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ECON-VISVA 2017

To be held on January 20, 2017.

Call for papers from post-graduate students of Economics.

Organised by

Department of Economics & Politics, Vidya Bhavana, Visva-Bharati, Santiniketan.

ECON-VISVA 2017 is a unique opportunity for the post-graduate students of Economics from all over India to showcase their talents. The summit is funded under the **UGC-SAP, DRS – II** scheme of Department of Economics & Politics, Visva-Bharati. **We invite papers under specified themes (mentioned below). Selected papers will be presented in a day-long conference at the department. There is no registration fee. Travel cost by the cheapest route from student's location to Santiniketan and necessary hospitality will be borne by the department.**

Themes for ECON-VISVA 2017 are:

- 1. Conflict between Growth & Development in India.**
- 2. Environmental Sustainability.**
- 3. Employment: The Formal – Informal Trade-off.**
- 4. Public Policies Aiming at Health/ Education/ Gender Parity.**

Size of the paper should not exceed 4000 words.

Best paper awards: There is an award for the best paper on each theme.

Award selection criterion: 40% on the write-up and 60% on presentation.

Important Dates: Last date of submission: December 21, 2016. Intimation to the selected students: January 1, 2017. ECON-VISVA 2016 will take place on January 20, 2017.

Submission Procedure: Papers should be submitted only by email to amitkbiswas@yahoo.com and priyabratadutta@gmail.com with a copy to apurbakumar.chattopadhyay@visva-bharati.ac.in.

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