



**XIM University**  
**Bhubaneswar**  
**School of Economics**

**organises**

**2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference on  
Contemporary Issues in Economics**  
**February 20-21, 2025 (Thursday & Friday)**  
**Venue: New Campus at Harirajpur**

**Call for Papers**

The School of Economics, XIM University Bhubaneswar, invites unpublished original research articles from faculty members from colleges/ universities/ institutions, researchers from think tanks/ policymaking bodies, and research scholars on any contemporary issues in economics. Theoretical and empirical – both papers are welcome. A session on poster presentation for students pursuing postgraduate programmes in Economics and/or PhD scholars at the early stage of research will be arranged.

The previous conference has witnessed participation from academicians and researchers from various corners of the world and has been successful in sparking meaningful discourse on contemporary themes in the field of Economics. For details on School of Economics, visit <https://soe.xim.edu.in/>.

**IMPORTANT DATES**

<b>Last date for Submission of Final Paper</b>	<b>November 30, 2024</b>
<b>Announcement of Acceptance of Paper for Presentation</b>	<b>January 15, 2025</b>
<b>Registration Starts from</b>	<b>January 20, 2025</b>

## THEMES/ TOPICS

(indicative, but not limited to)

- Microeconomics
- Macroeconomics
- Political Economy
- Issues in Development Economics
- Issues in Trade
- Financial Economics/ Financial Markets
- Labour Economics
- Agricultural Economics
- Public Economics
- Experimental Economics
- Environmental Economics
- Upcoming areas of Economics

## SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

### For Papers

- Paper should be original and unpublished with an abstract of max 300 words, keywords, and at least two JEL classifications.
- Papers should have the names and affiliations of all authors with the email ID and phone number of the corresponding author.
- Papers may be theoretical or empirical addressing issues related to the topics mentioned above.
- Full papers in pdf or Word may be submitted at the link: <https://bit.ly/3TxEYun>

### For Posters

- An abstract of 400 to 500 words needs to be submitted at the link: <https://bit.ly/3TxEYun>
- All author names with their affiliations and which programme they are pursuing (Post graduate or PhD) need to be indicated.

## REGISTRATION FEE

Registration fee includes kit, lunch and snacks

- Academician / Researcher INR 2000
- PhD Scholars INR 1000
- Postgraduate students need not pay any registration fee

Details about the mode of payment will be updated before the registration begins.

## ACCOMMODATION

Limited accommodation on campus may be provided on request subject to availability. It will be chargeable as per the norms of the University. The presenter has to inform in advance.

## TRAVEL REIMBURSEMENT

- If a PhD scholar is a paper presenter, they may be given travel support on reimbursement basis subject to the production of documents.
- No travel allowance will be provided to poster presenters and/or attendees.

## AWARD FOR THE BEST PAPER

There will be a best paper award. The winner will receive a cash prize.

## PUBLICATION OPPORTUNITIES

Selected papers will be considered for a couple of journals, subject to the review process of respective journals. Details will be provided in due course.

## CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

Professor Golaka C Nath (Mentor)  
Professor Paramita Mukherjee (Convenor)  
Dr Debasmita Basu (Co-Convenor)  
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## ABOUT THE SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS

The School of Economics at XIM University Bhubaneswar is an upcoming School offering undergraduate, postgraduate and PhD programmes in Economics. The School offers a research-friendly environment and encourages intellectual exchanges through seminars and conferences regularly. The new campus of XIM University Bhubaneswar is located in Harirajpur, near the Khorda railway station. Puri is about 50 km away from the campus.

**For conference-related queries/details, please contact:**

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