

56th Annual Conference Odisha Economic Association

February 10-11, 2024

Invitation- cum-Program



**Odisha Economic Association
(OEA)**

Jointly Organized by



**Dept. of Economics
Sambalpur University**

Dear Sir/Ma'am

Odisha Economic Association (OEA) in association with the Department of Economics, Sambalpur University is organizing its 56th Annual Conference during 10th -11th February, 2024 as per the program attached. During these two days noted economists and policy makers from different parts of India and abroad will discuss on two themes:

- (i) Pathways for Sustainable Growth in an Uncertain World
- (ii) Emerging Issues in Social Sector of Odisha.

For the capacity building of the young researchers and students two days of Pre-Conference workshop is also scheduled for 8th -9th February, 2024.

We take this opportunity to invite you to attend this conference. Your active participation in the conference is highly solicited.

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Day 1: February 10, 2024
Inaugural Session
Venue: Biju Patnaik Auditorium

Time	Program	Speaker/Chair
8.00 AM - 9.45 AM	Registration and Breakfast	
10.00 AM	Invitation of guests to the dias	
10.02 AM	University Anthem	
10.05 AM	Presentation of bouquets to the dignitaries on the dias	Student voluteers
10.10 AM	Welcome Address	Prof. Sanjukta Das Local Organising Secretary
10.15 AM	Address regarding the OEA and themes of the conference	Dr. Amarendra Das Secretary, OEA
10.20 AM	Address by the Vice Chancellor, SU	Prof. Bidhu Bhusan Mishra Vice Chancellor, Sambalpur University
10.30 AM	Release of the OEJ and Abstract Volume	Dignitaries on the dias
10.32 AM	Felicitation of Prof. Sudhakar Panda, President Indian Economic Association	Chief Guest, Dr. Pramod Ku. Mishra Principal Secretary to Prime Minister
10.35 AM	Address by the Chief Guest	Dr. Pramod Ku. Mishra Principal Secretary to Prime Minister
11.20 AM	Presidential Address	Dr. Jugal Kishore Mohapatra President, OEA
11.40 AM	Vote of Thanks	Dr. Nruparaj Sahu Registrar, Sambalpur University
	End of Inaugural Session	
11.45 AM - 12.00 NOON	Tea Break	
12.00 NOON - 1.00 PM	Keynote Address on Theme I	Chair: Prof. Manoj K. Panda Speaker: Prof. M. Govinda Rao
1.00 PM - 2.00 PM	Lunch Break	
Time	Program	Venue
2.00 PM -3.30 PM	Technical Session I (4 Parallel Sessions)	Department of Economics Hall I, II, III, IV
3.30 PM - 5.00 PM	Technical Session II (4 Parallel Sessions)	Department of Economics Hall I, II, III, IV

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Time	Program	Venue
5.00 PM - 6.00 PM	Panel Discussion on “Regional Development Challenges of Odisha” Prof. Manoj K. Panda (Chair) Prof. Sudhanshu S. Rath Prof. Deepak K. Mishra Prof. Rathikanta Kumbhar Prof. Sadananda Nayak	Biju Patnaik Auditorium
6.00 PM - 7.00 PM	General Body Meeting of Life Members Chair: Dr. Jugal K. Mohapatra	Department of Economics Hall III
7.00 PM - 8.00 PM	Cultural Program	Biju Patnaik Auditorium

Day 2: February 11, 2024

Time	Program	Venue
8.00 AM - 9.00 AM	Breakfast	
9.00 AM - 10.30 AM	Technical Session III (4 Parallel Sessions)	Department of Economics Hall I, II, III, IV
10.30 AM - 11.30 AM	Special Lecture Chair: Prof. Deepak K. Mishra Speaker: Prof. Ashok Gulati	Biju Patnaik Auditorium
11.30 AM - 12.30 PM	Keynote Address on Theme II “Challenges in Social Sector” Chair: Prof. Keshab Das Speaker: Prof. Tapas K. Sen	Biju Patnaik Auditorium
12.30 PM - 1.30 PM	Valedictory Session	Biju Patnaik Auditorium
1.30 PM ONWARD	Lunch	
	End of the Program	

