former Director and Head
Delhi School of Economics
New Delhi

Theme 1
Economic Growth,
International Trade and
‘Make in India’: Global
and domestic challenges : **Dr. C Veeramani**
Professor
Indira Gandhi Institute of
Development Research (IGIDR),
Mumbai

Theme 2
Rural Development:
Agriculture and Rural
Non-farm : **Dr Himanshu**
Associate Professor
Centre for Economic
Studies and Planning,
School of Social Sciences
Jawaharlal Nehru University
(JNU), New Delhi

Theme 3
Fiscal Federalism : **Dr. G.R. Reddy**
Advisor
Government of Telengana

Theme 4
Livelihoods and Social
Protection: Jobs, Universal
Basic Income Etc. : **Dr. Jeemol Unni**
Professor,
Economics and Public Policy
Amrut Mody School
of Management
Ahmedabad University
Ahmadabad

	Theme 5	: Dr. K. S. Kavi Kumar
	Environmental issues	Professor Madras School of Economics. Chennai
	<i>Rapporteur</i>	: Mr. Biswojit Swain Assistant Professor Marketing Management Gandhi Institute of Technological Advancement (GITA), Odisha
1.30 - 02:30 PM	Lunch	
	INAUGURAL CEREMONY	
	<i>Venue: Dindayal Upadhyay Auditorium, Main Hall</i>	
03:55 PM	Arrival of Hon'ble Vice President of India, Shri M. Venkaiah Naidu	
03:59 PM	National Anthem	
04:00 PM	<i>Welcome speech by</i>	: Prof. Keshari Lal Verma Vice Chancellor Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University
04:05 PM	Speech	: Prof. Kaushik Basu President International Economic Association Professor of Economics and Carl Marks Professor of International Studies Cornell University
04:10 PM	Speech	: Shri Bhupesh Baghel Chief Minister of Chhattisgarh
04:15 PM	Speech	: Smt. Anusuiya Uikey Governor of Chhattisgarh

04:20 PM	<i>Release of Special Volume of Indian Economic Journal</i>	
	Presentation of Life time Achievement Award to Dr. Anil Kumar Thakur , Former Gen. Secretary and Treasurer, IEA	
	Presentation of “2nd KAUTILYA AWARD” to Dr. B. Ramaswamy , Adjunct Professor, State university of New York USA Chair, Skill development National education foundation Washington DC, USA	
	By the Hon’ble Vice President of India	
04:25 PM	<i>Address by</i>	: Shri M. Venkaiah Naidu Hon’ble Vice President of India
04:55 PM	Words of thanks	: Dr Anil Kumar Thakur Former General Treasurer and Secretary, IEA
04:59 PM	National Anthem	
05:00 PM	Departure of the Hon’ble Vice President of India from the venue	
05:00 - 06.00 PM	Special Address by	: Prof. Keshari Lal Verma Vice Chancellor Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University
	Special Address by	: Dr B.P.Chandramohan Vice President, IEA
	Special Address by	: Dr Devendra Awasti General Secretary, IEA
	Guest of Honour	: Dr. Veerabhadrappa Vice Chancellor, Kuvempu University Simoga, Karnataka
	Conference President Speech	: Dr. G. Viswanathan Conference President, IEA, Founder & Chancellor Vellore Institute of Technology, Vellore
	Release of books by IEA Members	
	Chairman’s Remark	: Prof. S. Mahendra Dev Director and Vice Chancellor,

IGIDR, Mumbai
Vice-Chairman
International Food Policy Research
Institute, Washington D.C.

Vote of Thanks : **Dr. Ravindra Brahme**
Local Organising Secretary, IEA
Professor and Head
School of Studies in Economics,
Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University,
Raipur Chhattisgarh

Rapporteur : **Dr Ratnesh Kumar**
Cabinet Secretariat Department.
Government of Bihar, Patna

Dr. Mukund Kumar
Assistant Professor
Samastipur College, Samastipur

06:00 High Tea

06:30 pm to 08:00 PM **Cultural Programme**
Venue: Dindayal Upadhyay Auditorium, Main Hall

07:00 pm to 09:00 pm Executive Committee Meeting

08:00 to 09: 00 pm Dinner

28th DECEMBER, 2019 (Saturday)

09:00 - 10:00 **Shri Chandrababu Naidu Endowment Lecture**
Venue: Dindayal Upadhyay Auditorium, Main Hall

Chairperson : **Dr S. Mahendra Dev**
Association President, IEA
Director and Vice Chancellor
Indira Gandhi Institute of
Development Research.

Delivered by : **Dr. P K Joshi**
President, Agricultural Economics
Research Association (AERA)
Former Director for South Asia,
International Food Policy
Research Institute, New Delhi

	Rapporteur	: Prof. Kumar Devadutta Assistant Professor, School of Computer Engineering, KIIT Deemed to be University
10:02 - 11:00	Brahmananda Memorial Lecture <i>Venue: Dindayal Upadhyay Auditorium, Main Hall</i>	
	Chair	: Dr. G. Viswanathan Conference President, IEA, Founder & Chancellor Vellore Institute of Technology, Vellore
	Delivered by	: Dr. Ravindra H. Dholakia Member, MPC (RBI) Chairman, Committee on Sub- National Accounts (MOSPI)
	Rapporteur	: Dr. Sandhyarani Das Reader in Economics Department of Economics, Berhampur University.
11:01 --11:15	Tea Break	
11:16 - 12: 15	Vera Anstey Memorial Lecture <i>Venue: Dindayal Upadhyay Auditorium, Main Hall</i>	
	Chair	: Prof. Yasodha Shanmugasundaram Former President, IEA Former Vice Chancellor Mother Teresa Women's University, Tamil Nadu
	Delivered by	: Dr. Ashima Goyal Professor, IGIDR & Member of the Prime Minister's Economic Advisory Council Independent Director at IDBI Bank
	Rapporteur	: Dr. Anup Kumar Department of Economics University of Allahabad
12.16 – 01.20 PM	NSE-IEA Lecture Series on Financial Economics <i>Venue: Dindayal Upadhyay Auditorium, Main Hall</i>	
	Chair	: Prof.V. Shanmugasundaram First Vice Chancellor

Manonmaniam Sundaranar
University; Senior Visiting
Member, Linacre College
Oxford University

Delivered by : **Prof. Manoj Panda**
Former Director, Institute of
Economic Growth, New Delhi

Rapporteur : **Mr. Baikunth Roy**
Assistant Professor of Economics,
College of Commerce
Arts and Science
Patliputra University, Patna

01:30 - 02:15 PM

Lunch

02.15 – 05.00 p.m.

Technical Sessions:

Special Issue of Indian Economic Journal (Parallel sessions)

**Theme 1(A): Economic Growth, International Trade and
'Make in India': Global and Domestic Challenges**

Venue: Dindayal Upadhyay Auditorium, Hall-1

Chair : **Prof. Gulab Chand Ram Jaiswal**
Vice-Chancellor
Patliputra University, Bihar

Co-Chair : **Dr. S.S.Somra**
Head, Department of Economics,
University of Rajasthan, Jaipur

Rapporteur : **Dr. Raviraj Singh**
Associate Professor
Department of Economics
KD College, Simbhaoli, Hapur, UP

**Theme 1(B): Economic Growth, International Trade and
'Make in India': Global and Domestic Challenges**

Venue: Dindayal Upadhyay Auditorium, Hall-2

Chair : **Prof. L.K. Mohana Rao**
Former President
Indian Economic Association

Co-Chair : **Dr. Anup Kr. Mishra**
Banaras Hindu University
Banaras

Rapporteur : **Ms. Madhubanti Dutta**

Academic Associate
Indian Institute of Management
Ahmedabad

Theme 2(A): Rural Development: Agriculture and Rural non-farm

Venue: Seminar Hall-2, SoS in Economics

- Chair* : **Dr Atvir Singh**
Professor
Department of Economics
Ch.Charan Singh University
Meerut
- Co-Chair* : **Dr R. Balasubramanian**
Former Associate Professor and
Head, Department of Economics,
D.G. Vaishnav College, D.G.
Vaishnav College.
- Rapporteur* : **Dr. Sanjeev Kumar**
Assistant Professor
Department of Economics
University of Lucknow, UP

Theme 2(B): Rural Development: Agriculture and Rural non-farm

- Chair* : **Prof. Ugra Mohan Jha**
Former Vice-Chancellor
Maharana Pratap University
Jaipur, Rajasthan
- Co-Chair* : **Professor Sudhakar Patra**
Head, Department of Economics
Berahampur University
Beraahampur, Odisha
- Rapporteur* : **Dr. Glory Singh**
Senior Research Associate
MICA, Ahmedabad

Theme 3: Fiscal Federalism

Venue: Dindayal Upadhyay Auditorium, Main Hall

- Chair* : **Dr. Tapan Kumar Shandilya**
Principal

College of Commerce
Arts & Science, Patna (Bihar)
Former Vice-Chancellor
Nalanda Open University, Patna
Former President
Indian Economic Association

- Co-Chair : **Dr. Abhishek Kumar**
Associate Professor
KIIT School of Management
KIIT Deemed to be University
Bhubaneswar, Odisha
- Rapporteur : **Dr. Dharmnath Uraon**
Assistant Professor
Department of Economics
University of Allahabad, Allahabad

**Theme 4: Livelihoods and Social Protection:
Jobs Universal Basic income etc.**

Venue: Seminar Hall, S.o.S. in Geography

- Chair : **Prof. S. Galab**
Former Director and
Visiting Professor,
Centre for Economics and
Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad
- Co-Chair : **Dr. D.B. Usha Rani**
Vice-Principal
Associate Professor and Head
Post Graduate & Research,
Department of Economics
Ethiraj College for Women,
Chennai
- Rapporteur : **Dr. Lokesh Kumar**
Associate Professor
JS College, Secundrabad
Bulandshahr, UP

Theme 5: Environmental Issues

Venue: Seminar Hall, SoS in Anthropology

- Chair : **Prof. Kumar B. Das**
Former Vice Chancellor
North Orissa University
- Co-Chair : **Prof. Rampravesh Singh**
Director, Agro Economics
Research Centre

TM Bhagalpur University,
Bhagalpur

Rapporteur : **Ms. Kavita Meena**
Ph.D, Research Scholar
ZHCES, JNU, New Delhi

Special Session on Economy of Chhattisgarh

Venue: Seminar Hall, Arts Block

Convenor : **Dr. Hanumant Yadav**
Visiting Professor
Economics, HNLU, Raipur. (CG)
Executive Committee Member, IEA

Chair : **Shri Serjius Minz IAS (Retd.)**,
Former Director General,
Chhattisgarh Administrative
Academy

Co-Chair : **Dr B.L. Sonekar**
Associate Professor
SOS in Economics
Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University,
Raipur

Dr. Amar Kant Pande
Professor & Former HOD
Department of Economics
Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University,
Raipur

Rapporteur : **Dr Sunil Kumeti**
Associate Professor
SOS in Economics
Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University,
Raipur

05.00 – 05.10 pm

HIGH TEA

05.15 – 07.00 pm

Panel Discussion on

Shall Make New Chhattisgarh

(Gadhbo Nawa Chhattisgarh): Vision, Strategy and 5 Years Action Plan

Venue: Dindyal Upadhyay Auditorium Main Hall

Chairman : **Shri Ajay Singh, IAS**,
Vice Chairman
CG Sate Planning Commission,

Co-Chairman : **Dr. D.K. Marothia**,

		President, NIE, New Delhi, Former Member, CGSPC
Panelist	:	Shri Pradip Sharma, Agriculture & Rural Development in Chhattisgarh, Advisor to CM, Planning, Policy, Agriculture & Rural Development
		Shri Pradeep Tandon, President, Industrial Development in Chhattisgarh, FICCI CG Council, Raipur, Raipur
		Shri Shailendera Shukla, Energy Development Chairman, CG State Electricity Board,
		Shri Ashok Kumar Dube Employment, Training, Livelihood Director, Employment Training and Technical Education
Rapporteur	:	Dr. Anshumala Chandanagar Assistant Professor Govt. VYTPG Autonomus College Durg, Chhattisgarh

07.00 – 08.30 p.m. **Dinner**

29th DECEMBER, 2019 (Sunday)

09.30 – 11.30 a.m.	(Parallel Session) Panel Discussion on “Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT) of Agricultural Subsidies” <i>Sponsored by International Food Policy Research Institute</i> <i>Venue: Dindayal Upadhyay Auditorium Hall-1</i>
Chair	: Dr. P.K. Joshi Chairman, Agricultural Economics Research Association (AERA)
09.30-9.35 AM	Welcome and Background : Anjani Kumar, IFPRI
09.35-09.55 AM	Agricultural Income Support : Pratap S Birthal Schemes: Advantages and challenges ICAR-NIAP
9.55-10.10 AM	Direct Benefit Transfer of : Anjani Kumar

	Input Subsidies: Evidence from selected States in India	IFPRI
10.10-10.30	Does Income Support for Farmers Lead to Agricultural Intensification: An Analysis of PMKY in Uttar Pradesh	: Deepak Varshney IFPRI
10.30-10.50	Implementing DBT for Fertilizers: Challenges and Opportunities	: Arabinda Padhee ICRISAT
10.50-11.20	Discussants' Remarks	: Amit Mohan Prasad Govt. of Uttar Pradesh Srivalli Krishnan BMGF
	Rapporteur	: Dr. C.A. Priyesh Assistant professor University college, Trivandrum Executive Committee Member, IEA
09.30 – 11.30 a.m.	(Parallel Session) Panel Discussion on “Big Data and AI for Development “ <i>Sponsored by IGIDR FLAIR project and the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation</i> <i>Venue: Dindayal Upadhyay Auditorium Hall-2</i>	
	Convenor	: Prof. Mahendra Dev Association President, IEA
	Chairperson	: Prof. Biswajit Chatterjee Former Professor of Economics Jadavpur University
	Panellist	: Mr. Sanjay Prasad Senior Manager, Risk Management Department Bank of Baroda Prof. Subrata Sarkar Professor Indira Gandhi Institute of Development Research Prof. Bappaditya Mukhopadhyaya Professor and Director of the Post Graduate Programme

in Business Analytic Great Lakes
Institute of Management

Moderator : **S. Chandrasekhar**
Professor
Indira Gandhi Institute of
Development Research

Rapporteur : **Dr. B.P. Sarath Chandran**
Executive Committee Member, IEA
Associate Professor,
Department of Economics &
Banking, VVM's Shree Damodar
College, Margao, Goa

11.45 – 01.30 p.m.

Parallel Sessions - Edited Book

**Theme 1: Economic Growth International Trade and
'Make in India': Global and Domestic Challenges**

Venue: Dindayal Upadhyay Auditorium, Hall-1

Chair : **Dr. V. Loganathan**
Former Vice President, IEA

Co-Chair : **Dr. K. Madhu Babu**
Head, Dept. of Economics,
Acharya Nagarjuna University,
Guntur

Dr. Subodh Kumar Sinha
Principal, SNS College
Muzaffarpur, Bihar

Rapporteur : **Dr. B.M.Nasir Khan**
Executive Committee Member, IEA
Asst. professor and coordinator,
Dept of P.G Studies in Economics
Sir .M.V. Government Arts
and Commerce College.
Karnataka

Theme 2: Rural Development: Agriculture and Rural non-farm

Venue: Dindayal Upadhyay Auditorium, Hall-2

Chair : **Prof. Niti Jain**
Head, Department of Economics
Indira Gandhi National Tribal
University, IGNTU
Amarkantak, MP

Co-Chair : **Prof. Alok Kumar**
Department of Economics

Sant John College, Agra

Rapporteur : **Dr. Sudip Jana**
EC Member
Indian Economic Association
& Joint Secretary
Bengal Economic Association

Theme 4: Livelihoods and Social Protection: Jobs, Universal Basic Income etc.

Seminar Hall-2, SoS in Economics

Chair : **Prof. A.R. Veeramani**
Registrar
Vels University, Chennai

Co-Chair : **Prof. S.S.S. Chauhan**
Agra University, Agra

Rapporteur : **Dr. Vijay Nag**
Associate Professor of Economics
EC Member, Himachal Pradesh

Theme 5: Environmental Issues

Venue: Seminar Hall, SoS in Geography

Chair : **Prof. Bikrama Singh**
Former Head & Dean
Social Science, Magadh University
Bodh Gaya, Bihar

Co-Chair : **Krishna Nand Yadav**
Executive Committee Member, IEA
Department of Economics
College of Commerce, Arts &
Science, Patna

Rapporteur : **Sonal B. Shah**
Research Scholar
GLS University
Ahmedabad Gujarat

01.30 – 02.30 p.m. **LUNCH**

03.00 – 04.00 p.m. **Valedictory Session**

Venue: Main Hall, Dindayal Upadhyay Auditorium

Welcome Address : **Prof. Keshari Lal Verma**
Vice Chancellor
Pt. Ravishankar Skula University

Honouring the Guests

Special Address by : **Dr. Devendra Awasti**
Secretary, IEA
Dr. B.P. Chandramohan
Vice President
Indian Economic Association

Dr. S. Mahendra Dev
Association President, IEA

Dr. G. Viswanathan
Conference President - IEA and
Founder & Chancellor - VIT

Address by the : **Dr. B. Ramaswamy**
Guest of Honour Adjunct Professor
State university of New York, USA
Chair, Skill Development National
Education foundation, Washington
DC, USA

NSE Award for the best : **Prof. Sukhadeo Thorat**
Thesis in Financial Economics Former President, IEA
and Valedictory Address Former Chairman
University Grants Commission

Vote of Thanks : **Dr. Ravindra Brahme**
Professor and Head
School of Studies in Economics
Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University,
Raipur Chhattisgarh

Dr Anil Kumar Thakur
Convenor
Coordination Committee, IEA

Rapporteur : **Dr. Sharanappa Saidapur**
Assistant Professor in Economics,
Govt. First Grade College,
Chittapur, Karnataka.

04.15 p.m. **General Body Meeting & IEA Election.**

07.00 – 09.30 p.m. **DINNER**