**UGC-Human Resource Development Centre**

**Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla-5**

2-Week RC on Economics, Population Studies & Lifelong Learning (RC-345)

w.e.f. 07.08.2023 – 19.08.2023

Programme Team: Prof. D. R. Thakur, Director

Prof. Aparna Negi, Course Coordinator

Dr. J. S. Saklani, Assistant Director

Timings of Technical Sessions (TS):

Warming-up Session: (i) 09.45 a.m. to 10.00 a.m. (Yoga & Meditation)

(ii) 10.00 a.m. to 10.30 a.m. (Reflection on previous day)

TS – I 10.30 a.m. to 12:00 noon TS – II 12.00 noon to 01.30 p.m.

TS – III 02.00 p.m. to 03.30 p.m. TS – IV 03.30 p.m. to 05.00 p.m.

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| **Date & Day** | **TS** | **Topic** | **Resource Person** |
| 07.08.2023 (Monday) | I | Inaugural Session | **Chief Guest:** Prof. A. D. N. Bajpai,  Hon’ble Vice-Chancellor,  Atal Bihari Vajpayee Vishwavidyalaya,  Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh  [vc@bilaspuruniversity.ac.in](mailto:vc@bilaspuruniversity.ac.in) |
| II | Overview of Programme | Prof. D.R. Thakur, Director, UGC-HRDC, H.P. University, Shimla |
| III | Setting the Tone | Dr. J.S. Saklani, Assistant Director, UGC-HRDC, H.P. University, Shimla |
| IV | Breaking the Ice and Committee formulation |
| 08.08.2023  (Tuesday) | I | Expectations form Participants | Prof. Aparna Negi, Course Coordinator  Prof. of Economics, Director CWSD & Director ICSS, HPU |
| II | Social Economic Resilience | Prof. Manoj K. Sharma,  Chairperson, Department of Economics, HPU  manojsharma@hpuniv.ac.in |
| III | Human Development – Issues in Education and Health | Prof. Halima Rizvi,  Department of Economics, Jamia Milia Islamia University, Delhi  hrizvi@jmi.ac.in |
| IV | Discussion and Instructions | Dr. J.S. Saklani, Assistant Director, UGC-HRDC, H.P. University, Shimla |
| 09.08.2023 (Wednesday) | I&II | Basic Statistical Toolkit for Teachers of Economics | Prof. A.S. Sethi,  Department of Economics, GNDU, Amritsar  ajss.gndu@gmail.com |
| III | Basics of SPSS | Dr. Mukesh Kumar,  Systems Analyst, HPU & Financial Expert  [mukesh\_gzb@rediffmail.com](mailto:mukesh_gzb@rediffmail.com) |
| IV | Video link & Discussion India’s Economy: Performance & Inter State Differences | Prof. Aparna Negi, Course Coordinator |
| 10.08.2023 (Thursday) | I | India’s Transformation: Retrospect & Prospect | Prof. Lakhwinder Singh,  Department of Economics, Punjabi University, Patiala  lakhwindergill@pbi.ac.in |
| II | Fiscal Burden of Demographic Transition in India | Dr. Smita Sharma,  Department of Economics, Panjab University, Punjab  smitasharma.eco@pu.ac.in |
| III | Enforcing Financial Compliance in Bank: Legal Perspectives on Regulatory Control in India | Prof. Sanjay Sindhu,  Chairman, Department of Laws & Dean, Faculty of Law, HPU  dr.sanjaysindhu@gmail.com |
| IV | Individual Presentations | Prof. KC Sharma, CES, HPU & Former Chairman Department of Economics, HPU  [kc25sharma@gmail.com](mailto:kc25sharma@gmail.com) |
| 11.08.2023  (Friday) | I | Rural Credit & Financial Penetration: Some Observations | Prof. Satish Verma, (Retd.), Prof of Economics GNDU, Amritsar & Former RBI Chair, CRRID  [svgndu@gmail.com](mailto:svgndu@gmail.com); rbi.crrid@gmail.com |
| II | An Overview of Financial Market & its Types | Dr. Mukesh Kumar,  Systems Analyst, HPU & Financial Expert  [mukesh\_gzb@rediffmail.com](mailto:mukesh_gzb@rediffmail.com) |
| III | Video link & Feedback  India’s Labour Market: How can Teachers of Economics Prepare Their Students for the Job Market? | Prof. Aparna Negi, Course Coordinator |
| IV | Individual Presentations | Prof. Sanju Karol,  Prof. of Economics & Director, ICDEOL, HPU  sanjukarol@yahoo.co.in |
| 12.08.2023  (Saturday) | I | Interpretation of Data/information in Economic Analysis: Much to Do! | Prof. Aparna Negi, Course Coordinator |
| II | BLOOMS Taxonomy as an Assessment Tool for Teachers of Economics under NEP | Prof. Kesari Singh,  Dean UG Studies, Shoolini University, Solan, HP  kesari@shooliniuniversity.com |
| III & IV | Individual Presentations | Prof. Sanju Karol,  Prof. of Economics & Director, ICDEOL, HPU  sanjukarol@yahoo.co.in |
| 14.08.2023 (Monday) | I | Economics of Population Growth & Lifelong Learning in the Process of development: An Empirical Analysis | Prof. Jasbir Singh,  Dept. of Economics, Jammu University, Jammu. |
| II | Understanding the Economics of Tourism: An Overview | Prof. Sonia Khan,  Dept. of Tourism, H.P. University Shimla  [khansonia@hotmail.com](mailto:khansonia@hotmail.com) |
| III & IV | Individual Presentations | Prof. Aparna Negi, Course Coordinator |
| 15.08.2023 (Tuesday) | I | Individual Presentations | Prof. Aparna Negi, Course Coordinator |
| II | Neuroeconomics | Prof. Ishan Patro,  Jiwaji University, Gwalior & Former Vice Chancellor, Ravenshaw University, Cuttak.  [ishanpatro@gmail.com](mailto:ishanpatro@gmail.com) |
| III | Feedback & Discussion:  Something About Sampling & Sample Size | Prof. Aparna Negi, Course Coordinator |
| IV | Importance of Yoga | Ms Shilpi, Yog Instructor |
| 16.08.2023 (Wednesday) | I | Pedagogy of Economics – Issues & Challenges | Prof. R.P. Juyal (Retd.) Professor of Economics, Central University of Uttarakhand, Srinagar  [2K2@gmail.com](mailto:2K2@gmail.com); [rp\_juyal2k2@rediffmail.com](mailto:rp_juyal2k2@rediffmail.com) |
| II | Monitoring & Evaluation of Development Sector Programmes: A Practical Orientation to Concept and Framework | Dr. Rajeev Bansal, Joint Director (Retd.) HIPA, Himachal Pradesh  [rajeev.bansal14610@gmail.com](mailto:rajeev.bansal14610@gmail.com) |
| III & IV | Individual Presentations | Prof. Aparna Negi, Course Coordinator |
| 17.08.2023 (Thursday) | I | Problematizing Disruption: Political Economy of Mass Media | Prof. Vikas Dogra, Professor of Journalism, Dept. of Journalism, HPU |
| II | Concept of Resources & Geography of World Economy | Prof. D.D. Sharma, Prof of Geography, Dept. of Geography, H.P. University Shimla & Former Vice Chancellor, SP University, Mandi, HP  dds0124@gmail.com |
| III | Social Policy: Reflections on It’s Relevance to Economics & It’s Evaluation | Prof. Aparna Negi, Course Coordinator |
| IV | Preparation Time for MCQ test: Mock test | MCQ Team of Participants |
| 18.08.2023 (Friday) | I | Application of Econometrics in Economics: An Overview | Prof. S Madheswaran, Sr. Professor, Former Director, Institute for Social & Economic Change & Former Vice Chancellor, GRI. Bangalore.  madhes.hina@gmail.com |
| II | India’s Trade Relation with the G-20 | Prof. Raj Kumar Singh,  Dept. of Commerce, H.P. University Shimla  [profrksingh7@gmail.com](mailto:profrksingh7@gmail.com) |
| III | Preparation For Valedictory Session & Learnings from RC 345 | Dr. J.S. Saklani, Assistant Director, UGC-HRDC, H.P. University, Shimla and  Prof. Aparna Negi, Course Coordinator |
| IV | Hidden Talent |
| 19.08.2023 (Saturday) | I | Postulates of Spiritual Economics | Prof. A.D.N. Bajpai,  Hon’ble Vice-Chancellor, Atal Bihari Vajpayee Vishwavidyalaya, Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh |
| II | MCQ Test | Prof. Des Raj Thakur, Director, UGC-HRDC, H.P. University, Shimla |
| III | Valedictory Ceremony | **Chief Guest:** Prof. S.P. Bansal,  Hon’ble Vice-Chancellor, Central University of HP & Hon’ble Vice-Chancellor, HPU, Shimla |
| IV | Issuing Relieving Certificates | HRDC Team |