



SOCIETY ACTIVITY REPORT 2018-19
Centre for Economic Research

**Seminar on “Higher education and the labour market” -
08/08/2018**

The Centre of Economic Research organised a seminar on 8th August 2018, on the topic of Higher education and the labour market. The speaker was Dr. Anisha Sharma from Ashoka University

**Seminar on “An introduction to Mechanism Design” -
18/08/2018**

The Centre of Economic Research organised a seminar on 18th August 2018, on the topic of An introduction to Mechanism Design. The speaker was Dr Debasis Mishra from Indian Statistical Institute, Delhi

**Seminar on “A Monetary Business Cycle model for India” -
07/09/2018**

The Centre of Economic Research organised a seminar on 7th September 2018, on the topic of A Monetary Business Cycle model for India. The speaker was Dr Chetan Ghate, Indian Statistical Institute

**Lecture series on the topic of “An introduction to Behavioural
Economics” - 26/10/2018**

The Centre of Economic Research organised a Lecture Series on 26th October 2018, on the topic of An introduction to Behavioural Economics. The speaker was Dr Anirban Kar and more than 70 students were in attendance

**Lecture series on the topic of “An introduction to Behavioural
Economics” - 27/10/2018**

The Centre of Economic Research organised a Lecture Series on 27th October 2018, on the topic of An introduction to Behavioural Economics. The speaker was Dr Abhinash Borah and more than 70 students were in attendance.



Seminar on “Taxation, Enforcement and Growth” - 16/01/2019

The Centre of Economic Research organised a seminar on 16th January 2019, on the topic of Taxation, Enforcement and Growth. The speaker was Dr Dibyendu Meitei of Delhi School of Economics and a total of 15 students were involved in this seminar.

Seminar on “Fiscal Sustainability of States in India: Evidence of fiscal fatigue” - 15/02/2019

The Centre of Economic Research organised a seminar on 15th February 2019, on the topic of Fiscal Sustainability of States in India: Evidence of fiscal fatigue. The speaker was Dr Anjali Prasad of St Stephen's College and a total of 15 students were involved in this seminar.

Seminar on “Agricultural policies and subsidies in India” - 26/02/2019

The Centre of Economic Research organised a seminar on 26th February 2019, on the topic of Agricultural policies and subsidies in India. The speaker was Prof. Bharat Ramaswamy of Ashoka University and a total of 15 students were involved in this seminar.

Seminar on “Addressing Global Warming: Rolling the DICE” - 08/03/2019

The Centre of Economic Research organised a seminar on 8th March 2019, on the topic of Addressing Global Warming: Rolling the DICE. The speaker was Prof. Shreekant Gupta of Delhi School of Economics and a total of 15 students were involved in this seminar.

Lecture series on Applied Economics on the topic of “Meritocracy in the Face of Group Inequality” - 25/03/2019

The Centre of Economic Research organised a Lecture series on 25th March 2019, on the topic of applied economics on the topic of Meritocracy in the face of group

inequality. The speaker was Prof. Rohini Somanathan and a total of 30 (more than 70 as audience) students were involved.

Lecture series on Applied Economics on the topic of “Meritocracy in the Face of Group Inequality” - 27/03/2019

The Centre of Economic Research organised a Lecture series on 27th March 2019, on the topic of An Introduction to Impact Evaluation in Economics. The speaker was Prof. Bidisha Baroah and a total of 30 (more than 70 as audience) students were involved.

Rural research Program

The Centre of Economic Research organised a Rural research program between 17th March 2019 and 24th March 2019, 4 teams of students were set out to four areas affected by the agrarian and farm crisis and undertook primary research to understand and analyse the ground level situation. The surveys were conducted in Telengana, Mansa in Punjab, Vidharbha and Bundhelkhand. Total number of students involved were 70 (on field and off field together).



Fig: On the ground in Bundelkhand

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Goutham Krishna Research Fellowship

A summer research fellowship for students to undertake research on a topic related to Economics. The endowment was set up by the family of Late Shri Goutham Krishna, Economics Batch of 2010. 3 teams, a total of 11 students presented their research on 15th April 2019.