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NATIONAL WEBINAR
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COVID-19 and POPULATION MIGRATION:
SOCIO-ECONOMIC IMPACT

कोविड-19 एवं जनस्थानान्तरण :
सामाजिक-आर्थिक प्रभाव



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Prof. Shri Prakash Mani Tripathi
Honorable Vice Chancellor
Will Preside the webinar



Prof. Prithvish Nag
Former Vice Chancellor
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The Keynote Speech

Spread of COVID-19 and associated series of restrictions and subsequent lockdowns have crippled all cultural and socio-economic activities. These restrictions have created difficult time for most of section of the population. A reverse migration and humanitarian crisis also observed when with small cash in hand and without no financial or logistics support most venerable section of the workforce which are workers of unorganized sectors, people engaged in small vending and their dependents moved to their native places.

India accounts for about 90 per cent of the total workers under the unorganized sector, of which 150 million are farmers and 50 million are agricultural and non-agricultural workers. Forty-eight millions of these are self-employed in rural areas, while about 55 million are self-employed and 20 million are daily wage earners in urban areas. While it is true the extended shutdowns had the potential to contain the spread of the virus, it has devastated the livelihoods of ordinary daily wage and construction workers in urban areas and farmers and landless labourers in rural areas.



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Migration has been a method of getting livelihood in our country which is almost unidirectional; from rural to urban. 40% to 50% of our urban population is migrant and around 15% to 20% are migrants from other state. This huge uncontrolled and unplanned migration has created huge pressure on the urban infrastructure and skill and HR gap in rural areas. With shutdown most of the migrant population is returning back to their villages which are not yet ready to adjust this large number. This migration, called as reverse migration has posed a risk to the industries and business in urban centers as returning of these workers to their workplace is uncertain. It is considered by some experts as the great crisis for both cities and the rural areas. On the other hand, some experts have taken it positively as they pointed out scope for increasing activities and opportunities of industrial and commercial activities in these areas.

The Government of India and state governments have come forward to help the people returning to their native places. Some schemes are also announced to create employment for these migrated population. The present webinar is organized to find answer of all these worries and prepare a document with suggestions for solutions.

Link for Registration: Interested persons can fill the online form for registration. There is no registration charge and participants will be provided digital certificate of participation. Interested persons may apply through the following online link- <https://forms.gle/v9vWuf6U6MrmEUFL7>

Schedule-

The Webinar is divided in two sessions inaugural and second. In the first part experts/resource persons will deliver their talks and honorable Vice Chancellors sir will preside the session. Second session will start after 45 minutes break and summary of the findings would be presented by participants. The Webinar will start from 11.00 am and after taking a break of 45 minutes second session will take place.

Date, Time and Venue-

11/07/2020, from 11 am on Google meet platform
(link will be provided to registered participants only)



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