

Report on Re-engaging with poverty measurement: The Rich, The Poor and The Middle class in India

Activity	Talk on "Re-engaging with poverty measurement: The Rich, The Poor and The Middle class in India"
Date and time	May 5 th , 2022, at 3:00 p.m
Mode	Online
Resource Person	Dr. William Joe, Institute of Economic Growth, New Delhi
Faculty attended	3
Students attended	19
Participants	22
The objective	To reconcile poverty measurements in a rapidly changing economic environment in India.
description of the activity	<p>The program commenced with an opening address by Prof. Christina D'Souza, President of the Alumni Association, followed by the introduction of the Guest Speaker, Dr. William Joe.</p> <p>Dr. William Joe elaborated on the various definitions of poverty proposed by different committees in India. He also discussed the methodologies used to measure absolute and relative poverty, highlighting the essential criteria for an effective poverty measurement approach. Additionally, he emphasized the significance of the new reference poverty line baskets, which should account for rural-urban price differentials, as outlined by the Tendulkar Committee. The webinar underscored the importance of a nuanced understanding of poverty measurement to formulate an effective development strategy.</p>
Benefit/Key outcome of the event	An overview of existing poverty measurement methods and a better appreciation of the need for appropriate poverty measurements for evolving a suitable development strategy.





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**Re-engaging with Poverty Measurement:
The Rich, The Poor and The Middle Class in India**



Resource Person:
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Delhi

Date: Thursday, 05th May 2022

Time: 3.00p.m. to 5.00 p.m.

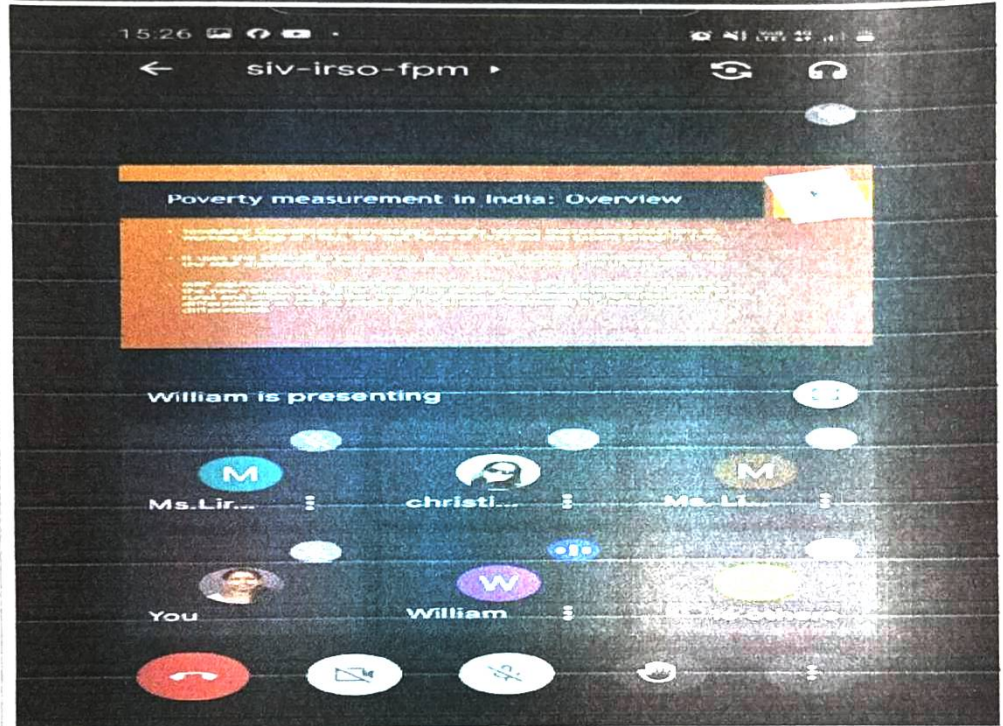
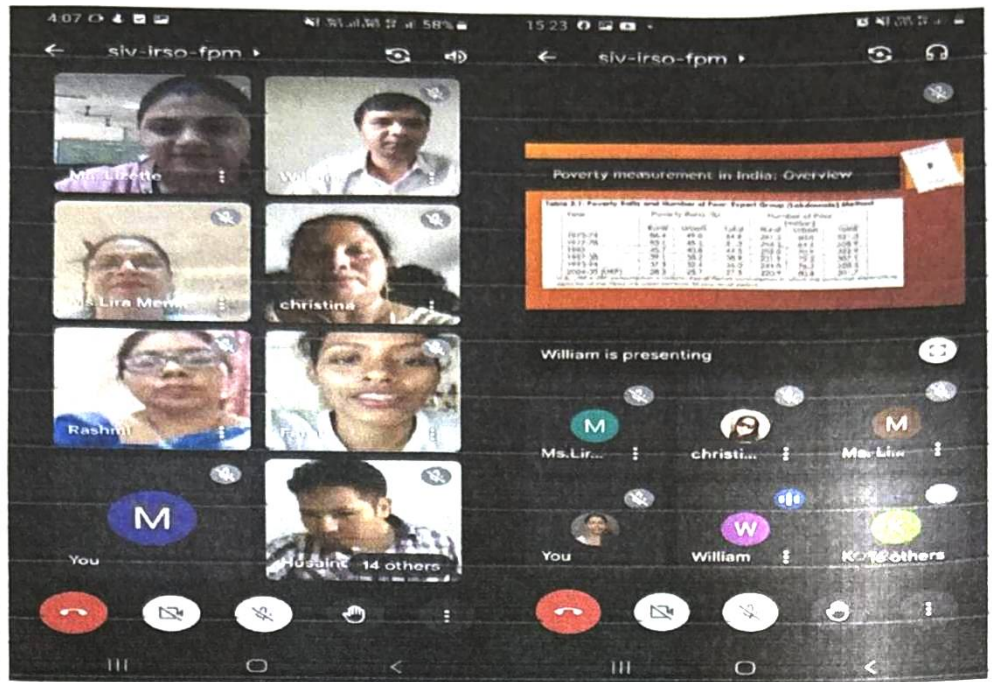
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