



IDSJ WORKSHOP ON
“DATABASE ON INDIAN ECONOMY
(DBIE)”

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October 21st – 27th, 2024 | Jaipur



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About the Institute: The Institute of Development Studies (IDS), Jaipur is an autonomous research institute established in 1981 under the Societies Registration Act of 1958. The institute receives support from the ICSSR and the Government of Rajasthan. IDS, Jaipur also receives occasional support from various national and international organisations.

About the Workshop: IDS, Jaipur is pleased to announce a specialized workshop, “Database on Indian Economy,” funded by the ICSSR. This intensive seven-day residential workshop, scheduled for October 21-27, 2024, is specifically designed for research students and young faculty members in Economics and other social science disciplines from across India. The course will be conducted on a full-time residential basis at IDS’s campus in Jaipur, ensuring an immersive learning experience.

The workshop aims to provide a comprehensive understanding of databases covering various dimensions of Indian economy, including: Industry dynamics and unincorporated enterprises and informal sector; Evolving landscape of Labour market and employment patterns; Health and family statistics and their economic implications; and Consumption expenditure surveys and policy formulation.

Key highlights of the workshop include hands-on training in data extraction techniques, equipping participants with practical skills crucial for empirical research in economics and other social science disciplines. The participants will learn to extract and analyse data from key datasets, including: NSSO’s enterprise surveys and Annual Survey of Industries (ASI); Employment and Unemployment Surveys and Periodic Labour Force Survey (PLFS); National Family Health Survey (NFHS); and Consumer Expenditure Survey (CES).

This immersive learning experience will equip participants with advanced skills in data analysis and empirical research, enabling them to contribute meaningfully to policy-relevant research in economics and social sciences. We welcome enthusiastic participants eager to expand their knowledge, enhance their research capabilities, and engage with a community of scholars.

Course Structure: This residential workshop spans seven days and includes lectures, hands-on training in data extraction techniques, and basic statistical analysis. Participants will engage intensively with experts, acquiring practical skills crucial for conducting rigorous empirical research.

Who Should Attend: The workshop is tailored for students and young faculty members in Economics or any social science research discipline who are eager to deepen their understanding of economic and health databases and their applications in academic research and policy formulation.

Application Process: Interested candidates can apply through the online application form available on the official website of IDS, Jaipur. Applicants are required to submit a CV and Statement of Purpose between 500 – 700 words, outlining their interest in the workshop. The application deadline is September 20th, 2024. Selection criteria prioritize academic merit, the relevance of the workshop to applicants’ research interests, and preference will be given to candidates from Rajasthan as well as those belonging to marginalised categories. For any further questions, please send an email to dbie.idsj.24@gmail.com with the subject line “DBIE Application”.

Certificate and Fees: Upon successful completion of the workshop, participants will receive a course completion certificate from IDS, Jaipur. There are no registration fees for attending the workshop, and participants will benefit from complimentary on-campus accommodation and reimbursed travel expenses (Third AC/Bus fare) as per IDSJ rules and through a shortest possible route.

Important Dates:
Workshop Dates: Oct 21st – 27th, 2024
Application Deadline: Sept 20th, 2024

Join us at IDS, Jaipur for an enriching learning experience and enhance your capabilities in economic data analysis and contribute significantly to your research journey.

Link to the application form:
<https://rb.gv/sg1uo6>



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