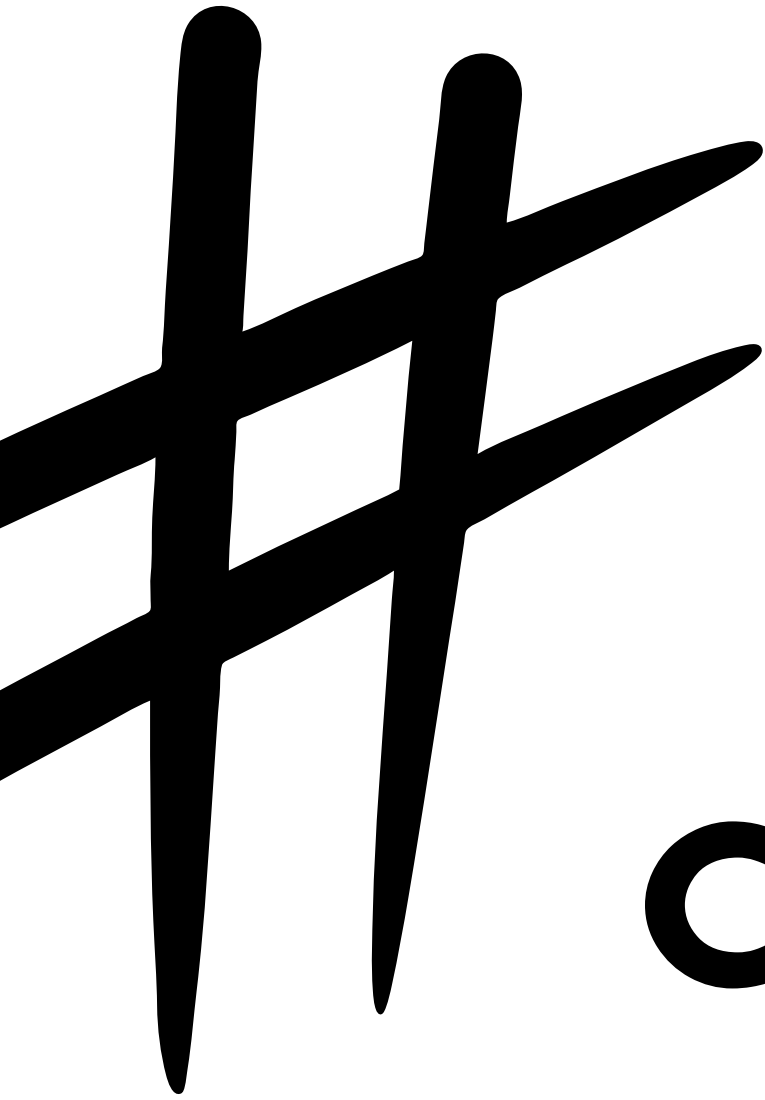




Crossroads

CDS PhD Colloquium
March 20 – 22, 2025





DAY 1
March 20

MORNING SESSION

7:30 AM – 9:00 AM	Breakfast	
8:30 AM – 9:30 AM	Registration at 'Reception'	
9:30 AM – 10:00 AM	Welcome Address	
10:00 AM – 10:15 AM	Tea	
10:15 AM – 12:45 PM	Panel 1.A : Demography, Health and Well being	Panel 1.B : Gendered Lives
Venue	Baker Classroom	New PhD Classroom
Chair	Prof Beena PL, CDS	Prof J Devika, CDS
Paper 1	Does co-residence with children lead to better access to medical care for elderly in India? Exploratory analysis from LASI Wave 1	"You can count on me": Support network and Unpaid Childcare Burden of Domestic Workers and Sex Workers in Kolkata, India
	Suman Sarkar, University Of Calcutta, Kolkata	Srimanjori Guha, CDS, Trivandrum
Discussant	Dr. V. Nagarajan Naidu, University College, Thiruvananthapuram	Dr. Hameeda C. K. ,MG University, Kottayam
Paper 2	When Do We Bury Our Close Kin? Understanding The Kinloss Over Life Course in India	Barricaded Love, Policed Choices: Caste-mediated patriarchy and State Intervention(s) in Transgressive Hypogamous Marriages
	Amrit J John, IIPS, Mumbai	Khushbu Sharma, CPS, JNU, Delhi
Discussant	Dr. Biju A V , Associate Professor of Commerce at the Dept. of Commerce, School of Business Management & Legal Studies, the University of Kerala	Prof J. Devika, CDS
Paper 3	Understanding Subjective Well-Being Among Older Indian Adults: A Cantril Ladder Analysis	Intersecting Identities: Caste, Women's Empowerment, and Household Food Security in East India
	Tessy Rose Samson, MSE, Chennai	Shakuntala Ghadai, CDS, Trivandrum
Discussant	Dr. Ravi Prasad Varma P. , Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences and Technology, Trivandrum	Dr Ritika Jain, CDS
12:45 PM – 2:00 PM	Lunch	
2:00 PM – 4:00 PM	Explorations in Progress: Poster Presentations	
Venue	Baker Classroom	
3:00 PM – 4:00 PM	High tea	
4:00 PM – 5:30 PM	Beyond the Buzzword: What Really is Policy? An interactive session with Prof. Suraj Jacob, CDS	
Venue	Baker Auditorium	
5:00 PM – 5:30 PM	Tea	



DAY 1
March 20

AFTERNOON SESSION

Poster	Presenter
Emigration and Remittances as Catalysts for Socio-Economic and Cultural Change: A Case Study of Gopalganj and Siwan Districts of Bihar, India	Ajit Kumar Prasad, Pune University, Pune
Flood Vulnerability and Displacement of Labor Force: A Study in the Brahmaputra Valley of Assam	Deeksha Hazarika, Dibrugarh University, Dibrugarh
Early Childhood Education (ECE) for the children of seasonal migrant workers in the Sugarcane Fields of Maharashtra, India: Unravelling Policies, Practices and Challenges	Kartiki Lokhande, NIEPA, Delhi
Shifting Realities: "A Comparative Analysis of Platform-Based and Independent Domestic Workers in Delhi"	Kriti Bhagat, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar University, Delhi
Institutional Challenges and Social Production of Water in Rural Water Supply: An Institutional Analysis of the Jal Jeevan Mission in India	Prashant Kumar, MIDS, Chennai
Understanding Politics of Identity in the Context of Impact of Christianity on Tribal Communities: A Case Study of Tribal Christians of Chhotanagpur and Santhal Pargana	Anand Alex Kullu, University of Delhi, Delhi
The Assessment of Public Transport Accessibility in Selected Indian Cities	Nisha Jangid, IIM Jammu, Jammu
Economic, Political, and Social Remittances of Afghan Cross-Border Migration	Tawafuddin Azimi, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam



DAY 2

March 21

MORNING SESSION

7:30 AM- 9:00 AM	Breakfast	
9:15 AM -11: 45 A.M.	Panel 2.A : Unravelling Causality	Panel 2.B : Mapping Lived Experiences
Venue	Baker Classroom	New PhD Classroom
Chair	Prof Thiagu Ranganathan, CDS	Dr Abhilash T, CDS
Paper 1	Compulsory Education and Caste Inequality in Western India, 1881-1931	Autism, Technology, and Communication: Assessing the Parental Perceptions on AAC among the Families of Children with ASD in Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala
	Meeta Kumar, DSE, Delhi.	Parvathy Venu, University Of Hyderabad, Hyderabad
Discussant	Prof Thiagu Ranganathan, CDS	Dr. Suja K. Kunnath, NISH, Trivandrum
Paper 2	Assessing the Impact of Conditional Cash Transfers on Early Marriage: A Case Study of the Kanyashree Prakalpa	Examining Tamil Nadu's Makkalai Thedi Maruthuvam Scheme for NCD Care and Health Worker Roles in Eriyur Block of Dharmapuri District
	Panchali Roy, IIT Patna, Patna	Sriram G, Annamalai University, Chidambaram
Discussant	Dr. Rakhal Gaitonde, Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences and Technology, Trivandrum	Dr.Godwin.S.K , Government College For Women, Trivandrum
Paper 3	Homes of Harm: Spousal Violence and Child Malnutrition in India	State Manufactured Social Capital: A Case Study of JEEVIKA in Bihar
	Noyel Sebastian, CITD, JNU, Delhi	Nayan Kumar Saini, CPS, JNU, Delhi
Discussant	Dr Mala Ramanathan , Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences and Technology, Trivandrum	Prof (Retd.) Hari Kurup KK, Government College, Kasargod
11:45 AM-12:00 PM	Tea	
12:00 PM -1:30 PM	The Craft of Non Academic Writing: An Interactive Workshop with Mr Ashok R Chandran, Book Editor and Writing Trainer	
Venue:	Baker Auditorium	
1:30 PM- 2:30 PM	Lunch	



2:30 PM-5:00 PM	Panel 3.A : Labour and Enterprise	Panel 3.B : Fiscal Dynamics
Venue	Baker Classroom	New PhD Classroom
Chair	Prof Vinoj Abraham, CDS	Dr K Chandra Shekar, CDS
Paper 1	Social Capital, Human Capital and Occupational Attainment in India: an Investigation using the IHDS data	Intergovernmental transfers and Subnational revenue sources: A case of Kerala
	Aanchal Kimtani, GIPE, Pune	Adith S Karthik, University Of Kerala, Trivandrum
Discussant	Dr Ritika Jain, CDS	Prof. M Parameswaran, CDS
Paper 2	Influence of enterprise factors in determining the sanctioned PMMY credit: A study on Micro-enterprises	Financial Concurrence Of Public Spending On Education In India
	Hanumant Bhajantri, CUK, Kasargod	Anjalikrishna Sudhakaran, GIFT, Trivandrum
Discussant	Dr Christabell P J, University Of Kerala, Trivandrum	Akhila Pappan, Research Scholar, CDS
Paper 3	Women Workers and Employment Guarantee in Urban Rajasthan	How Efficient Are Our States? An Analysis Of Public Expenditure Efficiency Among Indian States
	Krishna Priya Choragudi, IIT Delhi, Delhi	Gopika G, GIFT, Trivandrum
Discussant	Dr. Aparna Eswaran, MG University,Kottayam	Dr Siddik Rabiyyath, University Of Kerala, Trivandrum
5:00 PM - 5:30 PM	High tea	
7:30 PM -9:00 PM	Dinner	



DAY 3

March 22

MORNING SESSION

7:30 AM- 9:00 AM	Breakfast	
9:15 AM-11:45 AM	Panel 4.A : Rural Realities	Panel 4.B : Regional Disparities and Development
Venue	Baker Classroom	New PhD Classroom
Chair	Prof Suraj Jacob, CDS	Dr Amartya Paul, CDS
Paper 1	Sources of Funds and Choice of Expenditure of Rural Local Governments in India	Determinants of CO2 Emissions Convergence Post-1990: A Study of Annex-1 and Non-Annex Countries
	Anushka Nagar, IGIDR, Mumbai	Keshav Sethi, OP Jindal Global University, Sonipat
Discussant	Dr Sumalatha BS, GIFT, Trivandrum	Prof Subrata Sarkar, IGIDR, Mumbai
Paper 2	Disparities Within: Village-Level Evidence of Uneven Development in Karnataka	Capabilities and Regional Disparities: An Economic Complexity-Based Analysis of Indian States
	Mohammed Hashim, Krea University, Sricity	Sonali Singh, IIM Lucknow, Lucknow
Discussant	Prof Suraj Jacob, CDS	Dr Kiran Kumar Kakarlapudi, GIFT, Trivandrum
Paper 3	Are the Monetarily and Multidimensionally Poor Populations Homogeneous? Evidence on Poverty Mismatch and Overlap from Rural Bihar.	Rules of Origin in India's Trade Agreements: Introducing a New Dataset and Severity Index
	Ogbonna Amarachi Onyeyirichi, Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham, Coimbatore	Himanshu Jaiswal, IGIDR, Mumbai
Discussant	Dr. Gogol Mitra Thakur, CDS	Prof. Beena P L, CDS
11:45 AM- 12:00PM	Tea	
12:00 PM -1:30 PM	Enhancing Academic Writing : An Interactive Workshop with Mr Ashok R Chandran, Book Editor and Writing Trainer	
Venue:	Baker Auditorium	
1:30 PM-2:30 PM	Lunch	
2:30 PM-3:00 PM	Valedictory Address and Certificate Distribution	
Venue:	Baker Auditorium	
7:30 PM-9:00 PM	Dinner	

