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Schedule of Lectures

Time	10:00 AM – 11:15 AM	B R E A K	11:30 AM – 12:45 PM	L U N C H	2:00 PM - 3:15 PM	B R E A K	3:30 PM - 4:45 PM
Day & Date							
Monday, Nov, 10 th	Inaugural R. Kavita Rao		Invited Lecture Pronab Sen		Market Failure TBD		Interactive session with institute faculty
Tuesday, Nov, 11 th	Basics of Tax policy Pinaki Chakraborty		Basics of Goods & Services Tax Sacchidananda Mukherjee		NIPFP Macro Review Event		Library Consultation
Wednesday, Nov, 12 th	Theory of Public Expenditure Lekha Chakraborty		Public Choice Theory Sugato Dasgupta		Public Choice Theory Sugato Dasgupta		Global Public Goods Open Discussion
Thursday, Nov, 13 th	Direct Tax Policy R. Kavita Rao		Budgets and Govt. Financial Architecture Anupam Raj		Budgets and Govt. Financial Architecture Anupam Raj		Accounting for Govt. Expenditure Charu Gupta
Friday, Nov, 14 th	Centre-State Fiscal Relations Pinaki Chakraborty		Basics of Public Debt Pinaki Chakraborty		Decentralization and Local Governance Manish Gupta		Green Budgeting Resham Nagpal
Saturday, Nov, 15 th	Impact Assessment Rolly Kukreja		Impact Assessment Rolly Kukreja		Basics of National Accounts Statistics Amey Sapre		Basics of National Accounts Statistics Amey Sapre
Monday, Nov, 17 th	Presentations by participants						
Tuesday, Nov, 18 th	Presentations by participants						
Wednesday, Nov, 19 th	Presentations by participants					Valedictory	

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Presentation by participants

		Name	Institution	Topic/paper	Discussant
17 th Nov.	1	<i>Anant Srivastav</i>	Indian Institute of Management, Jammu, J&K	The Nexus Between Fiscal Pressure and Green Energy Transition: Evidence from a Threshold Analysis of Indian States	Resham Nagpal
	2	<i>Ashrafal Khalq</i>	Centre for Development Studies, Thiruvananthapuram	Mediating the Effect of Tax Reform: Revenue Autonomy, GST, and Subnational Debt in India	Pinaki Chakraborty
	3	<i>Ashkar K</i>	Gulati Institute of Finance and Taxation, Thiruvananthapuram	Does Population Ageing Drive Public Health Expenditure in Indian States? A Dynamic Panel Analysis	Amey Sapre
	4	<i>Anushka Nagar</i>	Indira Gandhi Institute of Development Research, Mumbai	Decentralising Responsibilities at Rural Local Level: Insights from Spending Patterns of District Panchayats in India	Amey Sapre
18 th Nov.	5	<i>Anshul Srivastava</i>	University of Lucknow, Lucknow	Output & Consumption Volatilities, and Automatic Fiscal Stabilizers in India	Mukesh Anand
	6	<i>Divya Kannan K R</i>	Gulati Institute of Finance and Taxation, Thiruvananthapuram	Can Public Infrastructure Drive Manufacturing Performance? Evidence from Indian States	Mukesh Anand

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18 th Nov.	7	<i>Gopika G</i>	Gulati Institute of Finance and Taxation, Thiruvananthapuram	Assessing Efficiency of Public Spending in India: A State-level Analysis	Mita Choudhury
	8	<i>Megha Susan Philip</i>	Institute for Social and Economic Change, Bengaluru	Public Housing for the Rural Poor in Kerala: An Expenditure Incidence Analysis using Secondary and Primary Evidence	Lekha Chakraborty
	9	<i>Sugat Machale</i>	Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics, Pune	Soaring Debt, Rising Concerns- Need for Putting Fiscal Domain of States in Order	Pratap Ranjan Jena
19 th Nov.	10	<i>Saifudheen E</i>	Kannur University, Kerala	Dynamics of Fiscal Counter cyclicity in India: An Empirical Analysis of Economic Development and Policy Effectiveness	Rudrani Bhattacharya
	11	<i>Santosh Sahu</i>	Dr. Hari Singh Gour Vishwavidyalaya, Sagar	Fiscal Deficit and Its Economic Impact: A Study of GDP, Money Supply, and Inflation in India	Rudrani Bhattacharya
	12	<i>Rajesh Kumar Sahoo</i>	Indian Institute of Technology, Bhubaneswar	Does political competition influence the size and composition of subnational public expenditure? Evidence from major Indian states	Rolly Kukreja
	13	<i>Isha Bagga</i>	Panjab University, Chandigarh	Excise Taxation and Fiscal Sustainability in Punjab: Balancing Revenue Mobilisation with the Social Costs of Alcohol Consumption	R. Kavita Rao
	14	<i>Nupur Singh</i>	Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani	Goods and Services Tax (GST) Reform 2025: Dual-GST Model and its Impact on Government Revenue	R. Kavita Rao