

7th - 8th February 2020

NATIONAL SEMINAR ON Globalization, Governance and Inclusive Development

Organized by

Social Sciences Research Centre & Department of Lifelong Learning University of Rajasthan, Jaipur



CONCEPT NOTE:

Globalization, governance and inclusive development are clearly interrelated processes, each with the potential to shape the other. The past decade has shown increasing concentration of income, resources and wealth among people, corporations and countries. While per capita income increased in some of the developing countries, it either stagnated or regressed in most of them even as poverty remained stubbornly high and income distribution highly skewed. While globalization has several positive, innovative, dynamic aspects, the overall achievements remain far below the expectations and promises of globalization. It has proceeded with extremely uneven distribution of benefits and costs across nations resulting in marginalization in some cases. The exclusion of countries and people from the benefits of globalization is further compounded by the emerging rules of the game for international economic transactions, which remain asymmetrical in terms of construct and inequitable in terms of outcome. Today, the richest two percent of the world's adult population owns more than half of global household wealth. The bottom half, in contrast, barely owns one percent. There is a crucial need to ensure that the current process of globalization becomes more inclusive. While economic growth has touched more economics than ever before, many developing countries continue to be left out. Also, even in countries that have benefited as a whole, there are communities or sectors of the population that have not been included. In concrete terms, promoting inclusive development requires the reduction of poverty, unemployment and underemployment; bringing lagging countries into global knowledge systems and global value-chains; and ensuring that marginalized communities have access to housing, health, education and other social services, are able to exercise their civic, civil and political rights and are able to expand their capacities and capabilities.

Globalization has not only accelerated the pace of economic transformation and social change, it has also fundamentally reconfigured the nature of governance. While global and regional governance institutions are playing an ever more powerful role of shaping possibilities at the local and national level, national and local governments still provides the principal arenas of democratic contestations. The central axis of polities in an age of globalization is the complex interaction of governance institutions at global and local levels.

As this backdrop, this seminar intends to discuss and debate on following themes:

- Contested Character of Globalization
- Globalization and Poverty
- Globalization and Exclusion
- Issue of Social Security in Globalizing India
- Globalization and Ecology
- Globalization and Culture
- Globalization and Religious Resurgence
- Anti-Globalization and Justice Movements
- Globalization, Law and Governance
- ICT and Governance
- Human Rights and Social Justice
- Globalization and Inclusive Development
- Civil Society and Governance
- Globalization, Gender and Inclusive Development
- Globalization and Identity Politics.

Please Note:

The broad areas are indicative and you may submit papers even outside the listed areas where central theme of the research revolves around globalization.

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The Social Sciences Research Centre (SSRC)
Social Sciences Research Centre of the University of Rajasthan was established on 11 Oct. 1975 by Prof. Iqbal Narain, an eminent social scientist. The main objective of the centre is to import greater scientific vigour to research activities and promote interdisciplinary perspective particularly in the realm of Social Sciences. Interdisciplinary collaboration involves exchange of information among related disciplines in the belief that such exchanges enrich a discipline's understanding of the phenomena understanding. As an important institution of conducting research, we plan to develop it as research resource centre to provide basic information regarding carrying out scientific interdisciplinary research.

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Call for Papers: Submission of Abstracts and Full Papers:

Abstracts and full papers are invited on any of the above theme areas or other related areas. The abstract should not exceed 300 words, should be typed in 1.5 line spacing leaving 1" margin on all sides on A-4 paper. Three to five keywords should be given below the abstract in italics. The abstract should be sent through email (ssrcuorjpr@gmail.com) in MS Word format.

Registration fee

1000/-Research Scholar 800/-Students 600/-

- Registration fee include only the Seminar kit, access to Seminar sessions and lunch for two days of seminar.
- Registration fee not include the accommodation facilities. Therefore participants have to manage accommodation facility on their own.

Important Dates:

Deadline for abstract submission -03rd February, 2020 06th February, 2020 Deadline for full paper submission -

:: Venue ::

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