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on

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Original Multi-disciplinary Research papers/articles are invited from students, researchers, academicians, practitioners, policy makers and public on the below themes of the Two Day International Conference on “*The Economic History and Economic Thoughts of India: Ancient Perspectives*” organized by the Centre for Indian Economic History, Shri Ram College of Commerce (CIEH, SRCC) under the projects sanctioned by Ministry of Culture, Government of India under the *Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav*:

THEMES

1. Ancient India’s Economic History and Philosophies
2. Economic Systems and Economic Governance in Ancient India
3. Temple Economy and its Impact on Ancient Indian society
4. Economic Wisdom of Ancient Indian Scriptures
5. The State of Agriculture, Manufacturing and Services in Ancient India
6. Strategic and Conflict Economy in Ancient India
7. Public Policy in Ancient Indian Economy
8. Trade Economy of Ancient India
9. Sustainable Development and Environmental Care in Ancient Indian Economy
10. The Relevance of Kautilaya’s *Arthshashtra* in Modern Times
11. Human Capital: Demography, Labour, Health and Education in Indian Economic History
12. Governance and Institutions in Ancient India’s Economy
13. Culture and Economics

Undergraduate/Postgraduate (UG/PG) Students and Research Scholars are especially encouraged to contribute Original Research Papers/Articles on the above themes for the Conference.

The Conference is sponsored by the Ministry of Culture, Government of India. Expenses related to Travelling/Conveyance/Boarding and Lodging/Paper Presentation will be undertaken/reimbursed by the College as per extant guidelines and availability of funds.

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The submission of paper is a three stage process.

- **Stage 1- Submission of Abstract:** First, an Abstract of about 500 words is to be submitted by June 5, 2023.
- **Stage 2- Submission of Full Research Paper:** Post acceptance of Abstract (*which will be communicated by June 10, 2023*), the full paper is to be submitted by July 10, 2023.
- **Stage 3- Final Submission:** Submitted papers will undergo a rigorous double blind review process. The comments of the reviewers and the Editorial Team are to be considered and after incorporation, the final print-ready paper is to be submitted by July 20, 2023.

Authors are requested to kindly adhere to the timelines and submission guidelines given below.

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES FOR AUTHORS

1. Guidelines for submission of Abstracts:

Authors must kindly ensure the following guidelines are met for the submission of the Abstracts:

- i. **Format:** Submissions are to be made in MS-Word Format only.
- ii. **First Page:** The first page of the Abstract should only have the following:
 - a. Title of the Research (*tentative/working title to be indicated*)
 - b. Theme for which the paper is being submitted.
 - c. Author(s) Full Name. The first/corresponding author must be clearly identified. Upto three authors are permitted.
 - d. Institutional Affiliation with full address of the institution.
 - e. Email Id
 - f. Mobile Number
- iii. **Second Page of the Research:** The second page of the Abstract should have the following only:
 - a. Title of the Research (*tentative/working titles to be indicated*)
 - b. Main Abstract
 - c. Key Words (5 only)
 - d. JEL Classification, if any.

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- iv. **Title of the Research:** The title should be as brief as possible but long enough to convey the nature of the study.
 - a. **Font of the Title:** Times New Roman, Size 16, Alignment: Center, Bold
- v. **Main Abstract:** The Abstract should state briefly the background, purpose/objectives, methodology, results, conclusions/discussions, and keywords. The Abstract should be 500 words or less. No citation/references are to be mentioned in the Abstract.
- vi. **Language:** The Abstract can be written in either English or Hindi.
- vii. **Formatting:** The documents must be styled as follows:
 - a. **Page Layout:** Orientation: Portrait, Margin: 1 inch (2.54 cm) from all sides
 - b. **Font:** Times New Roman
 - c. **Font Size:** 12
 - d. **Paragraph Line Spacing:** 1.5 Line Spacing, No space before or after paragraphs.

2. Guidelines for submission of Submission of full papers

Authors must kindly ensure the following guidelines are met for the submission of the Full Papers post acceptance of Abstracts:

- i. **Format:** Submissions are to be made in MS-Word Format only.
- ii. **First Page:** The first page of the Full Paper should only have the following:
 - a. Title of the Research
 - b. Theme for which the paper is being submitted.
 - c. Author(s) Full Name. The first/corresponding author must be clearly identified. Upto three authors are permitted.
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- iii. **Title of the Research:** The title should be as brief as possible but long enough to convey the nature of the study.
 - a. **Font of the Title:** Times New Roman, Size 16, Alignment: Center, Bold

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- iv. **Main Paper:** The Main paper may be demarcated into sections indicating the background, purpose/objectives, methodology, analysis, results, key-findings and conclusions/ discussions.
- v. **Language:** The Main Paper can be written in English and Hindi.
- vi. **Formatting:** The documents must be styled as follows:
 - a. **Page Layout:** Orientation: Portrait, Margin: 1 inch (2.54 cm) from all sides
 - b. **Font:** Times New Roman
 - c. **Font Size:** 12 for text, 16 for Title, 14 for Headings of various sections
 - d. **Paragraph Line Spacing:** 1.5 Line Spacing, No space before or after paragraphs.
- vii. **Referencing:** APA 7th Edition is to be used, including Citations, Tables, figures etc. Authors may refer: <https://apastyle.apa.org/>
- viii. **Word Count:** The word limit for full paper submission including abstract and references should be between 8000 to 10000 words.

Papers will only be accepted if they have not been copyrighted, published, presented, or accepted for presentation at any other academic gathering and are not currently under review for presentation/publication, are received by the appropriate deadline and conform to the format and length requirements. A declaration to this effect will be sought from authors whose research work has been accepted for the Conference.

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All submitted work will undergo rigorous plagiarism testing, acceptable limit being below 15%.

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Abstracts may be submitted through the below link:

<https://forms.gle/4oLAVgR9ddW7h27k8>

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IMPORTANT DATES

Registration Starts	Monday, May 22, 2023
Submission of Abstract	Monday, June 5, 2023
Acceptance of Abstract	Saturday, June 10, 2023
Submission of Full Paper/ Closing of Registration	Monday, July 10, 2023
Notification of Review Decision	Saturday, July 15, 2023
Submission of Final Print-Ready Paper	Thursday, July 20, 2023
