(a) **OPEN SEMINARS**


Suraj Jacob, Assistant Professor, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, Virginia, USA, *Welfare Policy Regimes and Development: A Natural Experiment in Trivandrum and Kanyakumari Districts*, (15 June, 2012)


Joseph Tharamangalam, Professor Emeritus, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Mount Saint Vincent University, Canada, *Is Cuba a Human Development Model?* (22 June, 2012)

Ronald Labonte, Canada Research Chair, Globalization/Health Equity Professor Faculty of Medicine, Institute of Population Health, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada, *The Limits of Growth: Improving Health Equity in a Globalising World*, (29 June, 2012)

François Maniquet, Université Catholique de Louvain, and University of Warwick, *Multidimensional Poverty Measurement: Shouldn't we take Preferences into Account?* (24 August, 2012)


Rachel Simon-Kumar, Sr.Lecturer, University of Waikato, New Zealand, *Race and the Market in New Zealand’s Migration Policies: An Interpretive Analysis*, (18 January, 2013)

K. Pushpangadan, *Debt Management in Kerala*, (1 February, 2013)

Micheal D Patra, Adviser-in-Charge, Monetary Policy Department, RBI, Mumbai, *Formulation of Monetary Policy in India*, (13 February, 2013)

M. Kabir and K. Pushpangadan, former Professor, CDS, *Child Sex Ratio in Kerala*, (1 March, 2012)
(b) SEMINARS BY CDS FACULTY/ STUDENTS

Sunil Mani, *TRIPS Compliance of India's IPR Regime, An Analysis of its Potential and Actual Effects on Innovative Activity in India*, (17 August, 2012)


(c) INTERNATIONAL / NATIONAL CONFERENCES / SEMINARS / WORKSHOPS AND EVENTS

South Asia Consultation on ILO Convention 189 on Decent Work for Domestic Workers: A Multi-Stakeholder Consultation on the Recognition and Ratification of C189, organised jointly by Migrant Forum in Asia (MFA), Centre for Indian Migrant Studies (CIMS), Migrant Forum India (MFI), Solidarity Centre and Centre for Development Studies, hel at the CDS and co-ordinated by S. Irudaya Rajan (25-26, June 2012)

Dissemination Seminar on the Book ‘Growth, Development and Diversity: India’s Record Since Liberalisation’ held at the Centre for Development Studies, Trivandrum and chaired by Pulapre Balakrishnan (27 June, 2012)

Two Day National Consultation on Engendering Health - The Experience of NRHM, organised jointly by the CDS and UN Women held at the CDS and co-ordinated by Mridul Eapen (5-6 July, 2012)

International Seminar on Emerging Fertility Patterns in India: Causes and Implications, organised by CDS in collaboration with the Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC, UK), Population Foundation of India, New Delhi and United Nations Fund for Population Activities, New Delhi, co-ordinated by S. Irudaya Rajan (23-24 July, 2012)

Inauguration of MA Applied Economics programme by Shri K.M.Mani, Hon’ble Minister for Finance, Law and Housing (26 July, 2012)

Seminar on RBI Annual Report 2011-12 (3 September, 2012)

CDS Foundation Day Lecture on ‘Social Science in a Post-national World: Towards a Contemporary Politics of Location' by Professor Satish Deshpande, Professor of Sociology, University of Delhi (19 October, 2012)

Refresher Course cum Research Training Programme in Economics on ‘Innovation and Development’ organised by the National Research Programme on Plantation Development, CDS, (Sponsored by the Ministry of Commerce, Government of India), Rubber Board and Indialics (India chapter of Globelics) co-ordinated by K.J. Joseph (4-24 January 2013)


Initiation Workshop for the project ‘Self-help or transformation?-Women in Local Governance in Kerala State (India) and South Africa’ jointly organised by CDS and Norwegian Institute for Urban and Regional Research (NIBR), Norway and co-ordinated by J. Devika (1-4 February, 2013)

CDS–ISS Workshop on Migration, Gender and Social Justice: A Workshop to Disseminate Research Findings and Connect Knowledge/Practice Networks, co-ordinated by S. Irudaya Rajan (14-16 February, 2013)

(d) PUBLIC LECTURES

Dilip Mookherjee (Professor, Boston University, USA) delivered the Fourth B.G. Kumar Lecture on ‘Government Accountability: An Overview of Recent Research Findings,’ at the CDS on 26 July, 2012.